

GAA PALETTE

The Glendale Art Association, a Non-Profit Organization Dedicated
"To Create and Preserve Beauty and Promote Art Appreciation"



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GAA Holiday
Salon Info.

December 2013



Next Meeting:

GAA's Holiday Celebration and Member Artist Demos

The Demonstrator at our November meeting, Vera Arutyunyan, was a treat to watch whipping out an amazing abstract. Working fast with fingers, palette knives, both ends of brushes, etc. Vera discussed her work and amazing success as international artist. What a treat to see this artist in action.

Our December meeting is our holiday event. Last year's meeting was a big hit with gift exchange, pot luck food, four volunteer member demonstrators, and hearty GAA camaraderie. We are doing it again this year. Bring something good to eat and inexpensive wrapped gift (\$10 or under). This meeting will be on **Dec 19th** instead of the usual second Thursday to deconflict with our Holiday Salon Take-In day. Any member who wants to is invited to demonstrate how they create their art work. I hope to see you there.

— *Dick Heimbold*



Vera Arutyunyan Demonstrating her abstract style at the November meeting

OUR NEXT MEETING:

Thursday, December 19th • 7 pm
Citibank Building
Basement Meeting Room
2350 Honolulu Ave.
Montrose

Bring A \$10 Gift To Exchange And Some Festive Food To Share.

Bring finger food and party snacks
Party - 6:45pm • Meeting - 7:15pm
Member/Guests - \$4.00 • Mini-Show - \$3.00 per painting
Citibank Building, basement meeting room
2350 Honolulu Ave., Montrose (Entry is in the rear of the building).

MEMBER UPDATES

Vicky Rees will be exhibiting two paintings as part of Segil Fine Art's 11th Annual Small Works Show, from December 7th-31st. Opening reception is December 7th, 4-7 pm. Segil Fine Art Source is located at 110 West Lime Avenue, Monrovia.

Long-time member and award-winning artist **Ruben Yadao** just won Best of Show and two First Place Ribbons at the San Gabriel Fine Arts Association Fall Juried Show. Exhibition runs through December 13th. **Ruben** also won second place in the mixed media category at the recent Simi Valley Arts Association's Open Juried Show in October 2013.

Currently, **Dorothy Shepherd** and **Ruben Yadao** have paintings on display at the Madrid Theatre, Canoga Park through the end of December.

Dick Heimbold is exhibiting two paintings in the Pasadena Museum Of History, Colorado Street Bridge Centennial Exhibition.

Paul Chamberlain is exhibiting as part of the "Glorious California" show at La Galeria Gitana from November 2 thru December 21. The gallery is located at 120 N. Maclay Ave., San Fernando, (818) 898-7708.

Trish Kertes will be participating in the Sierra Madre Art Walk, Dec. 7, 12-5 showing at Ixora Florist. She will also be featured in the Pasadena Star News' arts section on Dec. 15th.



Above: Ruben Yadao and one of his winning works.

Submit Your News & Photos

We love getting news about our members. Please send your news and photos to be included in the Member News section of this publication to: vrees@studiomelange.net

Whites Art, Framing & Restoration Gallery

2414 Honolulu Avenue, Montrose, CA 91020 | Tel: 818.957.4071 | Fax: 818.957.8100 | whitesfineart.com

2013 Holiday Salon **Artwork** Drop-off Is December 12th.

Only a few more days left before our Holiday Salon. We have some fabulous prizes, so be sure to enter your latest and best pieces for a chance to win.

Thank You To Our Generous 2013 Holiday Salon Sponsors: ↓



**Join us for the opening reception,
Sunday, December 15th from 1-5 p.m.**

Reality Check Systems, \$1000 Best In Show Award

Whites Art Framing and Restoration,
\$500 Gift Certificate, Framing

Swain's Art Supplies,
\$200 Gift Certificate, Best Toy Painting

Amalda Rossi, \$100 First Place Award

Chernich Chiropractic,
\$100 First Place Award

Vince and Toni Espinoza,
\$100 First Place Award

Fast Frame, \$100 Gift Certificate

Morgan Stanley Smith Barney, Keith Morris,
\$100 First Place Award

Ajax Quality Linens, Table Linens

Brey's Framing, \$50 Gift Certificate

Casa Cordoba Restaurant, \$50 Gift Card

Segil Fine Art Source, In-kind Support Web Site

Get Your **Rear In Gear** For The New Year! *Join The January 2014 GAA Member's Challenge!*

THE CHALLENGE:

GAA members are challenged to create small works of art during the month of January, a "creative jumpstart" following the holidays.

It's easy! All you need is a small (6" x 8") spiral-bound **sketchbook** (not to exceed 9" x 12") and a little motivation.

Creative page fillers could include **sketching, painting,** and **collage**. Perhaps there is a new technique you've been wanting to try out, combination of colors that catch your eye, or an object that interests you. Put it in your sketchbook.

