

LAA NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2018



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President's Blurb

Hello All!

July has rolled around and with it the 32nd Annual *Eye of the Beholder* Open Competition and exhibit. **Final week to submit your entries will be 8/1 through 8/4!** I am excited to say this month has a lot going on in it. Exhibits have changed out at the library, Vermillionville and in our Green Apple Foyer. Please also visit the satellite galleries and take a look. Dusty Reed has some large pieces up in our Galerie Nouvelle and it looks great!

I had a mini workshop helping students to create art using glass and resin on both July 21st and 22nd and we had a blast - Check out our video on Facebook! I can't wait to do it all over again. This month, Terry Palmer will be doing a mini workshop on Sat., August 25th (10am-3pm): **Single Brush, Quick Watercolors.** Due to the great response, he added a 2nd class date the next day, Sun., August 26th. Students will follow along as Terry demos different technique to create 2 different 5X7 watercolors using one brush. AND, stay tuned for Margo Baker's workshop coming up September 15th! It's going to be a lot of fun. You'll be able to create your own Bohemian Garden using collage techniques.

In the meantime, we need to begin to discuss our annual Fundraiser. I have been in discussion with our Lieutenant Governor's Office - he may not only be coming to our event, but, even participating! Stay tuned on that one! The theme for our fundraiser will be **Create Your Own Magic.** We are looking to have a magical evening event with activities and a silent as well as a live auction.

We are waiting to hear back from Lieutenant Governor Billy Nungesser's office as to what date in November he would be available, as our fundraiser will be tailored around that date. I have given them the possible dates of November 3rd or the 10th, since we are having our Open Studio tours on the weekend of November 17th and 18th. Also, if you know of someone who would like to donate a large ticket item that we could publicize and auction off during our live auction, please let me know. I am in the process of organizing the fundraiser and your help would be greatly appreciated!

Thanks to Laurie Legnon for taking care of the *Eye of the Beholder* and don't forget to also pick up your Spring exhibit pieces 8/1-8/4!

*Have a great rest of the Summer!
The kiddos go back to school in a few weeks so its off to family vacation for me!*

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**Submit:
FINAL WEEK!
Aug 1-Aug 4th**

Jury/Judge/Hang: 8/8-8/11
Show Dates: 8/12-10/4
Reception: Sunday, 8/12; 4:40-6pm

NEWS2NOTE:

- **EYE OF THE BEHOLDER: NEW FINAL WEEK TO SUBMIT DATES:** 8/1-8/4; **Jury/Hang:** 8/8; **Judge:** 8/10; **Awards Reception:** Sunday, 8/12 4:30-6pm
- **Spring Exhibit - Art Pick Up Dates:** 8/1-8/4
- **Artwalk:** Sat. 8/11
- **Mini Workshop Dates:** **August 25 & 26: Single Brush, Quick Watercolors** with Terry Palmer, 10am-3pm
- **Newsletter Deadline:** 8/27
- **Upcoming LAA Exhibit Hang Dates:** **8/31 Green Apple West:** Jessica Moore & Jeromy Young, 9/5-11/3

Want to be a part of the 2018 Open Studio Tour Acadiana? November 17th & 18th

The LAA will again be participating and setting up individual artist "studios" within the gallery. We have one or two spaces still available! If you want to join the LAA artists exhibiting and/or doing demos during the tour dates, contact Paula McDowell at paulamcdowell@bellsouth.net. For more info about the event: www.openstudioacadiana.com.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES!

Several of our long serving gallery and event coordinators are stepping down at the end of 2018. Now is a great time to learn how to coordinate galleries, exhibits and events - we'll team you up with the current coordinator so you can learn from the best. If you're interested in keeping the LAA exhibits and events going, please contact Paula McDowell at paulamcdowell@bellsouth.net



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WED-FRI 12-5pm
SAT 10am-2pm

Main Gallery: 32nd Eye of The Beholder Open Competition Exhibit 8/12-10/4 Reception: Sunday, 8/12; 4:30-6pm

