



# Franklin Art Association

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Happy Holidays!

Can you believe it's the holidays already? Between turkey, and gift shopping, and parties, and family, I'm guessing you're as busy this time of year as I am—so try to take a few minutes here and there to express your creativity and get a little “down” time. You'll be glad you did.

We ended the fall with a bang. Thanks so much to all of you—and especially to Paul & Tina Guarino—for the incredibly hard work and dedication that went into the *Fall Into Art Festival*. I was delighted to see what a great success the show turned out to be. Many said that it was the best show we had done yet—what a thrill! The Gala was wonderful, with standing-room-only crowds and lots of non-members in attendance. We had over 250 visitors on Saturday alone—which is usually the max we get for the whole weekend. So kudos to all of you! The sales were as good as the crowds. I believe we collected more in almost every single area than we ever have before. Silent Auction sales doubled over last year, at \$658. The raffle brought in \$200 more than last year, for a total of \$737. Entry fees and artwork commissions were also high, at \$1120 and \$1027, respectively. Our final revenue, including sponsorship dollars? A whopping \$6,172! Even with higher costs this year, we still added \$2,503 to our bottom line—almost \$2,000 more than in 2007 (which was a profitable year!). Thank you again to all who made this possible.

So take a deep breath, relax a little at our FAA Holiday Party on Dec. 4, and start 2009 with a smile on your face. I know I will.

I wish you and yours all the best this holiday season!

Best Regards,  
Stacey David  
FAA President

Meetings take place at the Franklin Senior Center, 10 Daniel McCahill St., Franklin, MA, across from St. Mary's church, from 6:30pm to approximately 9pm, the first Thursday of every month September through June (with exception of holiday party and end of year cookout).

Refreshments and socializing are held from 6:30pm to 7:00pm, followed by a short business meeting. A demonstration/lecture or workshop activity follows.

**Best of Show**  
Jerry Aissis  
*Winter Storage*  
(bottom right)

# Fall Into Art Festival Award Winners

**People's  
Choice Best of  
Show**  
Stacey David,  
*The End  
of an Age*



**ART Exhibit & Sale**

## Fall Into Art Festival

Hayward Manor • 195 Main Street • Franklin, MA  
Nov. 8th & 9th, 2008  
Saturday 11-5 p.m. & Gala 6-9 p.m.  
Sunday 10-4 p.m.

Join us at the Gala for fine food, beautiful music & award-winning art!

Since 1971, the Franklin Art Association has been dedicated to promoting and educating artists in the Franklin metro area. Today, our 100 member artists exhibit some of the finest local talent in watercolor.

Visit our Festival, and see what we have to offer!

Presented by:  
Franklin Art Association  
Hosted by:  
Christine & Paul Moller,  
Hayward Manor LLC



### Oil/Acrylic

1<sup>st</sup>: Paul Peterson, *Thayer's Farm House*  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Robin Wessman, *Early Morning Wait*  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Vail Pagliarani, *Stillwater Farm Winter*  
Honorable Mention: Adele Corrigan, *Erin*  
Honorable Mention: Stacey David, *Gloucester Arches*

### Water media

1<sup>st</sup>: Susan Sheridan, *Before the Frost*  
2<sup>nd</sup>: David Skillings, *Nubbel Light, Maine*  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Daydre Hamilton, *Reflections on Ice*  
Honorable Mention: Lisa Bailey, *Going Bananas*  
Honorable Mention: Dorothy Downing, *Self Portrait, Charles St., Boston*

### Pastel/Charcoal

1<sup>st</sup>: Shelley Eager, *Hot Town Summer in the City*  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Karole Nicholson, *September Marsh*  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Tina Guarino, *Country Barn*  
Honorable Mention: Claire Norris, *St. Augustine Alcove*

### Collage/Mixed Media

1<sup>st</sup>: Joan Sweeney, *Bad News Ripens Tomatoes*  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Daydre Hamilton, *Reflections*  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Jaesun Duggan, *The Gnostic Birth*  
Honorable Mention: Bill Robinson, *Reeds State Park, Maine*

### Calligraphy/Drawing/Misc.

1<sup>st</sup>: David Skillings, *Roadside, Mendon, MA*  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Vail Pagliarani, *Tex*  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Hannah Close, *Buoyancy*

### Photography

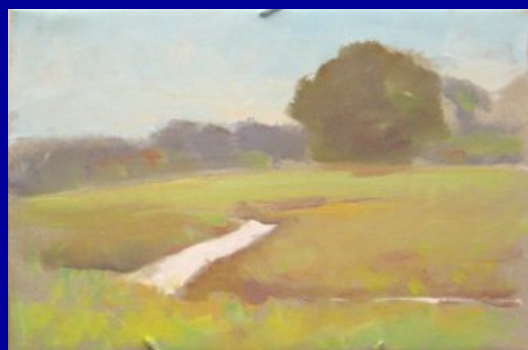
Special Award: Anne Diamond McNevin, *The Invitation*  
1<sup>st</sup>: Richard P. Cook, *Backwaters of Arabian Sea*  
2<sup>nd</sup>: Lori Veit, *Arizona Landscape #1*  
3<sup>rd</sup>: Anne Diamond McNevin, *Warding Off Evil Spirits*  
Honorable Mention: Mike Guarino, *Vermont Farm*  
Honorable Mention: Joan Callahan, *Playing Coy*



The FAA is pleased to announce a partnership with **Dick Blick!**

The generous art supply company will donate a portion of the proceeds of each order to the Franklin Art Association. The catch! Orders must be made by “clicking through” to the Dick Blick website from the Franklin Art Association website. In order to do this simply click on the Dick Blick logo located on the left side of the FAA site [www.franklinart.org/](http://www.franklinart.org/), Dick Blick will automatically know you “clicked through” and will donate a portion of your expenditures to the FAA!!

## November Meeting with painter Robert Douglas Hunter



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# Calendar of Events

## December 4 Winter Party

Claire Griffin has graciously offered to host the pot luck FAA Winter Party from 6:30 to 9:30pm at her home 164 Main St. Franklin.

## January 8

Kim Weineck will join us with a slide show and demonstration on picture framing.

## February 5

Vic Pisini will lead a portrait drawing/painting session for the membership.

## FAA Holiday Party Reminder!

Claire Griffin our gracious host has asked for RSVPs by the 1st of December.  
griffinink@comcast.net

Also we encourage all members to bring a "gift" of a personal care product (i.e. toothpaste, shampoo, etc.) that will be donated to our local food pantry.

## Call for Entries

Franklin Art Association is a member of Art Opportunities Monthly whose newsletter posts local and national listings. Our newsletter includes a sampling of local opportunities, the complete listings are included as a separate attachment, or for more consult the link [www.artopportunitiesmonthly.com](http://www.artopportunitiesmonthly.com)

**Post Road Art Center** will host a mixed media show in January. In addition they will be hosting their annual *Show of Hearts* fundraiser for breast cancer in February. Please let them know if you would like to volunteer to help out. And start thinking of your 8x10" or smaller ideas for submissions. March will be an OPEN group juried show. As you create your fabulous art while snowed in this winter, please keep in mind this fun show! 1 Boston Post Road East Marlborough, MA  
[www.postroadartcenter.com](http://www.postroadartcenter.com)

**Hawthorn Suites:** The FAA has an exclusive partnership with the Hawthorn Suites to hang artwork in their first floor lobby and eating area. Each artist that signs up would need about 12 paintings to be placed on fixed hooks. The art is changed every three months. Slots are now being filled for the 2010 calendar year. You can sign up with another artist if you want to share the space. Anyone interested please contact Lisa G. Bailey at 508-553-9119 or e-mail at [lgb@lisagbailey.com](mailto:lgb@lisagbailey.com)

**Norfolk Cultural Council** is seeking artists interested in one, or multiperson shows to be held at the Norfolk Library. Contact Jan Conklin at (508) 528-8485 or [janyceconklin@comcast.net](mailto:janyceconklin@comcast.net).

**Media: All. Deadline: Open** *New England (6 states)*. Possible future exhibition and/or collection opportunities. No fee/20 (sl, high-quality color photocopies or CD-PC or .mov or quicktime), résumé, statement, etc. => Rachel Rosenfield Lafo, DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, 51 Sandy Pond Rd, Lincoln MA 01773. 781-259-8355; fax -3650; <http://xrl.us/AOM76AU> curatorial-fellow@decordova.org

**[N] Media: PH DI. Deadline: Open** Show work in exhibit spaces. No fee/20 (sl or CD-Mac), checklist, résumé, statement, proposal, etc. => Exhibitions Review Ctte, CEPA Gallery, 617 Main St Ste 201, Buffalo NY 14203. 716-856-2717; [info@cepagallery.com](mailto:info@cepagallery.com); <http://xrl.us/AOM91L>.

**N] Media: All. Deadline: Jan 9** *International*. Possible participation in exhibitions. No fee/8 (online, or CD or DVD if time based) bio, statement, etc. => General Submissions, The Aldrich Contemp. Art Mus., 258 Main St, Ridgefield CT 06877, USA. 203-438-4519; fax -0198; [submissions@aldrichart.org](mailto:submissions@aldrichart.org); <http://xrl.us/AOM93p>.

**[N] Media: All. Deadline: Open** Shows in art college gallery. No fee/10-20 (sl or CD), résumé, statement. => Leonie Bradbury, General Submissions, Montserrat College of Art, 23 Essex St, Beverly MA 01915. 978-921-4242x1223;

lbradbury@montserrat.edu; <http://xrl.us/AOM98k>.

[N] **Media: All. Deadline: Open** Exhibition and or slide registry, all proposals automatically included in registry. No fee/20 (sl), letter of intent, résumé, statement. => Visual Arts Curator, Artist Submission / Slide Registry, Jamaica Ctr. for Arts & Learning, 161-04 Jamaica Av, Jamaica NY 11432. 718-658-7400x132; [info@jcal.org](mailto:info@jcal.org); <http://xrl.us/AOM91u>.

**Media: 2D 3D. Deadline: Open** *International*. Shows for 08-09, esp. work focusing on multiculturalism, Hispanic culture, community-related topics. No fee/10-20, cover letter, statement, résumé. Reception, announcements, speaking opp., etc. => Artists' Submissions, Adams Art Gallery, 600 Central Av, Dunkirk NY 14048, USA. 716-366-7450; [accesstoartsubmissions@gmail.com](mailto:accesstoartsubmissions@gmail.com); <http://xrl.us/AOM92L> (artists' submissions).

**Media: All. Deadline: Open** *New England* (6 states). Possible future exhibition and/or collection opportunities. No fee/20 (sl, high-quality color

photocopies or CD-PC or .mov or quicktime), résumé, statement, etc. => Rachel Rosenfield Lafo, DeCordova Museum and Sculpture Park, 51 Sandy Pond Rd, Lincoln MA 01773. 781-259-8355; fax - 3650; [curatorialfellow@decordova.org](mailto:curatorialfellow@decordova.org); <http://xrl.us/AOM76AU>.

**Winter Frolic Juried Art Show**, sponsored by the Norfolk Cultural Council, at the Norfolk library Community Room, will be held Feb. 7-28<sup>th</sup>. One piece of artwork per person (140 total), oil, acrylic, pastel, watercolor & mixed media (28x32" max) produced in the last three years will be accepted. Work must be framed, no saw tooth hangers or clip frames. Entry fee is \$20 (payable to Norfolk Cultural Council). Delivery date Feb. 4, 3-6 pm, pick-up Feb. 28 3-6pm, prizes - 1st, 2nd place in each category and Best in Show, reception Feb. 7, 1-4pm with live entertainment. Entry forms available at Main Library Desk after Jan. 15. Mail entries to: Norfolk Cultural Council, 1 Liberty Lane, Norfolk, MA 02056

## Call for Spring Show Committee Head

The FAA is looking for a willing volunteer(s) to head the spring show committee. Any interested member should contact the officers. We thank you in advance for your hard work and willingness to serve! ~FAA Officers, [FAAsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:FAAsecretary@gmail.com)

## SMALL WORKS HOLIDAY EXHIBITION

**Reminder** the drop off for the Small Works show is Sat. Nov. 29th 10-4. Pick up Sat. Jan 3 in the Community Room adjacent to the Norfolk Public Library. The exhibit will be advertised via press releases to local area newspapers as well as on site posters. To create additional interest at the opening reception there will be a video screening of a Richard Schmid demo and the public will of course be invited free of charge.

Participants are encouraged to bring bins and prints to the opening reception on Sat. Dec. 6. You will need to be present at the opening reception if you intend to provide a bin for that day. Bins are only for the one day opening reception and must be removed at the end of the opening. All other visitor interest in possible purchase during this exhibit will be conducted thru contact info provided on the exhibit sheet and each artist will be notified if a customer contacts us and seeks to purchase their work. An exhibition sheet with the price list will be provided to visitors at the opening reception. No commissions will be deducted so 100% of sale goes to the artists.

Additional questions, email or phone Vail Pagliarani [VailJV@aol.com](mailto:VailJV@aol.com) (508) 543 6710

## Juried Show at Jane's Frames in Franklin

The FAA is pleased to announce a partnership with Jane's Frames ([www.janesframes.com](http://www.janesframes.com)) for a juried show the first two weeks in March. Approximately 40 pieces will be accepted in all 2-D media and will hang in Jane's Frames gallery. Carol Frieswick will be chairing this exhibition. Any one with suggestions for a theme for the show should contact her. More details and a prospectus will be available at the first of the year.

## Members' News

**Lisa G. Bailey** is having a solo exhibition of her paintings at the Cultural Arts Alliance Farm House, next to the Hopkinton High School, on 98 Hayden Rowe Street (Rt. 85), Hopkinton, MA. *Natures Art* is a multi-media show and will be on display from Jan. 9 – Feb. 2, 2009. The opening reception will be on Friday, January 9, 2009 from 7pm – 9 pm with refreshments. This event is free and open to the public. For more info call 508-553-9119 or e-mail [lgb@LisaGBailey.com](mailto:lgb@LisaGBailey.com).

