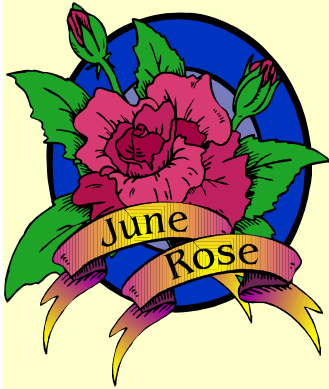


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June Newsletter

Bon Air Artists Association

President's Message

2008—2009 has been an excellent year for the Bon Air Artists Association. The association membership grew. Art Affair in October 2008 was a huge success, and the plans for 2009 are well underway. Our exhibits have gotten rave reviews as Gloria Callahan told us at our May meeting. Many of our members have gotten local, regional and national honors. The fellowship among members continues to grow as we support each other professionally and personally. Congratulations on an outstanding year.

Recognition is due to our outgoing officers. Marti Fann planned a variety of programs with something for everyone—not an easy task. Phillis Elliott helped to handle the hundreds of details in planning for our exhibits. Maryanne Evans spent countless hours and saved us hundreds of dollars by arranging for the emailing to most of our membership. She also handled the mailing of it to those without computer access. Sara Richards has made our jurying of new members more objective as she has served for several years as our membership chairman. Her welcoming smile made all the new members feel welcome. And lastly Judy Pollard served as our social director—always arriving early to welcome members and to set up our chairs for the meeting. I want to give you all a huge thank you for all you have done for Bon Air Artists Association.

Another person who needs to be thanked—although I hope he is not quitting his duties—is Fred Fann. Fred has spent countless hours for many years building and maintaining our website. He is always game to find a way to do whatever the board has asked him to do. Thank you, Fred.

I could go on and on but space permits me only one more thank you. Thanks to Sue Stuller for hosting our June luncheon. I know we will all have a wonderful time. See you then!

Sara Hoyle

Directions to Susan Stuller's House

Take Huguenot Road to Robious Road (Rt 71) and go toward Powhatan. I am in the Salisbury subdivision. Pass Salisbury Road which is the first Salisbury entrance and make a left onto Ellesmere Road. (This will be the entrance to Powderham). Follow Ellesmere until it ends and make a left onto Brigstock Road. Make your 2nd left onto Barrow Place and I am the first house on the right—2930 Barrow Place. The house has a circular driveway with a front porch. In case you have difficulty finding my house, call 379-1477.

Susan Stuller

June Meeting:

Friday, June 5,

Susan Stuller's home,
2930 Barrow Place

(See directions at the
bottom of page 1.)

Deadline for September
Newsletter is

Friday, August 15

Please email your informa-
tion to:

Jeans_art2001@yahoo.com

Or

Baaanews@yahoo.com

Or mail it to:

Jean Miller

3910 Timber Ridge Place

Midlothian, VA 23112

Giclee Reproductions

For Arts Sake Gallery at
8538 Patterson Ave. is now
producing giclee prints from
your original paintings. For
further information call 804-
740-1400

Art Affair Update

Barbara Nelson is again arranging for one or two 8-man tents for those who do not have their own tent. Each artist would have his or her own 10 x 10 space in a 20 x 40 tent. The cost would be around \$80 in addition to your application fee. Please note this information on your application or contact Barbara at 379-4957 or email her at BandBNelson@verizon.net.

Also the Art Affair committee is considering having a BAAA Association tent. This would be for BAAA members who do not feel physically able to set up a tent and screens or who only have 2 or 3 paintings to show. The cost would be approximately \$10.00 per painting (depending upon the number of artists participating) with no more than 3 paintings from any one artist. There would be a 30% commission charged on the paintings sold which would be donated to Child Savers by Art Affair. Those showing would be required to take a turn sitting in the tent to handle sales. The length of a shift would depend upon the number of participating artists. The paintings at the BAAA tent would not be eligible for judging and individual artists would not be included in the program. If you are interested in participating, sign up at the June luncheon or email Sarah Hoyle at sarahahoyle@Comcast.net. Remember this is only an idea being considered; implementing it depends upon the interest of the members.

