



# Brushstroke

## NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

### MEETING LOCATION, DATE AND TIME

Meeting date & time: - NEXT MEETING Tuesday, November 14 – 5:00pm Location: Greenfield Glen Club House - 1021 South Greenfield Rd. Meeting demo:

### OUR NEW MISSION STATEMENT:

Mesa Art League is an Arizona, non-profit art association encompassing art of all styles and forms. We are open to all levels of art experience as we grow and expand the artistic world.



### ARTWORK OF THE MONTH BY JUDY WU

My name is Judy Wu, originally from Taiwan, but I've been living in the United States for the past 7 years. Since I was younger, I had a dream of dedicating my time to painting once I retired.

I began my artistic journey at the Mesa Adult Center. I never had the opportunity to attend a formal art school, so I've been self-taught. Despite the absence of a teacher, I've found great joy in pursuing my hobby, surrounded by like-minded individuals who share my passion for painting.

### CHAIRPERSONS NEEDED

Please help out ... we need someone to fill in as Show Chairperson, (art show locations set up) Demo Chairperson (all have been scheduled for the year), Studio 9 chairperson (schedules the Studio 9 participants) and Nominating Committee Chairperson who will seek members to fill Board offices.

### *Art Friends,*

Tammie is away on a wonderful trip to several Europe countries. I didn't receive a message from her for this newsletter, so I'll write a brief message as editor of the newsletter.

As we begin counting down the rest of 2023 and looking forward to 2024 we can look back on an eventful year in 2023 and what I'm sure will be a great year in 2024.

In April 2023 we had a show at the Benedictine University. In May we selected a new president, Tammie Pursley.

Under Tammie's leadership a new mission statement was approved. (see above)

A special watercolor workshop by well-known artist and MAL member Raleigh McKinney was offered.

In order to be able to keep our Studio 9 and pay the rent on it some changes for fees were approved by the board. Show entry fees will be \$35 and membership dues beginning in 2024 will be \$45.

Our league is much envied for having the Studio 9 and it is an amazing opportunity for our members to be able to show their work and sales have been made.

In December we will be hold another art show at the OneOhOne gallery. The art show entry form and prospectus is located on the last pages of this newsletter.

We sadly lost a past president of the League, Judy Koppes.

*See you soon. Alicia*

## MEMBER NEWS

**Joni Anderson** sold a painting from her studio at the OneOhOne Gallery.

**Anita Moser** also sold a painting from her studio at the OneOhOne Gallery,

**Alicia Short** has 2 paintings accepted in the Little by Little show being held at the Art Intersection Gallery in Gilbert. Show opens November 10<sup>th</sup> Opening reception: November 25: 6pm to 8pm



### KAY NORDBERG – OCTOBER DEMO ARTIST

Kay discussed and presented examples of wool needle felting.

### VENUE CHANGE OUT DATES:

#### Mesa Senior Center Venue change out:

The next changeout will be November 2, 2023 with drop off between 10am and 11am and will hang for 2 months. Next change out January 4, 2024.

There have been sales in this venue in the past. Please remember to notify Joni if one of your pieces sell. My email address:

[watercolorssbyjoni@gmail.com](mailto:watercolorssbyjoni@gmail.com). *Joni Anderson*

Please remember wire hangers are the only acceptable hardware. *Joni Anderson*.

### ADALANTE HEALTH CENTER

Location: 1705 W Main St, Mesa AZ 85201

2024 schedule: shows up for 3 months

Presently in Adalante – Judy Wu November, December and January, 2024.

OPEN AVAILABLE IN 2024:

February, March, April; May, June, July; August,



September, October; November, December & January 2025. Text Elizabeth at 317-460-5903. Availability is first come first serve basis.

### NEWSLETTER EDITOR – Alicia Short:

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS by 25<sup>th</sup> of the month.

### STUDIO 9 AT THE ONEOHONE GALLERY RENTAL INFORMATION:

Fees for high season (October through April)

Feature wall - \$100 - \$50 May through September)

½ wall - \$50

small wall - \$50 .

Booked through April - next opening is May, 2024

Contact Tammie if interested:

[tammiepursley@gmail.com](mailto:tammiepursley@gmail.com)



STUDIO 9 NEWS:  
NOVEMBER ARTIST: BRENDA PACE

## LOCATION OF CLASSES



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



**Aster Senior Center at Mesa Downtown**  
247 N MacDonald, Mesa, AZ 85201  
**Meets on the 1st Thursday of the Month**



How do I create 3D art? It is a mix of paper, technology, and creativity. I will take a blank computer screen, a design in my mind and I start building. This is really difficult as each layer needs to line up perfectly except the part that is being exposed for that layer to be shown. I do this layer after layer. Some can be as simple as 6 layers or as complicated as 20 layers. Each layer has its own unique design, color, texture, etc. When each layer of this design is created on the screen, then you send it to the cutter to see how it will cut and what you need to change. I do this until I have the pattern just perfect. When I have the pattern perfect to cut, I cut it one final time. This is when the physical art takes form. I will start assembling each of these layers. Making sure they line up perfectly. Each layer is delicately assembled with specific adhesive or foam. When it is all finished you have this beautiful piece of art. I am asked all the time how long this takes me. The computer part consumes the most time. then picking out "the right paper." I can spend hours doing that also. It can easily take me 20 hours.



