

# Lake Placid Art League Newsletter

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November 2017

## Note from Joan Swanson

Thank you so much for your sweet card and all your kind messages. I miss each one of you and I miss the creative atmosphere of our art league. I hope to catch up to messages and my apologies for not responding. It is astounding the details and number of contacts involved in a sudden, unexpected move.

I have a small, but adequate apartment and meals, cleaning, laundry, meds, are taken care of. I feel like a queen. There are various activities and entertainments, shopping and eat out trips.

Pepper is doing fine, loves meeting people. It is definitely a major adjustment, moving into a new phase of my life, but a necessary one, which I intend to make the best of. I hope to see you from time to time. This is a condensed version of note which has been posted at the League.

## A Huge Thank You

Ken Lorant has worked to repair our artist's easel on the front lawn of the Art League. The easel helps identify our building to the community. It has been his project since its inception; we thank him for designing it, having it built originally and we now appreciate Ken's repair of the brushes and surface.

## December Luncheon

We plan to have our December holiday luncheon on Wednesday, December 13th at twelve o'clock at Bo David's Restaurant in south Lake Placid in the Sun n Lakes Subdivision just east of US 27; turn east at the mural entry walls. The luncheon will cost \$20 per person; reservations can be made by calling Penny Edmondson at 699 2975 at this time; reservations and payments will be taken at our November meeting as well. Mail in reservations

to the Lake Placid Art League, PO Box 2739, Lake Placid, FL 33862.

The menu consists of salad, choice of entrees of chicken marsala, grilled white fish, or prime rib, baked potato, green beans, roll and butter with beverages of water, sweetened or unsweetened tea, regular or decaf coffee. Desserts will be vanilla/chocolate cake or pumpkin or apple pie.

We would encourage everyone to attend and enjoy our December luncheon. We are fortunate to have wonderful members and look forward to seeing as many as possible at our annual holiday event.

## Winter Resident Passes Away

Warren Kirk of Wisconsin, longtime woodcarver and member of our Art League passed away last week. He was transported to Tampa General Hospital after falling at his doctor's office. Services will be up north; we will donate in his memory to our scholarship fund. Penny Edmondson will send a card to the family at this time. People may remember when Warren carved a mantle for his son's cabin in the north, a tremendous project which had turned out beautifully.

## Member-Artists Visits to Lake Place H.S.:

We are working with Andy Hammett, Lake Placid H.S. Art Teacher, for visits to her classroom. Any of our member artists who would like to demonstrate in her classroom (one artist visit per month), please call Fran Rolston, 465-0038. Fran is coordinating the visits January thru May. We are not presenting a Lesson Plan, only giving a presence of an Artist at Work; the students can paint along, or just observe. Call Fran for more information if you are interested.

## Results of our recent Survey:

Most prominent remarks/suggestions: "I would like to help on a Fund Raising Committee" "How about a space for a Shop to show and sell our Artwork/Crafts" "Even one trip a year would be great" "We need new blood" "invite even one friend/neighbor to our meeting" "Have themed-shows or dual artists shows" "more classes and trips" "Classes/workshops taught by outside professionals" "more demonstrations at meetings" "art in the community projects" "have a calling-committee to invite/remind about meetings" "building needs improving" ***Thanks you for all your input; we appreciate you taking the time to give us your feedback. Please let us hear from you if you have any more suggestions. Thank you.***

Members-Garage Sale: Planned for Saturday, Dec. 9, (8 a.m. to 2 p.m.,) for sale of members' artwork/crafts and their various household items. We plan to have refreshments for sale also. Indoor table: \$15 each; outdoor table \$10 -these proceeds to benefit our Art League. We will advertise in our local newspaper. Call Fran Rolston to reserve your table, 465-0038; **sign up deadline: Dec. 1.**

## Special Program in November

Our Art League meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 15th at 5 o'clock with a covered dish dinner and business meeting. Eileen Tietz will present a program on composition for our members. Please come to our meeting and enjoy the special program with Eileen, former art teacher and present day wood carver. Bring checks for our December Holiday luncheon so we can determine our numbers soon.

**Newer Members.** Place in your directory, please.

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## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP FOR NEXT YEAR

NOVEMBER, 2017-OCTOBER, 2018

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