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Co- Presidents' Message

Spring is busting out all over Fallbrook especially at FAA. We have many things happening this year and we don't want you to miss any events.

Spring Show update: we had 50 participating artists with a total of 87 entries. At the reception it was standing room only. Thank you Annie and Susan for a job well done. Looking forward to having the judge, Sally Pearce, at a future demo.

May Features Lyndelle Stonick, Saddleback College Art Instructor

*Shown at left -
"Desert Shadows"*



Lyndelle won her first art award at the age of 10 and has not slowed down since. She is a Fine Arts graduate from CSFU & worked for seven years in Germany. She

returned to the U.S in 1988. She was accepted into the Festival of Arts in Laguna Beach and showed there for over seven years. One could find her work in Southwest Art and The Pastel Journal, she has written articles on her painting techniques, exhibited internationally and nationally, won numerous awards and her work is in public and private collections around the globe.

Lyndelle is well-known for her teaching ability as evidenced by her tenure at Saddleback since 1995, so her workshop should be exceptionally useful for attendees.

In addition to her teaching duties, Lyndelle is a representative for Chrome, Richardson and Maimeri and has been an exhibiting member of LPAPA, SOCALPAPA, SCAA and founder, first president and signature member of USPA Pastel Society.

CS

Before I became involved with FAA, my participation was limited to say the least. I did not take advantage of all the demos taught by such talented artists. Making the Saturday meetings at the Womens Club was what did it for me.

Julie and I are constantly trying to "think out of the box" to make things better. To change things up so to speak. Stay tuned for what the Board may arrange for you.

Little by little the FAA membership seems to be growing. We now have 118 members. I would encourage everyone to volunteer in some way if you can. Please contact any one of the Board to see where you could help out. Many hands make light work.

So keep your calendar on hand (thanks Jan Carre for updating the calendar) so you won't miss any of the fun activities that FAA has planned for you.

Ruth CS

San Diego County Fair - Call for Artists

Entry deadline is April 20. Artists can enter paintings, drawings, collage, mixed media, sculpture, ceramics glass and more for cash awards and ribbons. Enter up to three pieces of art in each class.

Register and enter at www.sdfair.com/entry

Spring Show a Resounding Success

As soon as the doors opened for intake on February 23, artists began arriving with their delightful works in tow. Some brought works especially created to compete for the theme award of "Spring is Bustin' Out All Over" and many others brought work that spoke to them regardless of the subject matter.

Judge Sally Pearce arrived on Monday to select the awardees and then Noreen Ring put together a really nice reception for March 3.

Noreen won "Best of Show" for a tour de force fiber art piece titled *From the Four Directions*. Ray Fedorchak took first place for a pastel, *Los Jigeros Spring*, and second and third place awards went to Doris Wilke "*Reaching for the Light*" and Carol Zaleski, *Spring*, respectively.

The Bev Thordarson Memorial Theme Award went to Kathy Reid for *Willy Nilly* and the Plein Air Award was given to Jeanne Pickard for *Memories of Tuscany*.

Judge's Choice Merit Awards went to Bonnie Tucker, Ann Chaitin, Barbara Finwall, Rikke Reinholz, Anne Youngblood, Penny Fedorchak, Noreen Ring and Christine Wichers.

Ruth Parker, Louis Nidorf, Jill Cole, Virginia Harris, Rikke Reinholz and Marjorie Weaver each received Honorable Mentions.

The show was hung beautifully by Noreen and faithful volunteers and we were all happy to note that due to the efforts of our publicity chair, Jan Carre, and Anne Youngblood who covered the businesses of Fallbrook with flyers announcing the show, we attracted entries from outside Fallbrook and FAA's membership. This is a good thing; the more entries we attract, the better we are able to meet the expenses of putting on a quality show like this one.

Congratulations to the winners, many thanks to show chair Anne Youngblood for a job well-done and to all of you who volunteered to help make the show the success it clearly was. 

Reminder to Workshop Attendees

Don't forget, if you want to attend a workshop, you need to sign up and PAY in advance. Sign up clipboards circulate at the regular meetings. You can put your name on the list and attach a check for the correct amount at the same time. Also, be prepared to pay \$5 at the beginning of any workshop to cover the Womens Club room rental. Carol Reardon directs the workshops. See her if you have questions.



Members in the News

Ruth Parker is one of four artists who were chosen to have their paintings sent to the Czech Republic for an International Exhibition/Festival in May 2018.

Karlovy Vary in the Czech Republic is the Sister City of Carlsbad and COAL Gallery members were invited to submit five pieces for consideration for inclusion in the show.

Congratulations, Ruth!



Life Drawing Opportunity at The Brandon

Those of you with whom I have chatted know that I had a fear of drawing and painting for a large part of my life. I finally took a drawing class some years ago that broke through that barrier. But, I still had a "thing" about drawing/painting people. When I saw that a live drawing class was being offered at The Brandon, I decided to give it a go.

A new member to our organization, Taylor Gallegos, is the instructor, and even though I could not attend the first Monday's instruction class because of other obligations, I went to the 3rd Monday open class. Taylor was so kind and supportive and helped me through the basics and I was amazed at the progress I made in that one afternoon.

