



TAG TALK

Together Art Grows

*P.O. Box 671
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*December 2008 Edition
Editor: Linda Bein, President Trinity Arts Guild
Meeting Night: December 1, 2008
Demo Artist: Holiday Party*

President's Message

Members,

Many businesses and private individuals have supported Trinity Arts Guild throughout the year, some locally and others not. Thank you, Valerie McKeown, lifetime member, for the \$100 donation for Best of Show in the New & Emerging show. I would like to thank Asel Arts for all our Painting of the month/year awards. Jack Richeson, Cheap Joes, Jerry's Artarama, Art of the West, Northlight Books, Dayler Rowney, Createx, Graphik Dimensions Ltd, Golden Art Colors, American Art Clay, Co., Createx Colors, and Gamblin Artist Colors, continue to provide merchandise, gift certificates, or cash donations. ARTSNET gave us several grants for our shows. Without these organizations and individuals we would not be able to offer the many fine programs that we are able to provide for our members or the prizes in our shows. Please remember these people when purchasing your art supplies.

We have two openings on the executive board. We need a Vice President and also a Treasurer. Both positions do need computer skills, we are happy to teach. If you are interested in either position please call me soon!!! I would like the board to be able to accept nominations for both positions at the December board meeting or before.

The Member Only Juried Show Prospectus is on the last two pages of this newsletter for you to print your copy. Please read the entry requirements carefully to be in accordance with our rules. You can also go to the website, www.trinityartsguild.org to download a copy of the prospectus. Don't forget that all newsletters are also available on the website.

*Happy Thanksgiving
Linda Bein*

News and Upcoming events

Don't forget our holiday celebration; Barbara Hentzen and Frankie Couch are planning the party. Please bring a dish to pass, enough for six people. If you want to participate in the ornament exchange please make one or paint one to bring, after all we are artists, we should be creative enough to make or decorate an ornament not purchase one.

Gallery Shows

"Home for the Holidays" is displayed 11/18-12/16. The 2008 Member Only Juried show runs 12/16-1/20, prospectus attached. For the 2009 show schedule, please check the website, www.trintyartsguild.org. Go to Gallery Show calendar, and scroll to the information you need. This has been revised recently. PLEASE NOTE that the 2009 Member Only show has been moved to March 2009 and will NOT be in December as in recent years. This allows us to move the 2009 youth show to avoid conflicts with the school shows.

Traveling Exhibits schedule

Contact Bennie Wood if you are interested in participating in these shows. Other traveling exhibits are listed on our website.

Date	Bedford Library	Eules Library	Richland Hills Library
2008			
Nov	Irma Ward	Bonnie Dunn	open
Dec	Linda Bein	Darlia Hobbs	open
2009			
Jan 2, Fri	Elaine Roosz	Betty Grummer	open
Feb 2, Mon	Betty Goodspeed	Tendaris Walling	open
Mar 2, Mon	Bich-Nga Goves	Betty Goodspeed	open
Apr 1, Wed	Darlia Hobbs	Carol Mueller	open
May 1, Fri	Bonnie Dunn	Bich-Nga Groves	open
Jun 1, Mon	Carol Mueller	Bonnie Dunn	open
Jul 1, Wed	Barbara McFarland	Diana Faver	open
Aug 1, Sat	Verne McFarland	Cheri Irwin	open
Sep 1, Tue	Diana Faver	Barbara McFarland	open
Oct 1, Tue	Cheri Irwin	Verne McFarland	open
Nov 1, Mon	Judy Wolf	John Lapsitis	open
Dec 1, Tue	John Lapsitis	Ann Wolz	open
Jan 2010	Ann Wolz	Elaine Roosz	open

Communications

Please let us know if you are not receiving notifications of meetings and TAG news updates from Carol Mueller, cargie@sbcglobal.net (817-282-9678).

Gallery Sitters

Gallery sitters and teachers remember if you cannot make your sitting time or regularly scheduled class contact Bill or find a replacement to cover the gallery. If you are gallery sitting please review the newly revised Gallery Sitters Guide on the desk in the gallery. Updated membership forms and directions are in this book. This will be updated regularly with current show information. We need your help to staff the gallery; answer the phone, greet people that visit; you can bring your paints to pass the time. Contact Bill Kennedy to schedule a time to gallery sit.

Thank you

Thank you, Marilyn Good, Frankie Couch, Ira Silini, Susan Wibowo, Wavah Fore, Marc Wrisley, and Barbara Hentzen for October refreshments. Thank you, Cindy Flint, Bich-Nga Groves, Linda Chapman, Ira Silini, Frankie Couch, and Annetta Wooster for providing November refreshments.

