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Any Newsletter information must be delivered to the Gallery or sent to lpegacorn@earthlink.net by the 20th of each month to be considered for publication. There is a "Newsletter" folder at the Gallery which can be found on the bookcase to the left of the desk. Please leave items with a phone number in it and the Newsletter team will call with any questions.

Fall Show in October



This is our last members show of the year!! Active, lifetime, non-active and option members are all eligible to enter! **Entries will be accepted from September 29 through October 4th up to 2 pm.** The entry fee is \$10 each piece with a limit of 3 entries per member. The categories are Watercolor, Acrylic, Oil, Mixed Media and Three Dimensional. There will be **cash awards and ribbons** for 1st-3rd places. Our Juror this year is **Jeanne Mackenzie**, renowned artist and art instructor at the Denver Art Museum. Her oils have been featured in Southwest Art Magazine, American Artist Workshop Magazine and International Artist Magazine. She is also a founding member of the Rocky Mountain Plein Air Painters. A reception and awards night will coincide with our Night on the Town, Friday, October 10th. Presentation will begin at 6:30 pm. The show prospectus is available via e-mail, our website and at the Gallery. Let's show the public what we do best!! **And fill up the walls with TVAL ART this time!!**



TVAL Supports Loveland History

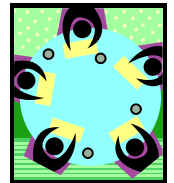


The **Loveland Historical Society** invited TVAL artists to paint panels to be displayed in the windows and doors of the **Milner Schwarz Farmhouse, built circa 1873**, as part of the **Fairgrounds Park** renovation. These creative panels will be on display until new windows and doors can be installed, which could be up to a year. The society was open to a variety of designs, mediums, techniques and subject matter, as demonstrated by the diverse scenes of the finished panels. **Publicity** has already been set in motion and the artists are invited to the installation on October 4th, 1-3pm. Check out the list of artists who donated their time to create these magnificent pieces of art on **page 2** of this newsletter!! And check out the art at the park, too! For more information call (970)663-2407, or email lincolngallery@qwestoffice.net.



October Members Meeting

This Month's Members Meeting will be **Monday, October 20th at 6:30 pm** followed by a presentation by Copyright attorney Luke Santangelo on **copyright infringement and protection**. This will help us keep our noses clean in our artistic endeavors and give us a clearer understanding of the current laws associated with copyrights. **This may be one you can't afford to miss!** E-mail your specific questions to Jean Batchelder at: jean@batchelderart.com



sidewalk Sale This Saturday!!

A shorter version of our Starving Artist Sale, **The Downtown Sidewalk Sale** will be this Saturday, **September 27, 9:30-5pm**. Bring in your art or art related items priced for a quick sale! Include an inventory sheet of all items and be sure to pick-up unsold items by **5:30pm** that same day. Come join me in some chalk art, too! We'll also have a **Bake Sale** to earn some more funds for our League. Baked goods can be dropped off starting Thursday and will be priced at the Gallery. Please, no store-bought ready-to-eat goods!



Workshops/Classes

Kelly Klawiter

"Wildlife Sculpture" - all Levels
November 8 & 9, 2008, 9 am-4 pm
YMCA of the Rockies
Estes Park CO
www.ymcarockies.org
Kelley@Kelleyclayworks.com
\$75 + materials fee

Mary Landis

"Vibrant Pastel Memories" - all levels
November 1 & 2, 9 am-4 pm
YMCA of the Rockies
Estes Park CO
(970)461-4638, ymcarockies.org
mtlsplash@aol.com
\$170 fee

Karen Ramsey

"Watercolor Portrait Workshop"
October 24, 2008, 9 am-4 pm
The Lincoln Gallery, Loveland, CO
(970)663-2407, www.lincolngallery.com
\$45 fee



At The Gardens on Spring Creek
Fort Collins, CO:

(970)416-2486, fcgov.com/horticulture

5 week session:

"Watercolor your Holiday & Winter Scenes"

