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Meetings - First Monday of the Month at The Community Center. 400 S. Walton -1:30pm

November 2018

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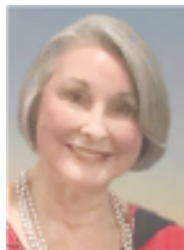
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President's Message by *Trish Gregory*

Thanks to Heather Risley, Lynn Whitelaw, and The Friends of Brooker Creek we had a lovely reception and show at the Brooker Creek auditorium on Sunday, October 7. We had a good turnout of members and guests who had come to see the artwork displayed by some of our members. The work was outstanding and there were several sales. For those of you who were not able to attend, the show will be up until November 25, so there is plenty of time

to make a trip to the beautiful Brooker Creek Preserve and view the display.

Don't forget the November meeting on November 5. Please remember that it will be our usual meeting venue, the Community Center (not Leepa-Ratner, as previously planned). Our secretary, Trish Pelletier, will be presenting our program. Also, if you will be participating in the Artist of the Month competition, you will need to be at the meeting no later than 1:15. That is when the voting begins and artwork cannot be accepted after that time. The categories for November are Oil and Acrylics.

I hope to see you all at the meeting—we should have most of our winter members back by now. We will have some interesting upcoming events to share with you, so stay tuned.

Keeping You Up To Date

And Looking for Volunteers.....Sherry Orr

Cultural Center Venue

Thank you to Fritz Johnson, Patsy Renz, and Harriet Godbole who helped hang their art at the Cultural Center. It will hang there until January when we will hang more artists' work.

South Arts Southern Prize and State Fellowship

Information about this opportunity to receive \$5,000., \$10,000., or \$25,000 is in this newsletter. Please let me know if you apply. (page 2)

Demonstrations and Workshops

On November 5th Trish Pelletier will do a Zen activity with us. (page 3)

Kathy Detrano is doing a demonstration on Plein Air on January 16th and a workshop on February 22nd.

We are in need of artists to do workshops and demonstrations. I need your ideas!!!!

Boys and Girls Club.....HELP!!!!!!

Heather and I cannot do this alone.

The next workshop is November 12th. Heather is planning the activity.

Paint and Photo

Our next meeting is on November 12th at the Bayou Café at 9:00 am.

There are still openings for Chairs. We are splitting this up into small chunks, so join us to be a piece of the puzzle.

Registration will be 2:00 at the Bayou Café. It will still be light, so you can start painting. The Reception will be April 5th at 6:00. Art will be on display April 8-12th at the Heritage Museum.

The Quick Draw and Picnic will be April 4th.

The Tarpon Art Guild, 161 E. Tarpon Ave., will be presenting an exhibit by long-time TSAA member **Lee Albion**. Lee has been an inspiration to so many of our members. She has traveled the world and won prizes for her watercolors here, in New York, in London and beyond. The opening will be on Friday, November 16, from 5 - 8:00 and will remain up for one month.

VENUE NEWS:**Florida North Pinellas Hospital (Helen Ellis) - Lynn Kopala - 940-4975**

Joan Francischelli's beautiful and innovative acrylic work is currently on display at Florida Hospital - North Pinellas. We have had many artists sign up to display in the upcoming months. Thank you very much, artists! We still need people interested in displaying during the summer of 2019.

Performing Arts Center: Heather Risley, Patsy Renz, Barbara Hodges Those showing at the Performing Art Center: **Julia Schoenstadt, Petera Semple, and Joan Francischelli.**

Chamber of Commerce (1 N Pinellas Ave) Heather Risley - Those showing are: **Fritz Johnson, Andrew Chianese, Sherry Orr, Susan Mayhew and Frank Hipp.**

Valley National Bank : Peter Semple.
Patsy Renz is now showing at Valley National Bank.

**Artist of the Month**

Jim Throne was chosen as the Artist of the Month for October with his acrylic painting titled "Classic Still Life".

AN OPPORTUNITY**South Arts Southern Prize and State Fellowships**

Applications are now open and are due December 3, 2018

The South Arts State Fellowships is a State specific prize awarded to the artists whose work reflects the best of the visual arts of the South. A national jury will select on winner per eligible state. The award is \$5,000.00. Each State Fellow will compete for Southern Prize, \$25,000 and the finalist, \$10,000.00. The Southern Prize winner will have a 2 week residency at the Hambridge Center for the Creative Arts and Sciences. The program is open to visual artists in nine states.

Contact southernprize@southarts.org or call 404.874.7244 ex 10.



Everyone needs a little sunshine in her/his life and Joy Swanson, 386-214-1556 Sunshine Chairperson, is ready to supply it to those of our membership who may be under a cloud.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MEMBERS:

TSAA members **Margaret Modjeski, Wendy Davis, Polly Berlin, and Joy Swanson** will be in a show with two other artists at the Stirling Gallery in downtown Dunedin for the month of November. It's called "Art For the Soul" by the Artful Souls.

Reception for this show is Friday, November 9th from 5:30 to 8pm.

You're all invited to come and enjoy the wonderful and diverse art, wine, music and munchies.

Lynn Pierson's shaped chair, mix-media piece "Bluesky" was juried into the Tampa Bay Lightening 7th Annual Celebration of the Arts exhibition, which runs from October 2018—April 2019.

Our member from Canada, **Ljuba Simovic** has sold her painting "Cheers" during the solo show of her abstract paintings at the Seasons Restaurant in downtown Oakville, ON.



