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A Newsletter of the Tempe Artists Guild



TAG hosted 125 guests at the opening reception for its 3rd annual show at the Tempe History Museum.

(More photos on next page)



Tempe Artists Guild meets the *3rd Thursday of each month at 6:30 pm.* (Critique at 5:45) See Upcoming Events Page in this newsletter

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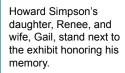
Thanks to Grace Soderberg and Sonya Will for the delicious food!

Photos from the Tempe History Museum Show











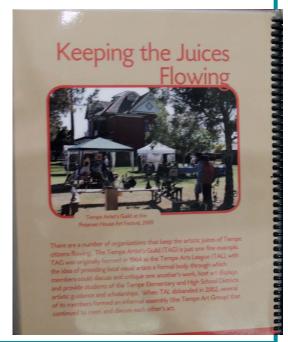




Check out the Museum's book on "Five Decades of the Arts". You'll see a page or two acknowledging TAG's contributions to the art in Tempe.

(See the page on the right showing a photo of our art show on the grounds of the Petersen House.)





Upcoming Events

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, NOV. 7th & 8th -

Acrylic Textural Abstract Workshop with Penny Benjamin Peterson at Friendship Village Rec Center, from 9 - 4 each day, w/1 hr for lunch. Cost: \$100 You don't have to be a TAG member to participate in this exciting workshop. If interested, email Yvonne Thomas at ythomas@q.com

THURSDAY, NOV. 20TH -

<u>TAG meeting</u>: Critique at 5:45 pm, Business meeting at 6:30. MCC art scholarship awards
Program by **Sue Norton-Scott** on "Questioning the Questions" (See her website at www.suenortonscott.com.)

FRIDAY, DEC. 5TH - SUNDAY, DEC. 14TH - Arizona Art Alliance Holiday Exhibit and Sale in Tempe. TAG members are eligible to enter work for jurying into the show. See details at www.azartalliance.com/AAA_events.html.

THURSDAY, DEC. 18TH -

<u>TAG meeting:</u> **5:30 pm. Annual Holiday Potluck**. Bring a dish to share. On the agenda for the evening: Brief business meeting, slate of candidates for board of directors presented, Artist of the Year selected, entertainment

THURSDAY, JAN. 15th -

<u>TAG meeting:</u> Critique at 5:45 pm, Business meeting at 6:30. Program by **Bruce Stam** on plein aire painting

THURSDAY, FEB. 19TH -

<u>TAG meeting:</u> Critique at 5:45 pm, Business meeting at 6:30. Program by **Katherine Hope**, on acrylics and cement painting

As always, thank you to Arizona Art Supply, Jerry's Artarama, Affordable Framing and Blick for their support!!!

(When you visit their stores, please let them know they're appreciated.)

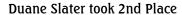
ALAN CARROLL IS SEPTEMBER'S ARTIST OF THE MONTH!



Alan comments on his colored pencil work titled, "Jackson"

"My grandson, Jackson, is a little rascal. He
has boundless energy, a
great sense of humor, is
extremely bright, and is
a video game master. I
tried to capture his goofy
personality in the drawing
and I believe I succeeded.
I am really proud of this
work."







Donna Davis took 3rd Place

SEPTEMBER MEETING

Our guest artist for September was award winning artist Anne Peyton. Her presentation conveyed to us her determination, drive and inspiration for her artwork.

Anne's artwork is in permanent collections and has also been seen in many exhibitions throughout the United States. A beautiful swan painting of Anne's won 2nd place in the latest International Artist Magazine competing with artists from around the world. Our congratulations to you, Anne.





Duane Slater led the critique.







Lucky \$25 gift certificate winners were Wilma Dilley (Arizona Art Supply), Teena Prentice (Blick), Gail Boyd (Jerry's Artarama), and Mike Wilson (Affordable Framing).



Margi Hansche (left) and Grace Soderberg (right) won art books donated by former TAG member, JoAnn Mathews.



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JEAN HAMRICK is October's Artist of the Month!

Jean comments on her acrylic painting,

"I had been to the mining ghost town of Gold-field in March of this year (2014). I decided to take on a challenge of painting a series of old and rusted things in this town. This is the first of those paintings. In each series I paint, I push myself to try new ideas and techniques to better my artwork."



Sharon Abbott takes 2nd Place

TAG Welcomes Newest Members!

Terry Gott is a watercolor artist.

Lisa Sargent works in oils and acrylics.

WELCOME TO TAG!!



Jean with her winning painting.



