

Your Gallery Needs a Director, President, 1st Vice President, & Treasurer for 2016

We're currently soliciting officers for the 2016 term. While we have identified several people for positions on the slate, we're still looking for:

- **President** - Presides at meetings, develops agenda with office support, reports progress and represents LAA at activities. Approx 5-6 hours/month.
- **1st Vice-President** - Presides in absence of President and provides support to President. Approx 1-2 hours/month.
- **Treasurer** - Responsible for monies: deposits, disbursements, accurate books, signing checks, filing sales tax, and other reporting. Approx 25-30 hours/month.

If you're interested in any of the these positions, or have questions, please contact Ty Malloy (ty.malloy@me.com) or Paula McDowell (paulamcdowell@bellsouth.net) to discuss.

The ballot goes to print on 12/5, so call us NOW!

NEWSNOTE:

- **Annual Covered Dish Supper:**
Change of date: Tuesday, Dec. 8, 6pm
- **Volunteers Needed in December:**
12/2, 12/3, 12/4, 12/9, and 12/18
- **Its a Wrap Exhibit, Now Thru 1/4/16**
- **Artwalk: Saturday, 12/12**
- **Next Newsletter deadline: Jan 26**
- **Christmas: Friday, Dec. 25**
- **Gallery Closed for Holidays: 12/21-1/11/16**
- **No LAA Meeting in January**
- **Volunteers Needed in January:**
1/13, 1/20, 1/22, 1/27
- **Volunteer Signup Online NOW!**
www.timetosignup.com/laalag/view/51010
- **2016 Freeze Frame Reception Date Changed** from March 27th (Easter) to March 20th, 4:30-6pm

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LAA Art & About NEWSLETTER

DEC 2015/JAN 2016

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Send Us Your ART News!
Next Newsletter Deadline: 1/26/16

PLEASE NOTE:
When sending information to the gallery please note Newsletter Info as the subject.
Email info@lafayetteart.org.

ARTIST OPPORTUNITIES:

- **Cambridge Art Association National Prize Show 2016** Kathryn Shultz Gallery & Offices, 25 Lowell St, Cambridge, MA 02138. (617) 876-0246. www.cambridgeart.org
- **Holiday Sale Hand Star Designs and Clay Studio** 12/4-6 at The Alamo, 318 West Simcoe, 9am-5pm

ART Classes:

- **Hand Star Clay Studio**
Ongoing classes with Adel deValcourt. All ages are welcome. Alamo building, 318 West Simcoe, Lafayette. 337-296-729 or www.handstarclaystudio.com.
- **Drawing Classes**
Ongoing classes with Brian LaFaye, Wednesdays, 5-7pm. LAA members \$90, Non/\$105 for 3 classes (need not be consecutive). \$45/class drop in. (337) 269-0363 or Gail Smith, (337) 322-9254

CALL FOR ARTISTS:

- **Shadows On The Teche Plein Air Competition/Auction & Gala** March 12-19, 2016; Juried competition with cash prizes. Entry Deadline: Dec. 12, 2015. Judging by Roger Dale Brown. For more info: shadows@theteche.org or Joy Maher, joymaher@hotmail.com.
- **Call for LAA Boutique Art**
All items should have hanger, be labeled with artist's name/price, plus an LAA inventory form. Questions? Contact Andrea Schellman at 337-336-8359 (andreaschellman@gmail.com), or Terry McVicar at mcviccart@yahoo.com.
- **Call for Artists for Year Round Outdoor Arts Market**
Located Downtown in the new Wurst Biergarten on Jefferson. Rozalyn Galyean, secondlinejewels@gmail.com.

WELCOME New Members:

- **Anne-Marie Landry**
- **Becky Williams**

LAA Artist Studio Space Available
Studio Matisse, rent is \$300/month. Contact office.

CONGRATS TO LAA Member:

- **Kathy Prejean** (along with 2 other *L'esprit du Metal* members, Laura Teague & Ana Maria Andricain) for recently being featured in *Acadiana Lifestyle* Magazine.

CONDOLENCES TO:

- **Shirley Gauthier** and family for the recent loss of her husband, Lawrence Gauthier. Our heartfelt sympathy to all.

DIRECTORY CORRECTIONS:

- **2015 Covered Dish Holiday Social Date Changed** from 12/1 to Tuesday, 12/8, at 6pm. LAA furnishing hams & trimmings and beverages.
- **2016 Freeze Frame Reception Date Changed** from March 27th (Easter) to March 20th, 4:30-6pm.