Green Apple Gallery: Thru 10/4, **Margo Baker, Everything Summer**

Green Apple Gallery West: Thru 8/26: **New Work by Harold Letz;**
Galerie Nouvelle: Thru 10/4: Works by the Dusty Reed, **The Cajun Picasso**

AT OUR SATELLITE GALLERIES:

LCVC: Photos by **Kerry Greichen**
LPCG City Hall: Thru 10/3 **Years of Experience, Greenhouse Arts Annual Exhibit**

Pouparts Bistro: Thru 9/4 **Artwork by Laurie Legnon**

Laf Public Library/Main: Thru 10/11
BJ Smith, **I Was-Now I Am**

Vermilionville Restaurant: Thru 9/30
Artwork by **Harold Letz**

UPCOMING:

Green Apple Gallery West: 9/5-11/3:
Around the World and Close to Home Work by **Jessica Moore and Jeromy Young**

Pouparts Bistro: 9/5-11/7 Artwork by **Dr. Juan Perez**

CALL FOR ARTISTS!

The LAA is now scheduling artists for 2019 exhibits in the **Green Apple Gallery West**. Contact Andrea Schellman at 337-366-8359 or andreaschellman@gmail.com if you'd like to be one of the exhibiting artists. **Want to submit work for the Green Apple Boutique?** Contact Andrea Schellman at 337-366-8359 or andreaschellman@gmail.com.

LAA MINI WORKSHOP
Single Brush, Quick Watercolors
with Terry Palmer
Sat., Aug 25 (full) & Sun., Aug 26 10am-3pm
\$65 LAA Members/\$75 Non Members

Learn to be spontaneous with your watercolors! Terry will demo different techniques on how to build colors with the use of one brush. Step by step, you will follow along with Terry to create two different 5x7 paintings (Oyster Shell and Rooster). All materials supplied, including (1) mat (bring a small hair dryer if you have one). Class size limited. Break for lunch.

For more info and to register:
email tpalmer@cox-internet.com
or call/text Terry at 337-207-3211

Registration/payment Deadline: August 16th

Mail payments to: Lafayette Art Association & Gallery • PO Box 53065 • Lafayette, LA 70505-3065

LAFAYETTE ART ASSOCIATION & GALLERY

LAA MINI WORKSHOP
Collage & Paint a Bohemian Garden
with Margo Baker
Sat., September 15 10am-3pm
\$45 LAA Members/\$55 Non Members

Grow your own Bohemian Garden with collage, an art method used since the early 20th century! You'll use acrylic paints to make a variety of hand painted shapes and forms to create colorful designs and textures! Then, your garden will be planted onto an 11"x14" canvas using the collage technique! Supplies included. Break for lunch.

For more info & to register: email
drobishc@yahoo.com
or call/text Camilla
at 504-296-2400

Registration/payment Deadline: Sept 7th
Mail payments to: Lafayette Art Association & Gallery • PO Box 53065 • Lafayette, LA 70505-3065

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WE NEED YOU!!

Volunteers needed for these dates:
8/8, 8/9, 8/10, 8/11, 8/16, 8/17, 8/22,
8/24, 8/29, 8/30 and 9/1

Go to: www.timetosignup.com/laalag/sheet/230250

AUGUST		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	LAA Gallery Hours: Open: Wed, Thurs & Fri Noon to 5pm Saturdays, 10am -2pm Closed: Sun, Mon & Tues	30 Main Gallery: EYE of the BEHOLDER Competition Exhibit, 8/12-10/4 Green Apple Foyer: Margo Baker, Everything Summer Thru 10/4	31 Gallery Closed	1 Susan Chiquelin	2 Marcelle Guidry	3 Kaye Landry	4 Kaye Landry
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5	Galerie Nouvelle: <i>Dusty Reed, The Cajun Picasso</i> Thru 10/4 Green Apple West Gallery: Harold Letz, Thru 8/26 Pouparts Bistro: Thru 9/4 Laurie Legnon	6 LPCG City Hall: <i>Years of Experience</i> Thru 10/3 Greenhouse Arts Vermilionville: Harold Letz, <i>Paintings</i> , Thru 9/30 Laf Public Library: Thru 10/11 BJ Smith: <i>I Was, Now I Am</i>	7 Gallery Closed	8 ★ NEED VOLUNTEER EYE OF THE BEHOLDER: Jury/Hang	9 ★ NEED VOLUNTEER	10 ★ NEED VOLUNTEER	11 Art Walk ★ NEED VOLUNTEER
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Volunteer Phone Numbers: Jan Castille, 591-0242; Susan Chiquelin, 288-3768; Kaye Landry, 298-8372; Marilyn Phillips, 988-0138; Cathy Williamson, 654-5060; Mary Ann Armbruster, 856-8593; Karol Fleming, 337 278-5863; Jeanie Kreamer, 337 288-2857; Norma Thompson, 258-1437; Libby Angelle, 981-8532; Arthur McVicar, 591-1725; Simone Palmer, 235-6382; Dianne Baker, 337 233-4112