Grace Soderberg has 3rd Place honors

October Meeting

In October, our guest artist was award winning Scottsdale artist Lauren Knode. We met Lauren at the Arizona Fine Art Expo tent and saw many of her beautiful paintings of skyscapes and florals. These were done in different mediums of oil, pastel, acrylic, and oil sticks.

Lauren explained that there was very little information out there on the use of oil sticks. In her demo for us she showed us the many versatile ways the oil sticks can be used in your artwork as a complete small painting or add-

ing highlights or glazes to a larger painting. It is always appreciated when an artist shares his/her knowledge with other artists.

Dave Flitner, successful local artist and instructor, was our guest critique leader. Dave not only discussed the work brought for review, but also passed along valuable information to the artists in attendance. TAG thanks Dave for his time and his willingness to share.













Lucky \$25 gift certificate winners were Jean Hamrick (Arizona Art Supply), Terry Gott (Affordable Framing), Alice Van Overstraeten (Jerry's Artarama), Jean Hemp (Blick) and Tommy Gaitan (AZ Art Supply certificate donated by the family of Howard Simpson).



Our good friend and the Vice President of TAG, **Yvonne Thomas,** will soon be moving with her husband to South Carolina. Yvonne has done an outstanding job of bringing us interesting and varied program speakers each month for the past 2 years. She also set up several well received workshops during her tenure.

Yvonne, we can't thank you enough for all your contributions to TAG!! As vice president, you'll be hard to replace, but as a friend, you are irreplaceable!

All your friends at TAG wish you the very best in your new adventure. We know you will make many more friends in your future home.

Barbara Wood was the Master of Ceremonies at the reception for the Senior Art Exhibit which opened in October at the Tempe Public Library.

Evelyn Gholson will participate in a Holiday Boutique. She writes:

"This year I will be participating in the Dayspring Holiday Boutique the weekend of November 13 - 15.
I will have my handwoven Italian Fiber Scarves, Armature Wire Jewelry, Wire-Wrapped Knife Spreaders, Holiday Pillows, Mosaics and more....
There will be over 60 vendors so should be a great boutique to attend!"

Dayspring Holiday Boutique located at Dayspring United Methodist Church 1365 E. Elliot Rd. (between Rural & Mc-Clintock) Tempe

Thursday, Nov. 13 5:30PM - 9:00PM Friday, Nov. 14 9:00AM - 7:00PM Saturday, Nov. 15 9:00AM - 3:00PM

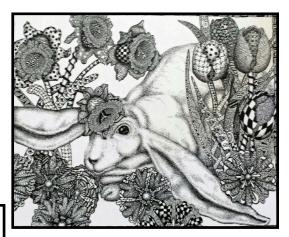
See their website for more info. www.dayspringpreschool.com/boutique

Hope to see you there! Evelyn

Member News & Notes



Janet Fagan led a tour of the TAG exhibit at the Tempe History Museum for a group from Friendship Village.



Rose Swartz had her work on exhibit at Talebue Coffee in Chandler during Sept. through early October. (Above is a bunny done in ink on bristol board.)



Barbara Wood sold this painting of a chihuahua while it was on exhibit at the Meritus offices in Tempe.

Other artists selling work were Evelyn Gholson and Alice Van Overstraeten.



Gail Boyd had a one-woman exhibit of her exciting "collage" paintings in September at the Friendship Village Gallery..



Norton-Scott at Herberger

One of Sue Norton-Scott's works is on exhibit at the Herberger Theater Gallery through November 30. The show is titled, "The Ways of Water".

Her piece is called "Good Intentions" and is a surrealistic 3-dimensional piece involving a lifeboat in trouble, and the good intention to

save it is making the situation worse. Viewers can determine what the lifeboat symbolizes, but there's a clue about my thoughts in the imbedded QR code that can be scanned by a smart phone.

Reception at Meritus

On September 10, Meritus hosted an art show and reception in appreciation of the Tempe Artists Guild's rotating art displays in its Tempe offices. Delicious hors d'oeuvres and beverages were provided for invited guests. The party was an opportunity for TAG artists to show off and sell their work. (Several pieces were sold that night.)

It has been over a year since TAG and Meritus formed their alliance; and it has been beneficial for both parties. The Meritus employees and business clients appreciate and enjoy the art, and several TAG members have their sold art in the offices.



Gail Boyd and Donna Davis stand in front of Gail's paintings of Tempe's Mill Avenue, which were purchased by Meritus for their lobby.



Ruth Graham, Gail Boyd, Sonya Will, and Sandy Lunsford take in the scene.









Evelyn Gholson with her mosaics



Jean Hemp and Karen Curran enjoy the buffet goodies.