



President's Message

At our March meeting, **Fealing Lin** emphasized three specific value changes as a way to differentiate foreground, middle ground and background. As she painted, she played soft music which put everyone in a very relaxed, meditative mood. I heard many comments on how peaceful and inspiring the evening was. The audience was quiet and respectful and just about everyone stayed until the end.



As a result of complaints I received regarding the announcements and other activities that took our attention away from **Helen Shafer Garcia's** demonstration at the Fallbrook Community Center in February, we have implemented a new policy. Verbal announcements will all be made by the president or by a designated person. All activities, shows, classes and events that members would like to share with everyone can be in the form of flyers that will be displayed on the back table for those who are interested. By eliminating all extraneous announcements and presentations by various people, it will also allow our demonstrators to experience our undivided attention.

We're expecting another wonderful demonstration this month from **Rich Hawk**. He cannot do a workshop for us, so I will conduct one on hand-pulled water media-based monotype printmaking. Please let me know if you're interested and I'll provide all the information and a materials list to you.

Warmly,
Karen

FAA, ART ASSIST & FALLBROOK WOMEN'S CLUB A WINNING TEAM

The Fallbrook Women's Club, in conjunction with the Fallbrook Art Association and their Art Assist Program, sponsored their first Student Art competition at the General Federation of Women's Club, Palomar District Art Festival on February 21. Fourteen clubs from Palomar District competed in fine art, student art, photography and crafts. The Fallbrook Woman's Club (FWC) entered 16 pieces of art from FAA's Art Assist Program, featuring students from Mary Fay Pendleton and Fallbrook Street Schools. **Marilee Ragland** also contributed six pieces from her children's art class at the Fallbrook School of the Arts. All the pieces received first, second, or third place ribbons. In the adult competition, FWC and FAA members **Diane Jansen** and **Ayn Bryant** received Best of Show and First Place in Watercolor and Acrylic, respectively. **Betty Gilby** won third place in Watercolor.

The children's art will be exhibited at the Fallbrook Women's Club on March 13. The FWC will present a Member's Choice Award and a \$50 cash prize for the Best of Show winner and first, second and third place ribbons to runners-up. From there, the Art Assist pieces will be included in the Fallbrook Library Show beginning April 21, 2012.

Sad News

Accomplished artist **Evelyn Cramer**, one of FAA's former presidents and longtime member of FAA and Brandon Gallery, has died.

On Saturday, April 14th, from 2:00 - 4:00 PM Brandon Gallery is having a special exhibit and reception to honor her.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Year is from July 1st to June 30th)

Make checks payable to: Fallbrook Art Association

PO Box 382, Fallbrook, CA 92088-0382

Please circle any information you **DO NOT** want to appear in our directory and/or newsletter.

Date: _____ Title: (Mr/Mrs/Ms) _____ First Name _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email/Website _____

April Meeting (at the Library)

6:30

Richard Hawk

(5:30 Eat and Critique)



Painter, illustrator, art director, designer and instructor are all roles to which artist Richard Hawk has answered.

As a painter, Rich's expressive works depict the human figure in moments which capture the inner life of his subjects. Strong design and intensity of expression create the energy and excitement for which his work is known. With roots in the traditions of watermedia, he also paints extensively in oil.

Rich's paintings are in a number of collections around the world, have won awards in many national and international exhibitions and been featured in The Artist's Magazine. Rich teaches workshops for other artists in the San Diego area. (See <http://hawkstudio.com>)

Born in New York City, he was a long time resident of the Washington, DC area and now maintains his home and studio Escondido, California.

Richard Hawk Studio • By Appointment, Escondido, CA • 858 722-8141 • rhawk@hawkstudio.com

Our workshop this month will be taught by **Karen Langer Baker** featuring hand-pulled water media monotype prints in the Community Room of the Library from Noon 'til 4 PM on Sunday, April 22nd. For information and a list of suggested materials, contact her at 760-728-7884 or karen.langer.baker@sbcglobal.net

Workshop Participants

***Please bring a drop cloth,
waterproof tablecloth,
plastic bag for your trash
and use solvents without
odor (no exceptions).***

The winners of our Spring show will be featured in a special FAA winners exhibit in the community room of the library starting April 28 with an opening reception Thursday, May 3rd from 5-7 pm

Eat and Critique:

Starts at 5:30 Bring along one painting to be critiqued by the visiting Demonstrator for the evening. A short recess follows with snacks before the demonstration begins at about **6:30 PM.**

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Deadline for all newsletter submissions is the 15th of the month preceding the month of publication. The FAA Newsletter publishes monthly during the 10 month period between September and June. Contact the editor Bonnie Rinier at 951-926-9955 or email to b_rinier@yahoo.com

OUR MEMBERS

Classes and Workshops

Diane Adams

Diane Adams teaches watercolor classes at Mira Costa College in Oceanside plus continuing education classes, one plein air and the other in studio at El Corazon Senior Center. For more info, please contact her at 760-757-5368 or dadams@miracosta.edu

Rich Stergultz—All Media

Rich Stergultz teaches painting classes at Pinnell Gallery. He also conducts plein air paint-outs in various locations. Please check with him for specific dates. 951-526-8055 www.stergulzart.com

Herb Conrad—Sculpture

Herb Conrad teaches sculpture classes at his studio with compressed air "martellos". Basic carving tools are provided. Phone 951-657-9119.

Gabriele Baber— All Media

Gabriele is offering Studio and Plein Air classes in her home studio and her studio in Temecula's Wine Country. The WC studio address is 34567 Rancho CA Rd. Current schedule and info listed on her website, www.gabrielebaberart.com or call 951-676-3583

Constance Peters

Constance Peters teaches silk painting - currently in Hemet - all materials provided. For dates, times & photos look at ConstancePetersPhotography.com under "Events," or email: artslady252@verizon.net

Pam Benson

Pam teaches watercolor and oil painting classes at her home studio in Temecula and also at the Fallbrook Community Center.. Please email or call her for details on dates and times at pamibenson@verizon.net or 951-302-9879.

Bonnie Rinier—Watercolor

Bonnie Rinier teaches Watercolor classes from her home studio and in La Mesa. Please email or call her for specific dates and times. b_rinier@yahoo.com or 951-926-9955

<http://bonnie-rinier.fineartamerica.com>

Carol Reardon agreed to take on the nominating chair position! She wants a few more people on her committee. So far, the positions that need to be filled for 2012-13 are: president, and secretary.

Ellen Buck has volunteered to take on publicity next year ! **Carol Reardon** and **Phee Sherline** both agreed to 1st and 2nd Vice Presidents positions.

Judy Richards has just volunteered to become a Director-at-Large until we find something specific for her to do

Nicole Toesca - Photographer

Nicole prints giclees and photographs artwork for juried shows, portfolio presentation, and reproduction. For more info, please contact her at 760-599-7349 or email to nicoletoesca@sbcglobal.net www.photoartscapes.com.

Bob Hahn donated a special painting he did for an auction at a celebrity ski event in Vail, CO held on March 3, 2012. His painting sold for \$4,000. All the proceeds went to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Hooray for the kids



Fallbrook Art Association's **Board of Directors** meetings are usually held in the Community Room of the library on the first Wednesday of every month at 4:15 PM. All members of FAA are welcome at these meetings. We value your opinions!

Plein Air Painters group meets every Wednesday around 9AM at pre-selected areas around the county. There is a six-month schedule of where they will meet each week. There is a critique and lunch afterwards. New painters are always welcome . Call **Ruth Parker** at 760-505-7238 for more information.

Brandon Gallery "Art of the Portrait"

May 1 - May 31. All mediums accepted plus 3D - Maximum of 3 pieces. Enter by walk-in on April 20 and 21, 10 am - 3 pm .For Prospectus/ Entry Form visit www.FallbrookBrandonGallery.org or call 760-723-1330

Fallbrook School of the Arts

The Fallbrook School of the Arts offers classes and workshops to the public. Contact Brigitte Schlemmer for information @ 760-728-6383 or visit www.fallbrookschoolofthearts.org for the full class schedule and to register for the visiting artist workshops.

The **Fallbrook Chamber of Commerce** is again sponsoring the Art of the Avocado art competition with winners announced during the Festival Sunday, April 15 at 3 PM. To receive the rules of the competition and an entry form, please contact Anita Kimzey at the Chamber of Commerce at anita.kimzey@fallbrookchamberofcommerce.org or by visiting the Chamber of Commerce at 233 E. Mission.

