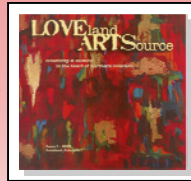


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Any Newsletter information must be delivered to the Gallery or sent to lpegacorn@earthlink.net by the 20th of each month to be considered for publication. There is a "Newsletter" folder at the Gallery which can be found on the bookcase to the left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

**Advertising
Opportunity
Available****Loveland ArtSource Magazine... is
gearing up for their 2010 full color publication.**

Time to get those ads in to **promote your art!** We are passing this information to our members as an affordable way to promote your art. ArtSource is sponsored by the Downtown Loveland Association and contains information about Loveland, it's events and artists. Distribution will include the Visitors Center, hotels, galleries and the sculpture/craft shows. It will also be available online at reporterherald.com. Artists can purchase, at an affordable price, a business card sized 1 year ad in the Artist Directory which includes a description & color photo of their work and contact information. **Deadline is March 5, 2010**, or pick up a form at The Gallery. Contact Jan Brown: 215-5500, sjbrown37@msn.com or download the ArtsGuide contract at www.downtownloveland.org

*If you do purchase an ad from the DLA, we hope that you will **include a line mentioning The Lincoln Gallery, where your art is on display, and "share the glory" with your Gallery!***



the jurors comments, the excellent food and the great turnout from members and the public. Thanks to the Show Committee and all you members who participated! I hope you all have been by to see this wonderful show! Results are listed on page 2. At our March Members Meeting, Chuck Hamann divulged his secrets on creating beautiful sculptures out of **Paper Mache**. Through many years of experimentation with many materials his unlikely conclusion was water, white glue and toilet paper! The cheaper, the better! He brought in some of his sculptures and discussed the process in creating with this totally under-utilized medium. Thanks Chuck!

Did You Know...

Sadly, the **Loveland Art Academy** had to close its doors due to lack of funding! The **Video Library** is set up and ready for tape check-outs. These are "old" tapes, but with quality instructions by John Michael Carter, Lela Harty, John seery Lester, Joyce Pike, and Helen Van Wyk, to name a few. The contents of each tape is described in a log book, where members can check items out for up to 2 weeks. What a great way to gain some knowledge without breaking the bank!

**March Members Meeting**

This Months Members Meeting will be **Monday, March 15th at 6:30pm.**

Our Program will be a **"Round Robin Art Experiment"**. Here's how it goes: Members bring in their paints and equipment, set up a station and provide a reference and a blank canvas/sheet. There will also be sketching/drawing stations set up throughout the gallery. Each member will choose a station to begin, will have a set number of minutes to work on the canvas and when the whistle blows, will move on to the next station in line. Any works that come to a level of finished artwork will be presented at our next TVAL art auction to raise funds for our league. **Join in the fun, try new media and raise \$ at the same time!**



How was it?... The **SweetArt Show** was a terrific success! Our walls were not only full, but full of exceptional art!! The Reception/Awards Night was fantastic, with J.R.'s witty narration of

Take This Survey Calling all Arts/Cultural Organizations, Creative Businesses, Musicians,

Sculptors, Dancers, Writers... Artists!
Project ArtSpace - Nova Restoration and the Erion Foundation would like to convert the Feed & Grain building into affordable art studios and living spaces which would further **establish Loveland as an Artist Community**. This survey could determine if this project will become a reality. Complete the on-line survey by **March 15th, 2010** at: www.artspaceloveland.org



TVAL Members Corner



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Dot Pecina

Ongoing Oil Classes
beginner/intermediate
Mondays, 9-11am
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\$49 for 4 sessions, Longmont, CO
(303)682-8957, www.dotpecinaoil.com

Sally Fulton

Ongoing Pastel/Oil Classes
Sundays, 2-5 pm, Thursdays, 11-2pm
\$25 per class

Longmont, CO, (303)776-7761
www.sallyfulton.com

sallyfulton@comcast.net

Ann Arensmeyer

Ongoing Beginning Oil Classes
Tuesdays, 6-9pm
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www.fcgov.com/horticulture

