

# GAA PALETTE

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



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for the 2013  
GAA Holiday  
Salon Call for  
Artists.

November 2013



Next Meeting:

## Abstract Expressionist, Vera Arutyunyan



For our next association meeting, we have invited artist Vera Arutyunyan to talk about her work and her process for creating her energetic, vibrant and colorful works.

Originally from Yerevan, Armenia, where she trained as an artist and a geologist, Vera moved to the United States in 1991. Her works show roughly executed surfaces that combine her dreams as well as her concepts of reality through radiant colors and are left to the viewer to identify with their emotions and interpret the artist's intensions.

Vera sees her work as "...words of the soul that are looking for philosophical and religious answers of what lies deep within the human psyche," "representations of emotional words that can only be expressed through paintings..."

Please join us for this unique, informative and very exciting presentation at our next association meeting. It's sure to inspire you to try some abstract imagery of your own.

### OUR NEXT MEETING:

Thursday, November 14 • 7 pm  
Citibank Building  
Basement Meeting Room  
2350 Honolulu Ave.  
Montrose



"My Journey" | 48" x 36" | oil on canvas

**Join Us On The 2nd Thursday Of Each Month  
(EXCEPT JULY & AUG)**

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).

# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

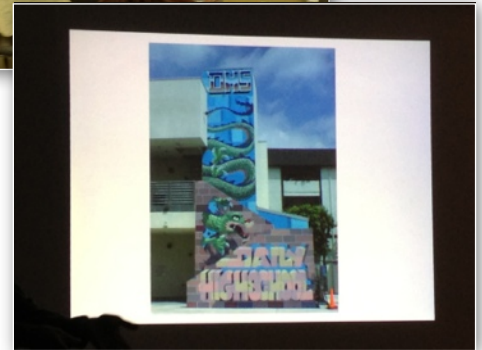
*Dear Artists,*

We are in the last quarter of 2013 and all hands are scrambling to make our Holiday Salon at the Center for the Arts Eagle Rock a big success. We already have a donation from Reality Check Systems for Best of Show Award for \$1000. Bet that got your creative juices flowing! The Eagle Rock venue is just plain beautiful and will be a great setting for our show, which opens on December 15th.

Speaking of shows, don't miss the exhibition of Women's Art at the Forest Lawn museum gallery. A group of GAA artists was painting at Forest Lawn when it started to rain. We ended up in the gallery spending a leisurely hour before lunch at Mimi's taking a good look at the works in the show and having a lively discussion about them. An hour well spent; it's a great show.

Our demonstrators last month, Emily Goff and Roger Dolin, gave me a whole new appreciation of mural art and also an appreciation of how art can engage and transform the lives of young people excited by the cooperative art challenges of these super-large works. Hats off to Emily and Roger.

Got an interesting demonstrator coming up at our November meeting. Vera Arutyunyan, abstract expressionist, will take us on a journey through the mysteries of abstract art



creation. See you at the meeting on Nov. 14. If you haven't paid your dues yet please send in a check or pay at the meeting.

— Dick Heimbald

## MEMBER UPDATES

**Ani Stepanian, Shree Hingnikar, Seda**

**Babajanian and Araks Johannes** participated in the recent Anzoh Gallery show, "Expressions of the Dark Side." All participant artists received Certificates of Appreciation, with Araks winning first place (pictured at right).

**Paul Chamberlain** will be 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 two upcoming art walks — Montrose Artwalk on Honolulu in front of PDC, Nov.16th, 9-4 and 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.

### 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



Above: All the winning artists from the Anzoh Gallery's "Expressions of the Dark Side" show.

Left: Araks Johannes shown with her winning painting.

# CALL FOR ARTISTS—A Benefit Exhibition For Art Scholarships

## GLENDALE ART ASSOCIATION

**2013 HOLIDAY SALON**  
DECEMBER 15 THROUGH DECEMBER 18  
11 AM TO 5 PM

The Glendale Art Association is your connection to Glendale's dynamic art scene. Our 2013 Holiday Salon welcomes artist's work in an exciting variety of media including Painting, Photography and Sculpture. Both abstract and representational work are welcome. We are highlighting a prize category for Toy Images to celebrate the holiday season. The reception is on Dec 15, 2013 with hors d'oeuvres, beverages, and featuring music by a string quartet. Proceeds are contributed as scholarships to Glendale Visual Arts Students completing high school and pursuing further education in the arts.

