



Franklin Art Association

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Dear members and friends,

As I write this, I'm feeling very optimistic about the future of the Franklin Art Association. The nominating committee has informed me that we have nominees for all open positions on the board.

Voting will take place at the upcoming May meeting. A big thanks to Paul Guarino and Peg Munson for their work as the nominating committee this year. We now know that we will have a board next year, and programs and events will continue as they have for the past 45 years. At present we have 100 members, which is phenomenal! Our spring show is around the corner - a big thanks to Rebecca Skinner, Lee Ball and everyone else who help to make this event a success.

I believe that there are going to be more opportunities to exhibit in the coming years for our member artists. Franklin is hoping to have a cultural district designation downtown within the next two years. This achievement will focus attention on the many wonderful cultural assets we have in Franklin. As part of this ongoing work, the art association will again have the opportunity to exhibit at the annual cultural festival this year on July 27th - July 30th. So, there is much to be optimistic about! Give yourself a pat on the back, because none of this would be happening without YOU!

See you at the show!

Warm regards,

Sue Sheridan

President

FAA Monthly Meeting/Demos

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 held 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.

From the Nominating Committee Paul and Peg:

Please don't miss the most important meeting of the year. We will be nominating the new officers for the FAA. So mark your calendar now. The FAA has a bright future. See you on May 4 Wednesday night.

Paul Guarino 508.404.7547 (cell)

Calender of Events

April 30 - May 1st: FAA Spring Show at the Black Box Theater. Drop off is Friday April 29th 4-6pm. The show runs 12- 8 on Saturday 4/30 and 12 - 3 Sunday 5/1.

May 4th: Tatiana Yanovskaya-Sink will do a still life painting of flowers in oil. She will set up her own still life and use it as her inspiration to create. www.tati-anafinearts.com

May 14th: "Bold and expressive" figurative pastel painting workshop with Michele Mozzone, 9-3pm at the United Methodist Church in Franklin, MA. Details later in the newsletter.

June 4th: FAA Summer Party at Susan Pendleton's home. Rain date Sun, June 3rd.

Post Spring Show Party at the Wessmans!

FAA members and guests are invited to celebrate the Spring Show at the home of Amy and Robin Wessman to celebrate, 44 Maple St, Norfolk, MA on Saturday, April 30th after 7pm.

Directions from: Franklin Senior Center

Depart Franklin Senior Center on Daniel McCahill St and turn right on Oak St

In 184 ft turn left at light on Pleasant St

Continue 2 mi on Pleasant St

At end of Pleasant St take left onto Main St and continue .3 mi

Turn right onto Park St and continue 1.1 mi

Turn left onto Maple St and go .2 mi to 44 Maple on the left

Arrive: 44 Maple St, Norfolk, MA 02056



Save the Date:

Franklin Cultural Festival

2nd Annual Franklin Cultural Festival will be held **July 27th - July 30th**. FAA artists are invited to exhibit and participate in events. Contact Sue Sheridan for more information. suesheridan@comcast.net.



The Franklin Art Association is proud to present their...

Spring Art Show

April 30, 2016

12:00 - 8:00 p.m.

May 1, 2016

12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

a fine art exhibition at
THE BLACK BOX
15 West Central St., Franklin, MA

Dala reception and awards

Saturday, 4:00 - 8:00 pm

- 🌸 Exhibit and sale of fine art paintings and photographs
- 🌸 Bin sales of original artwork and prints
- 🌸 Small works table and "clothesline" sale of 8x10 originals

www.franklinart.org

Free and open to the public

Bold and Expressive - A Figurative Workshop in Pastel

With Michele Poirier-Mozzone

Sponsored by the Franklin Art Association

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016 Time: 9 am—3 pm

Location: United Methodist Church, 82 West Central Street, Franklin, MA 02038

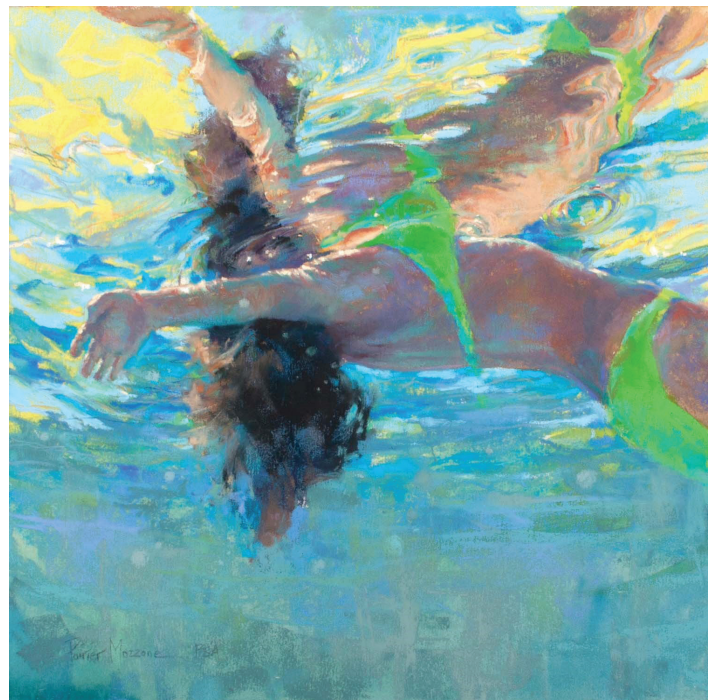
Fee: \$50.00, payable to the Franklin Art Association .