Her paintings have been in the Art Ascent Magazine a number of times and again in the last issue, themed "Autumn", both of her painting were published.

Kathy Detrano's painting "Morning on the Bayou" has been accepted into the 90th Grand National Exhibition of the American Artists Professional League at the Salmagundi Club in New York. This painting was done from a reference photo taken in the Panhandle of Florida a few years ago, an area ravaged by Hurricane Michael. The peacefulness of the scene is a wonderful memory.

Kathy Scollard Waldron will be the featured artist of a one-artist show at the Francis Wilson Playhouse in downtown Clearwater. Her paintings will be displayed from October 31 thru November 18th during the production of "70, Girls 70" or by ringing the buzzer during the work day.

PLEIN AIR PAINTING FOR NOVEMBER

Tampa Bay Plein Air Painters (TBPAP)

November Schedule

Nov 2 and 9 – Safety Harbor Marina.

Meet 9:00 End of Main St. south of Spa

Nov 16 and 30- Anderson Park

Meet 9:00 – First Shelter on left, 39699 Hwy 19

Tarpon Springs

More Info, Text or Call Polly Berlin 603-630-4053

The Zentangle method is a simple way to learn to draw beautiful images. After all, it looks a bit like doodling.

So, why would any artist, who already knows how to draw, want to know about it? As an artist, Trish Starbuck Pelletier asked herself that very question when she decided to travel to Providence, Rhode Island, to learn more about and to become a Certified Zentangle Teacher. In the next four years, she observed many benefits to her students and to herself, helping all be more relaxed and improve fine motor skills.

What surprised Trish was how her own art improved as she better saw and understood the compositional element called Pattern. The Internet (and the many available books, videos, tutorials, etc.) makes Zentangle look like it's just using a pen to fill a piece of paper with patterns. For non-artists, that can be enough. But, there's more: The method incorporates the analysis of patterns, deconstructed into a simple series of simple marks, which can then be reconstructed in an almost infinite number of ways. That's a pretty complicated sentence to describe a really simple process.

As artists, we naturally

- Use patterns in our compositions.
- See patterns in nature: including the shape of a leaf; the branches of a tree; the structure of a crystal; the spiral of a shell; the symmetry of a snowflake; and the patterns on animals.
- Are inspired by how other artists use patterns:

Including Bonnard, Klimt, Seurat, Van Gogh, DuChamp, Mondrian, Vasarely, Klee, Gauguin, Grandma Moses, and others around the world (for example, Native American, African, Celtic, and Australian Aboriginal artists).

On November 5th, we will experience the Zentangle method and explore how, as artists, we think about patterns.

Welcome New Members:

Laura Lawrence—Tarpon Springs—907-227-2923

Hannah Matarazzi—Hudson—717-383-3325

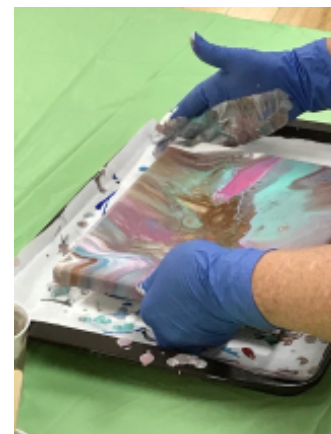
The TSAA exhibit at Brooker Creek Preserve is up and will be there through November 25.

Viewing is available on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Four pieces have been sold to date.

Drop by to enjoy the Preserve and check out the exhibit.

Congratulations to **The Tarpon Art Guild** for finding a new home. The new gallery is very spacious and so far all of the people who have viewed it love the new look. Everyone is welcome to come for a visit.

March Demonstration



Joy Swanson did the October demonstration for TSAA. She showed us the method for pouring paint onto a canvas with beautiful results.



We need drinks and munchies volunteers for our meetings. call 386 214-1556 if you would like to bring something. Thank you! Joy Swanson, Refreshments chair.



TARPON SPRINGS ART ASSOCIATION

PO Box 1177

TARPON SPRINGS FLORIDA 34688

Our Mission...

...to promote interest and community awareness of all forms of visual art, to provide opportunities for individuals to associate with other artists, and to share in and learn from artistic knowledge and experiences.



Application for New Member and/or Change of Address

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell # _____

Email _____

Dues **\$25.00**

Medium of choice _____

Please make check payable to and mail to:
 Tarpon Springs Art Association
 Patsy Renz, Membership
 39650 US Hwy 19N #1413
 Tarpon Springs FL 34688

REMEMBER.....

The next general meeting is Monday, Nov. 5, 1:30 pm, 2018 at The Community Center

The next board meeting is Nov 26, 2018, time and place to be announced.

If you have any news call me at 943-7732 or email me at patsy.renz@verizon.net by November 18, 2018 Everything that happens in your art is important to us all.

Artist of the Month Schedule

September – All Media artwork Voting; Program is "Show and Tell" of any painting on display.

October – Acrylic, 3 Dimensional Art

November – Oil and Acrylic

***December** – No Meeting

January – Mixed Media, Photography, 3 D

February – Watercolor

March – Pastel, Pen & Ink, Charcoal, Misc. not shown elsewhere

***April** – Judged Show (Picnic)

Bring Art work by 1:15 pm or it won't be judged.

No place is boring, if you've had a good night's sleep and have a pocket full of unexposed film. — *Robert Adams* (an American photographer who has focused on the changing landscape of the American West).