

# TAG NEWS

Trenholm Artists Guild

## A Message from Frank

President – Frank Nelson

Newsletter Editor- Pat Spear

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By the time you receive this missive it will be too late to paint or sculpt anything for our spring show, but you can always take something down from the wall as I plan to do. Also as a reminder, daylight savings time will become a way of life so don't be late for our March 12 meeting.

Another great event for March is St. Patrick's day (for those of the Irish persuasion); green beer for those inclined, or will become somewhat so before the day is over. Remember to wear green!

It seems that everything is happening this week. We will need several volunteers to hang artwork, tend to registration, and other chores for the TAG show. Be ready to respond. And finally, don't be caught in stupidity on April Fools day.

CIAO, Frank

### **SPEAKER FOR FEBRUARY 12:**



Award winning painter, Hilarie Lambert has been drawing for most of her life, beginning as a child in the Finger Lakes area of New York State, and throughout her career as a graphic designer for a major corporation. Her focus changed to full time painting after she moved to Charleston and joined the Charleston Artist Guild and the Charleston Outdoor Painters. Since then, she has developed a unique, painterly style that has brought attention from art collectors and corporations alike.

"Lambert has developed a following with her recognizable style - part of this is in her approach to the application of paint to canvas. She lays paint down in what seems to be quick and loose, but is strong brush strokes in a confident manner. This style gives the viewer a definite sense of the artist's hand and vision at work in the finished piece. The range and mood in her pieces is broad; sometimes done tongue in cheek, with her sense of humor evident in the choice of titles and subject matter. The artist also can address subjects with a classical style, while still rendering the pieces with her signature flair, says the Moultrie News. (Note: Ms Lambert's work was featured on the cover of Skirt Magazine Feb 2003, May 2005 and Plein Air Magazine Dec 2005). Visit Hilarie's website at [www.hlambert.com](http://www.hlambert.com).

### **HOSPITALITY NOTES:**

Members scheduled to bring refreshments to the meeting are: Jackie Brantley, Suzy Shealy, Mary Davis, Harvey Burnette, Stacy Morgan, and Gayle Sneed.

**NOTE:** Carol Ann Rose, long time member of TAG passed away on February 26<sup>th</sup>. Our sympathy goes to Tom and the entire family.

**MEMBERS IN THE NEWS:**

Meg Gregory's painting has been selected to be on exhibit in the NBSC 2007 Oil Painter's Open Invitational Juried Exhibition sponsored by the Sumter County Gallery of Art. The painting will be on exhibit at the Sumter Gallery of Art from February 8<sup>th</sup> until March 18<sup>th</sup>. It will then travel across SC from April through December under the auspices of the SC State Museum's Traveling Exhibit Program. It will return to Sumter where it will be on exhibit through January 2008.

Guy Lipscomb had a one man show in Greenwood sponsored by the Arts Council of Greenwood County during the month of January and received an award in the Texas Watercolor Society annual exhibition in San Antonio, Texas.

**MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION:**

Send your art news to Paula Grookett (via email or U.S. mail) if you would like it included under TAG ARTISTS IN THE NEWS on the TAG homepage. This news is updated on a regular basis, so keep the news coming. Send news to Pat Spear at [pb0471@aol.com](mailto:pb0471@aol.com) for the newsletter.

**FUTURE PROGRAMS**

**April 9: Joint meeting with SCWS. Jay Gross photographer and graphic designer. Program: "Taking the Fear Out of Digital Imaging and Marketing".**

**May 14: Susan Mayfield Hunnicutt – Pastel/Oils (demo)**

**WORKSHOPS:**

Spring Plein Air Day – Saturday (TBA) with Susan Mayfield Hunnicutt

**TAG ANNUAL MEMBER'S SHOW:**

Tag's annual exhibit of member's work will begin on March 12<sup>th</sup> at Hofp Gallery on Devine Street. The reception will be on March 15<sup>th</sup>.

**MEMBERS SHARE:**

Members are encouraged to bring work to share at our meetings.

If you or anyone you know would like to sign up for "Members Share" for April or May just let us know at the meeting. We will have a sign up sheet at the **front desk**.

**All members are encouraged to bring in work to hang during the social hour at any of our meetings.**

**MONTHLY EXHIBITS:**

**BLUE CROSS-BLUE SHILD**

Third Monday: 10:00-10:45 a.m.  
Verlie Patrick 788-4505 & Sue Martin 788-5498

**EYE PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS:**

Third Tuesday: 12:45-1:30 p.m.  
Nancy Hill 865-1431

**PALMETTO HEALTH RICHLAND**

Third Monday: 9:00-10:00 a.m.  
David Phillips 796-3352

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Happy St. Patrick's Day – Erin Go Bragh !