VOLUNTEER

SUPPORT YOUR ART GALLERY | MEET NEW PEOPLE
GET INVOLVED WITH THE ARTS | KEEP OUR GALLERY OPEN

DAILY GALLERY VOLUNTEERS

LAA volunteers play an invaluable role in the successful daily operation of our gallery by giving their time, Wednesday to Friday 12-5 and Saturday 10-2, to keep the doors open every week. Still, we are always in need of people to gallery sit. If you'd like to volunteer to gallery sit, but don't know how, we'll team you up with someone who is very knowledgeable. It's really easy - just contact us: info@lafayetteart.org

EVENT & GALLERY COORDINATORS

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Art Opportunities

New Watercolor Classes with Tom Powers, 1st & 2nd Levels

Monday Evening 1st Level Watercolor Classes start July 23rd, 6-8pm.
Thursday Afternoon 2nd Level Classes begin 8/2, 1:30-3:30pm.

Art About Town

Events @ The Hilliard Museum

8/22 | 4-6pm Educator's Night
The museum invites educators to spend a fun and relaxing evening at the museum. Learn about current and upcoming exhibitions, field trip opportunities, and the museum's educational resources.

8/22 | 6-8pm

Live Mustic with Caribbean Brass

The Hilliard kicks off the Fall Creative Conversations with a performance by musician Ray Theaux and a video presentation on the history of the Steel Pan and its global influence and impact on music.

9/7 | 6-8pm

Fall Exhibition Opening Reception

MEMBERS ONLY 1st Look | 4-6pm
Public Reception | 6-8pm

Preview the new season of exhibitions! Drinks and light refreshments generously provided by Bon Temps Grill and Dripping Springs Vodka.

Chihuly Days & Nights at Biltmore - Now thru Oct 7

Showcases breathtaking large-scale glass sculptures in an equally breathtaking setting: the historic gardens of America's largest home. Dazzling in daylight, the exhibition takes on a new dimension when viewed after nightfall; experience the brilliance and beauty of these awe-inspiring marvels of color, form, and light. Live music in the gardens and a wine bar make the evening experience all the more enticing. For more info: <https://www.biltmore.com>.



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Spring Art Exhibit
All art in this exhibit must be picked up:
Wed-Fri (noon-5pm) 8/1-8/3
or Sat (10am-2pm) 8/4
Please email tpalmer@cox-internet.com or call 337-235-6382 to make arrangements if you can't pick up your work during these dates/hours.



Une Place à la Table
MUSEUM LOCATIONS
ALEXANDRIA MUSEUM OF ART
7/6-8/25; Opening Reception 7/6
VERMILIONVILLE, LAFAYETTE
8/2-9/21; Opening 8/2 AT 6pm
RURAL LIFE MUSEUM,
BATON ROUGE
9/6-10/29; Opening 9/6 AT 6pm
(Regular museum hours listed on websites)
Please join us at the openings for a toast to CODOFIL with a cup of coffee, conversation and refreshments.
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Sponsorship & Vendor Spaces Available, but limited
For More Info:
BayouRoadBalloonFestival.com
Corey@NewOrleansHomeShow.com
504-835-6383

Closing Words: "Always keep your eyes open. Keep watching. Because whatever you see can inspire you".
Grace Coddington