



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.

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PAL NEWSLETTER October 2013



Dear PAL Members --

Autumn is upon us. There are already glimmers of color in the foothills with more coming soon. I'm off to an artists' plien air retreat up near Donner Lake this weekend, and am bringing lots of yellows and reds in my palette in expectation. Getting ready for this outing made me slow in getting out this newsletter. My apologies!

We had a wonderful visit to the Nicholson Blown Glass studio for our September meeting. Thanks again to Rick and Janet Nicholson for sharing their creative vision and impressive glass blowing expertise. New member and photographer Gabriela Michanie snapped the action shot above with her iPhone from our outing that day.

Looking forward to seeing you all on October 1st!

[Pat Lucas](#)

Newsletter Editor



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October PAL Meeting

Mixed Media Workshop with Joyce Rule

Our October 1st PAL meeting will find PAL members downstairs in The Arts Building, 808 Lincoln Way, Auburn at 10:00 AM for a delightful mixed media workshop, led by PAL member Joyce Rule. She asks us to bring a variety of things: string, sealing wax and other fancy stuff like broken jewelry, bits of fabric, scraps of paintings you tore up, old shiny things, broken plastic, chunks of glass, pieces of crockery, foil from a candy wrapper or greeting card . . . or globs of lead you find on the street, anything that catches your eye to use in the mixed media artwork you will create in the meeting.

"I will be bringing a few things as I have a closet full of these 'treasures,'" says Joyce. "But items that you've collected or have personal meaning to you are also a must." Joyce asks that we bring your own pair of scissors. "For this project, I think it is more fun to just gather the stuff then see what emerges. Of course, that is probably because I have an aversion to planning!" she says.



PAL News

Take Down Show at Umpqua Bank in Lincoln - Take down of artwork from the "PAL Expressions" show at Umpqua Bank in Lincoln, 571 5th Street, Lincoln, is from 9-10 AM on Tuesday October 8th. If you're also participating in the October Auburn Art Walk display, that gives you a tight turnaround to deliver artwork for that show. (See below.)

October Auburn Art Walk - Delivery of artwork for the October Art Walk at Auburn City Hall, 1225 Lincoln Way "Reflections" - Placer Artists League Membership Show" is from 10-11 AM on Tuesday October 8th. Open to all PAL members in good standing. Plan to pay your dues at receiving if your membership has expired. There is a \$3.00 hanging fee. The display area is not large, so only one piece of art per person, please. First come, first served, so plan to come early to get your piece into the show before space fills up!

Artists' Reception for October Art Walk - October 10th, from 6-9 PM. Participating artists to bring snacks. You do not need to stay at the reception the entire time, but if you're in the show, please plan to attend.

November PAL Meeting - Plan now to attend the November PAL meeting, where we will learn all about art quilts with fiber artist Marjan Kluepfel.

December PAL Meeting & Holiday Luncheon - This year, we'll be having our annual holiday luncheon next door to the Newcastle Artists' Studios at La Fornaretta Restaurant, 455 Main Street #4, Newcastle. Reservations required and no guests. Please check the membership roster to make sure your membership is current at the

October meeting. PAL is picking up much of the cost of this luncheon, but a charge of \$5.00 to help defray expenses at the October meeting. Or, if you can't make the meeting, contact [Diane Friedberg](#) to sign up to attend. This should be a fine way to cap off a great, creative year!

Flea Market/Artists' Exchange - Our November PAL meeting will bring back the popular flea market/artists' exchange table. If you have art supplies you no longer need and wish to donate or sell to other PAL members, come fill the table!

Umpqua Bank Venue Manager - Debra Hosler has done a marvelous job as venue manager for the Umpqua Bank gallery, but she has to step down from her post. PAL needs someone to step in to take this position. Responsibilities include:

- Schedule shows and maintain contacts,
- Coordinate the schedule of exhibits for the year with the Umpqua Bank Manager (about 11 exhibits a year which includes 2 PAL membership shows);
- Prepare calendar of scheduled shows for the year for the PAL Steering Committee by January
- Specifically for PAL Membership shows -gather volunteers to assist in registration and the hanging of the PAL Membership shows; collect hanging fees from the PAL artists, prepare inventory list; deliver fee monies to PlacerArts and print labels for the show;
- For all other shows - Confirm the agreement of Display of Artworks - sign agreement; send exhibit information letter to show participant(s); confirm receipt of inventory list
- Publicity - Take a photo, with permission from artist, of an interesting piece from the show and prepare it for uploading to the Placer Arts Calendar with information about the show; send the same information to the PAL Newsletter editor and Placer Arts editor for publicity purposes
- Attend monthly PAL Steering Committee Meetings and report status

Debra has already set up many of the exhibiting groups for 2014, so this promises to be an easy transition. Talk to her at the October meeting or contact [Debra](#) for details.

Condolences go out to longtime former PAL member Horst Bendzulla over the loss of his wife Marcella earlier this month.