Exhibit Opportunity

Uptown Gallery will hold an exhibit called "Fabulous Florals" and will be accepting floral works, either two or three dimensional, including photographs. The exhibit will run from July 28th to September 26. Anyone who wishes to participate should bring works to Uptown Thursday, July 23— Saturday, July 25 between 11 am and 4 pm. The fee is \$10 per painting or 3 works for \$20. The gallery receives a 30% commission

Workshop Opportunity

"Christmas in August" will be taught at the Upton Gallery sometime this summer. It will be a one-day workshop on making beaded Christmas ornaments, using the instructor's materials. Enrollment is limited to 16 people. Interested people should contact either:

Kathy Miller at 343-3319 (email: Kwatercorlpr@att.net) or
Emma Lou Martin phone: 285-8170 (email: elbluem@comcast. Net)

Kudos

Susan Stuller has had a painting accepted into the Transparent Watercolor Society of American show at the Kenosha Museum in Kenosha, Wi. Susan also won 2nd place in the Celebration of the Arts National Exhibition in Montpelier, Virginia.

Lisa Harlow won 2nd place in the Celebration of the Arts Regional Show in Montpelier, Virginia.

Kathy Miller won an honorable mention in the Celebration of the Arts Regional Show in Montpelier, Virginia

Lori Wilson is feature artist for the month of June at the Sea-Worthy Gallery, 58401 Highway 12, Hatteras, NC. Opening reception is Wednesday, June 3rd from 4:00—7:00 pm.

Beverly Perdue has been asked by the Red Door Gallery to participate in their Summer Group show. It will be opening July 17th for two months and is on Main Street near Main Art. Hope you can attend the opening.

Gloria Callahan has been accepted into the 17th annual International Exhibit of the Colored Pencil Society in Duluth, GA.

Solange Brown received the "Award of Excellence" in The Fredericksburg Art Festival.

Pat Angevine had an article in Palette concerning the evocative use of color. She also has a show at the 12 12 Gallery, South Richmond's Fine Art Gallery, located at 12 East 12th Street in the John B. Anderson House.

Vince Calabrese was awarded 1st place in the upcoming All Media Show at Crossroads Art Center

Painting Opportunity

" Have you been to the South of the James Market at Forest Hill Park? It's a great interplay of shopper and vendors, music and smells...and a wonderful opportunity for an artist to capture this unique event of 42nd Street and New Kent Avenue.

If you would like to join the show and come to the market on a regular or occasional schedule and paint, the market managers would love to have you. For information, you can reach Market Manager Karen Atkinson at 513-3100, email: the marketumbrella@msn.com or contact David Hathcock at 320-2454 email: david.hathcock@richmondgov.com.

Exhibits Update—Please save this page for reference by Gloria Callahan (379-0016) Chairman

Change out Exhibits – These are ongoing exhibits that are always up. Dates refer to next time a change will be made. Over the next few months there may be some date changes so check this page closely for exhibit information at these change out venues. Most changes will be made in the months Sept, Nov, Jan, March and May with a few scheduling a change in July

Winchester Office Complex - Fri. May 8 – July 10, 2009 @ 10:00am

Chairman: Larry Robinson- 320-7734, Co-chair: Larry Grina- 796-6465 helper.

Directions: 10800 Midlothian Turnpike. Turn onto Koger Center Blvd. First right takes you into Winchester parking lot. All doors lead to the Main foyer. Space for 36 paintings. Change will be 2nd Fri of scheduled month

Virginia Urology Center – Fri. May 22 – July 24, 2009 @ 2:00p

Chairman: Richard Leslie – 778-4696

Directions: Take Huguenot Rd to the Chippenham Pkwy going west. First exit is to the Stony Point Fashion Center. Take this exit and stay to the right at bottom of the ramp. At second light turn left and go up the hill. The Urology building is in front of you. We will be exhibiting on the second floor. There is room for 16 paintings. Change will be made on 4th Friday of scheduled month.

River Breeze—Thurs. April 2 - July 9, 2009 @ 1:00pm

Chairman: Louise Yuntz- 763-4715

Directions: From the church take Huguenot Rd. to Robious Rd. Cross the railroad tracks and turn left into Huguenot Village Shopping Center. Go to the end of the row of stores on the right. The restaurant is in the separate row of stores. There is room for 10 small to medium (no larger than 11 x 14) paintings. She has requested florals, still life, or seasonal paintings. NO abstracts, religious or nudes. Should a painting sell it will need to be replaced with another painting by the artist. THIS VENUE WILL SOON BE OPEN FOR BRUNCH ON THE WEEKENDS.