October 21-November 18, 2008
Tuesdays 6:30-8:30 pm
\$85 members, \$90 non-members

6 week session:

"Watercoloring at The Gardens"
experienced artists
October 20-November 24, 2008
Mondays 1-3:30 pm
\$110 members, \$115 non-members

Displays/Shows

Loveland Barnes & Noble

Karen Ramsey

Loveland, CO
October



Milner Schwarz Farmhouse

Elaine Smith Widner

Kerri Ertman



Peggy Keagle

John Allman

Dena Kirk

Jeff Brooks

Lori Disney

Diana Wade

Janifer Cline

710 S. Railroad Ave.
Loveland, CO



Wanted

Diana Wade is looking for a small bin for prints and a small display rack for note cards to borrow for the month of November. If you can help, call (970)635-0103 or e-mail dwade81744@aol.com.

Aims Community College, is looking for up to 5 artists to display art each month in their Loveland Campus facility. 10% of sales would go to TVAL. Contact Dee Dee at (970)667-4611, ext.#3308, or e-mail to deedee.sabin@aims.edu .

From Your President

Here it is almost October and although we have had a very successful year we still have some very exciting things going on that I hope you will get involved in if just as a spectator. I've seen many of the panels done for the Milner Schwarz Farmhouse and what a delight they are. We certainly have some great artists and the humor is delightful. Come to the installation and see for yourself. There are other upcoming activities in the near future that I'm sure you can read about in the newsletter. **Do** you remember the phrase 'Have you hugged your kid today?' Well I'm not certain that was the exact phrase but thinking about such questions I ask you what have you done for TVAL? Many of you I'm sure need to fill your obligations before the end of the year. Is there someone out there that would be willing to be on the nominating committee? I think it could be done right in your own home? Whether your an active or non-active member you can help with this job. The more people that volunteer the easier the work becomes. This is your organization. Be apart of it and get involved.



How Was It?... The 2nd Annual Peace in the Park

was a big success this year! TVAL artists created sidewalk murals and invited the public to do the same. Last year we had few brave enough to join us, but this year we just about ran out of sidewalk!! A good time was had by all! **Jim Digby's** presentation on **Creating Good Photo References for Studio Work** was very informative! His visual aids were instrumental in understanding how our camera sees scenes compared to how we view the same scenes. Camera operation and shooting tips were discussed and specific questions were answered in a very "user friendly" way. We look forward to future photo presentations from Jim Digby! Thanks Jim!!

Portrait Class at the Gallery this month!

Don't miss **Karen Ramsey's Watercolor Portrait Class on October 24th, 9-4pm!** The

morning will start out with an overview of her quick-sketch techniques and some practice work from photos, so bring some photos of family or friends to work with. In the afternoon a model will be available for painting, followed by a critique of your work and the class. Karen is a renowned artist, instructor and plein air extraordinaire, who has offered this class for **only \$45!!** So don't pass up this wonderful opportunity to hone your skills and apply these techniques to all types of subject matter and media!



We Still Need Gallery Sitters!

Call the Gallery as soon as you can to schedule your days to sit the Gallery and fulfill your membership requirements. Days needed are: November 1, 8 & 29; December 13 & 20

E-mail: lincolngallery@qwestoffice.net

HELP! Call: 663-2407 HELP!

Donations

The support given for the awards in our shows are a tremendous help in promoting the artwork and Artists in the area. Support through contributions to the Thompson Valley Art League, a non-profit corporation, are welcomed. Anyone seeking an opportunity to promote the arts and receive a tax benefit may call 970-663-2407 for more information.

Sponsors

Loveland Art Academy
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Armor Coat
Personalized Skin Care
Good Samaritan Society
Alexander Broughton & Co.
Wild Valley North
Pine Acre Farms
Front Range Specialties
Fountains of Loveland
CO Assisted Living
Pendleton/Meeker Farms

New Members

John Allman

Gallery

Attendants

JR & Lisa Schnelzer
Susie Morey
Timarie Pearson

Thank You

Erin Leeper

Rides Available

The following members have offered to drive members to and from the meetings. Just send an e-mail or call : Jeral McDonald, Terri Yamagishi, Peggy Quinn, Jenifer Cline, Jean Batchelder or Lori Disney

Questions?

or concerns related to the Gallery or TVAL? Feel free to talk to any member of your Board or the Gallery Director.