So, if you think you would like to improve your live drawing skills, this may be the class for you. Sessions run from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM on the first and third Mondays of each month. Each session is \$20.

For more information, please contact Taylor at 970-310-4436. Also check out www.taylorgallegos.com

Susan 

FAA to Host Plein Air Competition

Don't forget to enter FAA's Plein Air Competition to be held this year at The Grand Tradition, 220 Grand Tradition Way in Fallbrook on April 25. The location should provide an abundance of scenes to choose from.

Rich Stergulz is the judge and cash prizes are awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners.

Sign in starts at 10:00 AM to pay your \$20 fee (non-members - \$25) and get your materials time stamped. Return your finished painting by 3:00 PM. Awards presentation will be at 4:00PM.

More info? fallbrookartassociation.org



Char Cee Colosia is June's Demonstrator

Char Cee says she has been painting all her life and she is inspired by going "over the line." She believes in keeping things simple and basic. She paints outdoors & uses a simple palette of red, yellow and blue from which she says she can mix any color.

Going into the field with 20 tubes of paint isn't her thing; rather she wants to experience the atmosphere around her, to see the light and dark and experience the wind.

She says she paints very fast and always goes outside the line in her paintings and in her life. Her approach does not allow time for value studies. She says by the time she does a value study, the subject gets old and the sun has moved on.

In addition to watercolor, Char Cee paints in acrylic and oil on large canvases. Contour drawing is



interesting to her as the pencil or pen moves around as the eye is on the subject. She also likes to paint large figures in pen and ink and water color wash in her studio.

Her workshop will be about loose painting and how to paint in the field covering such topics as what to take and what not to take.



Another Paint-in Scheduled for April 28

Grab your easel, your paint box and your brushes and head over to the Womens Club on April 28 to enjoy a few hours of painting with your fellow artists. More information will be available at the regular meeting on April 21.



Celebrate Earth Day at the Brandon

Joe Oakes will be teaching an acrylic workshop on Sunday, April 22 from 10:00AM to 4:30PM at The Brandon Gallery. Cost is \$90. Oil and pastel painters are also welcome as well as all skill levels.

To register contact Joe at joeoakes1@gmail.com or 760-861-4796



What's Up Around the Southland

April 4 to April 27 - "Art of the Avocado" at the Brandon Gallery

April 16 - FAA Board meeting - 9:30, Womens Club

April 16 - Live Drawing at The Brandon Gallery - 3:00 - 5:00 PM, walk-ins welcome - \$20

April 17 - Temecula Valley Art Association- general meeting - Assistance League on Montezuma, Temecula, 5:00 PM

April 20 - deadline for entries, S.D, County Fair

April 21 - FAA General Meeting - Womens Club- 9:00 AM - Richard Stergulz oil demo

April 22 - Joe Oakes Acrylic workshop at the Brandon Gallery - 10:00 AM - 4:30 PM

April 25 - Plein Air Competition & Show at The Grand Tradition.

April 28 - Paint in - Fallbrook Womens Club, more info at general Meeting

May 1 to May 31 "Art of the Portrait" at the Brandon Gallery

May 1 - May 29 - FAA Board Exhibit at Fallbrook Art Center, Alvarado and Main, Fallbrook

May 7- GEM of the Valley Art Association general meeting - Senior Center on Juniper in Murrieta - 1:00 PM - Steve Gruber critique session

May 7 - Live drawing at The Brandon Gallery 3:00 PM

May 14 - FAA Board meeting, Womens Club, 9:30 AM

May 15 - Temecula Valley Art League - general meeting, 5:00 PM

May 19 - FAA general meeting. Lyndelle Stonick demo and workshop 9:00 AM

May 20 - June 17 - Artists Guild Show at Fallbrook Art Center, corner Alvarado and Main, Fallbrook

May 26 - Bob Burton Changeout 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

June - "Five Artists, Five Visions", Fallbrook Art Center in Salon and Lehman Galleries

June 4 - GEM of the Valley Art Association general meeting - 1:00 PM

June 10, Reception at COAL Gallery for "Movement" theme show, 300 Carlsbad Village Drive, Ste 101, 3:00 - 5:00 PM

June 11 - FAA Board meeting, 9:30 AM

June 16 - FAA general meeting, Char Cee Colosia demo and workshop, 9:00 AM

June 30 - August 26, "The Find Magnified" Show and Sale

*The purpose of art is washing the dust of daily life
off our souls.*

~ Pablo Picasso ~

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FAA Membership Application

Membership period is from January 1 through December 31 each year.

Make checks payable to : Fallbrook Art Association

Mail to: P.O. Box 382, Fallbrook, CA 92088-0382

Please circle any information you DO NOT want to appear in our directory

First name _____ **Last Name** _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Phone _____

FAA is a Non-Profit run by volunteers. Would you be willing to volunteer your services in some way? Please check spaces below to indicate your area of interest.

Board of Directors Position _____ **Programs/Workshop assistance** _____

Art Show Preparation and coordination _____ **Other** _____

Please check type of membership below:

Individual - \$45 _____

Family - (Two adults and dependent children under 21 living at same address) - \$65 _____

Full-time Student (with ID) - \$10 _____

Signature _____ **Date** _____