



Welcome New and Renewing PAL Members

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PAL Membership

Who We Are - Placer Artists League (PAL) promotes professional camaraderie, artistic support and exhibit opportunities in partnership with PlacerArts. PAL is a group of active visual artists who meet regularly for camaraderie, artist presentations and demonstrations on a variety of media and art related topics from award winning professionals.

Meetings - Held the first Tuesday of every month at 10 AM (except July) in The Arts Building at 808 Lincoln Way in Auburn.

Existing Members - If you change your phone number, home address or email address, please contact Charlie Iveson Email or call her at (530) 863-0698.

Membership - If you are new or renewing your PAL participation, make sure to select your tax deductible PlacerArts membership level as well as the supplementary participation fee - \$20 - Placer Artists League. Both boxes need to be selected.

See links below to join or renew.

PAL NEWSLETTER

December 2012

PAL Members

Celebrate the holidays at our **PAL Holiday Potluck** which will take place on **Tuesday, December 4 from 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM** at the Newcastle **Packing Shed Art Studios on 455 Main Street in Newcastle**. And, since it's a potluck, please bring the following based upon your last name:

Last names beginning with:

A through E: Bring an entree

F through M: Bring a salad

N through Z: Bring a dessert.

Plates, cups, eating utensils and drinks will be provided, however, everyone should bring *servng utensils* for their own dishes.

Happy Holidays!

[Diane Friedberg](#)

Filling in for Pat Lucas
Newsletter Editor

January PAL Meeting

"Grab Bag Art"

Let's start out the New Year with a fun activity!

The theme is "Grab Bag Art" - Paint It, Photo It, Draw It, Sculpt It - Each artist will put an object(s) in a brown paper grocery bag. The objects must fit within the bag. Close the bag so that the objects cannot be seen. Put your name on the bag.

Bring your "bag" to the PAL meeting. Each attendee will choose a bag (may not choose your own bag). You will not know in advance what is in the bag. Each artist is to bring their own supplies of choice (pencils, watercolors, acrylic or clay or camera). You will have 2 hours to either paint, photograph, draw or sculpt the objects. It is your choice.

This is meant to be a fun event - don't feel stressed about creating the perfect piece of art.

The January PAL meeting will be held Tuesday, January 8 at The Arts Building, 808 Lincoln Way in Auburn at 10:00 AM.

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PAL Field Trip

On November 14 a group of 17 PAL Members went to the Crocker Art Museum in Sacramento to visit the Norman Rockwell exhibit. We had pleasurable morning followed by lunch at the museum cafe.



If you have any suggestions for future field trips, please contact Diane Friedberg. We car pool and always have a good time.

Hope to see you at our next PAL field trip.

PAL News

PAL Membership Show - Umpqua Bank Gallery - Thanks to the 17 members who made this show a success. This is a reminder that the take down date for the show is January 15 from 10 AM to 11 AM. If you have any questions, please contact Debra Hosler.

Artful Sunday at the High Hand Art Gallery - December 16 from 2 to 5 PM - Free. The artists of High Hand Art Gallery will be at the gallery to chat, answer questions and introduce you to their art media. Featured High Hand Gallery artists include Terri Goodman, Debra Hosler, Neal DeVore, and Nancy Langhorn. Enjoy music by jazz musician Nancy Briggs. Refreshments and beverages. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Sunday, 10 am - 5 pm. 3750 Taylor Road in Loomis. Check out their website www.highhandgallery.com

Dana Denman Voskes was accepted into the juried show at the IMA Institute of Mosaic Art in Oakland. The show was juried by Kate Kerrigan. The Exhibit "Pieceful Wonderland: 2nd Annual White Exhibition" will be on display through January 27, 2013. Visit www.instituteofmosaicart.com

Need a Studio? ARTspace at The Arts Building presents Artist Gym, an affordable option for an artist to have a place to create. Artist Gym Members have 24/7 access to a 600 sq. ft. studio for approximately 20 calendar days per month (\$3.75 per day). Membership includes Gym Locker, access to tables and easels and room for drying and storing work in progress. Email: Linda@PlacerArts.org if you're interested.

Shows to Enter

Roseville 3rd Saturday Art Walk - There are still openings for artists in this fun Roseville event in 2012. Email

your information and some samples to: 3rdSatArtWalk@gmail.com.

Art on the Divide Gallery in Georgetown is now accepting applications from artists that would like to be part of this cooperative gallery. Applications are available in the gallery, or contact membership chair, Kay de Lange, (530) 626 3743.

