



The Unlimited PALETTE

"In art, there is room for all possibilities" — Picasso

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Art From the Heart 2013 Awards

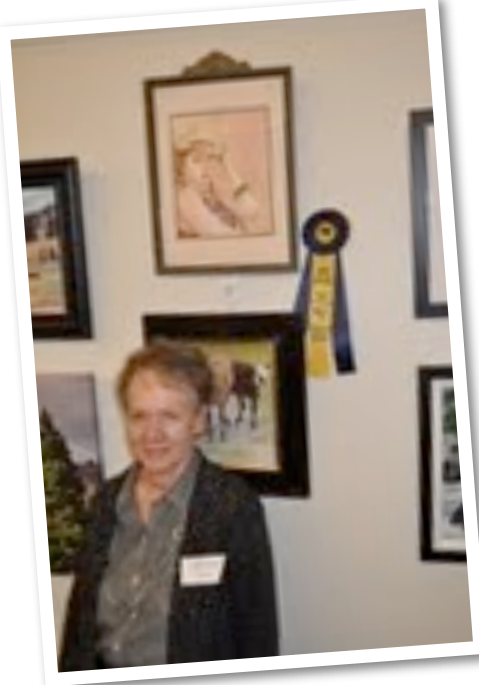


BEST OF SHOW:
"Finding Mr. Right"
Karen Brackstone Fryer

See additional winners pages 4-5

PEOPLE'S CHOICE:
"Cowgirl"
Sandy Baird

In other news, Sandy Baird has had a portrait accepted into the Colorado Watercolor Society 22nd Annual State Exhibition from March 2-24, 2013 at the Foothills Art Center in Golden, Colorado.



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GAA Calendar

GAA Board Meeting - April 1, 2 p.m.

GAA Membership Meeting April 1, 3 p.m. with a painting demonstration by Bob Hewing

Deadline for next issue of GAA Newsletter - April 15

NEW! First Friday Silent Critique at Showcase.
Details on page 8.

**GAA Executive
Committee
Meeting Minutes of
March 4th, 2013**

The meeting was opened at 1:30 pm by Vice President Joe Beakey

Treasurer's Report

Judy Sprague shared the February 2013 income and expenses. She also reported on the GAA February Ledger activities and the current balance of \$5682.56. Her report is filed in the Executive Committee minutes.

Art From the Heart Show

Judy Sprague submitted a report regarding the show. It is on file with these minutes. In summary, there are 128 entries with 50 artists entering though 3 did not show. Twenty of the artists were GAA members. Postcards, posters and press releases have been sent and a reception brochure has been printed. All volunteers were given special thanks including Kalen May,

a UNC library assistant and Colette Pitcher for all the coordination done with the Friends of the Library. We need volunteers at the reception for help with determining the people's choice award and setting up food.

Membership

Discussed sending the 2013 list of GAA members out to the membership. As some members may not want their information made public, **members are asked to let Sharon Shores know if they do not want their addresses/phone numbers distributed to the membership.**

GAA meeting hours

Discussed a possible change in time or staggering times for the GAA meeting to accommodate as many members as possible. Will ask for feedback from the membership.

GAA Web Page

The GAA site is still not up to date in certain areas (such as newsletters, past programs). This will be communicated to Judith Meyer.

NGAE news

The board voted unanimously to donate \$300 for the exhibit.

Newsletters

Thanks were given to Janelle Helling for the great job she is doing in producing the newsletters. A reminder that items for the newsletter should be sent to her by the 15th of each month.

Other Business

Discussed the need for a review of GAA bylaws for things that need to be done as spelled out in the bylaws (name tags, attendance at meetings, or changes the organization would like to make. Judy Sprague will send the executive committee members a copy of the bylaws for discussion at a future meeting. Discussed the need for a GAA brochure perhaps incorporating an application for membership.

The Meeting was adjourned at 2:30 pm there being no further business. Sandy Baird/Secretary

Greeley Art Association Meeting Minutes March 2013

Vice President Beakey called the meeting to order at 3pm.

Treasurer's Report

The treasurer, Judy Sprague, reported that the end of February 2013 balance is \$5682.56 and summarized the income and expenses.

Art from the Heart Show

The show coordinators reported that 128 pieces plus one juror's painting were submitted. Fifty artists entered the show with 20 being GAA members. Volunteers were recruited for the People's choice award and help to set up food for the reception on March 8th. Volunteers will also be needed to take down the show.

