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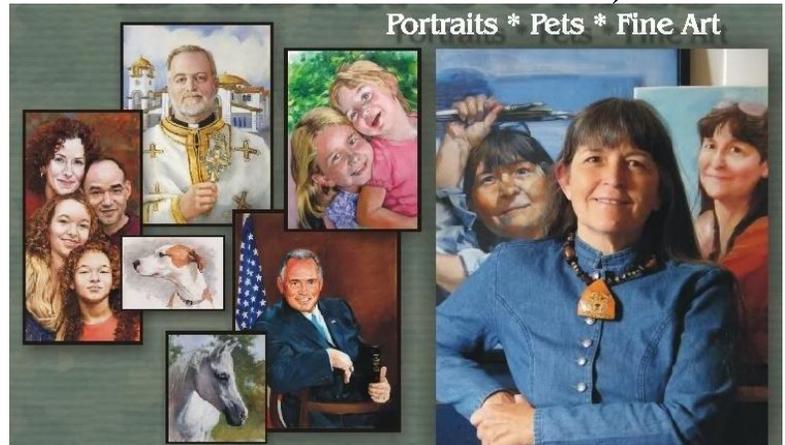
*From Jerry's Artarama  
~ Carole Matthews~  
\$25 Certificate*

*From Michelle Walters  
~Delfina Valentini~  
Apron*

**50/50 Drawing**  
~Irene Donato~  
\$30.00

*Tickets are drawn from  
members who have paid  
their dues, signed in and  
received raffle tickets.*

## GUEST PRESENTER FOR JUNE



**Debra Jones** returns for another demonstration this month. This time she is going to do a little explaining and a little demonstrating her technique and opinions about drawing.

A full time artist, Debra has been earning her living as a portrait painter - furry and human! Last year she became a signature member of the Institute of Equine Artists with a new turn to the Wild West featuring the Cowboy Mounted Shooters and going completely East with a series of fox hunting pieces. For the past two years she has participated in the prestigious Mountain Oyster Club Western Art Collectors Show and is a member of American Women Artists.

Many of you know her from her pastel demonstrations she also works in oil and watercolor and has been in many national shows in all media, as well as showing in The Buffalo Collection at Scenic Mesa on Fifth Avenue in Scottsdale.

In the past few years she has been drawn to the very essential of art - drawing. Using charcoal and graphite from General Pencil Company she has recently been asked to represent their products in Arizona. Debra also will explore and demonstrate the somewhat lost art of metal point known as copper point or silver point drawing.

.....~ Freddie Lieberman, 1<sup>st</sup> VP of Programs

## Next General Meeting June 3<sup>rd</sup>

### Member CRITIQUE

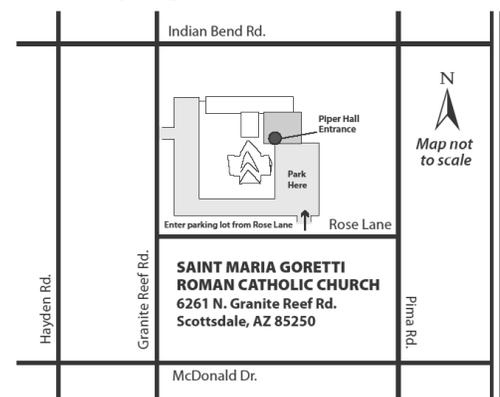
**Dave Flitner** is leading our critique. All members & guests are invited to participate with work and suggestions for the work. Please join us! **Critique begins promptly at 5:45 pm and runs to 6:45 pm** prior to the General meeting. Paintings and drawings do not need to be framed. Unfinished pieces are welcome for suggestions to finish them. **Those members arriving with work after 6:15 risk not having their work critiqued depending on volume of work brought in earlier.**

**1 painting only per person please.**

We would prefer that participants in the critique please not bring paintings that are freshly wet, oils particularly, as the paint gets on our hands and clothes from handling the pieces and then paint is transferred to other works and the carpet in the critique area. If you have a frame to put the painting in for handling purposes that will be appreciated. Thanks from the critique leaders.

~ Jim Garrison, Critique Master

### 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday Night of each Month after 5:30 p.m.



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## PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Welcome SAL Members and Guests,

I can't believe June has arrived - it has been a fast year for me. It's time again for the annual business of elections at our upcoming meeting. I ask to have as many members present as possible for our June meeting to elect the officers for the 2013 -2014 physical year. I feel fortunate to have a fantastic group of officers and board members working with me this past year to keep the SAL operational and interesting.