## MESA ART LEAGUE ART SHOW ENTRY FORM

DECEMBER 1,2; 8,9; 15,16; 22,23; 29 Time of show: Fridays and Saturdays from 10am – 4:00pm

**LOCATION:** ONEOHONE GALLERY, 101 W. Main, Mesa (SW corner of MacDonald and Main.)

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS:** NOVEMBER 22, 2023

**DELIVERY DATE:** December 1 Time: 9am- 11am Pick up date: DECEMBER 30 Time: 3-4:30pm

### Please print

First and Last Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Website URL \_\_\_\_\_

Entry fee: \$35 for \_\_\_ 3 paintings Painting must be properly framed with wire on back. Maximum size 30 inches wide.

I am willing to do a demo \_\_\_ yes time/date preferred: ½ day 10-1pm or 1 – 4pm December \_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to volunteer to man the show (greet and talk to visitors, etc.) December \_\_\_\_\_

**Put your name and contact information on back of each piece entered along with following information.**

### Submission # 1

Painting Title \_\_\_\_\_

Size \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_

Price \_\_\_\_\_ or NFS for not for sale

### Submission #2

Painting Title \_\_\_\_\_

Size \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_

Price \_\_\_\_\_ or NFS for not for sale

### Submission #3

Painting Title \_\_\_\_\_

Size \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_

Price \_\_\_\_\_ or NFS for not for sale

**The above information about your painting must be placed on the back of your painting.**

**Payments by check only please.** Make checks out to: Mesa Art League and Mail to: P.O. Box 7733, Mesa, AZ 85216

# MESA ART LEAGUE ART SHOW PROSPECTUS

DECEMBER SHOW BEING HELD AT THE ONEOHONE GALLERY

**LOCATION:** OneOhOne Gallery - 101 W. Main. Corner of Main St and MacDonald, downtown Mesa

**GALLERY HOURS:** Friday and Saturdays, December 1 2; 8,9; 15,16; 22,23; 29, 10am – 4:00pm

**ELIGIBILITY:** Participating members must be paid members of the Mesa Art League.

**DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES:** Applications must **BE RECEIVED BY (not post marked by) November 22, 2023**. Send the application form with payment of \$35 for entry fee. Entry fee by check only must accompany the application form. Hold harmless statement may accompany payment, if not will be signed delivery date.

**Mailing Address: Mesa Art League and Mail to: P.O. Box 7733, Mesa, AZ 85216**

**IDENTIFICATION OF ARTWORK:** All artwork entries must have the following identification on the back of the entry artwork: Name of Artist and contact info...phone and or email

Title of piece

Medium of painting

Size

Price:

**PROPER HANGING:** All works must have wire on the back for hanging purposes, no sawtooth hangers. Clean mats (if applicable) undamaged frames.

**SIZE:** Paintings may not exceed 30 inches wide including frame.

**TIMELINES:** Delivery date: December 1 Time: 9am- 11am

Reception: Saturday, December 9th 1-3pm (donation of snacks appreciated)

Pick up date: December 30, 3-4:30pm

Any artwork not claimed on pick up date will be charged \$10 per day fee.

**ORIGINALITY:** All artworks must be your original art in design and concept. (No kits) In the unlikely event that the art does not meet these standards, the artist will be notified and allowed to bring a replacement piece of art. If the artist chooses to not bring a replacement, the artwork will not be hung/displayed, and no refund of entry fees will be given.

**SOLD:** Sold paintings may be removed and given to the buyer when payment is confirmed. You will be asked to replace the paint by the next day at the latest. Buyer will contact you to arrange payment.

**ARTIST BIO:** Optional: You may provide a bio of you and your work. **MUST** be framed sized 5x7 inches.

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**Cut on above line, turn in with application or signed by the day of delivery**

## HOLD HARMLESS FORM

The Mesa Art League will make every reasonable effort to protect works of art shown at the OneOhOne Gallery. By signing this form, I hereby agree to relieve the above-named parties from any and all liability to myself, my artwork and property. None of these parties will assume any responsibility or liability for loss or damage of any kind. Furthermore, by signing this form, I acknowledge that (1) I have read and understand the Prospectus requirements, and (2) certify that the artwork I have submitted for sale is my own, original work, not done from any photograph, drawing, copyrighted material or representation not my own, and that it is of the media specified on the inventory listing.

Artist name: please print \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_