Announcements

Members are asked to let Sharon Shores know if they do not want their addresses/phone numbers distributed to the GAA membership.

Program

George Coll gave an excellent demonstration of an oil painting of a winter scene. He approaches painting in 3 steps: work on shapes, add color block, and then stick paint on like butter.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:35 pm.
Sandy Baird/Secretary

"Birds at My Window and Elsewhere"



A display of bird photographs by Norma Erickson will be on display through the month of April at the Dragon's Cache. Opening night is April 5th, at 1109 7th Street in Greeley.



photos courtesy Norma J. Erickson

Shirley Fritzler guest artist at Madison and Main Gallery

As a guest artist for the months of March and April, Shirley will be exhibiting some of her oil paintings at the Madison and Main Gallery located in Greeley on 16th Ave., across from the UNC campus.

Francis Denning featured in Two Rivers Art Series

*The FOC Art Committee is proud to announce that the next Two Rivers Art Series show is **Eclectic Retrospective: Francis Denning**, March 17-May 7. The opening reception was March 17. Francis is well known for his gallery, The Dragon's Cache, which opened in 1980. This family owned Greeley business specializes in custom designed stained glass windows as well as many other beautiful art glass pieces. Both Francis and Nellie have produced pieces for residences, businesses and churches in the United States and internationally.*

The glass techniques they use include leaded and foiled panels and sun catchers, fusing, slumping, sandblasting, etching and painting. Francis has taken numerous classes in art glass and fine art painting. He continues to paint watercolors. His subject matter both in glass and watercolor is quite varied. He has won awards both for art glass and watercolors. Francis focuses on the designing, painting on glass, and kiln work and does some of the fabrication. The Dragon's Cache is at 1109 7th Street in Greeley, phone 970-353-1051.

Art From the Heart 2013 Awards

ACRYLIC

First Place: "Mt. McKinley" - Edward Hansen (below)



Second Place: "Marilyn's Tulips" - Anne Martinez
Third Place: "North Inlet" - Raymond Schuster

MIXED MEDIA

First Place: "Pelicans" - Suzette McIntyre (lower right)

Second Place: "Ho2No2" - Eldon Ward
Third Place: "Up The Stairs" - Annie Surbeck
Honorable Mention: "Window Garden" - Annie Surbeck

OIL

First Place: "Age of the Mind- Self-Portrait"- Ruth Wydeven (right)



Second Place:
"Reflections of Amsterdam" -
Shirley Fritzler

Third Place: "Wolfman" - Edward Hansen

Honorable Mention: "Road Daily Traveled" - Gail Rowe

Honorable Mention: "Season's Pride" - Darlene Sall



Art From the Heart Successful

"Over 100 people attended the gala Reception for Greeley Art Association's 9th Annual Art from the Heart Show and Sale held at Mari Michener Art Gallery, Michener Library, at the University of Northern Colorado March 8, 2013. Colette Pitcher, Art Coordinator for the Gallery, along with with Kalen May, University Library Administrator, set up a beautiful table of delicious foods provided by the Friends of the UNC Libraries. Awards were presented by Juror, Diane Edwards, to 31 outstanding artists. She stated that it was difficult to determine the winners among so many very beautiful pieces of art. The Reception could not have been so successful without the help of so many of the wonderful members of the Greeley Art Association. Joe Beakey has provided photos of the artists and their award winning art."

-- Judy Sprague

Art From the Heart 2013 Awards

OIL (cont.) Honorable Mention: "Log with a View"

- Cindy Cartwright

Honorable Mention: "Aspen at V-Smith Park" -

Kim Andrews

Honorable Mention: "Boulder Brook" - Gail Rowe

Second Place: "Done for Now" - Jim Digby

Third Place: "Lady Slipper" - Cathy Insley

Honorable Mention: "Wind Swept" - Annie Johnson

Honorable Mention: "Critters" - Doug Johnson



PASTEL

First Place:

"Moon on the Madison" -

Margie Palmer (left)

Second Place:

"Cliffs at Watson Lake" - Grace Goodson

Third Place:

"Old Cowpokes" - Judy Sprague

Honorable Mention: "Beyond the Sunset" - Margie Palmer

Honorable Mention: "Santa Fe Sky" - Angeli Coover

PHOTOGRAPHY

First Place: "Winter Geese over Poudre Trail" - Ulli Limpitlaw (below)



WATERCOLOR

First Place: "The Gondola" - Ann Roche (below)



Second Place: "Spring Thaw" - Ryoko Culwell

Third Place: "Hollyhocks" - Anne Martinez

Honorable Mention: "Happy Birthday" - Ann Roche

Honorable Mention: "Kincaid Park Floral" - Nancy Biesemeier Dee

**Art From the Heart
photos courtesy Joe Beakey**

A Question About Rescheduling Meetings?