Monthly Exhibits

May— Lucy Corr Village – Friday May 1 @1pm (after BAAA meeting)– May 29, 2009 @ 10:00 am

Chairman: Richard Leslie – 778-4696

Directions: 6800 Lucy Corr Blvd., Chesterfield, VA Take 288 South to Route 10 exit to Chesterfield Courthouse Complex. Get in the left lane. Lucy Corr Blvd. is the first left AFTER the courthouse. Go about 2 blocks. Lucy Corr Village is on your left. Go to the largest building. The receptionist will direct you to the location. There is room for 15 paintings.

June— Bon Air Library (All Media)- Mon. June 1 – Tues. June 30, 2009 @ 10:00 am

Chairman: Vince Calabrese 794-4591

Directions: 9103 Rattlesnake Rd.. Take Huguenot Rd. north towards Bon Air then right on Jimmy Winters Rd. .3 miles and then left at Rattlesnake Rd. 476 ft. Library will be on left. Room for 15-18 small to medium photos. No nudes. No prices on front of work, price list to be left at Library desk. Must hang until end of show.

TO GET YOU ALL THINKING OF OUR FIRST SHOW AFTER THE SUMMER HIATUS

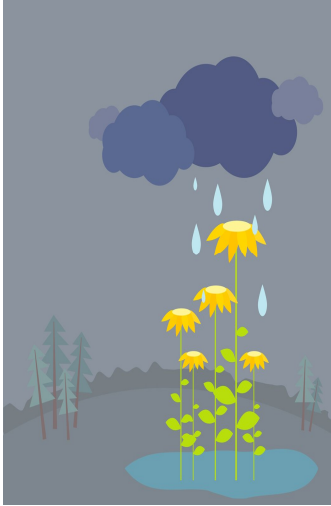
September—Glen Allen Cultural Arts Center—Tuesday, September 1—Thursday, October 1, 2009 @1:00pm

Chairman: Jan Delsak 378-1163 Co-chairman: Mary Pardini 378-0522

Directions: Take the Willey Bridge going north to Parham Rd. Follow Parham Rd. to Woodman Road and turn left onto Woodman. Make another left onto Mountain Rd. and the Center is on the right. The Center takes a 30% commission on any paintings sold and will prepare a check for the artist a week following the show coming down. PLEASE TAKE THE 30% INTO ACCOUNT WHEN PRICING YOUR WORK.

We have had 7 paintings sold for the year since September. If you sell a painting, please let me know so I can put it in the newsletter and add it to our sales record. Gloria Callahan 379-0016

Classes and Such...



Eleanor Cox: *Watercolor classes*, Tuesdays 7-10PM & Wednesdays 9-12AM. Bon Air Community Center. Email: Eleacoxart@aol.com Phone: 320-1445.

Anne Marie Vaughn: *Oil Painting classes*. Tuesdays 1-4PM. Mixed media Thursdays 1-4 PM. Off River Rd. Call Anne Marie at 784-0824

Jillian Warner: *Watercolor classes, other media*. Tuesdays, 6-9 PM, Call 320-2727.

Liz Wooten: *Watercolor classes*, Thursdays, 10:00 to 1:00. Guaranteed to improve your work. Call 320-8789.

Linda Leah Wolitz: *Pastel and drawing*. Summer classes will begin Wednesday July 8th from 10 am to noon and Thursday, July 9th from 6:30 to 8:39 pm at the Cultural Art Center in Glen Allen. Register with the Art Center at 261-2787, cost \$105.

Betsy Kellum: Workshop in Oil and/or Pastel. New fall 8-week session: September 10-October 29. Limited to 7 students. Cost \$200 in her home studio (easels provided), Thursdays 9:30-12:30. If interested, contact Betsy at 598-8545 or email her at: betsykellum@gmail.com. Check out Betsy's website: www.betsykellum.com

Arts in the City Summer Workshops
at Crossroads Art Center.

Evaluation/Critique Session—June 30th

Learning from the Masters—July 28th-29th

Design—an Approach to Structuring Well Composed Paintings—August 27th-28th.

All sessions will be taught by Christophora Robeers. Please call Garry-Lou Upton at 347-4238 for more information.

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