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General Membership Meeting—Monday, JULY 9th 7:00pm.
Check out the Patron's Show Paintings and enjoy Ellen Gavin's demo on fast and loose oil painting following the meeting.
Be sure to sign up for Ellen's August 20-21 workshop.
Refreshments courtesy of July birthday celebrants and the generosity of all other willing volunteers.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE By Nancy Edwards

"A work is finished when an artist realizes his intentions." Rembrandt

What story do you want your work tell? Do you sit down to paint or draw without knowing where you are going? It is not uncommon for artists to rush to start painting, without taking the necessary steps to plan their work. What do you want your art to say? What story are you inviting your viewers to be part of? What time of day is it? Where is the sun? How do you accomplish showing distance? Do you do a few value studies? The more you take the time to plan, the better your end result will be. Trying to correct your art midway, is more difficult than planning it out in advance.

In my training with Tom Lynch, he always stressed value studies. And how focusing on your lights and darks make your work pop! Think about your focal point...does your eye move right to it? Do you have strong contrast there, possibly brighter colors?

Take your time to plan...and better yet...know when you are done! Be careful not to overwork!

Update on General Meeting...WE ARE Pine Shores!

This past General Monthly Meeting focused on the status of PSAA. Members of the Board of Directors filled members in on the need for volunteers to continue the programs of our organization. It was a very successful meeting with some members stepping up to offer their help.

We are at a crossroads, where several key positions are becoming available. Committee Chairs are making a point to break down jobs into smaller ones so that small groups of members can work together to get the work done. We are in need of members with computer skills (designing brochures, newsletters, inputting information, etc.); writers (articles, proofreaders); planners/organizational skills (planning classes, lectures); finance/grant writers/bookkeepers (to help manage PSAA finances); maintenance workers (make small repairs, paint, etc.); hospitality (set up/cleanup, servers, shoppers). Please offer to do your part! PSAA needs your help!

PATRON SHOW UPDATE

The time is finally here! The 2018 Patron Show is hung on June 27th and Patrons may come view the paintings at PSAA to begin making their "wish list" for the Gala. Come on Sunday afternoons from 1-3 or Wednesday's from 10-2. Better yet, our Open House is planned for Sunday afternoon July 15 from 1-3:00. Or, just go to our wonderful website and view photos of this year's donations. You will be amazed, and pleased!

Then make your plans to attend the Gala on Sunday afternoon, July 29, starting at 1:00 at the Firehouse, across the street from Pine Shores. Be sure to plan to also add your name to the Door Prize box and perhaps go home with one of the 3 artistically decorated enormous watering cans! It's been a wonderful six months of preparation, and now it's time to enjoy the day.

(If for some reason you are not able to attend, make sure you give your list to a friend who can pick up a painting for you.)

UPCOMING PSAA SHOWS:

Here comes a favorite show—our **Summer Student Art Show, 7/28-8/28**. Show what you've learned in PSAA classes or workshops. Enter one painting from the last 3 years for \$5.00. Then, come to the 8/6 General Meeting to vote for your favorite work of art. Ribbons will be awarded. Drop off 7/26 7-9 pm, and 7/27, 10-Noon. Be sure to abide by the hanging rules please. When picking up your work (8/29 10-noon), please be sure to sign your entry out in the pink book next to your name. See the flyer for further details.

SEPTEMBER will be our Annual PHOTOGRAPHY Show.

Pick up Entry Forms to all shows at the PSAA gallery or on our website www.pineshoresartassociation.org

July HAPPENINGS

7/8 is deadline for jpeg photos of finished works for the 5th Annual Painted Poetry. Then, mark your calendar and plan to attend the August 15th Reception from 6-7 p.m. The Poetry Reading & Slideshow runs from 7-8 p.m. Call Richard Morgan rsmorgan18@comcast.net, or Carol Freas, freasart@aol.com.

Irene Bausmith and Pat Morgan Exhibit, July & August 2018 at Medford Leas, Medford, NJ - Reception Tues. July 10, 3:00.

Barbara Kraemer and Linda Werner will exhibit 14 paintings July 17-August 16th at the Latino Flavor Grill. All works are being offered for sale. Hope you'll stop in, enjoy the artwork, and support our partners at Latino Flavor Grill by dining-in.

Barbara Kraemer will present 20 new paintings at a Solo Exhibit at the Berkeley Township Library during the month of August. You're invited to an opening reception there on Tuesday August 7th from 2-4 p.m.