What's Out There

Shows/Displays

Art Center of Estes Park

"Lines into Shapes"
September 19-October 5, 2008
Estes Park, CO

www.artcenterofestes.com, (970)586-5882

The Cache Gallery of Photography

"Coastal Elements" by Adrian Davis
September 5-October 1, 2008
215 Pine St., Fort Collins, CO
www.thecachegallery.com

Wildlife Experience Show

September 19-November 8th
10035 S. Peoria St., Parker CO
Cool Colors

September 29-November 1, 2008
Lakewood, CO
www.lakewoodartscouncil.org

Classes

Loveland Art Academy

Loveland, CO

"Still Life, Portrait and Figure"

"Painting with Pastels"

"Laptop & PhotoShop 1"

"Laptop & PhotoShop 2"

"Sculpting in a Painterly Manner-Portrait & Figures"

"Quick Sketch in Oils"

"Figure Drawing"

www.lovelandartacademy.org
(970)663-1915

Donate

Empty Bowls Loveland is looking for donated art for their Dinner & Silent Auction in November to raise money for the Food Bank of Larimer County. If you would like to help feed low-income families contact: Nancy at nancyzollerpottery@msn.com, or Charlene at (970)530-3113.

Engaging Loveland is looking for artists to submit logo designs for their holiday organization. The selected design will be used on all promotional material for Loveland events between Thanksgiving and New Year.
e-mail: kvecchio@engaginglovelandinc.org

Board Position Descriptions

Offices serve 2 years

President: Oversees all TVAL activities, presides over all meetings and appoints the chairpersons for all committees except the Nominating Committee.

Treasurer: Works with the Gallery Director to keep the finances in order, helps create a budget to be presented to the Board for approval and updates bank records for signature authorization.

Member-at Large: Schedules Gallery Attendants and assists show committees in finding sponsors.



Did You Know... The Nomination Committee is responsible for opening Board nominations beginning at the October Members Meeting up to the December Members Meeting. They will then, prepare a ballot and carry out a vote. The president, board and the members each choose one willing member to form this committee. This insures a non-bias election process. **Would you be willing to fill one of these three spots?** If so, call the president, a board member or a bunch of your member friends!



Call For Entries

Western Spirit Art Show

March 7-April 19, 2009
Cheyenne, WY

Registration deadline: November 17, 2008
Online: kristenruck_owm@hotmail.com
Phone: (307)778-7289

Artists of Colorado State Exhibition

October 18-31, 2008

826 Sante Fe Dr., Denver CO

Registration: October 15 & 16, 11-5pm
Online: ddepaulo@comcast.net
Phone: (303)910-6272

Check out these sites:

denvergov.org/doc
artsforcolorado.org
coloarts.org

artShow.com
theArtist.com
artdeadline.com

October Calendar

September 27: Sidewalk & Bake Sale 10-5 pm
October 1: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
Sept 29-Oct 4: Entries accepted - Fall Members Show
October 2: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
October 3: Changeover
October 6: Monday Night Paint 6-8:30 pm
October 7: Tuesday Ladies Day 9--3 pm
October 9: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
October 9: Board Meeting 5:30 pm
October 10: Night on the Town, 6-9 pm
October 13: Monday Night Paint 6-8:30 pm
October 14: Tuesday Ladies Day 9--3 pm
October 16: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
October 20: Members Meeting 6:30 pm & Luke Santangelo-Copyright
October 21: Tuesday Ladies Day 9--3 pm
October 23: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
October 27: Monday Night Paint 6-8:30 pm
October 28: Tuesday Ladies Day 9--3 pm
October 30: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
October 31: Changeover