Volunteer - Rock Creek Elementary School on Bell Rd. in Auburn is looking for volunteer art docents to assist with the school's art classes. Contact Robyn Woodall at 530-210-1792 for more details or check out the website www.auburn.k12.ca.us/rock-creek

"America's ClayFest" at Gladding McBean...The Tradition continues.....The Art League of Lincoln California is now accepting applications for its International "America's ClayFest" ceramic art show and competition being held in the Historic Gladding McBean Clay Manufacturing Company. This show is celebrating 25 years of clay competition at the Gladding McBean facility. The committee also has selected Internationally known artist, Richard Shaw, as the juror for this show being held April 20th through May 28, 2013. The Prospectus and Entry Applications are now available on the Art League of Lincoln's web site at www.all4art.net. Deadline for submissions is Feb 4, 2013. Prizes include \$1000 for first place, \$750 for second place and \$500 for third place. There is also a \$250 "Tile Heritage Award" being awarded for tile submissions. In addition, there are four additional Merit Awards of \$250 each. For information on the show, please contact Ray Gonzales, at gonzales_abc@sbcglobal.net or Mike Daley at mdaley@wavecable.com.

"Auburn in Winter" Art Competition - The Auburn Arts Commission is sponsoring a juried competition featuring Auburn in winter. Local amateur and professional artists alike are invited to enter their paintings, sketches, photographs, and mixed media. Winning entries will hang in Auburn City Hall Gallery from 12/10/12 through 2/8/13. Reception Thursday, 12/13/12 from 6-7:30 pm. To enter contact Terri Goodman, 530-820-3644, or artinauburn@gmail.com, or their website www.auburnartscommission.info Hand-deliver artwork to the Rose Room downstairs in Auburn City Hall at 1225 Lincoln Way, Auburn on Saturday, December 8 from noon to 2 PM.

3rd Annual Western Art Show & Sale - January 23-26, 2013; For information, Prospectus and Entry Form, contact: Jane Daugherty - sales@redbluffbullsale.com or call 530-521-6649. Visit the website www.redbluffbullsale.com/events AWARDS First Place - \$700.00; Second Place - \$200.00; Third Place - \$100.00; BEST OF SHOW: \$1,000.00.

"Art is a Cabaret" Lodi Community Art Center's 53rd Spring Art Annual, An Open National Juried Art Show at Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi Winery. Awards: Best of Show - \$1,000.00; First Place in each category - \$300.00. Second Place in each category - \$175.00, Third Place in each category - \$100.00. Deadline March 2. For more information go to their website at www.lodiartcenter.org or contact the Show Chair: Janet Hayden e-mail: jjhayden2@gmail.com or call the LCAC Gallery: 209-333-3855.

Oakwilde Ranch & Sculpture 6th Annual Juried Sculpture Show - Oakwilde Ranch & Sculpture, the 52-acre sculpture park in Sierra Foothills 30 miles east of Stockton, CA, seeks entries to its 6th Annual Spring Sculpture Show, "Call for Peace." Entry deadline is February 15, 2013. With \$3000 in cash awards, the 2013 juried show is open to original sculpture and 3-D; media suitable for outdoor display; large pieces and installations are encouraged. \$35 fee for 3 entries; \$50 for 5. Award Judge, Chris Daubert, Associate Professor, Sacramento City College. Jurors: Shelly Willis, Interim Director, SMAC and Public Art Director, Sacramento; and Terry Green, principal architect for Williams + Paddon Architects + Planners, Roseville. The show runs April 13-May 18, 2013. Complete prospectus available online at www.oakwilderanchsculpture.com. Direct questions to Denise Mayfield at denemay47@me.com.

PAL Steering Committee

Here's a list of the 2013 PAL Steering Committee members, and their respective positions. We welcome PAL members to attend our meetings for their input. Please note that we're still looking for people to fill a few remaining positions:

Diane Friedberg - Steering Committee Chair, (530) 268-1383, [email](#)
Charlie Iveson - Membership Chair, (530) 863-0698, [email](#)
Diane Friedberg - PAL Open Juried Show Chair, ((530) 268-1383, [email](#)
Pat Lucas - Newsletter Editor, (530) 888-1440, [email](#)
Debra Hosler - Umpqua Bank Venue Manager, (916) 624-4920, [email](#)

Open - Program Chair
Pat Lucas - Publicity Chair
Open - Setup/Cleanup Coordinator

PAL Activity Calendar

- Dec 4 PAL Holiday Potluck - 11:30 AM, Newcastle Artist's Art Studios 455 Main Street,
Newcastle
- Dec 10 PAL Steering Committee Meeting - 2 PM Newcastle Artist's Art Studios 455 Main Street,
Newcastle
- Jan 8 PAL Meeting - Grab Bag Art (NOTE: Meeting is on the 2nd Tuesday because of New
Year's Day)
- Jan 14 Steering Committee Meeting - 2 PM Newcastle Artist's Art Studios 455 Main Street,
Newcastle
- Jan 15 Take down PAL membership show at Umpqua Bank, 571 5th St., Lincoln 10 to 11 AM
- Feb 5 PAL Meeting - Presenter Ann Ranlett, Demonstration on Yupo Paper
- Feb 11 PAL Steering Committee Meeting - 2 PM Newcastle Artist's Art Studios 455 Main Street
Newcastle

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