Original art always makes a great gift!
Shop the LAA - We wrap them all, big and small for FREE!

LAFAYETTE ART ASSOCIATION & GALLERY

Monthly Volunteer Phone Numbers: Bob Adams, 406-0788; Adrienne Brame, 988-6684; Jan Castille, 591-0242; Susan Chiquelin, 288-3768; Kaye Landry, 298-8372; Angie Miller, 232-9571; Alice Morgan, 225-7211; Marilyn Phillips, 988-0138; Cathy Williamson, 654-5060; Mary Ann Arbruster, 856-8593; Emily Kean, 298-7149; Cindy Hamilton, 212-6562; Joy Maher, 501-4346; and Norma Thompson, 258-1437

GATHER, LEARN & GROW

Thanksgiving - a celebration of all that we are thankful for. As I write my last column as President of the LAA, I want to take the opportunity to thank all of you for allowing me to participate and contribute. I have tried to put some new programs, processes and technology in place, but, alas, my 3 years as President are coming to a close. It is time to redefine my role at the LAA.

Which leads me to my next issue. We are still looking for candidates for President, Vice-President and Treasurer. These roles are essential to a successful organization. If you are interested or have questions, email or call me. And know that I am not planning on disappearing - I will just be in more of a support role going forward. Ballots go to press on December 5th and will be mailed out shortly thereafter.

Really looking forward to the Holiday Potluck Dinner on Tuesday December 8th! I am always thankful for an opportunity to eat some great food and enjoy the company of some wonderful people. Two years ago, I wore a tutu. Last year I had a partridge on my head - Everyone should come out - just to see what I do this year!! Again, I am thankful for the LAA and its members. It's a wonderful place to Gather, Learn and Grow!!

Paula McDowell, President
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- **LAA Main Gallery: It's a Wrap** • Now thru 1/12/16 • Annual all member, juried exhibit
 - **Green Apple Gallery West: Unified Palette** • Thru 1/12/16 • Oils by Dennis Anderson.
 - **Green Apple Gallery: No End In Sight** Thru 1/12/16 • artwork by Patty Ellis
 - **Studio Picasso:** Lafayette Watercolor Guild exhibit thru 1/12/16
 - **Lafayette Convention and Visitors Center:** Photos by Kerry Greichen
 - **LPCG City Hall: Pat Soper Annual Student Exhibit** • Now thru 1/7/16 • Oils; *Bling In The New Year* • 1/8 thru 4/7 • 8th Annual Lafayette Watercolor Guild Exhibit
 - **Pouparts Bistro (Downtown):** Thru 1/6 *Dreamworks* • Artwork by Andre Schellman
 - **Lafayette Public Library: All About Color** Thru 1/7/16 • Norma Thompson, Oils
 - **Vermillionville: Remembering When** Thru 1/12/16 • Glenn Stokes, photography; *First Look at Vermillionville* • 1/13-4/11 • Oils by Norma Thompson
 - **Versailles Centre: Eclectic Works** Norma Thompson • Now thru 1/7/16; *Watercolors by Tony Cutrera* • 1/8-4/7
- Indicates an LAA exhibit location, Tues-Fri, noon til 5pm.