It has come attention to the GAA Board that some members would like to have the General Membership Meeting at a later time so they can attend. So please reply by email if you would like an evening meeting at 5 - 6:30 PM to include demo or afternoon

meetings as it is now, or alternate every other month. Send your thoughts to Vice President Joe Beakey at beakeycwb@aol.com

Thanks, Joe Beakey

2-DAY LANDSCAPE PAINTING WORKSHOP MAY 6-7 SPONSORED BY THE NORTH METRO ARTS ALLIANCE

This is a workshop for artists working in oil or watercolor. Instructor, Cheryl St. John, is accomplished in both mediums.

The two-day workshop will include:

- Discussions on choosing reference material and what to leave out of the scene, (simplifying).
 - Composition, painting materials, painting surfaces, developing your painting style and working methods.
 - Demonstration each day. One day with oil and the next with watercolor May 6 and 7, 2013 – 9 to 4:00 with a one hour break for lunch at noon
- Fee is \$150 (\$135 for North Metro Arts Alliance members)
Location: Countryside Rec Center, 10470 Oak St., Westminster, 80031
Supply list will be provided after registration

To receive registration form call [303-426-4114](tel:303-426-4114) or email to beckyesilver@aol.com

For more information on the instructor please visit her website at www.cherylstjohn.com

Are You Interested?

An assisted living home for intellectually disabled adults in Galeton, CO is looking for volunteers to help residents with art activities. Contact

Tim Schuette schuettetim@hotmail.com

<http://www.trianglecrossranch.net/about.html>

Greeley Art Association

The purpose of the Greeley Art Association shall be to open communication among artists, to promote and encourage increased involvement in the arts through education, to share knowledge, to cooperate in promoting our mutual understanding and appreciation of the arts, and -- for those so motivated -- to foster the betterment of our art and its marketability.

website:

www.greeleyartassociation.org

GAA Officers for 2013

President- Alan Adler	339-9162	Website- Judith Meyer	356-1742
Vice President- Joe Beakey	506-5966	Historian- Marilyn Matthews	330-7275
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Treasurer- Judy Sprague	506-5966	Member-at-Large – Francis Denning	353-1051
Membership- Sharon Shores	720-317-9920	Newsletter - Janelle Helling	284-6408

WORKSHOPS

May 6-7, 2013

Landscape Painting in Oils and Acrylics

by Cheryl St. John Cost: \$150

North Metro Arts Alliance, Westminster

9 am - 4 pm both days, details, page 6

Supply list after registration

To register, call [303-426-4114](tel:303-426-4114) or

email beckyesilver@aol.com

June 20-23, 2013

Plein Air Workshop

by Phil Starke

Sagebrush Community Art Center

Sheridan, Wyoming

Members \$350, Non-Members \$400

The workshop is designed to help each artist develop skills in outdoor painting at their own level. We will focus on how to see as an artist and not as a camera, eliminating unnecessary detail and creating dynamic composition and better technique. There will be a strong emphasis on mixing color with a limited palette, thinking through the development of colors that suggest light and mood. I will be sharing techniques that apply to oils, pastels and acrylics.

To register call 307-674-1970 or email

sage3@qwestoffice.net

June 24-28, 2013

Introduction to Painting People

by Dora Hagge Cost \$335

dorahagge-artist.com

Bring own supplies, List available

at Showcase Art Center

1335 Eighth Ave., Greeley

970-356-8593

CALL FOR ENTRIES

May 28-June 30

Sagebrush National Juried Art Show

Sheridan, Wyoming

Juror Phil Starke

Open to all artists residing in the United States. All media acceptable; all work must be original and for sale, ready to hang. Three entries per artist, fee \$30.