Servanos Restaurant on South Mission, welcomes FAA artists to hang their work for sale. The artist would hang and price the pieces themselves. The restaurant is open daily. Please contact **Bob Hahn** for more information. 760-728-5965

New Art Guild

Contact the Fallbrook Art Center to join its new Art Guild, a national organization which is open to all artists, all media and all disciplines. * Deadline for entries (digital format only) is April 30, 2012 for the July 2012 show. For more information, <http://fallbrookartcenter.org> or 760-728-1414.



Fealing Lin at our March meeting.

Out of Town Opportunities

The **Temecula Valley Festival of the Arts** will be featuring a week-long plein air competition, fine arts tent and an Art Walk in June with a two-day public showing. For complete information and submissions application, see www.temeculaartscouncil.com.

Plein Air Workshop with **Greg LaRock** 3 days/ \$350 April, 27th - 29th

Contact: Dawn @ Temecula Wine Country Art Gallery (951) 312-6695

Email dchemello@earthlink.net

Greg is an accomplished award winning Plein Air painter from Laguna, his workshops are well worth the investment. The locations to be announced.

www.GregLaRock.com to see his work.

All entries accepted for the **Elsinore Woman's Club's Annual Art Show**, Art (From the Heart) April 13-14th. Entry deadline is April 7th. For more information, contact Cathy Stevenson at (951) 294-7982 Cadillac5@Prodigy.net or Elizabeth Dana at (951) 445-9512, Elizabeth@ElizabethDana.com.

Call to Artists for a Juried Exhibition

Front Porch Gallery, a non-profit gallery in Carlsbad will be holding a juried exhibition and invites artists 18 and over to participate. Please go to www.FrontPorchGalleryCA.blogspot.com to use PayPal for your entry fee

The **Temecula Valley Art League** is now meeting at the Assistance League function room on 28720 Via Montezuma, Temecula, CA. 92591 They will meet the 3rd Tuesday of each month as always and the meetings start at 5:30pm. Greg LaRock is the guest for

Friday Plein Air Painters: Anyone interested in joining the group at our outings can find locations listed on the **TVAL Website**,

<http://www.temeculavalleyartleague.com>

Regular painters can contact **Lorraine Dawson** at Dawsons5@verizon.net to be put on the notification list. Happy Painting!

BOB BURTON PERFORMING ARTS CENTER CHANGE OF LOBBY/GALLERY ART EXHIBIT

SATURDAY APRIL 28, 2012

TO ALL FAA MEMBERS: We will be changing the art exhibit in the lobby of the Bob Burton Center for Performing Arts at Fallbrook High School, 2400 S. Stagecoach Lane, cross street South Mission. The Performing Arts Center (Theater) is located just east of the school buildings near the baseball field.

WE CAN ACCEPT NO MORE THAN 42 PIECES OF ART DUE TO SPACE LIMITATION ON A FIRST COME BASIS. ENTRY/PICK-UP IS ONE DAY ONLY!!

The schedule is planned as follows: **9:30AM – 2:00PM** pick up and/or enter new art work. This will be the only time period we have open for artists to pick up their art and to submit new work for the next six month period. Artwork will not be accepted after 2:00PM, so that hanging the piece will proceed as smoothly and quickly as possible. THEME: No Particular theme, just good fine art from FAA Members. Those pieces which depict "Performing Arts" are particularly welcome in this exhibit.

THIS IS NOT A JURIED EVENT – Limit two (2) pieces per member on a first come basis. All artwork submitted for exhibit must be suitable for general viewing. Paintings must be dry, framed adequately, and ready to hang with wire attached. No saw tooth hangers. ARTIST NAME, PHONE NUMBER AND TITLE OF ART ON BACK OF EACH PIECE (REQUIRED). Cost for the six month period is \$5.00 for each piece of art. Cash or check made payable to the "Fallbrook Art Association", on delivery of your artwork for exhibit. A 10% commission is payable by the artist, to the "Bob Burton Center for the Performing Arts" for any artwork sold during the showing. The artist, not the FAA is responsible for any sales tax on items involved in any transaction in this event. We expect to change the art again in 6 months, about October of 2012. Anyone who can volunteer, we always need help for the day. To volunteer, or if you have questions, please contact Marlene Sheridan at 760-731-3064. IMPORTANT WARNING: PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN THE RED "NO STOPPING OR PARKING-FIRE LANE ZONES" DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF THE THEATER. They **do** issue parking tickets frequently.

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DATED MATERIAL

We're on the Web
www.fallbrookartassn.org