**Stacey David** had four pieces accepted into the juried 34th Annual International Miniature Art Show hosted by the Miniature Art Society of Florida. Her work will hang in the Dunedin Fine Art Center, Dunedin, FL from Jan. 17-Feb 8, 2009. *Hammond* (right top)

**Richard P. Cook**, a 14-year member of the Franklin Art Association, will exhibit more than a dozen photographic works during the months of January, February and March 2009 in the main lobby of Hawthorne Suites, 835 Upper Union Street (off King Street), Franklin. Featured will be interesting pieces taken in India and Europe, including a shot of the sanctuary built over the tomb of Jesus' disciple "Doubting Thomas," in Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India; and the largest tircyble in the world, which is in Hyderabad. A.P. India. (right bottom)



**FAA Website** The Franklin Art Association would like to encourage members to include their bio information and artwork in the Gallery section of our website [www.franklinart.org/gallery.html](http://www.franklinart.org/gallery.html). To be added to the website please send a two to three paragraph bio with 6 digital images of your work to Lynne Fitzpatrick [lynnef1@verizon.net](mailto:lynnef1@verizon.net). Digital image files should be 100 to 200 dpi .jpg or .gif files. If you have a professional art website Lynne would be happy to include that link as well.



## Workshops/Classes/Events/Opportunities



**Random Smile Project**

**The Smile Project** is seeking work for an auction. Paul Molla, co-owner with his wife Christine of Hayward Manor, wonders if any members of the Franklin Art Association would like to donate a piece of art to the Smile Project organization's annual Valentine gala auction on February 14, to be held at Christina's Restaurant on Route 1 in Walpole (behind Stone Forge). For further information, call F & P Molla Construction at 1-508-528-8548.

**Lisa G. Bailey** would like to announce the launch of her website [www.LisaGBailey.com](http://www.LisaGBailey.com). If anyone is interested in my art classes in any media (except pastels) click on "Developing Artists" for all the information and details. They are available all year, and you can join at any time. Contact her by phone 508-553-9119 or e-mail [lgb@lisagbailey.com](mailto:lgb@lisagbailey.com).

**The Franklin Cultural Council is seeking new members.** You must be a resident of Franklin and be available to meet on the 2nd Monday of the month at 7 pm Sept. - June at the Franklin Municipal Building. The Council is responsible for reviewing grants from local cultural groups and awarding funding to support cultural events in Franklin. The Franklin Art Association has been a recipient of funding for many years. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Council, please contact Sue Sheridan at (508) 533-1917.

**Shelly Engstrom** is offering pastel painting classes to artists who have either tried the medium and have not been successful at it, or who are just discovering the beauty of pastels for the first time. Classes will be held at the Frankin Mill Store on Union Street in Franklin. The night of the week is not yet decided and will be determined by the best night for the majority of those interested in taking the class. The fee for the class is \$145. for 4 classes. Class size is limited to 8 students. For more information 508-528-3616 or by e-mail at [saseng@comcast.net](mailto:saseng@comcast.net).



**Post Road Art Center** December 6th-Award-winning water colorist Nan Rumpf will be giving a watercolor demonstration. You must sign up for this one; there is an \$8.00 fee. January 17th, 10am— Tom Georgon will be back to do an acrylic demonstration. 1 Boston Post Road East Marlborough, MA 01752 [www.postroadartcenter.com](http://www.postroadartcenter.com)

**Village Artisans Co-Op Holiday Showcase** 6 week open house featuring works for sale by local artisans. November 28 10am– 9pm,

November 13-December 21: Thursdays & Fridays 5pm-9pm, Saturdays 10am-9pm, Sundays 11am-5pm, also December 22-24 10am-6pm. 58 Orne St. North Attleboro, MA.

**The Norwood Art Association Sale** Sat 11/22 10-3, Sun 11/23 2-4 Norwood Library 33 Walpole St. Norwood MA

**The Westboro Gallery Holiday Members' Sale** Nov. 23 - Jan 31, Wed, Fri, Sat 11-5pm, Sun 11-2pm, Thurs 11-8pm 8 West Main St. Westborough, MA 01581 (508) 870-0110

## Content Coordinator

**Wanted:** A FAA member volunteer with internet/digital savvy and proficient writing skills to assist Lynne Fitzpatrick in updating and maintaining the content on the Franklin Art Association Website. If interested in helping out please contact Lynne at [lynnef1@verizon.net](mailto:lynnef1@verizon.net) or Hannah Close, the Corresponding Secretary at [FAAsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:FAAsecretary@gmail.com). We thank you in advance for volunteering your precious time!

**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, and etc. ~Hannah Close