Sign up for the challenge at the monthly meeting in December or send an email to glendaleartassociation@gmail.com any time between now and December 31st with your name and contact information in the email.

When the holidays are over, start filling those pages and at the February meeting and we will all share our books with the group.

<http://glendaleartassociation.com>

THE MOTIVATION:

Our challenge is designed to motivate you following the holidays, to start your new year creatively. Knowing that other members have taken up the challenge will help you "get around to doing it."

THE INSPIRATION:

At the October GAA Paint-out at Forest Lawn, the group got rained out. We went into the museum and viewed a current exhibit. One particular artist exhibited 33 individual 6" x 8" artworks. Some pieces were mere sketches, others more finished pieces. Together the series read like a daily visual journal. The artist's description of her exhibit said she created these 33 pieces during a 40-day period.

Sign up!
You'll be glad you did.



THE GLENDALE **ART** SCENE

By Dick Heimbold

November 15th was the deadline for submitting proposals for exhibitions at the about-to-be-reopened Brand Gallery. There has been a big response to this initiative and GAA is in the running. Keep your fingers crossed that we win a chance to exhibit in this wonderful gallery.

Enjoyed the Art and Music sale at the Main Library on Nov 16. There were some heavy duty collectors there who

walked away with boxes of books, CDs, vinyl records, sheet music, etc. Our thanks to the Friends of the Library and the Brand Associates for putting this event on.

The ground breaking for the Neon Museum on Brand Blvd took place last week. This unique establishment will light up our downtown and enhance Glendale's evolving art personality. Neon art will again be welcome at our Holiday Salon opening on Dec 15th.

UPCOMING GAA PAINT OUTS	DECEMBER	JANUARY	FEBRUARY
	Wednesday, Dec. 11th Honolulu Ave, Montrose	Wednesday, Jan. 8th Descanso Gardens	Wednesday, Feb. 12th Echo Park Lake
	Sunday, Dec. 22nd Pasadena City Hall	Sunday, Jan. 26th Train ride to paint out (Location TBA)	Sunday, Feb. 23th Arroyo
	For more information, contact: Shree Hingnikar: shree415@yahoo.com		

Pictured above: Honolulu Avenue at Ocean View Blvd., Montrose

CALL FOR ENTRIES

Thousand Oaks Community Gallery

February 3 - February 27

2331 Borchard Road, Newbury Park, CA 91320 (next to Newbury Park Library)

Gallery hours: Monday thru Saturday, 11-5

IMPORTANT DATES:

Jan 6 (Mon): Deadline for Email Entry and postmark for mailed Entry

Jan 20 (Mon): Acceptance notification

Feb 1 (Sat): Take-in (4-7 pm) & hanging

Feb 3 (Mon): Show opens

Feb 9 (Sun): Reception (1-4 pm) & Awards Presentation (2 pm)

Feb 27 (Thur): Show closes; Pick-up (5-7 pm)

For more information:
www.thousandoaksartassoc.org

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Linus Gallery – “Forsaken Nature”

For this call we are looking for you to interpret what forsaken nature means to you. It could be the opposite of thriving; the decaying state of our natural surroundings. It could be a desolate landscape, an area plagued by the inability to change or perhaps a once thriving area reclaimed by nature.

What does nature's beauty look like after it has peaked? Interpret this versatile theme and submit your best!

DEADLINE FOR THIS CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS: December 16, 2013

Cost: \$35 for 3 entries, \$5 for additional entries.

Deadline: 12-16-2013

Linus Gallery
 Pasadena, CA

Contact: Linus Galleries

email: info@linusgallery.com

Phone: 310.491.0269

Website:

<http://linusgallery.com/call-for-entries.html>

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For an ongoing list of upcoming open calls locally, statewide, nationally AND Internationally, check out these useful links:

Linus Gallery, Pasadena & Long Beach
<http://linusgallery.com/call-for-entries/>

Los Angeles Art Resource
<http://losangelesartresource.wordpress.com/>

California Arts Council
<http://www.cac.ca.gov/artistcall/>

Call for Entry.org
<https://www.callforentry.org/index.php>



Congrats November Mini Show Winners

- 1st Place, Claudio Del Carril
- 2nd Place, Araks Johannes
- 3rd Place, Shree Hingnikar
- Best of Show, Araks Johannes

Winners From Left to Right: Shree Hingnikar, Araks Johannes, Claudio Del Carril

Bring a new painting to our next monthly meeting. Members vote. Ribbons are awarded.

NOVEMBER Paint Out Pic

Pictured at the right is an image created by Dick Heimbold at the November Griffith Park Observatory paint out.

Interested in participating? See page 4 for the upcoming paint out schedule.



THANK YOU

Glendale Art Association would like to say *thank you* to our **generous sponsors.**



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