

February 2022



Collage

From The President

I had a good laugh yesterday. A good laugh is like sunshine from within and it's a great way to start the day. I answered the phone and the person on the other end said, "Hi, this is mwah mwah the painter returning your call." (because somehow when someone says their name, it speeds past my ear and the speaker sounds as if they have a wad of cotton in their mouth it's hard for me to grasp the name on the first round) My mind started racing flipping through brain files as I tried to remember a painter from the art league I might have placed a call to and then she elaborated, the house painter. Aha! Yes, I remember calling a house painter and I was so delighted that my brain hadn't let me down that I broke out laughing. "Oh, so you aren't from the art league." "No," she answered, "I'm just a painter and that's as creative it gets." So we continued our conversation with the business at hand. As we concluded our conversation and I was filling in my calendar I took a guess at her first name. What do you know, my guess was right. Sometimes things just fall into place as they should. Our Art League is growing and we are getting so many new names, I may not recognize a new one. I'm happy that Pat Reich is on top of organizing everything that has to do with membership and gets right on it to deliver the name tags to our new members. I encourage us all to try to remember to wear them so we get to know each other. We have artists of many genre and I'm inspired to think about what that means for future demonstrations.



Please welcome Judy Wood, our new Vice President. You will be delighted to learn that Judy has lots of great ideas to keep us moving forward. See her bio on page 3.

Enjoy your day, *Nancy Grahlmann*

February 7th Meeting for Fountain Hills Art League means field trip.

REMINDER: February 7th 6:00 meeting is cancelled. Meeting will begin at 1:00, February 7, 2022 we will meet at the back of the parking lot of the Fountain Hills Community Center at 12:45pm for a 1:00 departure. Our Field Trip is to Celebration of fine Art 2022 Location: 18400 N. Hayden Road, Scottsdale.

Art Chat on the Avenue

Every Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. We meet at the tables on the median between Sami's and the Town Hall, the end by the circle. Bring a drink of your choice and meet other members of the Art League.

Membership

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2022 ART LEAGUE BOARD MEMBERS



Left to Right: Sandy Herbst, Director & Newsletter; Nancy O'Neal, Treasurer; Judy Wood, Vice President; Nancy Grahlmann, President; Justine Mantor-Waldie, Past President, Pat Reich, Membership; and Sally Atchinson, Secretary.

All Member Show

The "All Members Show" is quickly approaching. Members may enter up to three pieces of artwork. We want to fill the Community Center walls with art! Artwork must be "gallery" ready with a wire for hanging. The artwork will hang in the Community Center for the month of February. **Intake** for the artwork is on Monday, February 7, 11:00 AM to 12:30 pm at the Community Center. **Note** that this is the same day as the Field Trip to Celebration of Fine Art. Entry form, labels and Hold Harmless forms plus the rules for submitting artwork are available at the Art League website: www.fountainhillsartleague.com. Please download all three forms and fill out ahead of time to expedite the intake process.

The winner of the exhibit will be a "Peoples' Choice" with ballot forms and a voting box available to the members and the general public who will vote on their favorite artwork. All voters will also sign their name to the ballot to prevent duplication. Voting will take place from Feb. 7 to Feb. 21.

A **public reception** will be held on Thursday, February 23, 4:00 - 5:30 pm at the FHCC where the winner of the "Peoples' Choice" award will be announced.

Questions? Please email either Pat Reich patreich@gmail.com or Kay Meyer kmeyer3077@gmail.com.

News Items

If you have any news items, please send to Sandy Herbst, sjh14@cox.net.

Artists of the Month

There were not enough entrants to have a vote.
Bring your art work to the March meeting.

Meet our New Vice President

Judy Wood is a mixed media artist and poet living in the Arizona desert. Judy's poetry has been featured in several local publications; recently "Lazy Lizard" (co-written by her husband, David) was featured in the book Arizona 100 Years, 100 Poems, 100 Poets.

Judy has self published several books of poetry and one photography book #Skywatch. Her poem; Winter Moon was her first national publication. Judy has shown her artwork in several local galleries including two solo art shows and enjoys painting and drawing trees, forests, and other magical places.

Judy has been a volunteer at the i.d.e.a. Museum in Mesa, and is often busy teaching watercolor to teachers and staff at local schools! She has a BFA in Painting from ASU and a Masters degree in secondary education from University of Phoenix. Judy is a dreamer and enjoys spending time with her family and friends.

You can find Judy's art and poetry on a variety of social media platforms: Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.



Tour plans are progressing and we have 22 artists at 9 studios this year. The tour brochures are here and you can pick some up at the Fountain Hills Artist Gallery or contact Elaine or Lloyd Tarr to arrange for a pick up.

We are in need of some volunteers to be hosts at some of the studios. If you would to help the tour in this way please contact Elaine or Lloyd Tarr, 480-773-8913 or 480-773-8915.

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~
Maya Angelou

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Who can use FREE display shelving...for the tour?

I have received this from Karen Klaassen when she moved away. I find it is too small for the items I have. It is heavy solid wood, shows best on table top. It is 26" tall, 16 "wide and 11" deep. It spins and has 4 shelves on each side. Words can be painted over or covered with your information.

Yours for the taking!!

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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.

Name: _____ Medium _____

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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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