



Torrance Artists' Guild

P.O. Box 1494, Torrance, CA 90505

August 2018

No General Meeting in August

July 2018 Monthly Competition Winners Congratulations!

Gold Category



First Place: David Wolfram, "Tower Crew", Oil

Second Place: Bobbie Davison, "Birds Eye View", Watercolor

Third Place: Doug Castleman, "Foxen Canyon Vacation 5", Pastel

Silver Category



First Place: Sachiko Mishler, "Kahala Beach", Watercolor

Second Place: Lynn Attig, "Middleton Plantation Sheep", Pastel

Third Place: Gloria Hargrave, "By the Sea", Oil

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Statement of Purpose

The Torrance Artist's Guild is a non-profit corporation organized to cultivate art skills, promote awareness and encourage appreciation of art in our community. It is chartered by the City of Torrance in cooperation with the Cultural Services Division of the Community Services Department. Meetings are held regularly on the second Tuesday of the month.

General TAG Meeting: September 11, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Ken Miller Recreation Center Auditorium, 3330 Civic Center Drive, Torrance

Board Meeting: September 18 at 6:30 p.m.

Newsletter Deadline: 8/31/2018

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Honorable Mention: Aleysha Anthony, “Dripping”, Mixed Media

Honorable Mention: Suzanne Johnson, “The Diplomat”, Ceramic

Popular Choice: Sachiko Mishler, “Kahala Beach”, Watercolor

President’s Report

Remember....There is no regular meeting this month, because of our Annual Member’s Show at Lexus!

That is the big message for the month. Of course, there is still a lot to do to get ready for the show. Take-in is on Friday, August 10. Sue Kuuskmae and Dennis Sullivan have pretty much streamlined the process, so that with a few exceptions, the check-in labels and show labels were finished. Promotional postcards will be available at take-in.

The hanging has become much easier, because we use mostly existing hooks, and only move a relatively small percentage.

Dennis was able to secure Ian Roberts as our distinguished judge.

Don’t forget to bring finger food for our Reception on Sunday the 26th from 12 till 4 p.m.

Don’t forget that coming up we will be needing art for the Madrona Marsh show as well as for the Torrance Historic Homes tour. Get painting!

That’s all for me, and I’d say that I’ll see you at the show- but I won’t....because I will be over in France at that time for a trip that was scheduled over a year ago. Who knew our show dates would change....

David Wolfram

Bobbie Davison is exhibiting her artwork in the Torrance City Clerk’s Office during the month of August.

Destination: Art - Classes and Workshops

Paint-Ins (un-instructed) any medium Drop in, no registration; Tuesdays, \$15 each or \$10 for Associate artists. Everyone works on their own projects with their own supplies. There will be a Paint in on August 21 with the added bonus of the attendance of Fran Nichols who will be there to offer assistance and advice.....

Pastel Application for Realism

This workshop with Otto Sturcke on Saturday, August 18, provides in depth solutions to create the realism you’re looking for in your work. \$85

Pastel Workshop

This workshop with Fran Nichols takes place on Wednesday, August 29. Whether you are a beginning or experienced

pastellist Fran this workshop is for you.
\$85.

Watercolor FUNdamentals

Refresh and fine tune your skills with Louisa McHugh. Class takes place from September 12 to October 10 and will cover techniques, color and other fundamental elements. \$180.

Pastel Workshop

Desmond O'Hagan will lead an exciting three day workshop on September 14-16. Desmond is a Nationally known Master Pastellist. \$375.

Destination: Art offers a variety of art classes and workshops to provide our community with quality instruction, a comfortable environment and support to improve technique and knowledge. Destination: Art continues to hold classes in pastel, oil painting, watercolor, mixed media and drawing.

Instructors are award winning artists, and classes are kept small, granting students the best learning opportunity. If there is an art skill you wish to learn please provide the information by contacting D:A at

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