At the May meeting I had the privilege to enter the back room before the juror's selection was made. My first thought was David Wilkinson has his work cut out for him. My second thought was I can't wait to see this show. As I glanced around the room I felt every piece in the room was worthy of being in a show. I want to thank every member of the SAL for entering your work for the Scottsdale Artists Show. I would also like to thank Mary Kuhr and her team of volunteers that kept the jurying process running in smooth order. Last but not least I'd like to thank Jean Hildebrandt for her pastel portrait demonstration. Her work is truly incredible and an inspiration for any of us that desire to work with pastels.

With my first year as your president ending I want you to know it has been my privilege and pleasure. I enjoyed having the opportunity to be working with such a wonderful group of talented artist within the Scottsdale Artists League.

Thank you,

~Terry Armstrong Hamra, President

### Rules for entering Artist of the Month

You **cannot** enter a piece that has been in the critique that same evening and you must have attended at least 3 meetings this fiscal year.

**PLEASE NOTE I also need all information from general meeting by this date also.**

**News DEADLINE 5 PM ~ Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup> for July issue**

**PLEASE send in early! Email to: karen\_m\_lockhart@cox.net** *Thank you!*

# Artwork

*Of the Month*

**1st Place ~ "A Different Angle"**

Jaxine Cummins



**2nd Place ~ "California Dreamin' "**

Lynn Thornburn



**3rd Place ~ "Cactus Flower"**

Margaret Licosati





**Is your advertising reaching the right market?**

Scottsdale Artists League is providing advertising space in their monthly newsletter and their annual membership directory at a very reasonable rate. Our newsletter and directory reach serious artists with the need for artist supplies and materials. **Let them know that you support them with your ad.**

**Circulation**

Our Newsletter has a direct mailing of 150+ members. In addition, it is sent to all the other art leagues and guilds in the valley which makes your ad available to numerous readers and serious artists throughout the entire Phoenix area. The newsletter is posted to our website and archived for up to a year adding even more value and longevity to your advertising dollar!

The Annual Directory is a tool often picked up throughout the year by other members and organizations for the purpose of contacting artists to inform them of upcoming events and exhibitions. This provides an excellent opportunity for exposure to your business or service.

**Rates, Deadlines, and Ad Sizes/Formats**

**Monthly Newsletter**

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**Ads due by the first Friday of each month.**

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black and white ad preferred.  
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**Membership Application for the Scottsdale Artists League**

*Please print and complete all areas that apply*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Receive monthly SAL newsletter "Art Beat" by:  E-mail  US mail (\$5 additional postage fee)

I want my Website Link\* on SAL's "Members Art for Sale" web page  
**(\*\$10 Website link annual fee, must also be a SAL member)**

Website address: \_\_\_\_\_

Art Media Used: \_\_\_\_\_

I do not want my information included in the member directory or the SAL Website

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Fiscal year July 1 to June 30 • Minimum Age: 18 Years

**Please Check One:**  New  Renewal

**Annual Donation:**  \$42 year - Individual  \$50 year - Family

\$75 or more year - Patron  \$10 year - Website Link\*

\$5 year - postage fee (US mail newsletter)

**Please check how you will be willing to help the League:**

Assist with shows  Assist with Ways and Means

Assist with exhibitions  Sell advertising space

Hang and take down shows  Publicity

Work on a committee  Plan Workshops

Help with membership  Teach a Workshop

Scholarship Committee  Demonstrate at meetings

Accept a Board position  Help with refreshments

Telephone Committee  Newsletter circulation

Other: \_\_\_\_\_



[scottsdaleartistsleague.org](http://scottsdaleartistsleague.org)

**Administrative use only:**

Payment type: \_\_\_\_\_

Check #: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send Application and check made out to the Scottsdale Artists League to:**

Scottsdale Artists League, P.O. Box 1071, Scottsdale, AZ 85252-1071, Attn: Membership Chairperson

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## Directory Information

Chance to win \$100 in art supplies! Annual memberships are due and in order to stimulate your memory, we are having a membership drive at our June 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting. We will collect your dues and applications at that meeting and pull a lucky winner. \$50 to Arizona Art Supply AND \$50 to Jerry's Artarama. You must be present to win. Payments by cash, check, or credit card must be made that evening to be eligible.

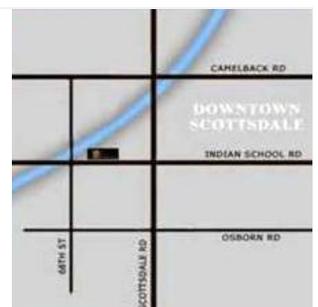
Membership Directories will be published in August. In order to have your information in the new directory, you must have your dues paid with a completed application in the hands of Mona Houle (Membership Chair) no later than July 1, 2014.

**Next Board Meeting: May 27<sup>th</sup> 5 – 7 pm**

The address is 6900 E Indian School Rd Scottsdale, AZ.

Located 2 blocks West of Scottsdale Rd on E. Indian School Rd.

Parking is in the back of the building and the meeting room is on the first floor to the left at the end of the hall.



# Last General Meeting

Thank you to Jean Hildebrant for giving us such a grand demonstration and what a talented artist. We really had a great time during Donna's critique- always a smile and laugh. While we were all waiting for the results of the jurying for the SAS show, many sat on edge of seating wishing and hoping.....that's a song! Congratulations to all the entries .....and winners get extra applause! Thanks to David Wilkerson for his jurying such a wonderful exhibit.



## Nominees of officers:

President – Terry Hamra/Vice President – Freddie Lieberman/Vice President 2 – Marsha Klinger

Recording Secretary – Pamela Shearer/Corresponding Secretary – Barbara Bagan/Treasurer - Ericka Cero Wood

# Membership Chair Info

Betty Peterson [bettyp123@gmail.com](mailto:bettyp123@gmail.com) has new email.

We had 70 members, 2 new people joined membership and 2 guests for our May General meeting.

**Update** your membership by the June meeting and be entered into a drawing for gift certificates to Jerry's and AZ Art Supply (\$50.00 each).

For questions on memberships or mailing of newsletter ~ please contact *Mona Houle* 602.721.9676 [mona@monahoule.com](mailto:mona@monahoule.com) or *Kathleen Maley* 480-456-3768, [maleyjk@aol.com](mailto:maleyjk@aol.com) See last page for new members.

# Scholarship Committee

Linda Phillips will be presenting the \$1,000 scholarship award and a certificate from Wilson Camera at the June general meeting to this year's winner, Adriana Maya, along with the other contestants – we had 16 entries.



Two of Adriana's Photographs submitted to committee.

There is color in these photos but very delicately applied.

And we will have the prior year's winner there also, Ms. Rebekah Shindel, who continues to be so appreciative of our award. For questions or participation in this committee, please contact Linda at [acphillips@gmail.com](mailto:acphillips@gmail.com)

# Happenings

Four of **Jeanine Malaney** art pieces were accepted into a Scottsdale art gallery called Treasures in Art! It's off a beautiful courtyard setting and with all really good artists!

**BARB HURLEY -A ONE WOMAN SHOW MAY 29-AUGUST 7, 2014**

ARTIST RECEPTION 5PM - 7PM, THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 2014

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# Treasurer's report

- Income for April \$340.50
- Expenses were \$903.59
- For a Net Income -\$563.09

Treasurer, Ericka Cero Wood.

# SHOWS

**Scottsdale Art School/Scottsdale Art League** jurying was at the May 6 General Meeting by David Wilkinson from Legacy Gallery. 45 paintings were juried in out of 92 submitted. Grand prize winner was Bonnie Hundley Shoger. First prize winner Lonna Gutierrez, Second place - Jim Garrison, and third place Christina Scotti.

The paintings are to be brought to SAS June 2 from 9:00-10:00 am. They will hang till June 30 and to be picked up from 9:00-11:00. There will be a Reception June 5 at the school from 5:30-7:30. David Wilkinson hopes to stop in for the reception. Thank you all for participating. There was some wonderful art submitted and it should be a beautiful show.



**Grand Prize Winner** –Bonnie Hundley Shoger for a watercolor and pencil of a brilliant cactus flower.

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** – Lonna Gutierrez for “White Heron,” **2<sup>nd</sup> Place** – Jim Garrison for “Angel,” **3<sup>rd</sup> Place** – Cristina Scotti for “Secret Garden” If you have questions on future shows, please contact Mary Kuhr at [Marykuhr@gmail.com](mailto:Marykuhr@gmail.com)



AZ Art Alliance Fine Art Gallery

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Greetings all, Just a quick update, We will actually begin business out of the new facility June 1, 2014. **Because of all this busy-ness....there will be no monthly meeting of the Alliance members for May.** We look forward to seeing you all soon and bringing more exciting news about possible future exhibition sites and dates. Nancy Troupe, Az Art Alliance Secretary

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**Hi Veterans and Teachers,** This coming Saturday, the 17th, and the following Friday, the 23rd, will be our last classes at the Gallery on Indian Bend in Scottsdale. Donna Levine will be taking a turn teaching, and her class is on abstraction of a realistic image. Very interesting, and she presents it very well, I'm looking forward to it myself. We've been presenting something different in painting techniques each month. You can experiment with each one and decide whether to include it in your own style. We'll continue this at our new location, starting with the June classes. The new location is 2417 W. Southern Ave, Suite #6. It is in a small shopping center called Southern Commerce, on the south side of Southern, just east of 48th Street. Suite #6 is toward the back, next to a karate studio. I hope you'll be able to continue coming, each of you have enriched my experience a lot. Please email me back if you get this, so I won't pester you with a phone call!