Jan Miller's work is on display in the "Bold Expressions" show at the Sacramento Fine Arts Center, hanging from Oct. 1 through Oct 31.

Shows to Enter/Display Opportunities

Sacramento Fine Arts' "Visions" Annual Photography Show -- Receiving: October 5th. For prospectus, go to: <http://www.sacfinearts.org/pdf/Photo13.pdf>.

"30 x 30" show at Blue Line Gallery will include a group of artists who have completed 30 artworks in 30 days. For your submission to the '30 x 30' exhibit, include up to 5 images that you feel best represent your style as an artist and that best represent the 30 pieces you will create for display. Twenty artists will be chosen based on their style, and then given a period of 30 days to create their 30 artworks. Each piece must not exceed 4in. x 6in. for your final display. Also, each piece must be able to be hung by a wire along the back of the artwork. Deadline for entries: Oct 7. Go to: <http://www.bluelinearts.org/exhibits/calls.html> to enter.

Blue Line Gallery's "Stop and Smell the Roses" will feature photos taken by residents living in the Roseville area, using the popular Instagram application. Works will then be entered into a juried competition and awards will be given for outstanding photos. Take a moment to capture the beauty of the city of Roseville and share it with people in our region. Deadline October 7th. For more information: <http://bluelinearts.org/exhibits/instagram-show.html>.

Sacramento Fine Arts' Annual Arts & Crafts Show is seeking participants. The one-day event takes place Saturday, December 4 from 11 AM to 8:30 PM. Go to <http://www.sacfinearts.org/pdf/CraftShowEntry2013.pdf> for an entry form.

FOR ADDITIONAL CALL-TO-ARTIST OPPORTUNITIES, GO TO: <http://www.zoomaru.net/searchcalltoart.php?>

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Shows to See/Art Opportunities/Classes

"**Impressionists on the Water**" runs through October 13 at the Palace of the Legion of Honor in San Francisco. Go to: <http://impressionists.famsf.org/about-the-exhibition> for more information.

Sacramento Fine Arts Center - Upcoming shows: "NCA Bold Expressions" Oct 1- 26; "Visions" Annual Photography Show Oct 29 to Nov 23.

Crocker Art Museum Fall Studio Art Classes - From quilt and jewelry making to photography and animation, the Crocker's studio art classes offer unique learning experiences for everyone. For more information, go to: <http://us5.campaign-archive2.com/?u=aa873a9b173c1a7626934747e&id=f0f463a0bf&e=9142af09d2>.

October "ArtSpace" Classes at The Arts Building. A host of classes in drawing, painting, ceramics and more. Contact Linda Green for the full schedule.

"**Marketplace of Auburn**", is looking for art teachers in any and all mediums to teach at the 1462 Canal Street venue. Call Cynthia Lane at 530-885-1462 or 530-906-0558 for details.

Susan Cooley Gilliom Artist Teaching & Residency Program - October 19, 6 PM Free lecture at The Arts Building, Auburn by painter Laura Ross Paul. Laura is a dedicated artist, teacher, and arts cheerleader. She has been painting professionally for almost four decades, exhibiting her work around the Northwest, throughout the country, and even internationally, in various galleries, museums and art centers. She's been written about in reviews, catalogs and art books. She's served on the numerous boards and committees for local and regional art as well as fostering the artistic talents of art students through her teaching positions at various colleges. To learn more about Ms. Ross-Paul, [view this video](#). Or stop by and meet Laura during her open studio hours at Blue Line Arts, Roseville : Tuesday through Saturday, 11am-3pm, October 15th - November 5th.

FOR ADDITIONAL SHOWS & CLASSES, GO TO: <http://www.zoomaru.net/index.php?eportal=placerearts>.

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](#)
 Pat Aragon -- Assistant Umpqua Bank Venue Manager
 Open - Program Chair
 Pat Lucas - Publicity Chair [email](#)
 Matt Konar - Setup/Cleanup Coordinator

PAL Activity Calendar

Oct 1 PAL Meeting - Joyce Rule, Mixed Media, 10 AM
 Oct. 8 Pick up artwork from Umpqua Bank "PAL Expressions" show, 9-10 AM
 Oct. 8 Hang artwork at Auburn City Hall for Oct. Auburn Art Walk, 10-11 AM
 Oct 10 Artists' reception at Auburn City Hall for Oct. Auburn Art Walk
 Oct 14 PAL Committee Meeting, 2 PM Newcastle Packing Shed
 Nov 5 PAL Meeting - Marjan Kluepfel, art quilts
 Nov 11 PAL Committee Meeting, 2 PM Newcastle Packing Shed
 Dec. 3 Take down Auburn Art Walk show at Auburn City Hall, 10-11 AM
 Dec 3 Holiday Potluck - 12:00 noon, La Fornaretta Restaurant, Newcastle

Dec 9 PAL Committee Meeting, 2 PM Newcastle Packing Shed

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