
CENTRAL OHIO WATERCOLOR SOCIETY

"The purpose of the Society is to further interest in, and status of, the use of transparent watercolor for the benefit of each member and for the development of public interest in the medium."

Meetings are held the **2nd Saturday** of the month, from **10-12:00 Noon** at:
The McConnell Arts Center, 777 Evening St., Worthington, Ohio

DECEMBER 05, 2016 NEWSLETTER

Editor: Malinda Yarnell

Monthly Meetings and More:

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1.a.) Meeting Update:

From November 2016 Meeting:

John Cameron reminded people that starting in January meetings will be held on the first Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm in the McConnell Arts Center (the current location). If you would rather not drive at night, John suggests carpooling. He noted that he would be happy to transport people from the Westerville area. Mitch Masters would be happy to perform the same service for people in the Upper Arlington area.

Judy Anderson critiqued members paintings, Fall Show German Village, and also showed some recent work of her own, all of which was received enthusiastically by those present.

1.b.) Member Accomplishments:

Jim Oberst sold his painting "Flaming Autumn" exhibited at the Fall Exhibit in the German Village Meeting Haus.

Jim Oberst has a 1-man exhibit of about 30 paintings at Somedays Bistro, 101 Mill Street, Gahanna until January 7, 2017. His reception is scheduled for Wednesday, November 16, from 6 to 9 pm. Stop by any time to enjoy the artwork, food, and wine.

Vivian Ripley is pleased to announce an Honorable Mention award in the Ohio Plein Air Society Members' Show at the Springfield Art Museum (October 1, 2016 - February 4, 2017).

1.c.) Upcoming COWS Events:

January's program will be a video

February program is a demo, by member Ron Mlicki

March program to be announced!

COWS CALENDAR 2016:

September:

10- Saturday- 10:00 am = COWS meeting

October:

8- Saturday- 10:00 am = COWS meeting

November:

12- Saturday- 10:00 am = COWS meeting

December:

10- Saturday- 10:00 am = COWS meeting

FUTURE COWS MONTHLY MEETING PROGRAM TOPICS:

2016 COWS Monthly Meeting

Programs:

Sally Ford-Lyles supplied a summary list of the monthly programs for this year:

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| January: | Professor Pirasteh from CCAD |
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WORKSHOPS:

LAURIE GOLDSTEIN-WARREN WORKSHOP



Sally, Randi, Sue, Lavonne, Katie, Lauren and John. Front row, Mitch, Jeri, Ed, and Gigi(Gerry).

What a fantastic workshop! Laurie was awesome and we had a great time painting and discovering together.

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EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITIES:

Suzanne Accetta I just want to remind members that our fall show at the German Village Meeting Haus ends Sunday, December 18th. Exhibiting arts can pick up their paintings Monday, December 19th. The web site says they are open from 9 to 4.

2. Letter from the COWS President:

December meeting is a potluck holiday party! Starting in January we move to the first Thursday's of the month, 6:30-8:30.

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February program is a demo, by member Ron Mlicki
March program to be announced!

If you didn't pay your dues at the Fall show take in, member dues are due in January 2017.

Election results, new officers take their positions in January, out going officers please hand off your knowledge to your replacements.

Lots of great events planned for next year!!!
Have a wonderful and creative Holiday season!!!!

Sally

COWS Officers for 2016 are:

- President - Sally Ford-Lyles
- 1st V. President - Suzanne Accetta
- 2nd V. President – John Cameron
- Membership Chair – Bess Alexander
- Treasurer - Dave Friedlander
- Recording Secretary – William Masters
- Newsletter – Malinda Yarnell

3. Miscellaneous Information:

ART AUCTION: if you have art items that you would like to sell, list it in this “Art Auction” section. It will be listed as a “copy/paste” article, i.e., I will only include exactly what you have sent to me, with **no editing**. The details of the sale remain exclusively between the seller and buyer. The item will be in the newsletter only for a month or two, then it will be removed.

4. Instructors:

Suzanne Accetta- Watercolor Class, Saturdays, 9 am to noon, Cultural Arts Center, 139 West Main St. Columbus, OH 43215

Cost per 8 week session: Columbus Resident: \$55.00 Non-resident: \$62.00

www.culturalartscenteronline.org

Bess Alexander – Studio classes

Tuesday mornings 9:30a.m.-11:30am
10 person limit

For more information call Bess at [614-939-1149](tel:614-939-1149) or E-Mail bessalexanderart@yahoo.com

Kevin Buckland - Anyone wanting additional information about watercolor classes or painting demonstrations, please call or email. You can reach Kevin at email at: kevin@bucklandgillespie.com or call: 614-543-0000.