By the way, Arizona Art Alliance is sponsoring a new veterans art class starting in June at the Arizona Artist Guild building at 18411 N 7th Ave, just south of Union Hills. If you or any of your veteran friends want to go to those classes too, the contact is David Bradley at [info@arizonaartistsguild.net](mailto:info@arizonaartistsguild.net) or 602-828-4713.

Just like our class, the supplies are free. And speaking of supplies, bring your paintbrushes and spray bottles to this month's class, we'll have the paint.

Hope to see you this Saturday and/or next Friday the 23rd. You are welcome to bring a veteran friend, but call me first, so I'll be sure to have enough supplies. Thank you, Rita Goldner

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**Winners of the Arizona Art Alliance "How Sweet It Is" final show at the gallery:**



**Best of Show/1st Place** "End of Day" 'Kai' Karen Lockhart **Second Place**, "The Magnolia" Bonnie Hundley-Shoger  
**Third Place**, "Country Basics" John Fontana **Honorable Mention**, "Ancient Images" Ellsy Bird



John Gleason won Director's Award for **Best Body of Word** and **Best of 3-D Award**, Lee Kaster won the **President's Choice Award**, and did caricatures of guests. 'Kai' Karen Lockhart, **Best in Show/1<sup>st</sup> Place**.

Bonnie Hundley, **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**, John Fontana, **3rd Place**, a winner always! Ellsy Bird won **Honorable Mention**. Judy Delmonico-Roll won **Best 2-D Award** with her 'Cabbage' painting. Fantastic – just want to pick it and eat it! Left to right: Jaxine Cummins, John Gleason and Mike Brady, President.

Alan Arne a winner in many ways!

**Jaxine Cummins** provided photos of Show. Go to <http://www.azartalliance.com/newsletters/May-2014%20Newsletter.pdf> for all the rest of the photographs and recipients of awards. They are wonderful!

Our new facility is located at 2417 W. Southern Ave. #6 in Tempe, AZ 85282. This 2300 sq. ft. location will provide us with a secure ware-house for all our fixtures. We have art panels, jewelry cases, tables, chairs, lighting, 3D pedestals and every-thing else we need for our future exhibits. We hope this will provide easy access from many areas of the valley and that the facility will be convenient for us all to use from time to time.

**OUR PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS WILL STAY THE SAME, 10810 N. TATUM BLVD. 102-264, PHOENIX, AZ 85028. PLEASE DON'T MAIL ANYTHING TO THE NEW WAREHOUSE SITE. OUR PHONE NUMBER WILL ALSO STAY THE SAME, 602-870-7610.**

One often forgets that panel rentals, outside of the Alliance art exhibits, are a reliable source of income for our organization. Al Arne, the work-horse behind the scenes, is almost solely responsible for the management and execution of this vital business function. For years the Art Alliance has been one of the only sources with the ability to supply Pro Art Panels to outside businesses and art organiza-tions for their business and art exhibition purposes. Al, along with a little help, maintains, delivers, picks up, sets up and manages this business function for us. We all owe Al a heap of thanks for what he does for us. He is "MR. ALLI-ANCE" as far as I am concerned.

With our new warehouse location, the distribution and rental function part of our business will operate more effi-ciently than ever. This business operation alone covers a major part of the expense of our new warehouse operations center. Along with acting as a warehouse for our panel rentals and exhibition fixtures, our new location will house the work-shop area for our Veterans Art Program. This all-important Outreach program is thus guaranteed a quality workshop space for theirs, as well as other programs. The workshop area will also serve as a viable meeting place for our League Reps and our Board. As we settle in we will find other uses for this room, which is twice the size of our workshop/meeting space in the gallery. Our new location will also provide us space from which to manage our Alliance activities with two nice office spaces, one to be used for Outreach. Our new location may look a little sparse right now, but those of you who have been around for a while will

remember how the gallery evolved as we became established. This space will do the same. We will actually begin business out of the new facility June 1, 2014. This gives us time to move in, fix things up a bit, and begin functioning. I look forward to seeing you there! To access your Arizona Art Alliance newsletter go to <http://www.azartalliance.com/newsletters.html>



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