The 2018 Annual Summer Art Exhibit at Stafford library takes place July & August and is sure to be exciting! PSAA artists Ila Pedicini, Carol Neugebauer, Paul Hartelius, Ed Rennar, Mary Walker Baptiste, Mike Amato, Glenys Baulderstone, Prax Serrano, Brad Thomas, Kim Cesaretti, Nancy Edwards, Joyce Ecochard, Stu Porter, and Cheryl Garrett will show up to 3 paintings each. Thanks also goes to our happy hanging team of Ila, Paul Hartelius, and Ed Rennar for ensuring a great show.

Calling two artists for the September October Art Exhibit at the Stafford Library. Each artist can show eight to ten paintings. This is a great opportunity to get your work out to the public. Call Ilomay Pedicini 609-693-9351 to sign up.

All Students/Members MUST COVER THEIR WORK AREA!
You are responsible to:
Put drop-cloths under your easels
Cover tables with plastic
These items should be part of your fool kit! If you forget to bring one with you, please ask the instructor to lend you one from the back.

This program is made possible in part by a grant administered by the Ocean County Cultural & Heritage Commission from funds granted by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts.

Special Thanks to STAFFORD TOWNSHIP for their ongoing support to PSAA.

We are changing to QUARTERLY publications. The next issue of *Artistically Speaking* will be published in **SEPTEMBER**. Keep this in mind when submitting information.
Send submissions to
Barbara.kraemer@comcast.net, 732-473-9929 **BY AUGUST 14TH.**

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 9:00am at the PSAA Gallery. DYOT will start at Noon.

CHILDRENS' Summer Class Schedule is July 10, 17, 24, 31, 2018 10 am - noon. \$60.00 covers registration and all supplies. Ages 6-12. Mary Walker-Baptiste, Instructor. Lou Baptiste, Loyal & Helpful Assistant! See flyer (attached and on the website) for details.

GROUP SESSIONS *

Sundays, 1-3pm - Portrait Drawing - Model Provided -\$2 fee. Monitor & Model Coordinator - Tom Rutledge (609) 294-0756.

Mondays, 7-9pm - Portrait Drawing - Model Provided - \$2 fee. Monitor - Paul Hartelius - 609-549-6833.

Tuesdays, 7-9pm (except holidays) Do Your Own Pastels (DYOP) - Monitor - Amanda Sapp, mollycat123@comcast.net.

Wednesdays, 10am-2:30pm Do Your Own Thing—DYOT Bring your lunch. FREE. Contact Linda Saladino, 609-660-8062, or lasjes5@comcast.net. **Starts at 12 Noon on days when Board Meetings take place at PSAA.**

Wednesdays 2:30-4:30pm— Artists Helping Artists-AHA - Call Nancy McCormick for info: 609-597-0534.

Thursdays, 7-9pm - Life Drawing - Undraped Model - \$5 fee. Monitor-Adam Boulderstone 312-523-5492.

* **Check Monthly Calendars to see when programs will NOT take place.**

GALLERY INFORMATION – Sundays 1-3PM; and Wednesdays 10AM-2:30PM. Open to the Public. **FREE ADMISSION**

DYOT * Starts at 11 when Gallery hangings take place and at 12 noon when Board Meetings are held at PSAA. It will be cancelled for all show hangings, if a trip or workshop is scheduled, & on holidays. Contact Linda Saladino, 609-660-8062, or at lasjes5@comcast.net. **Free.**

DYOP (Do your own Pastels) * - on Tuesday evenings from 7-9pm, (except holidays). Amanda Sapp is the Monitor and can be reached at mollycat123@comcast.net. **Free.**

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HOSPITALITY CHAIR: Irene Bausmith. Contact Irene at 609-597-8268.

SUNSHINE : Contact Willy Mueller at willsue2@strictly-oils.com or 609-698-5311, if you know a member who is ill, hospitalized, or has suffered a loss of a close family member. The Sunshine team will send a card on behalf of PSAA.

POP - Pine Shores Art Association Outreach Program (POP) takes art classes monthly to local nursing homes. Join the outreach and share the love. Contact Linda Saladino, 609-660-8062, and at lasjes5@comcast.net.