### Awards

Cash and Certificate Prizes in 6 categories:

- Land/Seascapes
  - Portrait/Figurative/Genre
  - Abstract/Fantasy
  - Still Life/Floral/Animals
  - Sculpture/Neon
  - Toy Images (All Media)
- \$1000 for Best in Show  
\$200 for Best Toy Image

### Media Accepted

- All original visual media (painting, mixed media, collage, digital, hand-pulled prints, photography, etc.)

- Sculptural, neon, assemblage media

### Submittal specifications

- Entries must be original work, not reproductions and not previously shown in juried events
- All work must be for sale
- 60% of sales to artists
- 40% of sales to Art Scholarships
- Limit: 3 works per artist

### Paintings:

- Two works up to 40" of height and/or width may be submitted
- One small work up to 9"x 12" may be submitted in any category
- These measurements are for unframed artwork
- Paintings must be framed or gallery wrapped with edges painted and wired for hanging. No sawtooth hangers. No side staples

**Sculpture:** one to three works allowed. Pedestals are artist-provided. Wall mounted sculpture subject to same sizes as painting

### Jury

- Our judge(s) will select award winners based on: Uniqueness, Competence with Medium, and Aesthetics

- Our judge(s) will also jury works into the exhibition

### Juried Entrance Fees

- \$35 for up to 3 works for GAA members, \$45 for up to three works for non-members
- No refunds for works not accepted
- Non-members are welcome to join GAA at time of check-in by paying the \$40 yearly membership fee

### Eligibility

- Open to all artists, both members and non-members of the Glendale Art Association
- Artists must be at least 18 years of age

### How to Enter Your Artwork

- Fill out Juried Art Entry Forms--Attached
- Fill out one form for each entry
- Bring your artwork with completed forms to:

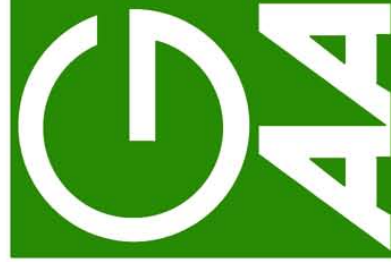
**Center For The Arts Eagle Rock**  
2225 Colorado Boulevard  
Los Angeles, CA 90041

### Key Dates/Times

- Dec 12 (Thur) 10am to 1pm, Artwork take-in at Center For The Arts Eagle Rock
- Dec 13 (Fri) Noon to 5pm, Pick up any works not accepted for the exhibition—artists will be notified by phone if they have works to be picked up
- Dec 15 (Sun) 1pm to 5pm, Reception with Music, Food, and Drinks. Awards presentation at 3:00 pm.
- Dec 18 (Wed) 11am - 5pm, closing reception and demos by participating artists.
- Dec 19 (Thur) 10am to 4pm, Artwork Pickup

### Scholarships

- Art Scholarships awarded to high school visual art students in Glendale from: GAA funds, Sponsor Donations, and proceeds from exhibition sales.
- Your participation supports this important community goal



Founded in 1922 the non-profit GAA is one of the oldest art organizations in California.

Our purpose: "to promote and inspire interest in the visual arts and the beauty that surrounds us"

Questions? Contact: Dick Heimbold (818) 241-2069, dheimbold@aol.com-----or contact: Araks Johannes (818) 399-8481, ajohannes9@yahoo.com

# THE GLENDALE **ART** SCENE

*By Dick Heimbold*

Right now we are working on a proposal for an exhibition at the Brand Art Gallery. The Art Center and Library are reopening after a two-year closure for renovation. The GAA team is glad to see the Brand Galleries, which I think are the best exhibitions spaces in town, issuing this call for Glendale artists and art groups to submit proposals for exhibitions there.

The Brand Library & Art Center is also issuing a Request for Proposal


for Guest Curators. GAA is not officially in this competition, but has great interest its outcome.

The Arts & Culture Commission is issuing a Request For Proposal (RFP) for the follow-on to the GATE program called: "Temporary Exhibitions in Public Spaces RFP."

Funding \$60,000. Also issuing a \$50,000 Event Management RFP that will contract for services to produce a Signature Art Event in Glendale. The programs resulting from these initiatives can offer opportunities for exhibition spaces in Glendale.

