



Euclid Art Association

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JUNE MEETING

The Euclid Art Association's next monthly meeting is **Monday, June 3**, starting at 7:00pm. The meeting is held in Fellowship Hall of East Shore United Methodist Church, 23002 Lakeshore Blvd., Euclid. Guests are welcome for a \$3.00 donation. Entrance is through the back door of the church. The doors open at 6:00pm. Parking is behind the church, in front of the church in the traffic circle or across the alley in front of the Marc's Pharmacy door. **Please do not park outside designated areas as this impedes access of emergency vehicles to the rear entrance.** Regarding entrance into the Church....someone will be at the door to let you in. Please arrive on time. If you come late, **ring the video doorbell.**

As we go to publication, we have been told that construction on E.222 St. should be finished!

Refreshments will be served after the meeting. Our hosts are **Karen VanLinge** and **William Kless**.

REMINDER: PLEASE RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP at the June meeting. There are no monthly meetings in July and August. We hope to see you at our Lake Metroparks Farmpark art reception on June 27. More info below...read on.

Weekly Board Meetings are held on most Tuesdays from 10:00a.m. to 12:30p.m. in the North Street Gallery. All members are welcome to attend.

PROGRAM

Our June meeting features the very popular **Members' Art Critique night**. Ohio artist, **Rick Surowicz** will critique the art. Rick is an experienced watercolor painter and YouTube sensation. His online watercolor classes are very popular and in 2018 his work was accepted into the International Exhibition of the American Watercolor Society. He teaches watercolor workshops across the country. Check out Rick's YouTube videos! **Members are asked to bring only one picture to the evening's critique.**

THANKS TO ALL

Many thanks to photographer, **Stuart Pearl**, for his presentation "Art & Inspiration for Better Photography" at our May meeting. Everyone enjoyed his very informative talk and many commented on how much they learned from his presentation that they could apply to their own art. During his very organized presentation, Stuart showed us many of his amazing photographs, depicting the various elements that are essential for creating a great picture. He enjoys documentary photography, especially documenting things in transition, like the construction of the new innerbelt bridge and the transformation of Acacia from golf course to Metropark. To read more and to see some amazing photographs, go to the [Demonstrations page](#) on EuclidArt.com. Elements of a Great Picture are also listed there.

Thanks to our May hosts, **Helen Karpoff** and **Joan Milligan** for their beautiful "May Day" themed refreshment table. Many delicious treats were enjoyed by all.

EUCLID ART ASSOCIATION'S SUMMER FINE ART SHOW AT LAKE METROPARKS FARM PARK IS...

... June 25 - August 18, 2019, 8800 Chardon Rd. (Rt. 6), Kirtland. The artworks will hang on the walls in the long hallway off the entrance that goes to classrooms and the cafeteria. Your artwork will definitely be seen as the hallway is frequented by a large number of people. **Here are key points to remember:**

- Get those **entry forms sent in to Ellen Howard by June 7**. *Note: This is not a 'traveling' Spring Library Show.*
- Artists are limited to three (3) entries due to space constraints.
- Drop off is **Monday, June 24** between 10:00a.m. and 11:00a.m., only.
- *Cookies and Punch* reception, provided by EAA for artists and their guests, is **Thursday, June 27**, 6:00 - 8:00p.m.
- **David Rankin** will judge the show. Ribbons will be given in all categories. Cash awards will only be given for Best of Show and 1st place. Amounts determined based on number of entries.
- Pick up date is **Monday, August 19** between 10:00a.m. and 11:00a.m., only.
- Show instructions, entry form and label page can be printed online at www.EuclidArt.com, Art Shows page.
- Questions? Contact Ellen Howard, home: 216-289-0623, cell 216-337-4463, email: mickmech@aol.com.

SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

Euclid High School Senior, **Tianna Harper**, is the winner of the 2019 Euclid Art Association Margaret E. Hain Memorial Art Scholarship. Senior Awards Night was Thursday evening May 2, 2019 at the Irish American Club. Rozenia Cunningham and Lee Peters presented the EAA Scholarship award to Tianna. She plans to attend the Cleveland Institute of Art. "My goal is to become either a professional painter or graphic designer. It would be a dream come true to have a career in something I am so passionate about." *Best wishes to Tianna as she pursues her art career.* Read more and see her amazing artworks on EuclidArt.com, Home page or the [Events page](#).

EUCLID ART ASSOCIATION'S 2019 SPRING FINE ART SHOW...

