



# GAAPALETTE

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

## Next Meeting Demonstrator: **Tak Salmastyman**

"I am the King of Spiritual Hooligans without any borders and limitations a dreaming voyager celebrating love, misery, light and darkness of the universe via a vivid imagination, spurious style and striking color. Realist, surrealist, socialist, cubist, capitalist, impressionist, modernist or conformists, none of this define me other than Artist."

Tak was born in the mountainous Lori province of Armenia during the Soviet period. His parents told him that the first drawing he did was a copy of the portrait of the iconic Armenian composer Komitas from the newspaper in 1966. Since then, for as long as he can remember, Tak has been drawing. Tak graduated with an MBA from Pepperdine University, Graziadio School of Business and Management.

Tak will present a video, and critique club member's artwork that are volunteered to be critiqued. Tak will also discuss his career as an artist and art professor at Art Institute.



See you on the 9th!

### OUR NEXT MEETING:

**Thursday April 9, 7 PM**

**Citibank Building**

**Basement Meeting Room**

**2350 Honolulu Ave, Montrose**

Join us on the Second Thursday of each month  
(Except July & Aug)

Bring finger food and party snacks

Party - 6:45pm • Meeting - 7:15pm

Member/Guests - \$5.00/\$7.00 • Mini-Show - \$3.00 per painting

**First time Guests are FREE!**

Citibank Building, basement meeting room

2350 Honolulu Ave., Montrose (Entry is in the rear of the building).

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Last month, March, we lost a dear long time member, Margot Lennartz. Margot was a wonderful artist and teacher to many of us in the Glendale area. She will be sorely missed. Her son, Frank Lennartz continues the family tradition of painting. I remember Margot used to offer lessons in oil painting at Descanso Gardens. It was my first class in oil painting and I thoroughly enjoyed the way she taught. Many other artists in our area have taken a class with Margot who was known for her caring hand and snacks that she made for her students.

April will bring the opening of our Spring Salon in Montrose at White's Gallery. This should be a fabulous show. We have a jazz guitar player, Steve McClosky, who will play smooth tunes while we view the exhibition. In case you haven't noticed we have set up 3 exhibitions in as many months.

GALA, the City of Glendale's Library endeavor to bring art to Glendale, selected our group based upon a proposal written by Dick Heimbold last year. This exhibition ran for one month. GALA is a unique form of art exhibition as it is in temporary spaces like store fronts, office windows, and uninhabited space. The shows are put up quickly and then changed out when the tenants want the space. We were given the corner of Maryland and Harvard with wonderful window space for over 20 pieces of artwork. The creative forces of the Exhibit Committee rallied and Araks and Marina donated their metal portable walls, Helena and I shopped for fabric to cover the walls, Helena and Vivianne sewed the whole thing together, Dick, Evan, and my visitors from Seattle carpentered the paintings and walls, Becky, Honor, and others cleaned the glass windows, and so many of us dropped off artwork. It was a flurry of artists at work. The exhibit looked wonderful! There are photos of the exhibit on the website.

Far Niente Restaurant, 204 1/2 Brand Blvd., Glendale, CA, continues to be our venue for exhibition. In March we learned that another painting had sold. We change out the artwork every two months. The next date for changing the artwork is in May. Thanks to Vicky we have a beautiful online application for this show. She has worked diligently to create this form. Trust me, creating forms is an art in itself.

March 21 we had a fabulous tour of the artwork along the

Gold Metro Line. Seventeen enthusiastic members and their guests enjoyed our docent, Dan. We saw the art pieces of local artists and learned about the poetry that went with the pieces. Dan told us about opportunities for artists and the Metro system for selecting art. Some of us had a lovely lunch afterwards.

It seems that the Metro no longer expects the artist to pay for the installation and construction of their artwork, now, the artists submit concepts and supervises the Metro crew in the execution. There are permanent as well as temporary artwork solicited from the Metro.

April 21 through 24 we are invited to go on our own to paint at Theodore Payne Foundation Garden. There is a lot of construction going on at this native plant refuge, so artists may have limited parking. The images our group creates may be used in a future exhibition at this facility. The gardens are open at 8am to 4pm.

Dick and I co-authored a proposal to the Brand Library for an exhibition. There is a list being established of exhibitions for 2015 through 2016. Many of you were very responsive to send in images and bios. We had a short time to prepare this proposal and fortunately it was finished on time. The library used the CaFE system. It stands for Call for Entry. You may want to use this free system to upload your images and apply for open art calls. [www.callforentry.org](http://www.callforentry.org). It is free to establish an account, but some of the calls require payment.

Keep your fingers crossed so that GAA can have a lovely exhibit at Brand Library.

Jennifer Bentson

## APRIL PAINTOUT

Reminder! We are scheduled to paint at the Theodore Payne Foundation Gardens, April 21 (Tuesday) through April 24 (Friday). The Foundation is undergoing construction and asks that we call first to secure parking. The parking lots now are torn up and there is no parking at the facility now. By April, it is hoped to be resolved.

# Far Niente Exhibit Guidelines

Far Niente restaurant exhibit is getting a lot of attention and going so well!

The following are the submission rules:

Submission Dates: May 3, July 12, Sept. 6, Nov. 1, 2015 and Jan 3, 2016.

Take Down Time: 3:00-3:30pm

Artists can pick up their work, sign and return the label/s.

Take In Time: 3:30-4:00pm

Artists will have to read the liability agreement and sign in for their work to be exhibited. Due to limited time window we have to work at the restaurant, submissions will be ON LINE ONLY! This will give us some time to prepare the labels for the show, and expedite the take down and the take in!

We have only one hour to get everything ready and we MUST leave at 5:00pm!

Thank you for your participation! GAA, Far Niente Team

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# GLENDALE ART ASSOCIATION

## 2015 Spring Salon

April 2 through April 25, 2015

### White Framing and Restoration Gallery

2414 Honolulu Ave.

Montrose, CA 91020

818-957-4071

Gallery hours 9am to 5pm

Tuesday through Saturday

[www.whitesfineart.com](http://www.whitesfineart.com)

Don't forget that  
our opening is on  
SATURDAY, APRIL 11,  
2015, 3PM to 6PM.

## MARCH MEETING



Sculptor Brian Carlson



Allen Zorthian and Jennifer Bentson



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## WE LOVE MEMBER NEWS

Please email announcements, articles and  
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## PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

On our website is a Members Gallery  
[www.glendaleartassociation.com](http://www.glendaleartassociation.com)

Each member can install four images there  
as well as a link to your personnel web site,  
email, and phone number.

This service costs \$10 per year—about what  
other art clubs charge.

Contact Marina Rehrmann if interested at:  
[glendaleart@gmail.com](mailto:glendaleart@gmail.com)

Images will be removed for members who  
are not paid up for 2015