Mailing address: 279 E. Central St., PMB #289, Franklin, MA 02038

You are considered enrolled once your fee has been received.

(Note: This workshop is limited to 14 participants. FAA members are given priority.)

Add excitement to your work with a bold under painting and confident strokes of color. We will use photo references as a jumping off point to achieve a figurative painting with exciting color, gestural, painterly mark making, pleasing composition and sense of light. Participants are encouraged to gather a selection of figurative photos with a good sense of light and shadow. Whether you choose figures in groups or alone, outdoors or interior – the possibilities are endless! In this workshop, thoughtful planning of composition, drawing and color choices in a thumbnail painting allows freedom and confidence to achieve a more bold and expressive final painting. Under paintings may be done with alcohol, watercolor, or oil wash - whichever you feel most comfortable with. As we examine how beautifully the under painting can complement the pastel, we will work on achieving interesting and expressive marks, not only with pastel sticks, but through the use of pastel pencils and rewetting/splattering the pastel surface. By paying close attention to value, we will work on using more interpretive color than what we see in the photo references.



Classes/Workshops/Opportunities...

Agawam Public Library is hosting it's 2nd Open Juried 3D Art Object Show. Submission Due Date: May 31, 2016 Submission Fees: \$25 per entry, \$30 after May 16 City/Town: Agawam www.agawamlibrary.org/about/friendsShow Dates: June 8-11, 2016 Contact: Bob Kadis r.kadis@comcast.net 413-789-4814

The Hopkinton Cultural Council is hosting Arts in Bloom Exhibit & Opening Reception April 29, 6:30-8pm. The show will be on display April 29 - June 2. At their new gallery: 98 Hayden Rowe St. Hopkinton. Immediately following, for those interested, is a free performance by the award-winning Prometheus Dance company at 7:30 p.m. in the Delbridge Family Performance Space.

They are also hosting Sunday Jazz Jam with the MetroWest Jazz Project, April 10 (10am-1pm). Chinese Calligraphy and the Game of "Go" workshop April 12 at 7pm. In addition to Brought to Light: A Millennium of Storytellers of the Stage May 12-15 (7:30pm). Visit their website for a list of current classes.

The Trustees of the Reservation is hosting a number of fine art related events including an Artist in Residence: Open Studio at the Oliver Ames Estate in Easton dates include Wednesday and Saturdays in May. In addition they are hosting a Paint Out! Saturday May 21st. The Eleanor Cabot Bradley Estate in Canton is also hosting a Paint Night Thursday May 26th and Nature Photography Meet Up Tuesday May 24th. Visit www.thetrustees.org for more info and more events!

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Members' News

The Norfolk Open Invitational show attracted artists from all over Massachusetts. Seventy-one pieces were juried into the show including fourteen from FAA members! It was a great show, with lots of variety in media, styles and subject matter. Congratulations to all the ribbon winners, **Dale Hoopingarner** for first place! **Stephanie Miksis, Jerry Aissis and Joan Sweeney** also were awarded ribbons.

Call for Entries

The Wrentham Cultural Council is hosting Arts on the Common Saturday June 4th 10- 4. Visit www.wrentham.ma.us for details and a prospectus. Deadline for applications is May 20th.

The Second Parish Art Show in Hingham runs May 5-15th. Drop off May 1st and 2nd. See flier at the end of the newsletter for details.

Marla Greenfield during her demo at the April FAA meeting.



FAA Summer Party

Before we break for the summer we will have our end of the year barbeque on Saturday, June 4th (rain date Sunday, June 5th). Susan Plume has offered her beautiful backyard again. Many of us have been inspired by the view of the Charles River, so bring your paints along if you wish. You are welcome to paint before, during or after lunch. Susan's address is 11 Haverstock Rd., Franklin, MA. The party will begin at 12 noon and end around 4 pm. The FAA will supply burgers, hot dogs, buns and condiments. Please bring a "pot luck" type of dish or dessert to share with the others and a beverage of your choice. Also, bring a folding chair (seating is scarce).

RSVP Tinaguarinoart@gmail.com by June 3rd . All ARE WELCOME... even at the last minute...just let Tina know.

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.



May 5 – May 15, 2016
The Second Parish in Hingham, 685 Main Street
We cordially invite you to enter our Art Show.
Applications are due by April 27.

Category: Original Art Work and Photographs

Original Art and Photography Category – Entry Fee \$10.00 per painting/photo – please note the commission will be 35%.

You may submit up to three framed original artwork or photographs not previously entered.
All must be securely wired for hanging (no saw tooth hangers).

Name: _____
~ Please Print or Type ~

Address: _____

Telephone: (_____) _____

Email: _____

Title	Medium	Price
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Show Hours and Events



Open daily from 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Open Sundays from Noon – 4:00 p.m.

Opening Night Reception: Wednesday, May 4, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm
Junior Opening Reception: Thursday, May 5, 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
The Hingham Singers Concert and Reception: Saturday, May 7, 7:00 pm
An Evening of Art and Wine: Friday, May 13, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

DELIVER WORK (side door): Sunday, May 1, 2-4 pm or Monday, May 2, 9 - 11 am
No work will be accepted after delivery dates.

PICK UP UNSOLD WORK: Tuesday, May 17, 9-11 am or Wednesday, May 18, 4-6 pm
Anything left after Wednesday, May 18, 4 pm will be at the artist's own risk.

PAYMENT FOR SALES: Checks will be mailed within 2 weeks after show ends.

QUESTIONS: Call Sandi Smith at 781-749-1671 or email: secondparish@yahoo.com
WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU

