



Oklahoma Art Guild

July 2010

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OAG July Meeting

Monday, July 19, 2010

City Arts Studio II

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OKC Fairgrounds

7:00pm – 9:00pm

OAG GUEST ARTIST • ENCAUSTIC PAINTING DEMO

Regina Murphy & Michelle (Mikie) Metcalfe

Regina Murphy, long time Art Guild member and her daughter Michelle (Mikie) Metcalfe will give a demonstration of some techniques used in encaustic painting.

Painting with encaustics (wax) is an ancient art form which is enjoying a resurgence in the last few years. The wax, which is beeswax and dammar resin crystals melted together is colored with dry pigment or oil paint. The mixture is kept hot (about 200 degrees) during the painting process. The layering of media is applied with bristle brushes to an absorbent surface such as birch wood panels then fused with a heat gun or propane torch.

Regina and Mikie recently returned from an Encaustic Workshop in Santa Fe, the second workshop they have taken there in a year's time. "Encaustic painting is fascinating and can become addictive," Regina says. If you ever wondered about the process, we invite you to come to this demo.

{OAG Members are reminded to bring your Artist of the Month entries to the meeting}

Declare your Dependence on the Oklahoma Art Guild for

Art Life, Art Loves, and the Pursuit of Creativity

Renew, Join, or Give a Gift Membership today!

Your membership dues are the basis of our financial support & bring you:

Outstanding Monthly Demonstrations

Figure Drawing Sessions each week

Workshops with National and Local Artists

Exhibition and Show Opportunities and Awards

The list of Oklahoma Art Guild benefits goes on and on but, most importantly, your OAG Membership includes a host of supportive, vibrant and active art friends and mentors.

Let our new fiscal year begin with an explosion of art opportunities. It will take your dues to make this happen.

You may pay on-line at : www.okartguild.com

Annual dues (\$36 Individual or Family, \$20 current Student) are due NOW please! Your membership renewal envelope was in the May newsletter, you may mail it to: OAG, PO Box 22712, OKC 73123 or you may pay by PayPal through the OAG website: www.okartguild.com. Please make sure we have your current email address and website information! If you have any questions, please call Membership Chair, Aubrey Kenworthy at 408-5355.

Also: Members need to please return the survey that was in the May OAG newsletter with their membership dues or in a separate envelope if dues have been paid.

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Call for Entries

The Reserve by Paseo Grill, 2916B Paseo

Show & Sale Dates

Thursday, August 5 - Friday, August 27, 2010

Receiving -Bring Entry Form --Fee --Art

Saturday, August 1 - 1:00 am – 6:00 pm

(If this does not meet your schedule, please contact Jeanne Claborn (jeannec1002@cox.net) or Gene Brown (slithy-toves@sbcglobal.net) and they will try to accommodate - no guarantees

Opening & Reception

Members - Thursday, August 5 – 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Public Opening – Friday, August 6 - 1st Friday Art Walk

Pick-Up

Friday, August 27 - 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm

OAG Sponsored Workshops

OAG Plein Air Landscape Painting with Rick McClure

If you want to learn to capture the essence and life of a landscape, then join Rick McClure as he leads a group of artists through the Oklahoma countryside. We will visit 4 locations during the course of the year. At each location, Rick will do a 45 minute demonstration and then provide guidance to the students in plein air techniques.

When & Where:

August 21, 2010 • Will Rogers Nature Center

October 9th, 2010 • Quartz Mountain

February 19, 2011 • To Be Announced

May 21, 2011 • To Be Announced

9am-2:30pm each day

Cost:

\$120 • All 4 locations • Oklahoma Art Guild Members

\$160 • All 4 locations • Non-Members

\$40 • Per location • Oklahoma Art Guild Members

\$60 • Per Location • Non-Members

workshops@okartguild.com

Call Bob Kenworthy: 405-359-7375/Gayle Curry: 405-205-8990



OAG Mitch Lyon's Clay Printing Workshops

October 26 & 27 or October 29 & 30

The Oklahoma Art Guild is offering a two-day workshop on Mitch Lyons' pioneering technique of monoprining from slabs of clay. We have 2 workshops available and both will be held at City Arts at the Fairgrounds. You can choose either October 26th & 27th or October 29th & 30th. The workshop hours will be 9:00am to 4:30pm. Students will learn to mix colored clays and slips, make their own pastels, and build designs with images, colors and textures on a clay slab.

TWO WORKSHOPS OFFERED

What: "Clay Printing Workshop 1" with Mitch Lyons

When: October 26th & 27th, 2010

Time: 9:00am-4:30pm

Where: City Arts • 3000 Pershing Blvd. • OKC

What: "Clay Printing Workshop 2" with Mitch Lyons

When: October 29th & 30th, 2010

Time: 9:00am-4:30pm

Where: City Arts • 3000 Pershing Blvd. • OKC

Cost:

\$250 – Oklahoma Art Guild Members

\$300 – Non-Members

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Call Gayle Curry, OAG Workshop Chair: 405-205-8990

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Oklahoma City, OK 73123

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Congratulations Artists of the Month

Betsy Cofer was selected OAG Artist of the Month for the Month of **May**. Betsy is a native of Oklahoma and states, "I feel like the new kid on the block that is an unquenchable sponge, soaking up every bit of art input around me and still wanting more." Betsy is past OAG Secretary and is going to be traveling!

"Tammy at the End of the Day" by: J. Forbes



Upcoming Festival Mesta Festa – October 9 Juried One Day Art Festival

- Call to Entry available in August
- Contact Summer Steel for more info:
ksummersteel@yahoo.com
- *The hours are 12pm-6pm.
- *Mesta Festa does not provide tents, tables, or other display items.
- *One point of sale. Sales will be handled by the Mesta Festa Committee
- *Inviting artists that paint, draw, have pottery, jewelry, etc. But they asked that we not have any lotions or soaps etc.

Jolene Forbes's work won Artist of the Month for the month of **June**. A native of OKC she has spent most of her life in the Marlow-Duncan area.

She is a 1995 graduate of University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma, where she studied art. Her first lessons in art were with Johnanna McLaughlin in 1987, a former Duncan teacher and artist now living in Santa Fe, NM. She has focused on oil painting and works in stain glass, sculpting, and print making.

Art became a form of therapy after a couple of family tragedies in 2001.

She painted plein air in Italy, France, England, in the United States.

Studying with Leonard Wren, a former Tulsa teacher and artist, helped her to see more form and color out of doors—the warm sky, the cool shadows, and the fact that you have a shorter time span for painting to catch the essence of your painting. Jolene also studied with Judy McCombs of Chickasha, Marty Childers, Gay Faulkenberry and is currently studying with Kaye Franklin. She has a small studio in Marlow where she teaches beginners.

With numerous awardshers works hang in Celebration Frames and Gallery, 50 Penn Gallery Place Gallery, and Jolene's Art Den.

Featured artists may forward biographical information to:
dorendart@att.net

Next OAG Board Meeting Monday, July 26, 6-8pm, at Don Weaver's, 2519 N. Hudson, OK

PAPCO 2010 Schedule Plein Air Painters of Central Oklahoma

- 17-Jul-10 Greenfield Winery
- 21-Aug-10 Will Rogers Nature Center (Rick McClure)
- 18-Sep-10 Appaloosa Horses, Mustang, OK
- 16-Oct-10 Quartz Mountain (Rick McClure)
- 20-Nov-10 Arbuckle Wildemess
- 11-Dec-10 Dea Scales - Paint - Art Exchange Party
- 15-Jan-11 Planning Meeting
- 19-Feb-11 Cowboy Hall (Rick McClure)
- 19-Mar-11 Lake Arcadia
- 16-Apr-11 ???
- 21-May-11 Chickasaw (Sulphur) (McClure)

Colorado Plein-Air 2010

Rick McClureWorkshop
Colorado Plein-Air 2010
Fee: \$375.00

Location: Durango, Colorado
Workshop Dates
9/16/2010 - 9/18/2010
Contact Person: Rick McClure

A 3-day plein-air workshop exploring the principles and techniques of painting on location. Students will complete a series of small plein air studies with emphasis on spontaneity and freshness. Portable painting materials required.

e-mail: pleinair1@cox.net

Linda Hiller, OAG member will be in the "Oklahoma Artists Roundup" art show July 2 - August 2, 2010, Located at the Oklahoma Native Art and Jewelry Gallery, 1316 South Agnew, OKC. Hours are Sunday - Monday 10am - 7 pm, Tuesday - Saturday 9am - 9 pm. Opening reception will be July 10, 2010 from 6 - 7:30 p.m. This is sponsored by Central Art Association.

ArtWorks by Judy Breymeyer will hang Aug-Oct at Conversations Gallery, Coffee Shop & Bookstore just north of 2nd Street and next to the Edmond Sun Newspaper in Edmond. Open Daily Monday – Saturday.