

Regular Meetings are always*
 1st Wednesday of the month at 6:45 p.m.
 SC City Hall Cafeteria
 1500 Warburton Avenue
 Santa Clara, CA
 *July is dark – No Meeting
 August - Potluck social and auction
 Begins 6:00 p.m.
 December – Holiday lunch and
 Installation of Officers



LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

It’s hard to believe that our summer is over so soon. Perhaps, to some of you it’s not soon enough after the record-breaking heat we experienced. The sad part for me, since I love working in the garden, was that I didn’t get to do as much gardening this year as I usually do because of two factors: first, too much rain, and then too much heat. In spite of all this my garden survived quite well without me. That’s pretty much how it is in nature; the flowers bloom and the trees grow quite well without you. I wish that was true for an organization like ours. We need volunteers to fill the various positions to keep our club running efficiently. If there is something about the club you do not like, participate and help improve or change things by doing. Be an active member and find out how fulfilling it can be to see your ideas in action.

Our nominating committee canvassed many of you to see what you can do for the club this coming year. If you said no to any of their suggestions, please reconsider by reading the list of positions in our club roster to see if perhaps there is something there you can do after all.

Connie O’Connell

2006 OFFICERS

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SHOW YOUR WORK OPPORTUNITIES

Santa Clara City Hall Cafeteria (2 months)
 Call Ron Garcia at 408-203-7489

October-November: Annette Scott

MONTHLY AWARDS

September, 2006

General Category:

- 1st Pl. Tie: Pat Gora - “Arizona Landscape”
- 1st Pl. Tie: Gerald Paz - “Still Life Flower”
- 1st Pl. Tie: Ketra Oberlander - “State (Flower) of Grace”
- 2nd Place: Laura Iverson - “SF Bay in Golden Glow”



Master’s Category:

- 1st Pl. Tie: Bud Hunziker – “The Little Shoemaker”
- 1st Pl. Tie: Pat Hunziker – “Sequoia Redscape”
- 2nd Place: Donna Orme – “Great America”



UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Board Meeting: Tuesday, October 10, 2006
 Santa Clara City Hall Cafeteria, 1:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! Minutes and treasurer’s reports are always available to members.

Refreshments for October 4, 2006 meeting provided by: **Flo Bey, Jane Kwant and Cathy Paz.** Please remember to put \$1 in the kitty.

Board-approved membership fees
beginning January, 2007:

\$30 primary member
\$45 two family members who participate in all events.
\$10 Associate member/non participating family member.
\$10 Newsletter only.

Membership includes artwork on website @ www.santaclaraartassoc.com

Anyone who becomes a member of the SCAA after July will be charged \$15 for the remainder of the year.

MEMBER NEWS

Deborah Matlack has had a painting accepted by the Pastel Society of America in their International Open; had two paintings accepted by The Sierra Pastel Society in their International Open; won an award in the North West Pastel Society's International Open and received her Signature status there; Won an Honorable Mention for an oil in Santa Cruz Art League's National "Art of Painting".

NEW MEMBERS (Add to Your Roster)

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At the Triton Museum of Art

Beyond the Likeness: Self-Portraits by California Artists, 8/8-10/15/06.

UPCOMING SCAA BUSINESS AT THE GENERAL MEETINGS

October – Nominating committee reports to membership the proposed slate of officers as follows:

President: Rose Hudson
Vice President: Ketra Oberlander
Secretary: Martha Edwards
Treasurer: Joy Kuo

November – Election of Officers.

December – Installation of Officers.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS – 2006

Exhibits:		
Cafeteria	Ron Garcia	203.7489
Headon Inman House	Bill Malaun	252.4323
Historian	Yao-pi Hsu	244.3913
Holiday Banquet	Bernie Romasko	296.1383
	Joann Quinn	374.2957
Hospitality	Martha Edwards	248.4825
	Jasbir Singh	729.1279
Mail (Pickup)	Bernie Romasko	296.1383
Membership	Bernie Romasko	296.1383
	Wendell Fiock	225.7169
Monthly Awards	Ketra Oberlander	423.8220
	Kotoko Dangerfield	988.4341
Newsletter Editor	Donna Orme	249.7746
Newsletter Mailing	Rose Hudson	554.8351
Outside Show Directors:		
Triton Museum of Art	Connie O'Connell	243.6679
AVArtfest	Ketra Oberlander	423.8220
Parliamentarian	Joann Quinn	374.2957
Potluck/Auction	Wendell Fiock	225.7169
Program Chairman	Ruth Priest	248.5338
Sunshine	Bernie Romasko	296.1383
Telephone	Ellie Bourgeau	243.0317
	Deborah Matlack	267.4467
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www.santaclaraartassoc.com		
Welcoming Hostess	Pat Gora	247.5326

CALL US TO ANNOUNCE YOUR SHOW OR ANY NEWS!!!



Newsletter **Deadline** for November Issue: **10/13/06**
Send information via email to: donnaormear@aol.com
or call 408-249-7746.

