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October Newsletter

Bon Air Artists Association

October Meeting
Tuesday, October 1
6:00 to 8:00 PM
Congregation Or Ami
9400 Huguenot Rd



President's Message

Dear Members,

Fall is here and I hope all you BAAA members are ready to enjoy the cooler weather and the colorful season. Landscapes done during this time of year not only warm my senses but seem to waken my other senses as well. The warm first fire in your fireplace, the smell of hot apple cider or pumpkin pie. I hope you pull together something autumnal to paint or draw while the season is upon us.

Our October 1st meeting on Tuesday, from 6-8 PM will feature a great program from Linda Hollet Bazouzi. Highlighting her travels to Tunisia this past September, Linda has kindly stepped in to help us out since we had a very untimely cancellation of our VMFA speaker. He is being rescheduled to another month so no worries. Thank you, Linda!

The Crossroads exhibit of our member work in the Sidecar Gallery looks wonderful. Jenni did a great job of hanging it! And if you didn't make it to the September 20th reception, please stop by to take a look. It makes me proud to see the caliber of works our artists have created. The display continues until November 2nd.

We juried 5 members into exhibiting status after our September meeting, many first time members. Congratulations to everyone and welcome. Trisha Berry has worked hard to schedule some fine locations to exhibit and I believe sales are up at our venues. Members, please be sure to welcome and congratulate our new exhibitors at the next meeting. I remember how nervous I was in 2007 when I juried in and became a new member. Those of you who welcomed me have become good friends and members.

Gloria Callahan

BAAA's Postal Address:

BAAA
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Richmond, VA 23235

Refreshments for the October Meeting

We are in need of at least 3 volunteers to bring finger foods to our October evening meeting. Please contact Iris Will if you are able to do this.

Email Address:

Iris.will@verizon.net

Phone:

(804)272-1942

Deadline for November Newsletter is

Friday, October 18th

Please email your information to:

Jeans_art2001@yahoo.com

Or

Bonairartists@gmail.com

October Program

The October meeting is an evening meeting to accommodate those members who are unable to attend during the usual Friday morning meetings. It is hoped that many of our regular members will attend as well as those of you for whom this change in schedule has been arranged. Our speaker for the evening is Linda Hollet-Bazouzi who has just returned from a trip to Tunisia. Linda will share with us some of her many exciting and colorful adventures on this painting trip. Linda has kindly stepped in to fill the space of our scheduled speaker from VMFA.

Be sure to put October 1st at 6:00 on your calendar for this second evening meeting of the year.

Jean Miller

PLEASE NOTE: If you have any information that must go out by email immediately during the month, send it to my personal email address :

Jeans_art2001@yahoo.com

I do not check the Bon Air Artists email on a daily basis

Workshop Opportunities

Christophora Robeers Still Life Workshop

This workshop will be held on Friday and Saturday, December 6 and 7 from 9 Am to 5 PM, cost is \$225. It will focus on different painting styles using several still life set-ups as subject matter. The different painting styles will be demonstrated and analyzed so the paintings created have that “**style look**”. Each participant will be able to work from still life to still life and experiment with the different painting styles. Drawing and photographs of the still life set-ups are encouraged. There will be evaluations at the end of the workshop. All mediums are accepted. Oil painters need to contact Christophora about restrictions at Crossroads. Direct any questions to Christophora at 730-4066 or Garry-Lou Upton at 347-4338. The workshop is limited to 15 people. Deadline for sign up is November 5th. Checks should be made out to Christophora Robeers and mailed to 7428 Roosevelt Avenue, Mechanicsville, VA 23111.

Christopher Wynn Workshop

This workshop will be held at Uptown Gallery, October 25 and 26 at 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM. Cost is \$175, Bon Air Artists own Christopher Wynn will teach the special techniques he uses to make the most of the light in a painting through the use of charging techniques, methods to achieve rich darks, determining when to mask, and how to use special tools and materials. Demos and individual attention are among this teacher’s strong points, To sign up or for more information, contact Betty Drozeski at (804)740-4720, or email bettydro@aol.com

Kudos

Gloria Callahan has been selected for publication in North Light Books’ *Strokes of Genius 6: Value Lights and Darks* for her colored pencil painting “Harley’s Davidson”. The book will be released in 2014

Lori Wilson and Kathy Miller will be among the featured Artists at the Virginia Eye Institute at the Huguenot Road location in Richmond for the month of October.

Cabel Gorman will be having a solo show “For the Love of Dogs” at the Stewart Gallery on Main Street for the month of October. A portion of the proceeds will benefit Richmond Animal Control. Opening night will be October

10th from 5:00–7:00 pm.

Susan Stuller’s painting “Strawberry Jamming” was selected to be published in *Splash Retrospective*, a collection of the best of the past 20 years of *Splash*. In addition Susan was thrilled that her painting was used in the ad for the new book.

Arline Murphy’s painting “Dining at the Louvre” received an Honorable Mention in Christopher Wynn’s student show judged by Susan Stuller at Crossroads Art Center.

New Members

Welcome to our two new members who joined us in September: Kathy Scott and Gwen Parker. Please place their information in your directory.

Kathy Scott
1720Norwood Creek Way
Powhatan, VA 23139
804-378-8717
Kscott6772@aol.com

Gwen Parker
8700 Cardiff Rd.
Richmond, VA 23236-1527
804-674-4804
Gsvep@yahoo.com

We were fortunate to have the following members jury in and be accepted in these mediums: Barbara Newlin (Acrylic) Demmi Milo (oil), Cathy Tyler (Photography), Kathy Scott (Colored pencil), Linda Andus (Acrylic) Gwen Parker (Oil) and Phillis Elliott (Oil). We congratulate them all!

**MINUTES OF THE
BON AIR ARTIST ASSOCIATION
SEPTEMBER 6, 2013**

The meeting was called to order at 9:33 am by President Gloria Callahan. Visitors and new members were welcomed and board members reminded to stay after the meeting for the bi-annual jury session. The next jury session will be in February. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Pat Angevine and seconded by Jack Grable. Minutes were approved as printed in the newsletter. Recording Secretary Barbara Newlin is in Italy with Eleanor Cox's art group. Wilma Bradner will substitute for this meeting. There were 51 members in attendance.

First Vice President—Programs: Carolyn Payne asked the members about a missing red notebook

Second Vice President—Exhibits: Vince Calabrese requested that money due for BAAA booth at Crossroads Art Center be paid. Garry-Lou Upton agreed to chair the Sun Trust Exhibit in January.

Corresponding Secretary—Newsletter: Jean Miller told the members that if they did not receive the September newsletter to please let either Sara Richards who takes care of the mailings or Jean who takes care of the emails know. Sara brought paper copies of the newsletter and placed them on the back table.

Treasurer: Pat Meek reported that the current balance is \$5,722.33. Report was submitted to Gloria Callahan

Membership: Lynn Sewell reported that seven artists were jurying in after the meeting today. Five are current members (Ginette Perrault, Barbara Newlin, Demmi Milo, Linda Andus and Phillis Elliott) and two are new members (Kathy Scott and Gwen Parker).

Parliamentarian: Bill Corbin reported no errors.

Publicity: Nancy Kemp will keep BAAA current on Face book so be sure to send her pictures of your work so she can post them.

Historian: Wilma Bradner had no report.

Hospitality: Iris Will reported that refreshments for today's meeting were provided by Neil Chesley, Sara Richards, Horst Arfert, and Gina Venn

Directory: Kathy Miller reminded us to pick up labeled copies of the directory.

Social Events: No report

Museum Representative: Arline Murphy reported that Hollywood costumes were on display in the 21st Century Gallery.

Social Director: No Report

Old Business

"Artful Healing" BAAA's new indoor art show set for March 22nd and 23rd, 2014 is gearing up for a full Committee meeting. The organizing committee consisting of Gloria Callahan, Marti Franks, Sally Lawson, and Kathy Miller has been working very hard all summer to get this show off the ground. Sally has organized and solicited funding for the evening Preview Cocktail Party to be held on Saturday March 22nd. The WPP (World Pediatrics

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Project} supporters are financially contributing to us for hosting this preview party. A meeting of the entire committee is scheduled for September 24th at 10 AM at Uptown Gallery. Those willing to help please contact Gloria or Marti.

Members were reminded to deliver art work to Crossroads for the BAAA member show and to bring the exact change or a check in the amount of \$15 for each piece. The opening reception will be September 20th and pickup is Monday, November 4th at 10 AM. There is a 15% commission on all sold works.

President Gloria Callahan reported that due to a move to Virginia Beach area Willis of Virginia is no longer our insurance provider. Atlantic Specialty Lines will be our agent for our Board of Director's Policy/CHUBB-carrier. The in house agency of Hartford Insurance will be our liability insurance carrier. All insurance policies will renew now with no change in price or coverage.

Gloria also reminded us that the October meeting is in the evening on October 1st from 6 PM to 8 PM at Congregation Or Ami.

New Business

As mentioned at the June luncheon by Linda Wolitz, the Pastel Society of Virginia would like a \$200 contribution from the BAAA to sponsor an award for their 2014 show at Glen Allen Cultural Arts Center. Larry Robinson made a motion to support this award and Carol Cullinan seconded it. The motion was passed and will be in the 2014 budget.

The Central Virginia Watercolor Guild show is from September 6 through the 29th in Charlottesville.

Richmond Art Workshops will host a three day workshop with Warren Taylor in May working with Caran d'Arche.

Uptown Gallery will sponsor a three day acrylic workshop, November 15th—17th with Vera Dickerson at the Uptown Gallery.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wilma Bradner, Acting Recording Secretary

EXHIBIT UPDATE - Please save this page for reference.

