

Corvallis Art Guild
Brush Strokes



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Art Capital of the Pacific Northwest

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Next Meeting : **January 4th**

Note: We're meeting at the Library this month.

Social 1/2 Hour at 7:00 PM
General Meeting 7:30 PM

Program for January: CAG member, Herb Berman, will give a talk about his style of oil painting, examples of his work, and answer questions from the membership. You can view some of his portrait paintings at <http://www.HerbertBerman.com>. He also maintains a blog at <http://herb32427.wordpress.com/> where you can view some of his still life's and landscapes. He also teaches art in his home studio and has devised several designs of artists' easels that would be the answer to an artist working in tight quarters.



Herb Berman

Presidents Message- January 2010

Happy New Year Everyone. We have a number of great meeting programs lined up for the coming year and hopefully we will again be able to have our usual summer events. We will for sure have the Clothesline Sale and I have already contacted some of you to help in its organization. I will continue doing this is the next few weeks. I am counting on those of you who have benefited the most from the sale in the past to accept some of this responsibility. This year we want to further enhance the sale publicity and Maureen has already set up a website for us at <http://www.clotheslinesale.org> . We will shortly be adding content including links and images. The sale this year will be on August 7.

Remember that in June we will be having our annual election and I am hoping that some of you feel strongly enough about the Guild to agree to be nominated. Operators are standing by.

Mike



Herb Berman

Celebrate Your Accomplishments

A wonderful blog for the business of being an artist: ArtBizBlog.com. This particular post offers a great way to review your 2009 accomplishments with regards to marketing your artwork. Worth the read.
<http://www.artbizblog.com/2009/12/celebrate2009.html>

Interested in Marketing Your Art?

Maureen Frank is forming a Art Marketing Salon which will meet for 9 sessions, starting mid to late January with a meeting every other week. She is recruiting fellow artists who are serious about marketing their art. The only requirements are that you are committed to attending all 9 sessions, that you'll participate with positive feedback and support other group members in their endeavors, and that this is a safe place for members to be open, honest, and trusting. Best of all it's free to participate. If this sounds like something you would be interested in and committed to doing, please contact Maureen with days of the week and times that would work best for you to attend. She can be reached at 754.0935 or Maureen@TheMandalaLady.com. A location will be determined once the members of the salon have been established. To read more about the program go to <http://artbizconnection.com/>

Marie Wilson had surgery Dec 10th. Things went really well, 6 weeks to completely heal and she's almost thru week 2. She thanks everyone for their well wishes and communication.

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Carol Chapel's retrospective show at the Museum in Philomath continues until January 8.
www.carolchapel.com



Maureen Frank

Paul Rickey has a monthly Comcast cable program in the works called "Focus On Art" that will consist of interviews with local artists, and other arts supporters. We'll stay tuned.

Chinh Le is having an exhibit of his silk paintings at the Sam Station's restaurant during the month of January.

The Pegasus Gallery is exhibiting a selection of **Frances Stilwell's** paintings, now through the month of January.

In December **Petra Rohlf's** sold 4 pieces of her art at them Timberline Athletic Club.

Future Programs

February 1 - Sherrie Horning of U-Craft-It: Framing

March 1 - Donna Beverly: TBD

April 5 - Cynthia Spencer, Director of Corvallis Fall Festival: Fall Festival Application Process

May 3 - Scott Huetten: Photography Your Art

First call to artists:

The Albany Painting Enthusiasts (APES) in partnership with the Albany Arts Commission will sponsor a juried two dimensional art show at LaSelles Stewart Center in May 2010. Entrants are limited to those residing in zip codes 97321 and 97322. Submissions must be received by April 1st 2010. The entry fee is \$20 for three submissions.

For more information contact Michael or Billie Moore at albanyartshow@gmail.com, 601 NE Peach Tree Lane, Albany, OR 97321, or by phone at 541 928 6182.

Listen up..... A revised membership list policy. In order to protect the privacy of our members we have created a password protected membership list on our website. corvallisartquild.org. and are no longer including addresses or phone numbers of new members. Where is the password? It's in the text of the e-mail that you clicked on to get this Brush Strokes newsletter.

