

ART Alliance

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"Draw your pleasure, paint your pleasure and express your pleasure strongly." – Pierre Bonnard



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SPECIAL MEMBERSHIPS:

Angel \$200 plus; Patron \$150;
Gold \$100; Silver \$50; Bronze \$40.

Special Memberships are a great way to enhance your Art Alliance experience and help us continue our mission.

Many companies will match donations made to non-profit organizations, see if your company does this, it's a great way to help Art Alliance and is also tax deductible.

News & Notes

Remember – There are ten opportunities to show at Art Alliance between September and June. Most shows have a theme, check your exhibition schedule and the "Dates to Remember" box for more information. You may submit up to three works of art for consideration for only \$5 a piece. **Artists – On Your Honor** – Artwork may be shown only once at Art Alliance. Any piece not shown at Art Alliance may be resubmitted for another Art Alliance show.

New Policy: Exhibited work left in our studio bins for more than three months will be donated to Goodwill. If you do not wish to have your work there, please pick it up in a timely manner. Thank you.

Calling All Volunteers: Do you want to help Art Alliance? Remember, we are a volunteer run organization, you can help make Art Alliance a success. Call Elaine Shor or Art Alliance to see what you can do to help. You may be surprised where your talents and enthusiasm can be used.

Studio Rentals – Need room to work? Consider studio rental at Art Alliance, it costs \$85 for a six month period (that's only \$14.17 a month!) and for teachers the rate is \$200. To find out more about how you can take advantage of this amazing opportunity call Terry Grewen at 732-842-8791 or email Etgrewen@aol.com to get more info.

This program has been made possible in part by the Monmouth County Arts Council through funding from the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, through the County Historical Commission and the New Jersey State Council on the Arts/Department of State, a Partner Agency of the National Endowment for the Arts.



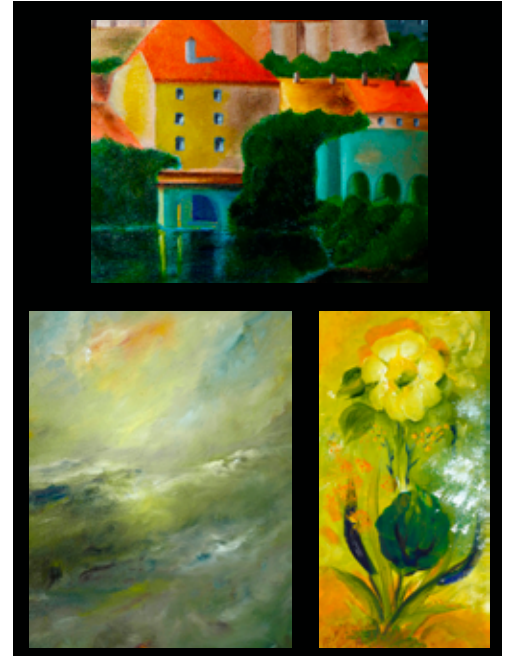
Member News

NEW MEMBERS: Dylon Burns, Kate Burns, Suzan Globus, Kellie O'Bosky, Claudia O'Conner, Jacqueline Rizzo, Jusefina Weatherwax.

Beverly Hertler won a second and third place award for her fiber works *Woodcut I* and *The Pier* (also a woodcut) in the *Smokey Mountain Quilt Show* in Knoxville, Tenn.



Jill Kerwick's show "Lipstick and Other Stories" is in the *Mitzi & Warren Eisenberg Gallery* at the *Visual Arts Center*, 68 Elm St., Summit, NJ 07901 from July 22 - Sept. 11, 2016. Go to <http://www.artcenternj.org/exhibitions/jill-kerwick-lipstick-other-stories/> for more about Jill and the show.



Paintings by **George Weiss, Joel and Cynthia Zimmerman** were at the Monmouth Beach Cultural Center, 128 Ocean Ave., Monmouth Beach, NJ 07750, during the month of July.

Openings: Live music is the perfect compliment to the Alliance Art openings. If you know of any musicians that would like to volunteer to perform, contact Mil Wexler Kobrinski at mil_wexler@hotmail.com and as always, your contributions of food and wine are welcome to help celebrate our art and ourselves!

Young Artists

In an effort to encourage membership by younger artists, we are offering membership at a reduced rate for full-time college students. The basic rate of membership is \$40 per year but would be \$25 for students (with current student ID). Entry fees for all members is \$5 per piece (unless otherwise specified).

Art Alliance Dates to Remember

Receiving Dates: Wednesdays, 1-4 PM and 6-8 PM.

