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# Franklin Art Association

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September 2013

#### Hi everyone! Guess what?

It's that time of year again when we need to renew our memberships and begin our monthly meetings and activities. I'm looking forward to having a super year. As always, we are planning our monthly meetings with noted artists like Diane Panarella-Miller in September, our first workshop with Jonathan McPhillips on October 20th and at least three member exhibits starting with our fall show at the Bellingham Library on Nov. 16th and 17th. In addition, we will continue our tradition of having a holiday party in December and an end of year BBQ. We missed having our outing to see the John Singer Sargent exhibit at the Brooklyn Art Museum; however, that exhibit will be coming to MFA in October. We are always open to suggestions on other activities that our members feel would be of interest or beneficial to our members. We look forward to having new artists join FAA, so feel free to invite your friends or other artists you may know. We also hope to continue our tradition of member involvement, especially with our newer members, to support our activities. Volunteering for committees and activities and taking part in the social aspects of our association are a wonderful benefit of membership. We are blessed with very talented and cohesive members. So join in and have some fun! Hope to see you on September 4th. Take care, Frank

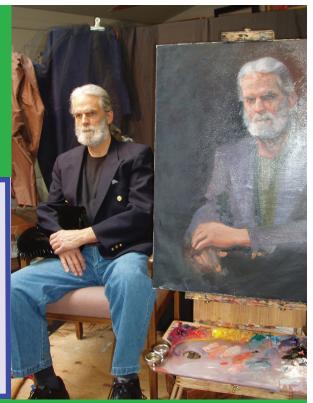
Meetings take place at the Franklin Senior Center, 10 Daniel McCahill St., Franklin, MA across from St. Mary's church, from 6:30 to ~9pm, the first Wednesday of every month, September through May. Refreshments and socialization are help from 6:30-6:45pm, followed by a short business meeting. A demonstration/lecture or workshop activity follows. Our meetings are open to the public and all are invited to attend.

FAA members - Please try to find your old name badges to wear at our September 4th meeting!

#### Calender of Events

**Sept. 4th** Diane Panerelli-Miller will paint a member-volunteer's portrait in oil. (right)

**Nov. 16 -17th** FAA Fall Show at Bellingham Library Saturday Nov. 16th 11am - 9pm, Sunday Nov. 17th 12pm - 4pm. Drop off Friday evening.



#### FAA Workshop with Jonathan McPhillips:

The Jonathan Mc Phillips workshop being held on Sunday, October 20th will be focusing on oil painting. The theme of the workshop will be landscape. Jonathan will do a marine or seascape demo in oil.

Painters who use other media, are welcomed. He feels he can help with the broader areas of painting, should painters want to use other media but wants them to know, the focus will be on oil painting.

He has a loose but efficient approach to painting that produces energized results. This will be an encouraging environment with friendly critique and advice. He wants us to have a fulfilling and enjoyable experience that helps us grow as artists.

You will want to bring your own photos, sketches and paintings to work from. If you are interested in attending, please contact Adele Corrigan at at4624@verizon.net We will have a cut off of about 15 people.



You can now find and "Like" the Franklin Art Association on Facebook! Visit us at:

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Member's 2013 Fall

# & SALU Sat. Nov. 16th, 10am- 8pm Sun. Nov.17th, 12pm- 4pm

#### \* Free Admission \*

Complementary Food & Beverages Exhibit and Sale of Juried Works of Art Silent Auction of Small Works Art Scholarship Benefit Raffle Bin Sale of Original Work and Prints



**At the Bellingham Library** 100 Blackstone Street, Bellingham, MA 02019

#### Members' News

**Rebecca Skinner, Daydre Hamilton, Sarah Alexander and Bruce Wood** are participating in the "Here Today, Gone Tomorrow" exhibit at the Norfolk Library. The exhibit runs September 30th thru October 26, 2013. Opening reception: October 5, 2:00-4:00pm.

**Shelly Eager** was honored with an award at the national show For Pastels Only for her painting called Kiehl's . Also with the Pastel Painters of Cape Cod she will be exhibiting at their regional show called Painting New England which will be at the Art Complex Museum in Duxbury. That opening is Sept.22. She was also accepted into the Renaissance in Pastels exhibit for the Connecticut Pastel Society that will be opening to the public on Oct. 10 in Norwich Ct. She is running weekly classes right here in Franklin for anyone who might be interested in honing in on some skills in pastels.