Chairperson Patricia Berry (pberry4pr@earthlink.net)

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.

Winchester Office Complex, Friday, September 13, 2013 @10:00am–Friday, November, 2013 @ 10:00 am

Chairman: Larry Robinson 320-7734, Horst Arfert: 744-2553. assisting

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 Friday of scheduled month.

MONTH LONG EXHIBITS

September: Capital One—Hangs through the end of November—Pick up date, Wednesday December 4th @2:00 pm.

Chairperson: Bill Corbin,- 804-739-5543

Directions: 15000 Capital One Drive, Henrico, VA 23238. From Route 288 take Tuckahoe Creek Parkway West exit. At the first traffic light, turn left onto Capital One Drive. In a couple of hundred yards, there will be a building on your right. Turn into the entrance to the building (you will see on the 15000 address number on the building).. Drive around the right side of the building to loading dock6. That is the art storage area where you drop off and pick up your paintings. The Capital One Art Staff will hang and take down the show.

September: Crossroads—Drop off is Saturday, September 7 @ 10:00 am—Pick up is Tuesday, November 5th @ 10:00 am.

Chairperson: Gloria Callahan, 804-379-0016

The show opens on Friday, September 20th with an opening reception from 6:00 until 8:00 pm in the Sidecar Gallery, where BAAA art exhibit will be hung. Food trucks will be available in the parking lot.

October: Glen Allen Cultural Arts Center—Drop off is Tuesday, October 1st @ 10:00 am. Pick up is Thursday, October 31st @ 10:00 am

Co-chairs: Carol Cullinan 804-755-7066, Linda Wolitz 804-262-5882

Each artist may submit 1 medium sized work (up to a frame size of 16" x20" } or 2 small works (up to a frame size of 11"x 14")

Directions: 2880 Mountain R, Glen Allen.

SALES: Sara Richards sold a painting at the Bon Air booth at Crossroads.

You may sign up for any of these exhibits by calling the chairperson before 9:00 pm 2 days before show begins. Space is limited at each venue, so please call early. If you sell a painting in a BAAA venue, please contact Patricia Berry, 2nd Vice President in Charge of Exhibits, at pberry4pr@earthlink.net so she can put in it in the newsletter and add it to our sales record.

CLASSES AND SUCH...

ELEANOR COX *Watercolor classes*,. Tuesdays 7-10PM and Wednesdays 9-12AM. Bon Air Community Center. Email: Eleanorcox@verizon.net
Phone: 320-1445.. First 8 week session runs from October 1st–November 22. Cost per session is \$200. Make checks payable to: Eleanor Cox and with the form found on her website: eleanorcox.com. A supply list will be available to you upon registration.

JILLIAN WARNER *Watercolor and other media classes with an emphasis on content.* Tues. For more information call Jillian @ 320-2727

J'NET KAULFERS *Oil and Acrylic Painting Studios.* Tuesdays 9:30 am – 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm–4:30 pm, Off Robious Road in home studio. Call 794-8964

LINDA WOLITZ, *Autumn Pastel painting class* at Cultural Art Center, 10 week session beginning September 11th morning and evening, and Thursday evenings beginning September 12th. For more information call Linda at 262-5882, to register, call the art center at 261-2787.

SARAH HOYLE *Beginning Watercolor Class* Openings in Monday evening class, 6:30–9:30 pm. Contact Sarah at 320-7560 or email: sarahhoyle@comcast.net

BETSY KELLUM Betsy Fall oil/pastel 6 week session of classes is currently filled, but if you want to be on the waiting list, contact Betsy at betsykellum@gmail.com

CHRISTOPHER WYNN Schedules:

Monday Mornings. For Arts Sake, 10:00 am to 12:30 pm. All media, all levels, \$25-\$30 per class with monthly commitments. www.forartssakegallery.com or 804-740-1400

Monday Evenings at Crossroads Art Center. 6:00 pm to 8:30 pm. Watercolor Intermediate to Advanced, Sept. 9th to Nov. 25, (12 sessions) \$325 www.crossroadsartcenter.com or 804-278-8950

Tuesday mornings at Visual Art Center. Advanced beginners to Advanced Intermediate watercolor. Sept.10th to Oct. 29th. (8 sessions) \$260. www.ssreg.com/visualarts/classes/classes.asp

Wednesday mornings and evenings. 10 to 12:30 pm and 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm. All media, all levels. \$25-\$30 a class with monthly commitments. www.forartssakegallery.com or 804-740-1400

For more information call 747-3446 or email him at Christopherwynnart@yahoo.com

GLORIA CALLAHAN. Colored Pencil

Colored Pencil classes are currently in session for the Fall, but new class sessions will be soon scheduled for the Winter. Contact Gloria Callahan at 804-379-0016 or email: her at glria@gloriacallahn.com. Her work can be seen at: www.gloriacallahan.com

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