John Cameron- “Watercolor Class for Beginners and Beyond” at Sunbear Studio and Gallery, Alexandria. Classes on Sundays, 2:00-4:30. Contact John at: je7779cameron@gmail.com or cell: 614-282-1184.

Jan Carr- phone Jan at 614- 891-1390 or email her at: jcarr002@insight.rr.com for class information.

Charles Rowland- classes are held at The Westerville Community Center. Visit the website <http://www.westerville.org> in the parks and recreation for details or email Charles at: cwrowland@aol.com

Joe Douglass- call Joe at 614-436-0836 or email her at: artbyjoedouglass@gmail.com for class information.

Jim Fought- an evening watercolor class is taught at the Delaware Arts Castle. Visit the Art Castle Website: www.artscastle.org for details.

Mindy Newman – instructor in Watercolor at Franklin Park Conservatory since 1992. Franklin Park Conservatory

Merry Norris- teaches a variety of classes for women in her Worthington studio. Mandala class beginning soon, and frequent weekend workshops.

Designed to kick-start your creativity and add meaning to your work. Call 614-847-5715, or go to

websites, www.merrynovastudio.com. and www.goddessangangel.com

Donna Noice- Donna is teaching two classes a week in Canal Winchester. You may work in any medium, as teaching is centered on painting in general and design principles. Call Donna at 740-215-4724, or email her at: donnanoice@gmail.com information regarding classes: \$25 members; \$30 non-members (two- week series) \$18/\$20 (per class)

Editor’s Note: please contact Malinda Yarnell if any of the above information is incorrect: mkyarnellart@gmail.com or 614-397-1750

Central Ohio Watercolor Society Minutes

DATE: NOVEMBER 12, 2016 TME: 10:00 AM

LOCATION: MCCONNELL ARTS CENTER

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| MONTHLY MEETING | Second Saturday of the month -- 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon |
| PROGRAM | Judy Anderson critique of paintings |
| HANDOUTS | Meeting agenda |
| ATTENDEES | 30 members and one guest |
| OFFICERS | President: Sally Ford-Lyles (absent) First Vice President: Suzanne Accetta (absent) Second Vice President: John Cameron Treasurer: David Friedlander Membership Chair: Bess Alexander Newsletter Editor and Corresponding Secretary: Malinda Yarnell (absent) Recording Secretary: Mitch Masters |

President **Sally Ford-Lyles** was out of town, so Second Vice President **John Cameron** filled in for her. John opened the meeting at 10:05. The minutes from the October meeting were approved. (A draft of the minutes posted on line reported an incorrect result from the election, but it has been replaced with the corrected version.)

Treasurer **Dave Friedlander** reported a balance of \$12,102.59 in checking and (as of the end of September) \$7,519.00 in savings. In preparation for Sandy Gaunt's assumption of the treasurer's office, John Cameron and Mitch Masters performed an informal audit of the Society's finances after the meeting. John and Mitch found no problems; the amounts reported by Dave are in agreement with account statements supplied by Huntington Bank.

Announcements

- **Bess Alexander** introduced the eight new members who were juried in to the Society. The names of the new members were reported in last month's Newsletter.
- **John Cameron** made a plea for a volunteer, or two volunteers, to take on the job of Program Officer for the coming year. He pointed out that programs are an important part of our monthly meetings. If you are willing to help out, please contact Sally Ford-Lyles at salford@insight.rr.com.
- **John Cameron** reminded people that take-in for the Fall Show in German Village is on Monday (November 14). Complete information is available on the Society's web page. He also reminded people that dues for next year can be paid at the same time that paintings are submitted. It is preferable to have separate checks for dues (\$30) and show submission (\$20). The show opens with a reception on Sunday, November 20. New members were encouraged to submit to the show, if at all possible on such short notice. Suzanne Accetta is organizing the show. If you can help and have not already signed up, please contact Suzanne at suzacc@aol.com.

- The **fall workshop**, with **Laurie Goldstein-Warren**, still has a few openings. Note that the price for COWS members is only \$200, which is an extremely good deal. The registration form for the workshop can be found at http://www.centralohiowatercolorssociety.com/uploads/1/9/0/4/19044251/laurie_goldstein-warren.pdf, or just come to the first meeting.
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The business meeting was adjourned at 10:35. After a short break, Judy Anderson critiqued members paintings, and also showed some recent work of her own, all of which was received enthusiastically by those present. The meeting adjourned at 12:02.

Respectfully submitted,

Mitch Masters, Recording Secretary