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AUGUST NEWSLETTER

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:

We feel that it is important to keep our members updated on our current situation. So, at this point, we, like everyone else, have no idea just what that is! The best we can do is to look at current trends and carry them forward. The Church remains closed for the foreseeable future and meetings are restricted by the Governor. Our Plan B option (i.e., using virtual meeting software such as Zoom) has gotten a positive response from the EAA Board and various members. I think it is the most viable option at this point. I've had a chance to use the Zoom virtual meeting software and it works well. We are planning to start the new season with a virtual meeting featuring a demonstrator who is set up to 'live-stream' using Zoom, at our normal meeting time, and you can zoom into that meeting or watch it later when it's posted on YouTube for everybody to view....within a day or two. Members would be invited to send in questions for the presenter to answer during the presentation.

PLEASE give us your feedback on the matter by emailing your thoughts to info@EuclidArt.com or calling me at 216-531-6349.

We have had some positive feedback from members about having group outings. Northeast Ohio is the home of the "Emerald Necklace" and an afternoon of plein-air painting and photography might provide us a chance to meet in a socially-distant manner, at least in early fall while the weather is still nice. Sims Park, where we held our first board meeting since early March, would be a nice place to gather. Or, Sue Herrle suggested Squire's Castle at the North Chagrin MetroPark for October. Your thoughts?



Plein-air EAA Board Meeting

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FOR THE 2020-2021 SEASON

Our membership renewal drive is underway. Since we were unable to hold the April, May & June meetings, EAA has decided to give our **renewing members only, a \$5.00 discount** for 2020-2021. (Single \$20, Joint \$25, Associate \$25, Student \$6). We are asking members to please mail in their renewals to our Membership Chairperson, Mary Ann Gambitta, 1232 Quartz Court, Willoughby, OH 44094. Make your check payable to Euclid Art Association.

WORKSHOPS PLANNED FOR THE FALL

Saturday, September 26, 2020, Suzette Cohen, "[Natural Expressions with Acrylic Paint Pouring Techniques](#)". This workshop is **CANCELLED** for September 26. We will reschedule it for the Spring of 2021, a date TBD.

October 23, 24, 25, 2020, David Rankin, 3-day workshop, "[God Made Winter for Watercolor](#)". This workshop is still on! Sign up now! Cost \$150 for members, \$195 for non-members. Members only discount - sign up & pay in full on or before September 14...only \$135.

May 21, 22, 23, 2021, David Rankin, 3-day workshop - "Lighthouses, Seascapes & Skies I". This rescheduled workshop filled fast. However, if you are interested, please put your name on the waitlist. If we get eight names on the list, we'll work with David to schedule Lighthouses II.

Details on the [Workshops page](#) at EuclidArt.com. **To register contact:** Susan Herrle to register, call 216-481-5105 or email: suetom.herrle@sbcglobal.net, include EAA in subject line.

MEMBER NEWS

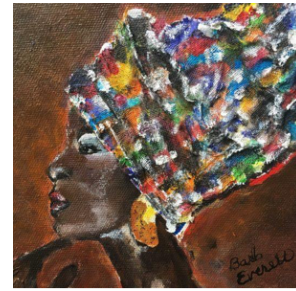
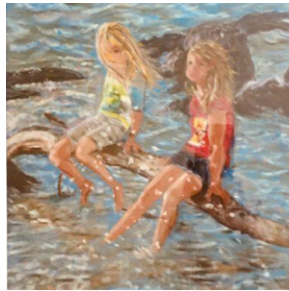
Pat Bonander's watercolors are currently being displayed on the Artist Wall in the lobby of Tri Point Medical in Concord. Stop in and see her show if you are in the area. Also, she is now a member of Stella's Art Gallery in downtown Willoughby.

Sue Lokar had a painting accepted into the Ohio Watercolor Society juried exhibition this fall called "Joy". The painting will be on display at the Fisher/Wall Gallery at the Marathon Center for the Performing Arts in Findlay, Ohio. The exhibition runs from October 30 - December 26, 2020. Congratulations, Sue!



Joy by Sue Lokar

Barb Evert is the featured artist at NEOH.ART.NEWS, Who's Who and What's New in the Art Community of Northeast Ohio, into the month of August. Check it out! Weekly they feature 5 or 6 of her paintings along with her bio. Barb's own website has a complete gallery of her paintings, as well as her contact information. Click here to visit celebrationpainting.com. Also, you can find her beautiful artwork hanging at Lake Shore Coffee House, 22032 Lakeshore Blvd. in Euclid.



Denise Neil held a Zoom “Home-Going” celebration of **Walt Neil's** life, on Saturday evening, featuring his extended family and friends from all over the United States. I was honored to be invited to say a few words on behalf of Euclid Art. The celebration will be posted online for all to watch. Details will be forthcoming.

We send our deepest sympathy to **Flo Smith** on the passing of her husband, Tom on July 31. We are saddened by this news. Many of us knew Tom personally, having attended numerous Lenten Fish Fries with them both.

EAA’S BIO BOOK

We received NO new BIO’s in June or July....why not? It’s our objective to double the number of entries in the ‘Bio Book’. Help us reach that goal! The “bio book” is available to guests at our Library Shows and provides an excellent opportunity for visitors to learn more about you. Use a standard sheet, one or two sides, and email your bio (as Word or PDF document) to info@euclidart.com. We will add your profile to the binder in a plastic sleeve. IDEAS to include: name, resume, contact information, photos of you or your work, educational background, professional experience, subject matter/medium, memberships, exhibits and/or prizes, artist’s statement.

MEMBERS ART PAGE ON EUCLIDART.COM

Share your creativity with your fellow members and artists by taking out a **Members Art** page on EuclidArt.com. To sign up, go to Members Art page on EuclidArt.com. Only \$15 per year for 10 images and you can change your images up to three times per year without additional cost. Mary Alice Valvoda is waiting to hear from you! Contact her at 440-449-5576. Proceeds help pay for hosting our EuclidArt.com website.

NEWS WANTED

We are always happy to publicize your event in our newsletter. Please tell us what's going on! Call 216-531-6349 or email info@EuclidArt.com. Include EAA in the “Subject” line of the message header.

CLOSING THOUGHT

“The summer night is like a perfection of thought.” – Wallace Stevens

Pictures from David Rankin’s trial Zoom watercolor workshop.