September 10

Theme: "All Things Considered"

Non-juried – (Members only)

All Media

Window: Mike Quon

October 1

Theme I: "Look Up, Look Down"

Theme II: "He, She, We"

Juried – (Members only) • All Media

Judge: Leona Tenebruso-Shultes

✓ Check your schedule for additional exhibition information.

Please make sure all work is properly wired and ready for hanging. It is VERY important that all paintings be dry, wet paintings damage the walls and can get on other people's work.

Opportunities

Check our Studio Bulletin Board for additional opportunities.

Smithtown Township Arts Council seeks entries for a juried photography exhibition at the *Mills Pond Gallery* in St. James, New York, September 24 - October 23, 2016. Cash Awards: 1st (\$400), 2nd (\$200). Juror: Lisa Elmaleh. Open to artists 18 or older in the United States. All work must be original. Entries may not have been shown previously at Mills Pond House Gallery and must have been completed in the last four years. All photography media considered. All works must be professionally presented and display-ready. Final display size must not exceed 48" in width, including mat and frame. Work may not be withdrawn before October 23. \$45/ 3 entries. Deadline: August 3, 2016. Go to <http://stacarts.org/exhibits/show/99> for prospectus. Questions? Contact Allison Cruz at artistopportunities@stacarts.org or call 631-862-6575.



SlowArt Productions seeks entries for a juried art exhibition, October 20 - November 19, 2016 at the *Limmer Gallery* in Hudson, NY. Publication Awards. Open to all artists working in any media, this exhibition will include all interpretations and portrayals of the human head, from the traditional to the abstract and conceptual. Deadline: August 31, 2016. \$35 entry fee. Go to <http://www.slowart.com/prospectus/head.htm> for prospectus. Questions? Contact Tim Slowinski at slowart@aol.com or call 518-828-2343.



Las Laguna Gallery in Laguna Beach, CA, announces a call to artists for an exhibition, April 6-29, 2017. All artists, all ages - Artists purchase and complete a Sketchbook that is returned to the gallery. In April, we hold an exhibition where ALL submitted Sketchbooks are available for guests to view. \$25 for USA, \$35 for International.

Deadline: December 31, 2016. Go to <http://www.laslagunagallery.com/#/sketchbookwest/chxu> for prospectus, or send a SASE to: 577 S. Coast Highway A-1, Laguna Beach, CA 92651. Questions? Contact Lori McBride at laslagunagallery@gmail.com or call 949-667-1803.



American Artists Professional League, Inc. seeks entries for a juried

art exhibition, November 7-18, 2016 at the *Salmagundi Club* in New York, NY. \$20,000 in Awards and Gold Medals. Jurors: Brandon Soloff, Sam Adoquoi. Open to all artists 18 or older. One or two works

may be submitted for selection in the same media only; however, only one entry per artist may be accepted. Works only in Representational or Traditional Realism will be considered. Original oil, acrylic, watermedia, mixed media, pastel, graphics and sculpture not previously exhibited with the American Artists Professional League. Members: \$30/first entry; \$15/second entry; Non-Members: \$60/first entry; \$30/second entry. Deadline: September 24, 2016. Go to <http://www.americanartistsprofessionalleague.org/> for prospectus. Questions? Contact Peter Rossi, President at office@aaaplinc.org or call 212-645-1345.

Art Alliance Website Artist Galleries

Have you been to Art Alliance's website lately?

<http://www.artallianceofmonmouth.org>

As an added benefit of membership in the Art Alliance, members may have a brief bio & up to 4 images of their artwork posted.

Please call 732-842-9403 for more information.

We are also collecting links to your personal webpages, send your link to: ArtAllianceNews@aol.com

Members Bio/Statement Files:

Art Alliance members may have a bio and/or resume on file. This is for our gallery sitters to refer to and is made available to the public. Each artist can have two sides of one sleeve.

More Reminders

Newsletter Contributions:

Next deadline, August 10th.

Send brief news of your exhibits/honors to: Brian Bednarek, Newsletter, c/o Art Alliance. Please type or print clearly and include phone numbers for you and the exhibitor space. You may also email any news to ArtAllianceNews@aol.com. Items are edited to fit as space allows.

Advertising

Our newsletter has space to advertise members' services or business ventures. Our mailing list is over 500 strong in New Jersey and out of state. This is a good way to get your message out. To post an ad and get guidelines, call Brian Bednarek at 732-636-1680 or email ArtAllianceNews@aol.com.

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