Digital submissions on non-returnable CDs. Entry forms due April 26, artwork due May 21st. For information call 307-674-1970 or email

sage3@qwestoffice.net

June 1, 9 am - 4 pm

25th Annual Taste of Louisville

This event is hosted by the City of Louisville and includes food, music, children's activities, art and other vendors) Usual Attendance: 5,000

Booth Cost: \$35 for Louisville Art Association

Members, \$50 for non-members

Booth Size: 10X10 Outdoors (you must provide your own tent) 30 Art booths (Only 10 for jewelry).

This is a juried event

Contact: Ann Kruglak dreamcd@usa.net (preferred) or [303-443-2310](tel:303-443-2310) Application is by email only.

June 1-14, 2013

National Greeley Art Exhibition

Juror: Scott Freeman

Open to all artists, original fine art created within the last two years. Entries must be for sale and ready to hang. Enter by digital submission only. Up to 6 entries, \$15 per entry; up to five wrapped bin items, unframed. Entry forms due April 12; delivery of accepted work Sat., May 27; opening reception Sat. June 1. Location: Weld School District 6 Administration Building, 1025 9th Ave., Greeley, CO; Information 970-348-6000, prospectus at <http://www.greeleyartassociation.org/NGAEntryform2013.pdf>

September 3 - November 22

Mountainside Art Guild's annual national show, 'Mountainside Miniatures'

Community Gallery at Foothills Art Center in Golden, CO Runs concurrently with the Rocky Mountain National Watermedia Show next door at Foothills Art Center. Entry deadline is July 26 and delivery is August 24. The prospectus is now available at our website www.mtinsideartguild.org or call Carolyn Tegeder at [303-973-2796](tel:303-973-2796)

April 29-May 31, 2013**2nd Annual Wonderful World of Mini Art in Broomfield**

Open to all artists 18 and older living in Colorado. Painting must be original, and may not have been done in a workshop. No nudes, photography, computer art or reproductions. All works must be properly wired and framed. Gallery wrap OK. No saw tooth hangers. No wet paint. Total area of the painting image MUST NOT EXCEED 36 SQ. IN. (5x7 - 6x6). Outside measurements of frame MAY NOT EXCEED 81 SQ. IN. (8"X10" - 9X9).

All works must be for sale. The Paletteers Art Club reserves the right to reproduce images of accepted works for publicity. Neither The Paletteers Art Club nor the City and County of Broomfield will be responsible for any damage or loss of works and reserves the right to refuse any painting. Judge is watercolorist

Dennis Pendleton. Fees: \$20 for 2 paintings, \$5.00 for each additional painting (Maximum 4 per artist)
 Dates: April 22nd Friday 5:00 pm Entry Deadline Received; April 26th Friday 9:00 - 11:00 All artwork delivered; May 14th Tuesday 5:00-6:30 Awards Reception.; May 31st Friday 9:00- 11:00 Take down exhibit. Pick up unsold paintings. Location: George Di Ciero City and County Building, One DesCombes Drive, Broomfield, Colorado. Make check payable to: Paletteers Art Club; Mail entries to: Dianna Wilson, 12750 Yates Street, Broomfield, Colorado 80020
 QUESTIONS: Call Dianna Wilson [303-469-9463](tel:303-469-9463) or Margrette Perry [303-862-6104](tel:303-862-6104)

COMING EVENTS**First Friday, April 5, 5-8 PM, Silent Critique**

First Friday April 5 from 5-8 PM at Showcase. Participate in the "Silent Critique". Bring an artwork you are

currently working on and we will put it on a table with a paper beside it. While everyone is sipping wine and tasting cheese, they can circulate and write constructive feedback to the artist. It's like a silent auction, but won't cost you anything --- Unless you choose to buy it, which could be arranged. You can visit all the galleries, have dinner and pick up your work at 8 PM or Saturday April 6 from 10-3. Colette Pitcher Showcase Art Center, llc 1335 Eighth Avenue , Greeley, CO 80631 (970)356-8593

April 27, 9 am - 5 pm**The Crafty Peoples Fair**

A Spring Craft, Art and Trade Show at 3451 23rd Ave., Evans, CO 80620. Sign up as a vendor with applications available at Showcase Art Center, or plan to attend and find handmade jewelry, woodwork, art or fabric creations.

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