

Brushstroke

ELAINE DUBE'S WORK IN THE MESDA ART LEAGUE GALLERY AT THE ONEOHONE GALLERY



NOVEMBER MEETING DEMO BY KAREN BEASLEY

Being a short person, I learned to make clothes at a young age since the ones that fit her as an adolescent were in the children's department. Then as a military wife, I made new sets of curtains every few years. My sewing machine has travelled many miles and sometimes I even take in along on vacation.

Over the years, I also took up the paint brush. I have combined mixed media materials onto fabric, paper, and wood. I will show you a few finished examples as well as a UFO and explain how I plan to go forward towards completion. I will show you some tools of the trade and teach you some lingo.

Below is an art quilt based on Van Gogh's Sunflowers and a small unfinished portrait of the house we Isolated in this summer when we had Covid.

The Newsletter of the Mesa Art League NOVEMBER, 2022

WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT

It's November already. Time to remind ourselves what we are grateful for. The art league members, who remind me of the diversity and joy in creating art. The volunteers who help make this group work., The veteran's energy and creativity. And the ability to create.

November there will be a show at the One OH One Gallery of the Sculpture artists from the Mesa Art Center classes. Should be an interesting show.

The veteran's will be in the Mesa parade on November 11.

Our November 8th meeting will feature Karen Beasley.

We will also do two months of Artwork of the Month. We did not have any entries in October, so bring two pieces for voting.

And keep on creating

Loralee

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MEETING LOCATION, DATE AND TIME

Meeting date & time: - NEXT MEETING Tuesday, November 8 – 5:00pm Location: Greenfield Glen Club House - 1021 South Greenfield Rd. Meeting discussion: Karen Beasley – mixed media, fabric, wood





Karen Beasley's demo photos

BRING TWO PAINTINGS OR YOUR WORK TO THE NEXT MEETING SO WE CAN CHOOSE AN ARTWORK FOR OCTOBER AND FOR NOVEMBER.

NEXT MEETING, WE WILL RENEW OUR 50/50 DRAWING. SO, BRING \$ AND YOUR GOOD LUCK. Half of the funds go to the winner and half to Mesa Art League.

PLEASE RESPOND TO THE EMAIL REGARDING
YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES. WE ARE TRYING TO
BRING OUR RECORDS UP TO DATE. WE NEED TO
KNOW WHEN YOU LAST PAID DUES. OR CONTACT
US AT MESAARTONLINE@GMAIL.COM
ATTENTION ALICIA

DECEMBER SHOW AT THE OneOhOne GALLERY

101 W. Main Street, downtown Mesa Gallery hours Fridays and Saturdays, 10 -5 NO need to pre-register. Just show up on December 1.

Fee: \$10. (To help pay for rent of gallery)
Bring check or cash on Drop Off date
3 Paintings or sculptures per member.
Max size for painting 28 x 22 (approximately)
Artist will provide card wall labels for each piece, approx. business card size with Name, title, size, medium, price

Sales go thru MAL. MAL will take 20% Commission on any sales.

Drop Off Thursday Dec 1, 10-11:30 am Pick Up Saturday December 31, 2-3 pm

Artist Reception Friday Dec 9, 5-8pm

(This is the lively 2nd Friday Out night with band on OneOhOne patio, vendors along Main St)
December is one of the most active months in downtown Mesa. All events happen across Street from OneOhOne. Events going on Fridays and Saturdays.

December exhibit will be judged, and ribbons will be awarded.

Our judge is Barbara Atkinson Reeves
Her experience includes Executive director
Superstition Mountain Museum, Owner the Carrob.
Tree gifts and antiques in downtown Mesa,
Sculpture and Jewelry art teacher for 30 years
including teaching at Mesa Arts Center and taught
metal casting and master wax carving in the Metals
Program at ASU.

SEND PHOTOS FOR WEBSITE YOUR PHOTOS NEEDED NOW.

