

May 2021



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## **From The President**

It's hard to believe that Monday, May 3rd is our last meeting until October. I am happy to announce that our past President of the FHAL, Justine Mantor-Waldie will be leading the meeting in my absence. (Thanks you again, Justine) The meeting is at Fountain Hills Community Center. The doors open at 6:00 pm and the meeting begins at 6:30. Please bring two pieces of art with you to the meeting. One should be a piece of art you created in the beginning of your artistic journey and a more recent piece that you have created. We are going to spend some time talking about your growth as an artist. We will still be voting for Artist of the month, so bring a piece to put up on an easel. If that happens to be one of your two pieces, that will work as well, just as long as it is on the easel while the voting takes place.



MaryAnn Grace would like to try something new to raise money for our Art League. Our membership is down, and she came up with a creative way to keep money coming in so that we may continue to award scholarships to students and art programs for local schools and clubs. If you have any art supplies you no longer use, please bring them to the meeting to sell. The proceeds from the art supply sales will go to the Art League in support of those programs.

I will be looking forward to seeing you all in October, and seeing all of the creativity from our Summer Project: Post Cards. Enjoy your summer. Stay safe and stay creative!

*Nancy Grahlmann*

## **May 3rd Meeting**

The doors to the community center will open at 6:00, meeting will begin at 6:30. Please bring art to display for artist of the month. It will be nice to see everyone in person and happy that we are stepping into life albeit cautiously, it feels closer to normal. Be sure and read Nancy's letter for specifics for the program.

## **Wednesdays Chat on the Avenue**

Join the members of the Art League on The Avenue of the Fountains at 10 am on Wednesday mornings. It is a good opportunity to learn more about what goes on within the art league and get acquainted with other members for Friendship and Conversation. Bring a drink of your choosing.

## **Art League Chat**

Every Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. You must have Zoom App and notify Elaine Tarr ([elaine@deseryvistafiberarts.com](mailto:elaine@deseryvistafiberarts.com)) to be able to join in.

## Membership

Please welcome our new member.

**Kuhr, Mary**

26022 N Primo Cr.

Rio Verde, AZ 85263

602-430-5898

[marykuhr@gmail.com](mailto:marykuhr@gmail.com)

Oil on canvas

assist with exhibitions/refreshments

## HELP!

**Art League needs people to fill vacancies**

**These are the most important vacancies!**

**We need a vice president and someone to lead the**

summer art project/student art fund, etc.

Bonnie has stepped down from chairing the Juried Show.

We need 1 or 2 people to step up and fill that spot.

See page 5 for places that you can help the Art League!

**Don't miss page 3 article about a good book to read!!**

50/50 Winner:

Lloyd Tarr



**Lloyd Tarr** won the Blue Ribbon for “Golden Glow”. It is a photo of Trichopsis Yellow California cactus in his yard. He then blended the cactus picture with a background of similar and complementary colors.

There were not enough entries to have a 2nd place winner.



## April Demo

Dawn Porter provided demo of acrylic pouring at April meeting. There are 16 different techniques she explained several of them. She learned about pouring about three years ago and for the last two years, she has been teaching it. She loves teaching and seeing the joy on her students faces as they create something totally unexpected. You can see from the photo her paintings are vibrant and colorful.



## News Items

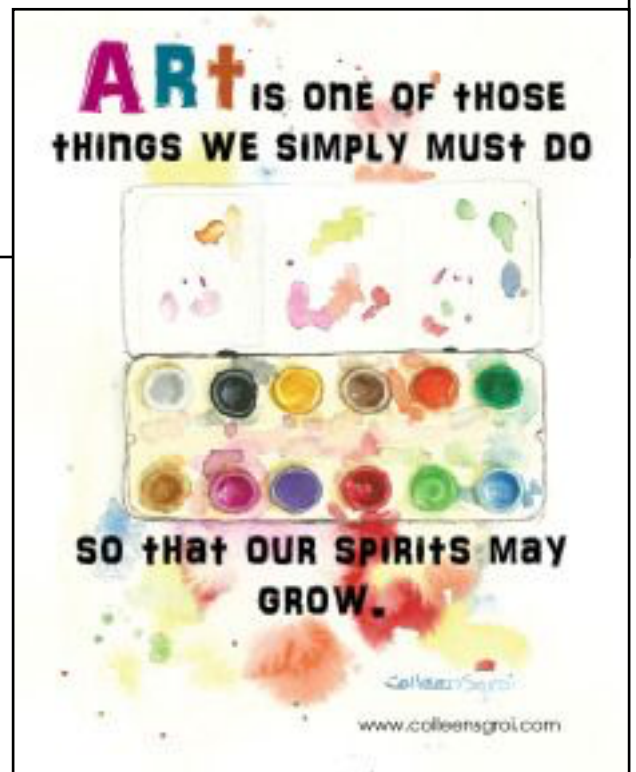
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Juried Art Show.....	
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Student Art Fund/Summer Art Project.....	
Tour d' Artistes.....	Lloyd Tarr
Website.....	Lloyd Tarr
Workshops.....	



## Good Book to Read

### *“The Lady in Gold”*

*by Anne-Marie O'Connor*

The extraordinary tale of Gustav Klimt's (1865-1918) masterpiece paintings: His secessionist art movement in his hometown of Vienna Austria, His relationships with his models and the Austrian Jewish community.

More importantly, the story of how his work survived the Nazi confiscations in WWII

And an international trial to restore the works to their original owners in 1999. The owners often sold the paintings to museums and gallery's. In 2011, Ron Lauder of the EsteeLauder family paid a record breaking \$135 million for the gold lady which hangs today in his Neue Gallery in NYC.

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Make check payable to: Fountain Hills Art League

Mail to: **Pat Reich, 16542 E Fairfax, Unit A, Fountain Hills, AZ 85268**

Return payment and the completed portion of this application to address above.

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We request that all members volunteer to help the Art League in some capacity. This is a volunteer organization that only thrives on member participation.

Please check 1 or more:

I will assist with exhibitions

I will teach or plan a workshop

I will demonstrate at meetings

I will help with refreshments

I will organize a Field Trip

I will serve on a committee or accept a Board Position

I will help with Student Art Fund/Summer Project

Attached is: Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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