**Gail Eckberg** watercolors were accepted into RIWS "Light" Exhibit, on display now. And Gail will be exhibiting art at the 15th Annual MA Horticultural Exhibit dinner, with Wellesley Society of Artists, painted plein air at Elm Bank, where celebration is being held in September. Register ASAP, for Eckberg's Art Classes, beginning 09/16/13, ten weeks; at Franklin High School. TO REGISTER: Call 508 541 2100 X3178 leave info message; or borgattij@ franklin.k12.ma.us; or adulted@franklin.k12.ma.us; cash, checks, credit card (secured website). Call Gail's studio at 508 528 1280, if any problem, question.

**Kris Occhino's** watercolor, "Sneak Peek" was accepted into the Cape Cod Art Association's National Show and 2nd prize in Watermedia. Her watercolor painting, "Morning Drama" was accepted into the Blanche Ames National Juried Art Exhibition, which runs from Sept. 17 – Oct. 5, 2013. The reception is on Saturday, Sept. 21, 2013 at the Ames Mansion in Borderlands State Park in No. Easton, MA. Kris is offering a drawing class at the Attleboro Arts Museum on Tuesday afternoon's beginning in October. Visit the museum's website: http://attleboromuseum.org or call them at (508) 222-2644. She is also offering a watercolor class, "Painting Wildlife", at the RI Watercolor Society beginning the 2nd week in October. Visit their website: http://www.riws.org or call them at (401)726-1876.

**Rebecca Skinner** will be at booth 73 at the Codman Estate Fine Arts & Crafts Festival. The festival takes place at the Codman Estate located at 34 Codman Road in Lincoln, MA. Saturday, September 7th, 2013 from 10:00am – 4:00pm.

**Aivars Zandbergs** returned from a trip to Latvia, where he transferred his traveling art exhibit to Hotel Melturi, in Cesis. He spent three weeks there painting and teaching some local young artists. Two of his paintings were accepted by the Cesis Pils Museum, (Castle Museum) and will be made into post cards, and sold at the souvenir kiosk. He will also have a personal exhibit at "Ungurmuiza" Museum gallery, later this year. The oldest baroque mansion, in the Baltics. His wife, daughter and grandson Lars joined him in the capital,Riga. His grandson was chosen to play on the Latvian National Lacross Team, and will play next year in Denver, CO., for the World Lacross Championship!! Arrived home in time to celebrate his 73 Birthday!!

Bristol Community College on 2 November is focusing on Civil War "Technology & the Visual Arts," and they would love to have some paintings or illustrations. While we can probably afford to have a small number of prints made of period pieces, it would be wonderful to have some works from the Masterpiece Masquerade competition that both Franklin & Foxboro are working on. If anyone has yet to select an original piece to mimic (and amend), here are a number of appropriate artists:

Winslow Homer Sarah Peale Alfred Waud Eastman Johnson Frederic Edwin Church Albert Bierstadt Sanford Robinson Gifford

The event is only from about ten until two, and the paintings would be in a supervised area (although someone from the art association might want to be present in case of a sale). I appreciate whatever you can do to encourage a few folks to tackle one of these!

Best, Chuck Veit

### Workshops/Classes/Events/Opportunities

The Art Studio and Gallery at Patriot Place has art classes starting in September. Dates and times to be determined by the individual anchor artist. Please notify them directly through e-mail if interested. Laura Zanghetti pastel17@comcast.net, Ann Gorbett, agorbett@ hotmail.com, Donna MacLure, maclure@comcast.net and Jerry Aissis, ride1186@ride.ri.net.

**The Hopkington Center for the Arts** is hosting "Painting 'en plein air' with Dustin Neece. Students will paint alongside Dustin as he demonstrates techniques live, discusses process, and gives individually tailored guidance. Classes will focus on landscape painting 'en plein air'. Students will learn techniques for working outside, designing a landscape composition, and developing painterly qualities with light, texture, and color. Dustin will provide easels but students must bring their own paints and canvases) To see some of Dustin's work, check out his site, http://www.dustinneece.com/. To find out more about the class: http://register. asapconnected.com/Courses.aspx?CourseGroupID=8822

#### Call for Entries

**Blanche Ames National Juried Art Exhibition Exhibit** September 17- October 5, 2012. Deadline - Sat, July 06, 2013. Ames Mansion Museum, Borderland State Park, North Easton, Mass. Open to all artists residing in USA, 18+. All media. Color catalog. Juror: David Preston Wells. Artist, Professor of Painting, New Hampshire Institute of Art. \$2000 awards. \$30 for three pieces, \$5 each additional. Deadline 7/6/2013. Download prospectus at www.friendsofborderland.org or SASE: BANJAE 66 Massapoag Ave Sharon, MA 02067 Contact:Robert Bendt | 781-784-6116 | www.friendsofborderland.org | banjae@verizon.net