Subject line: website photo. Include your name, and website or email address if you wish to be contacted about possible sale other inquiry. Size of photo: 500 pixels on largest side. Send to Alicia at aliciamshort01@gmail.com

MEMBER NEWS

We need a new Shows Chairperson for 2023.

Elaine Dube sold a painting from her show at the MAL Gallery room located in the OneOhOne Gallery in downtown Mesa.

Alicia Short has two painting accepted at the Art Intersection gallery in Gilbert. The show is for work that is 12 inches or smaller and will open November 5 through end of December.

Phyllis Craig, Rosalie Vaccaro, and Elvie Becker were among the artists showing at the OneOhOne Gallery for the month of October.

Lu Wald won 2 Blue Ribbons and 2 Red Ribbons on her gourd art submissions at the State Fair

Kathy McClure has two pieces approved for the Juried Members' Show at the Tubac Center of the Arts. The show will run the last half of November and all of December. Be sure to contact Alicia to have your good news included in this newsletter and on the webpage. messartonline@gmail.com Attn: Alicia

ARTIST FOR SEPTEMBER AT THE MESA ART LEAGUE ART GALLERY- ELAINE DUBE



The gallery is open on Friday and Saturday's from 10am – to 4pm.

At this time the following dates for the MAL Gallery are reserved by:

November - Karen Beasley

December – Kay Nordberg January – Alicia Short February – Pat Book

HOW TO DISPLAY AT THE MESA ART LEAGUE'S GALLERY AT THE ONEOHONE GALLERY.

We'd love to exhibit your art in our League Gallery space in Suite 9 at the OneOhOne Building. 101 W. Main in active downtown Mesa. Fee of \$5 per artwork per month. Fee of \$50 to display your art on main the wall for a month. Downtown Mesa is hopping with many downtown activities started in September.

Contact Loralee at mesaartonline@gmail.com.

FINE ART AMERICA

Check out Fine Art America website for a place to show and possible sell your artwork. More on this next month.

Fine Art America is the premier online marketplace for buying and selling original artwork, prints, home decor, apparel, and more. We're also the easiest way to network with other

photographers and visual artists and stay in touch with your local art scene! Our interactive website is designed to bring together artists, art galleries, and art buyers by providing power online tools to all three groups.

Sell canvas prints, framed prints, home decor, phone cases, t-shirts, and more. With just a few clicks, you can open an account, upload your images, select the products that you want to sell, set your prices, and begin selling to millions of buyers all over the world. We're the world's largest art marketplace and print-on-demand technology company.

UPCOMING ARTS & CRAFT SHOWS

Velda Rose Gardens Arts & Craft Show

November 12 – spaces still available Contact: Deb Schwartz. 480-329-8321 Supland Villago Art and Craft Show

Sunland Village Art and Craft Show – November 19

Sunland Art and Craft League is sponsoring a fall art event on Sat. November 19 from 9-3pm at Sunland Village.

Dreamland Villa Holiday Craft Fair & Bake Sale - December 10

This event will be held Saturday, December 10 from 9am – 2pm at 320 N 55th Place, Mesa

ARIZONA ART ALLIANCE NEWS

Source Artist and Their Inspiration

Entries; December 1 – January 5, 2023

Interpretation VIII

Entries: January 15, 2023 – February 12, 2023

The Heat is On

Entries: June 20, 2023 – July 16, 2023

Unspoken Survivor Stories

Entries: July 15, 2023 - August 26, 2023

For more information contact:

arizonaartalliance.com

POST A PHOTO OF ONE OF YOUR PAINTINGS ON THE MAL FACEBOOK

Show off your work by posting a photo of your artwork on the Mesa Art League Facebook. Go Mesa Art League AZ – that is the correct most up to date Facebook page. The more you get your work out there the better.

Newsletter Editor – Alicia Short:

mesaartonline@gmail.com attention Alicia or aliciamshort01@gmail.com

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS by 25th of the month.