Displays/Shows

Diana Wade & Mary Benke

Karen Ramsay Student Exhibit
@ The Gardens on Spring Creek,
2145 Centre Ave. Fort Collins, CO
Saturday, Feb. 27 9am to 4:30pm

Diane Wood

East Boulder Recreation Center
Staufier Realty, Louisville, CO
The Great Frame Up, Longmont, CO
March

Diana Wade

"Women in History Month"
Cultural Arts Council Gallery
Estes Park, Co

February 21-April 4, 2010

Jim Digby

8 Port Coffee & Tea, Boulder, CO
January 15-March 15



Awards

"Art from the Heart"
Greeley Art Association

Judy Sprague - 1st place Pastel

Jim Digby - 1st place Photography &
Honorable Mention Photography

For Sale

4 Simplon Plein Air Frames, Gold Leaf,
11x14, Deep 1/2 inch rabbet, brand
new, still in packaging, Retail \$24.28
each, will sell for \$17 each. Judy
Sprague, 970-506-5966. Call after
March 6."



Wanted

Carve or Paint an Egg



The Loveland Housing Authority is
looking for artists to carve or paint emu
eggs for their "Eggstraordinary
Evening" at the Mirasol Senior Event
Center on March 19, 5:30-8:30pm, to
benefit the food bank and the
Alzheimer's Assoc. of Larimer County.
Eggs will be provided. Contact Sara:
461-2929, sara@longspeak.net
Aims Community College
is looking for artists to display each
month in their Loveland Campus
facility. 10% commission to TVAL.
(970)330-8008, ext. 3300
lherrer8@aims.com

SweetArt Show 2010



Diana Wade

Results

Juror's Choice
Larsen's Barn



Pastel

<u>Pastel</u>	
1 st Place	Judy Sprague <i>Old Capitol City Post Office</i>
2 nd Place	Tracy Murphy <i>Summer on the Mesa</i>
3 rd Place	Becky Everitt <i>Taos Treasures</i>
HM	Diane Wood <i>Old Bike Among the Flowers</i>
HM	Tracy H. Murphy <i>The Girls</i>
HM	Mary M. Hills <i>Avery Park</i>

<u>Acrylic</u>	
1 st Place	Audrie Mergelman <i>Standing Still in Sterling</i>
2 nd Place	Diane Roeder <i>Dec. Morning at Lake Loveland</i>
3 rd Place	Elaine Smith Widner <i>Rattlesnake Creek, MT</i>
HM	Kerri Ertman <i>A.I. and the Firefly</i>

<u>Mixed Media</u>	
1 st Place	Judy Sprague <i>Round Mountain</i>
2 nd Place	Annie Surbeck <i>Spring Snow</i>
3 rd Place	Laurie Waddell <i>Colorado Buffalo</i>
HM	Erin Leeper <i>Bend in the River</i>
HM	Nick Kostiv <i>Fates</i>

<u>3-Dimensional</u>	
1 st Place	Don Crego <i>Untitled Vessel #6</i>
2 nd Place	Justin Bashor <i>Fallen</i>
3 rd Place	Susie Morey <i>Shall We Dance</i>

<u>Photography</u>	
1 st Place	Jim Digby <i>Boiler Loveland Feed & Grain</i>
2 nd Place	Lisa Schnelzer <i>White Sails</i>
3 rd Place	Margaret Thornburg <i>Sunflower Delight</i>
HM	James Steele <i>Red Rose Bud</i>

<u>Watercolor</u>	
1 st Place	Jeral McDonald <i>Ready for Boreas</i>
2 nd Place	Lori Disney <i>Powerplay</i>
3 rd Place	Debbie Jansen <i>Alberta's Rebirth</i>
HM	Jean Batchelder <i>Pescado a Plástico</i>

<u>Oil</u>	
1 st Place	Armella Benton <i>Daisies & Crabapples</i>
2 nd Place	Pam Froemke <i>Cutting Horse I</i>
3 rd Place	Peggy Keagle <i>Buddies</i>
HM	Jeff Brooks <i>Breakfast with Tiffany</i>
HM	Trudy Reeder <i>Grapefruits in a Silver Bowl</i>
HM	Peggy Keagle <i>His & Hers</i>
HM	Lori Disney <i>What Women Want</i>



SweetArt Show Committee - 2010!!!