... at the Euclid Public Library, May 11 - May 18, is now over. There were 157 pieces of art from 41 artists. Nine artworks sold! Many thanks to show coordinator, **Ellen Howard** and to all the members who participated, organized, set up, took down, and sat during the show. Special thanks to **Sandi Richards** for organizing the reception and to everyone who brought goodies and helped serve. Over 100 people attended the reception, including Euclid **Mayor Kirsten Holzheimer Gail**. We thank the Mayor for her kind words about EAA. Thanks also to the Euclid Library staff for everything they did to help make this a successful show. To quote our president, Lee Peters, "*Mucho thanks to ALL!*"

Congratulations to member, **Don Wilson**, winner of the Art Show raffle, an original floral watercolor by internationally renowned local artist, **David Rankin**. Thanks again to David for donating this beautiful painting and to **4-Corners Custom Framing**, E. 185th St., for framing the artwork and to all who bought raffle tickets. Thanks also to local artist, **Deborah Steytler** for judging the show and her comments of the artists' work. To see pictures of the beautiful, award winning artwork, go to EuclidArt.com on the [Art Shows page](#). Congratulations to all the winners!!

Best of Show: Valerie Rose Gale - *Adelaide's Tree*

1st Place: Valerie Rose Gale - *Adelaide's Tree*, oil & acrylic; Bernadette Russ - *Sweet Magnolia*, watercolor; Cheryl Brickman - *Dancing with Mushrooms*, graphic art; Patricia Simmons - *Privilege*, mixed media; Dennis McDonnell - *Pacific Moonlight*, photography; Lee Peters - *Nebulousness E201904*, digital art; Ellen Howard - *Eye See You*, three-dimensional art.

2nd Place: Eddie Mitchell - *Harmonies in Red & Pink*, oil & acrylic; Flo Smith - *Serenity Shattered*, watercolor; Eddie Mitchell - *Self Portrait*, graphic art; Diane Rogazione - *Winter Barn*, mixed media; Cheryl Brickman - *Alone*, photography; Dennis McDonnell - *Super Boom II*, digital art; Tom Evert - *Dancers to Your Places*, three-dimensional art.

3rd Place: Eddie Mitchell - *A Reassuring & Restful Rapture*, oil & acrylic; Susan Herrle - *View of the Coast*, watercolor; Cheryl Brickman - *Raven's Funeral*, graphic art; Re'Nell Glover - *It Gets Messy*, mixed media; Lee Peters - *Eddie's Iris 2018*, photography; Alesha Anderson - *Homeland*, digital art; Cheryl Brickman - *I Am Because You Were*, three-dimensional art.

Honorable Mention: Terese Berzinskas, Suzette Cohen, Nancy Daly, Barb Everett, Dorothy Geisert, Sandy Gonyea, Ellen Howard, Deb Kramarz, Patricia Meyer, Kirk Ramsey, Niki Rini, Bernadette Russ, Patricia Simmons, Flo Smith, Jennifer Theil.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The current slate of officers (President – Lee Peters, Vice President – Rozenia Cunningham, Treasurer – Sandi Richards, Secretary – Sue Herrle) was retained for the Euclid Art Association's 2019-2020 season by a vote of EAA members at the May meeting. Officers will be inducted at the June meeting.

MEMBER NEWS

Congratulations to **Dorothy Geisert** and **Joan Milligan!** They were each chosen to design one of only ten bears for the "*Mentor Rocks the Bears*" event of 2019. These super cute bears, made of fiberglass, are three feet tall. The finished bears will be displayed around the City of Mentor from mid June through August. There will be a gala event in September where these amazing bears will be auctioned, proceeds go to support art in the community.

Dianne Rogazione has eight paintings accepted in to the 37th Whiskey Painters of America Exhibition and Art Sale held at the Cuyahoga Valley Art Center, 2131 Front Street, Cuyahoga Falls from May 7 through June 13.

Pat Simmons is having a show at Tommy's Restaurant, 1824 Coventry Rd, Cleveland Hts from June 24 until August 24. Our own **Dennis McDonnell** has a permanent display of his photography there as well.

Speaking of **Dennis**, check out his latest artist creation at the entrance to Lake Shore Coffee House in Euclid...and it's not a photograph. It's an amazing tile mosaic. He has also created interesting tile work at the entrances to Tommy's and a pizza place in the heart of Little Italy.

CLOSING THOUGHT "*It is the month of June, The month of leaves and roses, When pleasant sights salute the eyes and pleasant scents the noses.*" — Nathaniel Parker Willis