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PSAA Scholarship awarded: On the evening of May 31 2018, scholarship chair Ilomay Pedicini was privileged to present Southern Regional High School graduating senior Capri Bella Leone with this year's \$1,000 PSAA scholarship. This was Pine Shore's 24th year participating in this wonderful event meant to celebrate and encourage young artists. The awards were televised by the local TV channel. Capri will join us at our July 2 membership meeting and share examples of her winning art work. We hope you will come meet her and enjoy this young talent's works of art.

Illa needs volunteers to take over Scholarship and the Stafford Library program. Please call her at 609-93-9351 & check **Who's Who at PSAA.**

Note from Education

Please note that SUPPLY LISTS for all classes are available 24/7 on the description pages for our online class registration. A copy is also sent when your registration is entered into the computer. You can print these off directly or make a list while looking online. Doing so saves our Registrar and Education volunteers having to do so. Give it a try people—it is not that hard.

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE at

<http://www.pineshoresartassociation.org/index.html>.

Find everything PSAA & stay current with changes.



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A Note from Your Editor By Barbara Kraemer

The June 4th General Membership Meeting was one of solidarity and encouragement to both the Board and those who attended. It was a serious meeting with a critical message. While President Nancy Edwards strove to keep things on a positive note, it was crucial to convey the message that PSAA is at a crossroads. We are not kidding when we say we need new volunteers to step up. Many positions established with set terms are coming to an end this year and numerous volunteers of critical areas are stepping down, or into new and different areas. Without people to fill these positions, there is no PSAA as we are a 100% volunteer run organization.

To say "Just hire someone to do the job," isn't that easy. First, we don't have finances to pay for all these areas. Second, being a not-for-profit organization limits us in what paid positions can be offered. Then there's the debate of where will the money come from? Raise prices? Downsize and eliminate benefits? Both?

While the Board is still reviewing suggestions, outcomes, and options presented at the meeting, several people (members and Non-member Friends alike) did step up to offer help. THANK YOU if you're one of them! Someone will be in touch soon! But that is just a beginning. Audience participants emphasized the need to "Get this message out to those not in attendance tonight," an excellent observation, and thus this note.

Attached to the e-version of this newsletter, posted on the website, and available in hard copy at the gallery, is **Who's Who at PSAA**, a comprehensive breakout of the many facets of each Committee and Area of Responsibility. Historically, in many instances one person handled all the facets of a particular area. But, as Nancy explained, "We're not looking to saddle anyone with a burdensome job for the rest of their life. That's not fair. We broke out the facets because if each person would take on just one facet, the job would be painless, everything would get done, and we could get to know new friends in a real spirit of teamwork, cooperation, and fun."

Please read the list and become part of **Who's Who at PSAA**. We need you.

ARTISTS AROUND TOWN

PSAA is proud to announce Paul Jablonski won First Place in "Works on Paper" with his drawing, "Freddie in a Box." Congratulations, Paul!

RAW 2018: Photography Competition Call for Artists—Deadline 7/13/18. RAW 2018 is a juried photography competition and exhibition. The top images will be selected for an exhibition at The Noyes Arts Garage of Stockton University in Atlantic City. The theme this exhibition is "Light & Shadow: Form, Metaphor, and Culture." The Hammonton 10th Annual Plein-Air Competition Fall for Artists—Deadline August 1, 2018. For Prospectus and application Google Noyes Museum of Art or click For Prospectus and application go to <http://noyesmuseum.org/artist>.

The Friends of the Lacey Branch of the Ocean County Library are planning an artist sale on Saturday, September 8th. For \$25 per space, artists can sell and keep all sales of their work. INVITATION is on our website and attached to the e-version of this newsletter.

Spaces for the upcoming **St. Mary's Annual Art Show and Sale** are **SOLD OUT!** Show time at the Parish Center is August 25, 10:00A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Bring your friends to this fine art show and sale. Contact Linda Saladino at (609) 660-8062 with questions.

2018 MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Join PSAA and get in on great classes and workshops, museum trips and exhibit opportunities, demos, art lectures, and more.

\$30 for single or \$45 for couples.

For Fastest Reinstallation REGISTER ONLINE at

<http://www.pineshoresartassociation.org/index.html>.

Or, mail checks made out to "PSAA" to PSAA Membership, PO Box 886, Manahawkin NJ 08050. Include your current address, phone and email, or fill out the membership form, which is on our website and in our gallery. **Questions? Call Nancy Edwards 908-458-1468.**