Carolyn Pearce, Judy Sprague, Audrie Mergelman, Tracy
Murphy, James Steele, Erin Leeper, Elaine Smith Widner, Jeff
Brooks and Mary Benke

Donations

Thompson Valley Art League has been a part of the Loveland Community for 45 years. We are a non-profit, 501 (C)3 organization.

Contributions at all levels are welcome from individuals and businesses who wish to take advantage of TVAL's year-round publicity efforts including acknowledgment in our show brochures, in our newsletter, on our website and at the Gallery. Contributions are tax deductible in accordance with current IRS codes.

March Gallery Attendants

Elaine Smith Widner
Becky Everitt
Jim Digby
Jenifer Cline

New Members

Nick Kostiv
Karen Fennelly
Diane Roeder
Carol Lingenfelter

Free Rides

These members have offered to provide transportation to our meetings; Jeral McDonald, Jenifer Cline, Jean Batchelder or Lori Disney

Questions?

Feel free to talk to any member of your Board or the Gallery Director.

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Loveland Village- "Living the whole of life" ... a continuum of care. Twin/patio homes; independent apartments; assisted living; health care/Alzheimer's units; and rehab. (970)669-3100
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2010 Paint the Parks100 & Mini50

Juried International Competition
Entry deadline: May 1, 2010
National Touring show begins after winners announcement in April, 2010
www.paintamerica.org



Check out these websites; artShow.com, theArtist.com, artdeadline.com



Transformations Project 2010

City of Loveland Art in Public Places Program
Create unique murals on electrical cabinets
Design deadline: April 16, 2010, 5pm
Begin painting by late April
Payments of \$1,000-\$1,500 per cabinet
Contact Suzanne Janssen: 962-2490
jansss@ci.loveland.co.us



What's Out There

Shows/Displays

"Naked" - Boxcar Gallery Juried Exhibition

March 5-20, 2010
Denver, CO, www.boxcar-gallery.com

"Signs of the Zodiac" Lakewood Arts Council Show

March 5-20, 2010
Lakewood, CO
www.lakewoodartscouncil.org

AANC 19th Annual National Show

April 3-May 7, 2010
Fort Collins, CO,
www.artistsassoc.org
17th Anniversary Show
Carnegie Arts Center
March 23-April 25, 2010
Alliance NE
(308)762-4571
www.carnegieartscenter.com



Western Spirit Art Show

March 6-April 18, 2010
Old West Museum, Cheyenne, WY
www.oldwestmuseum.org

Elements of Water

February 19-March 13, 2009
The Center for Fine Art Photography
Fort Collins, CO, 224-1010,
www.c4fap.org

Classes

"Painting from Life"

A Russ Tanner *Plein Air* 5 day workshop
May 10-14, 2010
\$300, Evergreen, CO
www.evergreenfineart.com
Online art magazine:
www.EmptyEasel.com
[Artist & Art Group Directory](http://www.Artist&ArtGroupDirectory.com)
www.ArtChain.com
Build a website at: www.artdealers.com

Copyright Law What all artist should

know: Excerpts from "Law and the Art World" by Bill Frazier, Attorney. *2000 Guidebook of Western Artists:* ...The next most common question I get concerns copying another artist's work and what percentage of it may be copied. First, you cannot copy another artist's work, and second, there is no percentage that is allowed. ...While you might take a little inspiration from this work or that, you cannot copy it, and you certainly cannot copy the heart of the work, even if that might be only 5 percent. There is no formula. Don't copy.

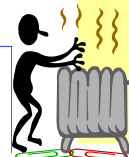
2010 Gallery Attendants

needed! Schedule your 2 days early this year and fulfill your membership requirements. Call The Gallery at (970)633-2407



Attention Gallery Attendants

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March Calendar

February 26-27: Changeover
March 4: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
March 8: Board Meeting 5:30 pm
March 11: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
March 12: Night on the Town 6-9pm
March 15: Members Meeting 6:30pm
March 18: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
March 25: Open Paint Day 9-5 pm
April 2-3: Changeover



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