VENUE CHANGE OUT DATES:

MESA SENIOR CENTER

Location: 247 MacDonald St. Mesa (Second Thursday of every month)

NEXT CHANGE OUT: November 10, December 8

ADALANTE HEALTH CENTER

Location: 1705 W Main St, Mesa AZ 85201

Current 2022 Schedule:

I still have openings for the following:

September-October (Change in at the end of August; Change out at the end of October.)

November-December-January (Change in at the end of October; change out at the end of January.)

2023 schedule:

February-March

April-May

June-July-August

September-October

November-December-January 2024

Text Elizabeth at 317-460-5903.

Availability is first come first serve.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM IS ON THE LAST PAGE OF THE NEWSLETTER.

If you wish to pay online, you can go to the Membership Page to the website – mesaartleague.com

BELOW IS THE VETERAN'S PAGE AND MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM - keep scrolling down.

FOR SALE

The Stebco art portfolio presentation case. Size: 25x37" with fully open 3-inch boxed design holds some paintings with frames. Durable, beautiful Bontex – made USA For sale for \$43.00.





The B-Best Painter's studio easel. Solid oak with max. stability. Maximum canvas height – 60". For sale for \$279. A recent ad had it for sale for \$570 but marked down to \$383.00. So, its quite a bargain. Contact Suzanne at 480-276-7078.

MESA ART LEAGUE LEADERSHIP TEAM

President – Loralee Stickel-Harris

Vice President – Diane Black

Treasurer – Nancy Briggs

Secretary – Brenda Jackson

DIRECTORS:

Historian - Suzanne Leslie

Publicity and Social Media – Vivian Stearns-

<u>Kohler</u>

Artwork of the Month – Elizabeth Scriba

Membership – Alicia Short

Newsletter – Alicia Short

Website – Karen Beasley

<u>Demos – Pat Book</u>

Scholarship -

Art Shows - Need someone to do

Ad Rep - Diane Black

<u>Veteran Liaison – J. Chris Brewer</u>



VETERAN ART ACTIVITIES FOR NOVEMBER

Location of Classes

Aster Senior Center at Mesa Downtown 247 N MacDonald, Mesa, AZ 85201

Meets on the 1st Thursday of the Month



Veterans Resource Center 165 N Centennial Way #101, Mesa, AZ 85201 Meets on the 3rd Thursday of the Month



NATIONAL REMEMBERANCE CEREMONY

Saturday, December 17, 2022 – 9:30am – program 10:00am – Laying of wreaths on Veterans Graves – Mountain View Funeral Home & Cemetery

Program participants:

Honor Guard from Apache Junction Navy JROTC
National Anthem to be performed by Debbie Kent
Chip Wilson, Mayor of Apache Junction
Playing of bag pipes by Piper Ford
Honor Wreaths representing all branches of service
Trumpeters: Allish Murphy and Rodrigo Moreno

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Mesa Art League Membership Application

Dues cover ONE calendar year, the MONTH YOU JOIN, to the FOLLOWING YEAR OF THAT MONTH. Renewal membership dues must be paid by the END OF THE MONTH in order to continue receiving Mesa Art League benefits.

	Date:
First Name	Last Name
	Mobile Phone:
Email:	
Website:	
Address:	
City	ST Zip
[] year round resident? [] Winter res	sident?
check at least one:	ease choose the area you feel most comfortable assisting with, please nstration [] Membership [] Social Media [] Exhibits [] Venues
Other Memberships and Supporters –	A tax deductible Charitable Contribution for:
[] Friends of MAL - \$50 [] Sustaining	- \$75 [] Patron - \$250 [] Corporate - \$750
[] Veterans Outreach Art Program - \$	[] Other
The Mesa Art League is a 501c3 not for community of Arizona.	r profit Art Organization providing art assistance to the ART and VETERAN
membership form is under Forms. To pay by check: Make payable to Mes Mesa, AZ 85216-7733 Please include the DUES ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE	sa Art League and mail to Mesa Art League, Membership – P.O. Box 7733,
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