DECEMBER 2015						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
11/29	30 Gallery Closed	1 Ty Maloy Adriene Brame Sheldon Blue	2 NEED VOLUNTEER <i>Pouparts/Andrea Schellman</i> Bryan LaFaye Art Class 5-7pm	3 NEED VOLUNTEER	4 NEED VOLUNTEER FESTIVAL OF LIGHT 5-10pm Oil Center Hand Star Designs Holiday Sale	5 Horse Farm Arts Market BR Arts Market
Shop the LAA It's a Wrap Christmas Exhibit thru 1/4/16		6 HANUKKAH 12/6-12/14 Sonic Xmas Parade	7 Gallery Closed	8 Ty Maloy Adriene Brame ★ Holiday Covered Dish Supper 6pm ★	9 NEED VOLUNTEER Bryan LaFaye Art Class 5-7pm	10 Marilyn Phillips
13	14 Gallery Closed	15 Ty Maloy Adriene Brame ★ If you have an exhibit beginning 1st or 2nd wk of Jan, please submit your label info by today!	16 Cathy Williamson Bryan LaFaye Art Class 5-7pm	17 Susan Chiquelin	18 NEED VOLUNTEER	19 Horse Farm Arts Market BR Arts Market New Orleans Palmer Park 2 Day Art Market
20	21 Gallery Closed	22 Gallery Closed	23 Gallery Closed	24 Gallery Closed	25 Gallery Closed	26 Horse Farm Arts Market
Merry Holidays!						
27	28 Gallery Closed	29 Gallery Closed	30 Gallery Closed	31 Gallery Closed New Year's Noon Children's Museum	1 Gallery Closed HAPPY NEW YEAR!	2 Horse Farm Arts Market BR Arts Market
JANUARY 2016 "An artist cannot fail; it is a success to be one." Charles Horton Cooley						
3	4 Gallery Closed	5 Gallery Closed	6 Gallery Closed	7 Gallery Closed	8 Gallery Closed Versailles Centre 1/8- 4/7 Tony Cutrera: Hang 1/8/16 City Hall 1/8- 4/7 Lafayette Watercolor Guild Hang 1/8	9 Horse Farm Arts Market BR Arts Market
10 Don't Forget! Freeze Frame: Submit & Jury 1/12-1/22	11 Gallery Closed Green Apple Gallery 1/12-3/25; Greg Daley: Submit label info: 12/15/15; Hang 1/12/16 Green Apple West 1/19-3/18; Arthur & Terry McVicar; Label info: 1/12/16; Hang 1/12-15/16	12 Adriene Brame	13 NEED VOLUNTEER Studio Picasso/LWG Submit/Hang 1/12-1/13 Vermillionville Norma Thompson - Hang Bryan LaFaye Art Class 5-7pm	14 Marilyn Phillips Freeze Frame Submit thru 1/22	15 Bob Adams Freeze Frame Submit thru 1/22	16
17	18 Gallery Closed ML King Jr. Day	19 Adriene Brame Freeze Frame Submit thru 1/22	20 NEED VOLUNTEER Freeze Frame Submit thru 1/22 Bryan LaFaye Art Class 5-7pm	21 Susan Chiquelin Freeze Frame Submit tomorrow, 1/22	22 NEED VOLUNTEER Freeze Frame FINAL Day to Submit	23 Horse Farm Arts Market
24	25 Gallery Closed 31	26 Adriene Brame Freeze Frame Hang 1/26-28 NEWSLETTER Info Deadline	27 NEED VOLUNTEER Bryan LaFaye Art Class 5-7pm	28 Cathy Williamson	29 Simone Palmer NEWSLETTER 30th Annual Photo Open Comp Class 1/29-3/20	30 Horse Farm Arts Market New Orleans Art Market Palmer Park

VOLUNTEER Your Gallery Needs Volunteers For December & January:
12/2, 12/3, 12/4, 12/9, & 12/18; 1/13, 1/20, 1/22, & 1/27
Signup Online for 2016 Volunteers Open Now!
2016 Monthly Gallery Volunteer: www.timetosignup.com/laalag/view/51010
2015 Monthly Gallery Volunteer: www.timetosignup.com/laalag/view/36663
LAA/LAG Volunteer Project Signups:
www.timetosignup.com/laalag/sheet/36430

UPCOMING EXHIBITS:

PLEASE NOTE:

Labels for all upcoming exhibits must be submitted at least 1 week prior to your exhibit for typing & printing! (Exception: Shows during the 1st wk of Jan, labels are due 12/15).

• **Main Gallery** 1/29-3/20
Freeze Frame 30th Annual Photo Open Competition
Submit & Jury: 1/12-22; Hang 1/26-28.
Reception: 3/20 (REVISED DATE).
Coordinator: Debbie Burkheiser.

• **Green Apple West**
Double Your Pleasure; Double Your Fun
Wood and textiles by Arthur and Terry McVicar. 1/19-3/18: Submit label info: 1/12/16; Hang 1/12-15/16;
Coordinator: Ty Maloy.

• **Green Apple Gallery**
Thoughtful Design • Photography by Greg Daley, 1/12-3/25. Submit label info: 12/15/15; Hang 12/27/15.
Coordinator: Ty Maloy.

• **Studio Picasso**
WCG Members New Year Exhibit
1/14/16-4/5/16; Submit label info: 12/15/15; Submit 1/12-1/13; Hang: 1/13.

• **Lafayette Public Library** TBA
• **Vermillionville**
First Look at Vermillionville • Oils by Norma Thompson, 1/13- 4/11: Hang 1/13/16. Coordinator: Joni Juergens.

• **Versailles Centre**
Watercolors by Tony Cutrera, 1/8- 4/7: Hang 1/8/16. Coordinator: Norma Thompson.