Library

Our library continues to be a great asset for our members; please return outstanding books.

Weekly Activities

Portrait Group: live model, Each artist \$5 donation for model, facility free

Thursday (2nd & 4th) 12:00-3:00 Tendaris Walling tendarisw@sbcglobal.net 817-563-4215

En Plein Aire: Join a group of artists on location 1st & 3rd Friday monthly contact Tendaris if you are interested in joining the group. Lesley Talty is assisting Tendaris.

Paint-in groups:

Monday: 9:00am-12:00noon Barbara Hentzen batha70@yahoo.com 817-268-0378

Tuesday: 9:00am-12:00noon Jack Higdon jackhigdon@sbcglobal.net 817-283-3254

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Thursday: 6:30pm-9:30pm Jack Higdon jackhigdon@sbcglobal.net 817-283-3254

Weekly Adult Classes

Monday:

12:30-3:30pm oil & acrylic Barbara McFarland theartistsbrsh@aol.com 817-282-0714

Tuesday:

6:30-9:30pm watercolor Bennie J. Wood bjwwatercolor@sbcglobal.net 817-838-2409

Wednesday:

1-4pm; 6-9pm oil/acrylic Irma Ward Irma700@tx.rr.com 817-276-8939

Friday:

9:30-12:30pm watercolor Bennie J. Wood bjwwatercolor@sbcglobal.net 817-838-2409

Weekly Children's classes

Wednesday:

4:00-5:00pm 5-10 yr olds October 29-December 10; Irma Ward Irma700@tx.rr.com 817-276-8939

Member's News

Members have asked me to create this section but it needs your contributions. Send me an email of upcoming events, openings, shows or awards.

Arts League...message from Cheri Irwin

ARTSNET...message from Karin Newell, President

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Member's bio: Ron Stephens



I received my art training some 40+ years ago first at UTA then Arlington State College and finished with a BA from North Texas State University, now UNT. My art career started in Dallas as a staff artist at Southwestern Life Insurance. My next 33+ years would take me through several small advertising agencies as an Art Director. Later as the industry changed, I found that the production side of the business appealed to me more as a Production Manager, buying art, photography and printing for agency projects.

I retired from a 33 year career in advertising in 2004 and began thinking about a retirement career. I began painting in watercolor in May of 2006 after reading many books and taking a weekly watercolor course with Tom Wellman at the Irving Heritage Center I have learned much about Watercolor. Since then, I have taken workshops from Nita Leland, Carl Dalio, Naomi Brotherton,

Arne Westerman, Mark Mehaffey and Ratrindra Das.

I am editor of the Southwestern Watercolor Society SCENE newsletter, Membership Show/ Publicity Chairman of Irving Art Association and Newsletter Editor for the Association of Traditional Artists. I had my first show in February of 2008 at the Jaycee Center for the Arts in Irving. It was gratifying to see all of my collected work hung in a show. It was well attended for the venue.



“As a painter I have started late and see the last two years an evolutionary process. I thoroughly enjoy the unexpected qualities of watercolor and the educational challenge of making it work. I have learned so much from so many talented painters that have guided me along the way. I look forward to the future for what it brings to the evolution of my painting. Art is not about the accurate depiction of a subject but of being able to show its essence, allowing the viewer to follow their own conclusions.”

Pictures of Interest



Cecy Turner's demonstration



The finished painting



*1st place watermedia
Ron Stephens*



*Best of Show
Linda Longshore*



*1st place work on canvas
Teresa Domboski*



*HM work on canvas
Frankie Couch*

Dues/membership registration form

Dues are due April 1st, and are delinquent after June 30th; then you will incur \$5 reinstatement fee. The membership year is April 1st to March 31st. Dues are prorated for new members only, when joining during the year. The registration form is also available on www.trintiyartsguild.org. The website has the up-to-date membership information. Dues must be current to enter any TAG sponsored exhibition or juried show. A Member webpage is available to members for additional fee. Contact membership director for information. Mr., & Mrs., Miss, Mr., Mrs., (Circle One) over 65 _____ under 65 _____

Name:

First _____ Middle _____ Last _____ Year Joined TAG _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (home) _____ Cell _____ Email _____

Circle amount below that applies to you:

Renewing Member dues			
Payment Date	Individual	Senior or Junior	Family
Due April 1	\$35	\$30	\$50
New Member Dues - Good until the next April 1 st Includes the initiation fee.			
Payment Date	Individual	Senior or Junior	Family
Apr-Jun	\$40	\$35	\$55
Jul-Sep	\$35	\$30	\$50
Oct-Dec	\$30	\$25	\$45
Jan-Mar	\$25	\$20	\$40

