

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Summer through fall is always a busy time for art shows. If you have information about upcoming shows or want to share awards you receive, please send to me and/or Gary.

Congratulations especially to all who received honors at the Missouri State Fair. There are many entries and few awards—only 8 in each class and 4 in the MO50 (plus a few HM in each class). Everyone who entered these events is to be congratulated for sharing their work in this great Missouri showcase of Missouri art! MMA responded to the call for volunteers in Fine Arts, and we had an impressive # of members helping out throughout the Fair and also helping provide the delicious foods for the Artist Reception.

Our annual Holiday Arts and Crafts Show we co-sponsor with Warrensburg Parks and Recreation is set for Saturday, November 4. Vendor applications were sent to you by email. They can also be printed from our website www.midmissouriartists.com (news and events). Please encourage area artists and crafters to consider participating in the 2023 show—it's our only fundraiser.



Results From Art Shows

<u>Johnson County Fair Art Show</u>: Sande Cromer had a 1st in Professional Photography, Rebecca Limback 2nd Professional Photography, Duane Limback 1st Amateur Photography, Ron Stewart 1st in Amateur art, Allena Yates HM in Professional art.

State Fair Awards and Honors

Congratulations to those with entries selected for the MO50 at the Missouri State Fair:

Jo Narron, Gary Cadwallader Linda Hoover, Dina Kowal, Jerry Ricker, Brett Butler, Cody Page, Ann Hassel, also former MMA member Mary Peterson and UCM faculty Matthew Zupnick. Both Dina Kowal and Matthew Zupnick received awards in the MO50!

Other Awards in Fine Arts for MMA members:

Professional Art: Dina Kowal, Linda Hoover, Allena Yates (HM). **Amateur Art:** Ron Stewart, Willis Charles (HM), Tara Dunabr (HM)

Photography: Rebecca Limback

Members receiving awards in Floriculture Photography:

Dina Kowal--1 blue, 1 red, 1 white; Sande Cromer—1 red, 2 white; Duane Limback—3 white; Rebecca

Limback—2 blue (1 Award of Merit), 1 white.

Wanted

MMA Secretary. This position has been open all of 2023. Please consider taking the position for the remainder of the year and into 2024. Contact Rebecca Limback (660-429-2446) or rlimback@iland.net.

Welcome New Student Member: Kaylee Russell, Warrensburg

MMA September Program: Artist Talk with Hannah Lindo

MMA September 28 meeting – 6:30 p.m. Arts and Crafts Room, Warrensburg Community Center (Note the time change.)

Artist in Residence and Adjunct Instructor in Painting and Drawing at UCM, Hannah Lindo, will present images of her work, process, and thoughts throughout her education and artistic career. Lindo will have a 20-30 minute artist talk with a Q&A afterward.

Lindo earned a Master of Fine Arts in Painting and Drawing, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS in 2022; a Bachelor of fine Arts in Painting and Drawing from Fort Hayes State University in 2017. Her teaching experience includes her current position of Artist in Residence/Adjunct Instructor in Painting and Drawing, Painting and Life Drawing at UCM and Lecturer and Instructor in Fundamentals of Oil Painting and Life Drawing, University of Kansas 2020-2022. Her paintings have been in both solo and group shows.

In discussing her art, Lindo says, "The materiality of my work is crucial to me because I be-

lieve oil paint contains life and memory. The surfaces of my paintings have amassed many layers of paint. Beneath the surface, previous color and gestures layer to show the history of its making. My brushstroke is immortalized within the paint body, displaying my hand and way of visually thinking. I strive to share the aspect of time through thick layers of paint. Doing this reminds me that, like painting, life takes time to develop. I paint to understand and hold onto the current moment, appreciating what I can find in the present. I paint to see growth even when life feels still."



Photo: "Beyond the Plants" by Hannah Lindo (furnished by the artist).

MMA Christmas Party/Dinner: change of date. Because of a conflict, we changed the date for our annual Christmas party to Thursday, December 14 – will be held at RISE again. Please note this on your calendars.

Rising Costs Result in Membership Fee Increase

Many MMA expenses have increased recently—rental of our storage unit, postage fees, postal box, and web site. To help cover some of the increased costs, the Executive Committee voted to increase membership fees by \$5 across the board—all categories of membership will pay \$5 more in 2024 (with the exception of full-time students who will still be free). Our membership fees have not increased since I've been a member—many years—and will still be much lower than other area arts organizations which are around \$40. MMA income comes from membership fees and the net profit on the Holiday Arts and Crafts Show – help us fill as much space as possible in the Community Center with quality vendors. For those who wish to make special donations, MMA is a 501 3C—donations are tax deductible.

Artist Opportunities

UCM Gallery of Art and Design

Propose a show of your work: <u>SUBMISSION POLICY.pages (ucmgallery.com)</u>

Artist Opportunities, Cont.

Liberty Center – Sedalia--Be an artist in residence for a month of Saturdays—work in the Liberty Center from 10-4 (can team up with another artist to fill all Saturdays) – no fee – no commission on work sold!

Contact: Vicki Weaver for more information. **Office Phone:** (660) 596-7331

Campus Email: vweaver@sfccmo.edu

Lexington –October 5-7 – <u>www.lexingtonmoartscouncil.com/art-show</u> for information

Summit Art Paint Out – Saturday October 7 Missouri Town 8:30-a.m. check in - \$25 fee. More information: summitart.org.



<u>Gelli-Print Workshop:</u> Saturday, October 14 – 9-1:30. Information was sent by email. Please sign up asap to help us plan. We have 22 Gelli Plates and will accept reservations until they are all spoken for. SVAA has been invited to participate with us in this workshop. We'll end with a potluck lunch—bring a salad or dessert to share please. If you need to have the invitation for this sent again, request from rimback@iland.net—email your reservations for the workshop to that address.also.



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If YOU have a web site you would like listed, please send the address to gary@garypaints.com.

September meeting

Thursday, Sept. 28th, 6:30 p.m. – Warrensburg Community Center Multi-C. **Artist Talk with Hannah Lindo**

More Show Results and Member Activities

Chilhowee Art and Photography Professional Art Best of show RON STEWART "Mary Beth" Warrensburg

Merit Award Sande Cromer "Purrfect Day" Knob Noster Sande Cromer "Save the Children" Knob Noster Honorable Mention Ron Stewart "ET" Warrensburg Alva Odle "Rise Up" Warrensburg

Amateur Art Best of Show Sandra Garber "Purple Mountains" Warrensburg Merit Awards Ruby Norman "On my way to Somewhere Warrensburg Sandra Garber "Asian Lillies" Warrensburg Honorable Mention Ruby Norman "Breathtaking Bride" Warrensburg Sandra Garber "life in Full Bloom" Warrensburg

Professional Photography Best of Show Bill Wayne "Chained" Warrensburg Merit Sande Cromer "Bee Happy" Knob Noster Holden Bill Wayne "Columns & Blooms" Warrensburg

Concordia Fall Festival: Sande Cromer -7 blue, 1 red, and 1 white.

Cole Camp Art and Photography: Sande Cromer— 1 red and 1 artist merit in the art show...and 1 red and 1 merit in photography; Linda Hoover—blue in watercolor, red in watercolor and drawing, white (3rd) in drawing; Shirley Horacek—1 blue, 1 white.

AIR (Artists in Residence) - Liberty Center

MMA Members who have participated: Gary Cadwallader, Linda Hoover, Brett Butler.

Jr. 50 State Fair SVA/MMA awards to Sarah Waldon, Madeline Carvile, and Reagan Bowser—nice thank-you note received from Sarah (\$50 each)