Pass the word to anyone you know that might want to submit a proposal to manage these projects.

The Associates of the Brand Library hosted a splendid "Glendale Collects" benefit event. A beautiful, treasure-filled home in the Chevy Chase Canyon was the venue, wine was flowing and hors d'oeuvres were delicious, musicians wonderful, party goes most congenial, and silent auction bidders exuded nonchalance as they lurked about checking the latest bids. Can't wait until the next one!

UPCOMING GAA PAINT OUTS	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY
	<b>Wednesday, Nov. 13th</b> Griffith Observatory	<b>Wednesday, Dec. 11th</b> Honolulu Ave, Montrose	<b>Wednesday, Jan. 8th</b> Descanso Gardens
	<b>Sunday, Nov. 24th</b> Deukmejian Park	<b>Sunday, Dec. 22nd</b> Pasadena City Hall	<b>Sunday, Jan. 26th</b> Train ride to paint out (Location TBA)
For more information, contact: Shree Hingnikar: <a href="mailto:shree415@yahoo.com">shree415@yahoo.com</a>			

*Pictured above: Griffith Observatory*

## CALL FOR ENTRIES

### Galleria Gitana's Upcoming Exhibit Titled: "Icons of California"

Exhibit dates: January 25 – March 22, 2014 Intended theme: For the purposes of this exhibit, an "icon" can be a person, a place or a thing that is regarded as a representative graphic symbol — a pictorial or sculptural representation of any things we regard as being truly Californian. Submission: Submission is free. Send your email INTENT TO SUBMIT notice by Monday, Nov. 4 accompanied by 1 JPEG image. Follow up with all JPEG images by Monday, Dec. 2. [galeriagitana@verizon.net](mailto:galeriagitana@verizon.net)

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**The San Gabriel Fine Art Association** is seeking submissions for it's 2013 fall show. Pre-Registration is October 15 - November 6 and Registration ends November 11. Please see the following link for more information:  
<http://www.sgfaa.clubexpress.com/>

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### The EMERGING FOCUS Photo Competition

Entrants must own the rights to any images they submit, and all submissions must be the sole work of the entrant. The submission period opens on September 24, 2013 and closes on November 29, 2013. Entry slots for up to 5 images may be purchased for \$40. For more information visit:  
<http://www.emergingfocusphoto.com/home.php>

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**The OutWest Boutique and Cultural Center** presents, "WHERE THE DICKENS R U?", which is open to all artists over the age of 18 working in the following media: painting, drawing, photography, mixed media, textile and ceramics. The exhibition is up for the viewing public from January 23, 2014 - March 22, 2014.

Entry Requirements – all artwork and accompanying artist statements, bios

and headshots are due by November 30, 2013.

For details contact Bobbi Jean Bell at 661-255-7087 or email [scvoutwest@gmail.com](mailto:scvoutwest@gmail.com).

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### 20th Annual Rose Art Show

Who: William S. Hart Regional Park, in cooperation with the Santa Clarita Valley Rose Society.

What: Artists are welcome to enter the Wild West Roses Art Show, with art in any media, including paintings, mixed media, photography, wearable art and 3 dimensional art.

Where: William S. Hart Regional Park, (Hart Hall), 24151Newhall Avenue, Newhall, CA 91321.

For more information:  
Contact Al Ewing, (661) 259-1750, [aeewing@parks.lacounty.gov](mailto:aeewing@parks.lacounty.gov)



**October  
Mini Show  
Winners**

- 1st Place**, Annie Stephanie
- 2nd Place**, Shree Hingnikar
- 3rd Place**, Dona Mills
- Best of Show**, John Brunnick

*Above Left, From Left to Right: Shree Hingnikar, Annie Stephanie, Dona Mills, John Brunnick*



*Left: Dick Heimbold (GAA President) and Roger Dolin, (October meeting demonstrator), held up the mural which Anna Maria Clark (center) won in the meeting raffle.*

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

**OCTOBER  
Paint Out Pics**

The upcoming Holiday Salon will have an additional category for toys, so members met at the BMAI to work on their paintings.

See page 4 for the **upcoming paint out schedule.**



*Dick Heimbold*



*Peterfield Turpin*

**THANK YOU**

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



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