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What's Been Happening

A lot since the Pandemic hit us! Your board has been very busy during these trying times but are committed to keep progressing forward. We successfully had two membership meetings via Zoom. We had 14 members at the first meeting and 17 at the second one. We had a few bumps getting started but we persevered and had some fun. The first meeting we had show and tell after the business meeting and was quite impressed with everyones work. After our second meeting, Diane Raymond gave a wonderful demo on Mandalas and how they can help relieve stress, and boy do we need that now. We all followed along with her and made some beautiful works of art. We will not be having our Annual Holiday Party in December due to Safety reasons but we will resume our meetings in January with Demos. Below are Mandalas created at Diane's November Demo by members.









Meetings Are Back at the Library

Starting January 13, 2021 meetings and demos will resume at the Cummings library at 1pm. The space is limited so social distance can be attained. We will send out a RSVP prior to the meeting for a first come first serve basis until we reach our quota. Look for it in your email.

Upcoming Demos at the Library 2021

JANUARY 13—Chris Kling—Figurative Drawing/Painting

FEBRUARY 10—Neil Capozzi with a new product update



MARCH 10—Diane Concepcion (the owner of Pelican Central Mosaic Arts) has been doing mosaics and giving classes in Saint Lucie and Martin Counties for several years. She uses glass, tile, china and other found items to make functional art, or mosaics that are purely artistic.



Any ideas to fill the April meeting are greatly appreciated.



The 32nd Annual Art Show is a Go!

We may have to modify for safety reasons but we will be having our annual show. So finish up your paintings and send indoor entry form. Remember this is a major fundraiser to help with the scholarship fund. Due to Covid 19 we have not been able to raise funds as previous years.

At the end of this newsletter, will be all the information you need to participate in the show.

2020-2022 OFFICERS



President: Diane Raymond



Secretary: Laura Tiano



Treasurer: Sue Winocur



Trustee:
Barbara Schmitz



Trustee: Lois Brusko



And newly appointed trustee; <u>Dana Meyer.</u> The Vice President position is vacant. Anyone who would like to fill this position or learn more about the position, please reach out to a board member for more information.



At the present time, we are not changing out any of our venues, but we continue to sell artwork. If you have a question regarding artwork hanging, please speak with the curator for the particular venue.

Member Highlights

Members, Barbara Lyons, Nancy Mich, and Jill Heveron were accepted to display paintings at the Backus Gallery in Fort Pierce.

Diane announced she sold two paintings at The Rooster in the Garden in Fort Pierce. Barbara Lyons also participated in a show at The Rooster in the Garden as well, on December 9th.

Dana Meyer was happy to report she sold a painting at the Wellness Center—she sold her Seascape painting.

Please send member highlights to ltiano@mac.com for inclusion in the next BrushStrokes.

Please check our website often for up to date information at palmoityartassociates.org



Please send photos or articles to be considered for the newsletter or website to Ltiano@mac.com

You should have received your directory and member contact information in your email. Kudos to Sharon Roselli for putting that together for us. We saved many dollars going electronic this year instead of printing! She will send out updates monthly, if needed.



The 32nd Annual PCAA Art Show and Sale

February 4-26 2021

Peter & Julie Cummings Library, Donahue Room, 2551 SW Matheson Avenue, Palm City

Important Dates:

Entry Form & Payment Deadline: Registration & Drop Off: Opening Reception - Donahue Room: Show Ends & Pick-up Artwork: Fri., January 22nd - No Exceptions, please Wed., February 3rd-10:15am - 12:30pm Thur., February 4th - 5:30 - 7:00pm Fri., February 26th - 10:15am - 12:00 noon

Guidelines:

- To participate, the artist must be a current paid PCAA member.
- Only one item of artwork to be entered per PCAA member.
- Each artist agrees to docent for 2 hours during the show between February 5-25th.
- The show committee determines artwork's suitability.
- Artwork must be original (no Giclees) and not a copy of another artist's work.
- Artwork must be 3 years old or newer and not previously in any PCAA Show.
- Paintings must be dry, framed and wired for hanging (no tooth brackets please).
- Size of piece limited to a maximum width of 36" & maximum height of 52" including frame.
- Unframed pieces must be on gallery wrapped canvas at least 1 and 3/8" or deeper.
- Watercolors and photos must be under Plexiglas instead of glass, for safety reasons.
- Complete and adhere the label below to the back of your piece for identification.
- Include the sale price of the item or if Not For Sale, please mark as NFS.
- By entering, you agree to PCAA's use of your images for future advertising & promotion.

Judging and Ribbons

Ribbons will be awarded per the Judge's discretion, in each of the following categories (as long as there are at least 5 entries per category): oil, acrylic, watercolor, photography, mixed media, and a pencil, pastel and charcoal grouping

To Enter: Send entry form and \$25 entry fee by deadline. Check made payable to PCAA to: Barbara Schmitz PO Box 107, Palm City, FL 34991. Please email a photo of your artwork to Itiano@mac.com. Attach label to back of artwork.

Please print this page and fill out

Art Show 2021 Entry Form: Please complete & mail this form to Barbara Schmitz PO Box 107, Palm City, FL 34991 with your \$25 entry fee check payable to PCAA

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