

Lake Placid Art League Newsletter

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Members' Exhibit

The Art League Members' Exhibit for the community will be **Sunday, February 10th** from 1 until 4 pm. Members may bring in two pieces of artwork for the exhibit. Please bring in your pieces by Thursday at 2pm. If you have a class, you may bring your artwork at that time. We would appreciate donations of finger food refreshments for the exhibit. The league will provide punch, table décor, plates and glassware. Let's make this a great exhibit for the community so they can see and learn about the quality artwork created by our townspeople.

January Meeting

Eileen Tietz, vice president, conducted the January meeting and we thank her for all her efforts for this and for running the show due to the Snyders' absence because of Bill's accident. Rose Besch presented a program on citrasolv altered paper for the members who attended. Her program introduced a new technique for artists to explore. Rose stepped in when Barb Wade had to withdraw due to her hubby's illness. Get well, Gale, and thanks to Rose for her presentation and great efforts.

February Meeting

Speaker Eileen Tietz will present a powerpoint on perspective at our February meeting on **Wednesday, Feb. 20**. Eileen will go back to her teaching days when she introduced her students to perspective, a way to draw or paint depth. This meeting is a potluck, so bring a dish to share. Dinner is at 5:00 pm followed by a short business meeting, ending the evening with Eileen's presentation.

Country Fair

Our members set up a tent at the Country Fair to promote the Art League. Our artists and woodcarvers demonstrated their talents and talked to visitors about the Art League. Volunteers worked to set up our new tent and participated throughout the two day show in the weekend heat. Ernie Bell chaired this endeavor and we thank her and her many volunteers who made the event a success.

Congratulations to all our members who won awards during the two day Country Fair. We are fortunate to have this event for members to display their talents. Again, great going, members!!!

Plein Air Heads UP!

Get ready! – we will hold our annual Lake Placid Art League Plein Air Event on **Saturday, March 16** and **Sunday, March 17**. We will be outdoors painting locally on Saturday, and present our finished artwork on Sunday at our Art League building, 1-4 p.m. Peoples' Choice Awards will be presented. Please contact Fran Rolston (465-0038) if you are interested. Paint or draw local interests. For instance, Fran would like to see us have a "new creative take" on our Lake Placid Tower. All mediums are welcome. This will be Fun; we can paint as a group to depict our Tower in our own individual creative way. Put it on your Calendar; plan to attend. A small donation to our LP Art League will be required for registration.

Field Trip to MOFAC -

South Florida State College Museum of Florida Art and Culture is presenting a Show of the Arts Faculty from Daytona State College. We will attend the Opening Reception Thursday, Feb. 21, 1 p.m. Meet at our Lake Placid Art League Building at 12 noon and we will carpool up to the Avon Park campus. Call Fran Rolston if you are interested in going (465-0038).

Lake Placid Art League January Show

We experienced unexpected difficulties this year because of Bill Snyder's hospitalization and Marlene had to be with Bill. Art League members, under the guidance of Eileen Tietz, stepped up and did a fantastic job. Hiram and Linda Childs headed the wood carvers' kitchen and arranged for food, set up and volunteers. John and Wanda Nichols took care of all the monies, made deposits and prepared a preliminary expense report, which will be ready after all bills are paid. Volunteers were so numerous that we cannot mention them but, please note, you are greatly appreciated for your help and support. The show was a success and demonstrated what can happen when everyone joins forces to bring about success for our show, artists, and Art League.

Show Awards

Best of Show

Llewellyn Rinald, Mixed Media

First Places

Bonnie MacDonald,	Wood Turnings and Glass
Dottie Bade,	Jewelry
Fawn McNeill-Barr,	Original Paintings
Brad Grinis,	Pen and Pencil Drawings
Timothy Hall,	Photography
Mike Nelson,	Wood Carvings, Original Paintings
Robert Fragale,	Silver Sculptures
Elzbieta Weron,	Creative Photography

Second Places

Marge Carney,	Original Paintings
Jenni Novak,	3 Dimensional Artworks
Pam Luckey,	Beaded Jewelry
Wayne Huff,	Wooden Bowls
Thomas Petro,	Original Paintings
Dan Burleigh Phillips,	Watercolors
Bruce Trewyn,	Creative Metal Artworks
Patricia Cespedes,	Foam and Fabric Art Creations

Third Places

John Henry,	Wood Turnings
Rose Besch,	Original Paintings, 2&3 Dimensional Paintings
Satya Ohama Narra,	Jewelry, Photography
Lynn Scarborough,	Beaded Jewelry
Tony Tapia,	Woven Baskets
Robert Broughton,	Tie Fabric Artwork
Mary Seigfreid,	Nature Photography
Cindy Rose Eaton,	

Artworks Donated For Our Drawing

A huge bouquet of appreciation goes to the Art League members who donated artwork for our drawing. We received \$756.00 for the beautiful pieces that were given to the Art League for this part of our show.

Dotti Bade's jewelry	Earl Johnson
Joan Swanson's painting	Darla Rhode
Ida Maxon's painting	Roberta Harrison
Don Kah's mixed media artwork	Karin Harrison
Barb Wade's modern art piece	Shirley Richards
Joan Dunn's china art piece	Margaret Nipper
Llewellyn Rinald's mixed media	Dale Lachacz
Bill Snyder's butterfly carving	Alice Oldham
John Henry's wood turning	Christie
Mary Behler's sparkling lady	Pat McCall
Rose Besch's creative painting	Jennifer McNully
Pat Keesling's painting	Norman Koff

Letter from the President

A truly heartfelt appreciation goes out to all the Art League members who volunteered to produce a wonderful art show this year. Bill and I wish to thank each person for pitching in to make the show a success by working beyond the

ordinary because of the accident and Bill's hospital stay. We have always known what special people belong to our Art League and each of you proved that in January. We are working for a recovery and Bill is now in Wauchula in rehab, hoping for a recovery. The staff has limited Bill's visiting hours until after 4 pm. Again, thank you, everyone!

Upcoming Dates:

Please drop off artwork with your name on the back to the art league on the Thursdays before each of the show dates from 9am till 2pm.

LP Art League Members' Show:	Feb. 10 1-4 p.m.
Wood Carvers Show:	Mar. 10 1-4 p.m.
Plein Air Painting Event & Show:	Mar. 16 & 17
LP Art League Classes' Show:	Apr. 14 1-4 p.m.

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Members' Show
 Come see what our members are creating
Feb. 10th
 1-4 pm
 127 Dal Hall Blvd.
 Lake Placid
 Free Admission and Refreshments

Lake Placid Art League
Drawing
 \$5 per ticket 5 tickets for \$20
 Great Horned Owl
 This woodcarving was done by Jim "Doc" Loftus,
 a renowned local woodcarver
 Winning ticket will be drawn March 10th at 4:00pm
 during the Woodcarving show.
 Winner does not need to be present to win.