**The Artist's Studio & Gallery at Patriot Place** wants to host a special exhibit in the Fall for 5 local art associations: Foxboro, Franklin, Canton, Taunton, and Norwood. The exhibit would be called "Masterpiece Masquerade" and the idea would be to copy a famous painting or photograph, but to add a twist, making it unique (or funny). The Foxboro Art Assn did this three years ago at the local library and one artist painted a pastel copy of Renoir's "Country Dancers" and put the Beatles in the crowd. Another artist painted a Van Gogh "self-portrait" and painted in a lapel pin which said "I Buy Art". Since it was so much fun, the Foxboro members want to do it again, but this time the Gallery at Patriot Place wants to open it up to other local art associations and exhibit it to a larger crowd at Patriot Place this Fall. It would be open to all media, including photography. We plan to hold it the first 2 weekends in October and think it should be judged by a jury comprising a member of each art association (who was not participating in the exhibit). The prize money would be \$200 for 1st, \$150 for 2nd and \$100 for 3rd. Each member would submit only one piece for an entry fee of \$10. Delivery is at the gallery at Patriot Place Monday Sept. 30, 2-7 pm. Any questions contact Frank Quinn at fxquinn@yahoo.com or 508 668-7031

#### Call for volunteers!

The FAA is in need of chairperson(s) to run the Fall show, Mid-Winter show and Spring Shows! Please consider volunteering so that these shows can be made possible. Talk to a FAA officer if you are willing to run a show.



When ordering supplies for those winter paintings–Dick Blick will donate a portion of the proceeds from each order to the FAA as long as orders are made by clicking through" to the Dick Blick website from the FAA homepage.

Editor's Note: As always, we depend on you, our members, to provide information for your newsletter. So I thank you in advance for providing information concerning coming events, exhibitions, shows, etc. ~Hannah Close

The Franklin Art Association is funded in part by the Franklin Cultural Council, which is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.



# Call to Artists DEDHAM OPEN STUDIOS

#### **Registration starts June 1st** go to www.dedhamopenstudios.org

For this exciting event that will put the spotlight on the talent in Dedham and beyond.

## Dedham Open Studios October 6th, 2013 • 11-5pm

\*October 5th preview day, 12-5pm for The Mother Brook Arts and Community Center, home studios and locations throughout Dedham Square.

For more Information go to www.dedhamopenstudios.org or www.dedhamshines.org

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# **Golden Artist Colors, Inc.** Acrylic Lecture Demo



**Adria Arch** 

Adria Arch is a painter and a member of the Bromfield Gallery in Boston's South End. Her work is included in the collections of the Boston Public Library, the DeCordova Museum, and Fidelity Corporation.



Golden Artist Colors, Inc. www.goldenpaints.com The GOLDEN Acrylic Lecture Demo is a fun, fast-paced informative lecture covering a technical review of acrylics and their varied application possibilities. The lecture demo will present information on pigments, viscosities, gels, mediums and more.

Learn how acrylics can be used as grounds for other media, such as watercolor or colored pencil; get key information on color mixing, blending and controlling drying time; and see how gels can be used to modify paint properties or create unique textural surfaces. From traditional to contemporary to mixed media, acrylics are infinitely versatile.

Artists of all levels will come away from this lecture demo with fresh new insights to feed their creative expression.

All participants will receive free product samples and a literature packet, including hand-painted color charts.

Registration begins August 28, 2013 - September 30, 2013 by emailing to: goo.gl/WDvXc

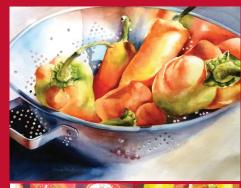
Date:	Sat.	October	12,	2013	
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Time: **1 – 3 pm** 

Location: Norfolk Public Library

Reserve a spot: goo.gl/WDvXc













# ART SALE

## September 29, 2013 12:00 - 3:30PM

(rain or shine) Country Gardens, 339 Tremont Street, Rehoboth, MA 02769

#### FREE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC . . . ALL ARE WELCOME!

Unique Original Art at reasonable prices, perfect for holiday gift giving or enhancing your home decor. Custom framed artworks, functional pottery, artisan and seaglass jewelry, whimsical sculpture, handcrafted birdhouses and more.



FEATURED ARTISTS: Polo Barrera Adele Corrigan Shelly Eager Ann Gorbett Katherine Honey Kate Kavanagh Don LaFratta Donna MacLure Ben Macomber Debra Marquis Karole Nicholson Elaine Petrasky Mary Poirier Kerry St. Pierre Cliff Wells Colleen Vandeventer





Country Gardens is on the Attleboro/Rehoboth line, off Route 118, look for the event signs or for directions log on to http://www.countrygardens.ws/directions.php# or call 508-431-1255