

February 2005 TAG NEWS

President: Larry LeFebvre

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Larry's Commentary

Sorry I missed Erica Hoyt's demonstration, I understand she presented an outstanding program. Thanks Erica, and thanks to Pat Devoe for arranging it.

Next is JoAnne Anderson and her workshop. I understand there are still a few openings for folks to sign up. Get in touch with Pat Devoe ASAP! We have opened it up to the general public. JoAnne will also be presenting the February 14th program. Members of the SC Watercolor Society will be attending as part of their regional gatherings so arrive early in order to get a choice seat.

The Richland County Recreation Commission (RCRC) received and began consideration of our letter in response to their "facility rental resolution" at their January 24th meeting. Tag members present asked that the Commission consider our request to continue things as they are now. It may be awhile before we get the final word on the matter from the Commission. Thanks to Jackie Brantley's efforts we have obtained a copy of an earlier TAG Membership Directory, which contained a history of TAG that said, "Dot Fakkema, who is in charge of arts for the Richland County Recreation Commission was instrumental in creating an interest in the organization of the Guild." We hope that will strengthen our case, but we could still use additional printed information any of you might have about the early days of TAG and our relationship with RCRC. Stay tuned!

I am still not reconnected to the Internet, so if you need to communicate with me you will have to call me at 254-9218. Hopefully I will have this corrected soon. See you at the February 14th meeting.

PROGRAM SPEAKER:

JoAnne Anderson will present our program on the 14th. She is a SC Watercolor Society member with Excellence, SCWS past president and Best in Show winner, and a signature member of the American Watercolor Society. She has been instrumental in the development of arts organizations across the state and served in executive positions on many art council boards. JoAnne has more than twenty-five years experience teaching drawing and watercolor workshops as well as giving lectures and jurying art exhibitions. She has been featured in several issues of Watercolor Magic magazine. Her program will be techniques for painting the figure using watercolor and mixed media on Bristol Board and Illustration Board.

HOSTESSES & HOSTS FEBRUARY 14TH:

Pat Devoe, Rita Ruth Cockrell, Charles Meyers, Carol Ann Rose and Frank Nelson.

TAG'S LIBRARY:

Our librarian is conducting an inventory of all TAG'S books and videos. If you have any overdue library books PLEASE return them to the library ASAP. We are missing a number of books. Check to see if perhaps you have one on your bookshelf. Thanks.

WORKSHOP INFORMATION:

Supply lists for JoAnne's workshop have been mailed to those who have paid their fee. If you have not received your supply list call Pat Devoe at 755-8447. Spaces are still available for the workshop Feb. 15,16, and 17. If you are unable to attend all three days you may take a one- day workshop for \$35.00 per day. The classes will be "figure" classes with live models. Bring a bag lunch or plan on picking up a quick lunch nearby.

BLUE CROSS/BLUE SHIELD EXHIBIT:

Verlie Patrick and Sue Martin will be accepting paintings for display on the third Monday of the month from 10:00 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. Since the hours for hanging at Richland Memorial are from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. this will provide ample time for delivering art pieces to both locations. If anyone would like to alternate with Verlie and Sue please let us know. Sue's phone number is 788-5498.

MEMBERS IN THE NEWS:

Verlie Patrick sold a painting at the State Fair.

Sue Martin sold a painting at Blue Cross-Blue Shield in December.

Nita Yancey received a third place award at the Florence Miniature Show and Jim Finch received a merit award.

Carol Ann Rose has art on display at the Blue Cross/Palmetto GBA, Sophia's Fine Dining, Earth Fare and will hang in Buster's Bistro in March. She also sold a painting that traveled to Paris, France. Way to go Carol!

Don't forget folks, if you sell a painting in any TAG sponsored venue the Guild receives 10 per cent of the selling price. It's only fair, don't shortchange your own Guild.

PROGRAMS FOR 2005

February- JoAnne Anderson (also Workshop)

March- Tony Calcalano

April- Robert Hickman

May- Harriet Goode

ART INSPIRING OPPORTUNITIES:

Exhibit your art at Palmetto GBA on Farrow Road. For further information and to sign up call the Cultural Council- Mary Porter at 799-3115. There is a 10% commission.

Robert Hickman will teach classes in acrylic and possibly graphite at A.C. Moore store on Harbison Blvd. Call him at 957-1071 for more information. Robert is our speaker for the April meeting.

Carol Ann Rose has ongoing classes in watercolor (abstract and realistic), drawing and collage. The next six weeks session begins the week of February 14th, although you may join at any time. Morning, evening and afternoon classes are available.

Jean Bourque will hold a workshop at A Carolina Gallery titled "Marketing Your Art". Call Carol Ann Rose if you are interested in this workshop. Phone 798-3232. Jean will also hold a workshop titled "Creating Altered Books" if there is interest.

TAG'S ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP SHOW:

Show Rules:

Must be a TAG member in good standing (dues paid by December 31, 2004)
Check with treasurer Cindy Howe if you are not sure.

All artwork must be original and not been entered in any TAG show previously.
No nudes will be accepted.

Members may enter ONE piece of art in any media.

There is a \$5.00 entry fee.

Two-dimensional artwork must be framed (wood or metal) or have finished edges (gallery wrap canvas) and must be wired for hanging. Use heavy-duty wire for large or heavy pieces. Please no saw-tooth hangers!

Size limitation of framed work: Outside measurements must NOT exceed 72 inches for two sides (height plus width). Three-dimensional work should have its own base.

All work will be offered for sale unless marked NFS (not for sale). CITY ART GALLERY will handle all sales. Artwork must remain on display at CITY ART for the entire length of the show (until April 18, 2005) no exceptions. There will be a total of a 30% commission charges on sales at the show.

CITY ART receives 20% commission

TAG receives 10% commission

Deliver artwork to CITY ART GALLERY, 1224 Lincoln Street, Columbia.

MONDAY, APRIL 4TH 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Pickup artwork:

MONDAY, APRIL 18TH 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Awards and Reception for Artists, Patrons, and Guests will be on **Thursday, April 7, 2005 from 5:30 -7:30 p.m.**

Invitation postcards will be available at the March meeting.

New Members as of January 2005:

Add the following to your membership directory.

Tim Adams	Sybil Gleaton	Charles Meyer
Carolynn E. Clarke Phaup	Alicia Leeke	Sandra Stork
James Cothram	Christy Leheup	Clarita Riba
Mike Doran	Michael D. Marineau	Cindy Roddy
Debbie Sanks Williams	Lindsay R. Wiggins	Mary Elliott

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MONTHLY EXHIBITS:

BLUE CROSS-BLUE SHIELD :

Third Monday: 10:00-10:45a.m.

Verlie Patrick, Sue Martin 788-5498

EYE PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS:

Third Tuesday: 12:45-1:30 p.m.

Regina Moody 787-6540

RICHLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL:

Third Monday: 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Agnes & Lewis Bedenbaugh 532-9786

Happy Valentines Day

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