New Members:

Jennifer Wig Media: Oil, Mixed Media

Kristin Hager Media: Watercolor, Acrylic, Oil & Pastel



Pam Serra-Wenz

Tip from **Carol Selberg**: In this Freezing weather, put out a freshly brushed with water sheet of watercolor paper..blend a pale wash of colors over it, and get some crystal patterns.

Message: McKenzie River Trust would like to invite you to participate in The Living River, a juried art exhibit. Below is a shortened version of the requirements. Please go to our website at www.McKenzieRiver.org and click on THE LIVING RIVER Juried Art Exhibit April 2 - May 1, 2010 for complete information.

In celebration of the McKenzie River Trust's 20th anniversary, the exhibit celebrates environmental awareness and the beauty and vibrancy of rivers and streams of western Oregon and the important role they play in the life of our communities. The exhibition is being held from April 2 to May 1, 2010 at the Jacobs Gallery at the Hult Center, Eugene.

Eligibility: This juried exhibition is open to all artists (professional, emerging, and students) who reside in the Northwest.



Doyle Leek

HANGING AROUND TOWN

	Quantity	January	February	March
Benton Hospice	11	Caroline Waterman	Pam Van Londen	
Borders Bookstore*	7	Jane Ann Warkentin	Sharon Popleton	
Corvallis Chamber of Com.	12	Bruce Tucker	DiAnn Acevedo	Chuch Kelley
Darrell's Restaurant ****	6	Claudia Weintraub	Dorthea Franzosa	Ginny Morse
Fidelity National Title Co	10/10	Chuck Kelley	Mark Allison	
Grace Center ***	10	Ginny Morse	Jane Ann Warkentin	
Montessori School	8 /10	Rhoda Fleischman	Pam Van Londen	DiAnn Acevedo
Red Horse Coffee	10	Sundbaum-Sommers	Laura Crosby	Carolee Clark
Samaritan Cancer Center	10	Bob Stebbins	Ginny Morse	
Samaritan Village	10	Ginny Morse	Bob Stebbins	
The Soup Shop	20	Diann Acevedo	Pam Van Londen	
		Molly Perry		
Timberhill Athletic Club	10 /10	Terry Tallis	Alice Ann Eberman	Linda Edwards
		Pam Hough	Andrea Seavers	Chinh Le
Two Month Venues				
Central Willamette Credit	10	Paul Rickey	Paul Rickey	Jean Lawrence
Copytronix Hendersons	6 /6	Kristi Hager	Kristi Hager	Caroline Waterman
Corvallis Caring Place	10 /10	Paul Rickey	Paul Rickey	
Samaritan Internal Med.**	10	April Fisher	April Fisher	

Contact Exhibit Chair **Marjorie Kinch** at mkinch@proaxis.com

*Border's Books - Use non-marking tacking substance. **This site requires you to call before hanging 738-0580 ***Please call Rene Knight 754-8417 who requests that the hanging and take down be coordinated with her and each of the two persons involved. ****Need to use fishing line to hang

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Hope Meados

LINDA EDWARDS' WINTER CLASSES AT LBCC

LANDSCAPE PAINTING IN WATERCOLOR

ALBANY COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Fridays 01:00-03:50pm, 8 weeks: Jan. 8 to Feb. 26, 2010, at the Albany Senior Center
\$75 - TUITION*

Class Description:

Working from your photos and sketches, hone your skills in landscape painting in preparation for spring's blossoming! There will be demonstrations of basic watercolor techniques with a focus on landscape elements and composition. All levels welcome. Materials list available prior to class.

RENDERING IN WATERCOLOR

BENTON CENTER

Wednesdays 09:30-12:20pm, 10 weeks: Jan. 6 to Mar. 10, 2010, at the Benton Center
\$84 - TUITION*

Class Description:

Working from photographs and/or highly rendered drawings, paint very realistic watercolors. Learn how to combine elements from various sources into one effective composition.

*Oregon residents aged 62 or older pay 75% tuition.