******* ART RESOURCE TABLE *******

Finally there's a use for those materials you didn't like or don't need anymore. Label them with a price tag and bring them to the SCAA monthly meetings. Proceeds of all sales go directly to the artist.

Artists' Portfolio Reviews – 1st Monday of each month. Critique by Executive Director & Senior Curator, George Rivera. Participation is free and will last 15-20 minutes. Call Preston Metcalf at 408.247.3754 for information and review scheduling.

Jane Hofstetter Watercolor Workshop – October 25 & 26 at Hakone Garden in Saragota. \$55/day. Your reservation is your check made out to Hakone Foundation and mailed to Gerri Furman, 20001 Winter Lane, Saratoga, CA 95070. For more information, call Gerri at 408.867.2634 or gsfurman2@sbcglobal.net. Jane, who is an excellent, inspiring teacher, will be working with landscapes—both realistic and abstract. Her book “7 Keys to Great Paintings” is available from North Light Books and is a great resource!

I love California Plein Air Watercolors plus Collage Abstracts by **Kay Duffy** AegisGallery, 14531 Big Basin Way at 4th St., Saratoga, CA 95070, 408.867.0171 September 25-October 22, 2006. Visit Kay at the gallery Wednesday, October 3, 3-7 pm + Sunday, October 22, 12-7 pm. Kay will teach a collage class at Hakone Gardens on October 13 & 14 as well as a new series of watercolor classes on the 2nd and 4th Monday mornings. To see more of Kay's work, visit her virtual gallery at www.kayduffywatercolors.com.

SCULPTURE CLASS

Sculpture class held in the Willow Glen area now has two openings available for a self-directed student. Class meets each Thursday from 3 – 5:30 p.m. Teacher is in attendance once a month. Call Connie O'Connell at 408-243-6679 or Deborah Matlack at 408-267-4467.

University Art—For Class Schedule see <http://www.universityart.com/class>.

October, 2006 Demonstrator Marianne Rodgers - Acrylic

In the lovely month of October Marianne Rodgers will demonstrate her techniques in acrylic. Marianne was captivated by art as far back as she can remember. She liked to copy comic strips as a child and started her art career with a comic strip in a local newspaper. As a youngster she also loved animation.

But with college she matured and so did her art. While working on her BA in Art History at the University of Maryland she took courses in entymology and biology that enabled her to produce figures that were anatomically correct. But she also painted surrealistic landscapes and figures with crisp chiaroscuro outlines.

She is best known for her whimsical and realistic animals that you can see on her website at www.mindtwin.com. "Every hair, blemish, marking and expression are carefully rendered to create a beautiful work of art," she says. She "strives to remain true to the subject, physically and emotionally." But her paintings are not photorealistic.

Marianne likes to exaggerate and tends to favor colors that are visually and emotionally strong. She enjoys using thick colored outlines, strong lighting and twisted figures. Her work can be categorized in four basic styles: surrealist organic landscapes, abstracts and whimsical and realistic animals.

For October she will be showing us how she paints animals. We will learn some basic techniques for painting different kinds of animal fur, feathers and eyes. This is an artist with a lot of demonstrating experience so you can expect to learn something and to be inspired. Don't miss it; you'll be glad you came.

Your loyal Program Coordinator Ruth Priest.

SCAA Newsletter now in color. Visit www.santaclaraartassoc.com. Join other members who view the monthly newsletter online instead of the black and white printed version sent by US mail. Notify Rose Hudson by email at RFNaegele@aol.com that you wish to be deleted from receiving the mailed copy.

Santa Clara Art Association

2006 Annual Holiday Luncheon

Date: Saturday, December 2, 2006

Time: 11:00am – Social Hour (no host bar)
12:00pm – Lunch Served

Place: Del Monte Restaurant, 3471 San Marcos Way, Sunnyvale

Menu: Entrée Choices:

- 1) **Chicken Del Monte** (chicken breast, sorrel & mushrooms in a light champagne cream sauce)
- 2) **Three-Tomato Pasta** (Sun-dried Roma & Italian tomatoes, basil, garlic & mushrooms over angel hair pasta)
- 3) **Mediterranean Salad** (Mixed green beans, tomatoes, capers, chicken, fresh mozzarella-balsamic vinegar & oil)

Entrée includes: Bread and butter, coffee & hot tea, homemade cheesecake, small green salad (with entrée 1 and 2 only)

Cost: \$22.00 per person

Reservation deadline: Tuesday, November 28, 2006

Please come and join us for a delicious lunch and an opportunity to socialize with friends. Your spouse or a friend is welcome.

There will be a gift exchange with a minimum value of \$5.00 for those who would like to participate. Please place the item in a gift bag. Door prizes are also welcome.

We will have presentation of awards and installation of officers. Early reservations will be appreciated. Please mail your check indicating your choice of entrée 1, 2, or 3, and mail to:

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