Check # _____ Check \$ _____ Cash \$ _____

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Paint-Ins: Monday am	Barbara Hentzen	batha70@yahoo.com	817-268-0378
Tues am/Thurs pm	Jack Higdon	jackhigdon@sbcglobal.net	817-283-3254
Thursday Portrait	Tendaris Walling	tendarisw@sbcglobal.net	817-563-4215
Friday Plein Aire	Tendaris Walling	tendarisw@sbcglobal.net	817-563-4215

**TRINITY ARTS GUILD'S
2008 MEMBER ONLY JURIED SHOW**

ELIGIBILITY

All entries must be original, must have been executed since January 1, 2006, and not previously entered at a TAG juried show. Work done under supervision (paid workshop or classes), copied, works made from kits or molds are not accepted. Only originals will be accepted. No exceptions. A work will be considered a copy if any part of another artist's painting, print, or published photograph is incorporated into the work. All work proven to be a copy will be rejected and the artist must forfeit any awards accepted for that work. Paintings and graphics must be no larger than 50"X50" (including framing) and must be framed appropriately and ready to hang by means of wire and screw eye. If no frame: WRAP AROUND CANVAS MUST BE 1" IN DEPTH. (No saw tooth hangers, no glass, these will be rejected-use plastic glazing sheet) A charge for wire and screw eye will be applied if not up to code. Sculpture must be no larger than 48x50 inches and moveable by two men. Other forms of three dimensional art must not exceed the 50" x50" limit. **NO NUDES.**

ENTRY FEE

A nonrefundable entry fee of \$25 for members must accompany entries. You may enter 3 pieces for this fee in any category. Each additional entry is \$5 for members per category. Member's dues must be up to date.

SALES

We encourage the public to purchase works entered in this exhibition. Trinity Arts guild would like a 20% donation from all sales.



**2008 MEMBER ONLY JURIED SHOW
EXHIBIT DEC 16, 2008- JAN 20, 2009**

Entry Form (TAG place on upper left hand corner of the back of artwork)

Artist _____
Phone _____
Title _____
Price _____ Size _____
Medium _____
Entry # _____ (assigned by TAG)

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**2008 MEMBER ONLY JURIED SHOW
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Please fill out and present at registration on Tuesday December 16, 2008 between 9am-9pm

Please Print Legibly: Are your dues paid? yes no

Artist _____
Address _____
City _____
Zip _____ Telephone _____
Title _____ Medium _____ Price _____

1. _____
Completed by TAG: Entry# _____ accepted ___ not accepted ___

2. _____
Completed by TAG: Entry# _____ accepted ___ not accepted ___

3. _____
Completed by TAG: Entry# _____ accepted ___ not accepted ___
Include self-address stamped postcard if you wish to be notified of show acceptance, include titles and medium on the card.

Completed by TAG: Check # _____ Amt _____
Or Cash Amount _____

LIABILITY: *Trinity Arts Guild* and *ARTSNET* will take the greatest possible care in handling works, but neither organization will be responsible for loss or damage to any work submitted for this exhibition. By entering work for consideration in this exhibition, the owner or his agent agrees to hold the organization blameless for loss of or damage to that work. Trinity Arts Guild reserves the right to refuse to accept any entry.

Are you Professional? _____ or Non-Professional? _____

Signature _____

Your signature on this Entry Form indicates agreement to all terms of this Prospectus.

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JUROR: to be announced

ENTRY CATEGORIES:

Professional

Oil/Acrylic on canvas

Water media

Mixed Media

Graphics/Pastels

Three dimensional category includes: sculpture, weaving,
or ceramics

Non professional

Oil/Acrylic on canvas

Water media

Mixed Media

Graphics/Pastels

Three dimensional category includes: sculpture, weaving,
or ceramics

Juror may combine categories or may limit the number of awards. All work must
be on exhibit for the duration of the show.

AWARDS:

Best of Show

Peoples Choice

Professional by category

1ST

2ND

3RD

Honorable Mention

Non-Professional by category

1ST

2ND

3RD

Honorable Mention

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Presents
2008 Member only
Competition & Exhibition

Calendar of Events

Entries received:

Dec 16, 2008 Tuesday 9am-9pm

Reception & presentation of awards:

Jan 5, 2009 Monday 7pm

Works on exhibit:

Dec 16, 2008- Jan 20, 2009

Pick up works not accepted for show:

Jan 5, 2009

Work picked up:

Jan 20, 2009 Tuesday 9am-9pm

Additional copies of this prospectus may be downloaded from:

www.trinityartsguild.com

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