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2021 FEATURED ARTISTS

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello everyone. I hope all of you are planning to attend our first meeting of 2022 on February 9. We will be in the Patriot Rooms unless the Veteran's change their policy. Please bring a mask. Covid unfortunately, is still with us. The pandemic before this one was the great influenza epidemic of 1918 and it officially lasted 3 years. I say "officially" because it is still with us (that is why we all get flu shots every year—or at least most of us do). We may as well become accustomed to Covid shots and tests hanging around as well.

Do you have your painting for the **Old West Show** done? Or at least in the planning stage? You should have a copy of the prospectus with this newsletter. Also don't forget about the **cover contest** which will be due at the March meeting — 7 x 5 in black and white and copy ready! We've had some wonderful entries so I know we will have more this year. Also, there is nothing in the rules that say you can't re-submit a drawing that didn't win in an earlier contest. Maybe it's exactly what we will be looking for this time! ■

~ Gail Daley

MARILYN TORCHIN, February Demonstration

Come join the CAG monthly meeting and participate in an exciting evening with Marilyn Torchin demonstrating painting in acrylics. You can bring any medium and paint along, if you want,



while she paints a landscape or flowers, or both.

The goal of Marilyn's work is to assimilate her everyday experiences



with the physical world into a form of art she calls abstract-realism. The artistic nature of the physical world combined with her love of paint and color has allowed her to create the work

you see. Over the years, she has developed special techniques to bring saturated colors, depth and contrast to the images that are created.

"Marilyn's abstracts are unique, one-of-a-kind works of art. Her paintings possess a depth of color and variation of shape that challenge the brain and tantalize the imagination."

~ Michele Angres

Highlights:

- Committee chair for Plein Air Group
- Featured in galleries throughout the California Central Valley and Coast
- Has won numerous awards for her work
- Some of her charitable art donations include:
 - Fresno River Parkway
 - Saint Agnes Hospital
 - Fresno Art Council
 - Marjorie Mason Center ■

"Art is never finished, only abandoned."

~ Leonardo da Vinci

CAG 2021 FALL FINE ART OPEN SHOW WINNERS

The 2021 Show was held from November 7 - 13 at The Vineyards - The Armenian Home at 6694 E. Kings Canyon Rd. in Fresno.

BEST OF SHOW

Roseanne Peters
Reflections of a
Crowded Sky
Oil

THEME: All Things Autumn

1st Place

Roseanne Peters
3 Oranges & A Vase
Oil

2nd Place

Roseanne Peters
Autumn Skies
Oil

3rd Place

Linda Oberquell
Autumn
Oil

1 HM

Ashley Hill
Autumn Wind
Acrylics

2 HM

S. V. Lindgren
Autumn Vegetables
Pastels

OILS

1st Place

Roseanne Peters
Smugglers Cove

2nd Place

Roseanne Peters
Spring at Miller's Creek

3rd Place

June Livingston
New York, New York

ACRYLICS

1st Place

Jeanne Naito
Tabletop Beauty

2nd Place

Meganne Gore
Coconut

3rd Place

A. J. Sutton
Fight!

1 HM

Gail Daley
Rocky Beach

WATERCOLOR

1st Place

Roberta Davis
Inside Story

2nd Place

Roberta Davis
Hollyhocks

3rd Place

Georgia Verduzco
Holiday Basket

1HM

Susan Patterson
His Rose

PASTELS/DRAWING/ GRAPHICS

1st Place

A. J. Sutton
Playing
Pastels

2nd Place

Mary Ann Ferstl
Just Mike
Graphite

3rd Place

A. J. Sutton
Sierra Beauty
Pastels

PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

Susan Patterson
His Rose



SAVE THESE DATES!

CLOVIS ART GUILD MEETING

Clovis Veterans
Memorial District Bldg.
808 4th Street
Clovis, CA 93612

FEBRUARY 9, 2022, 7 - 9pm

52nd ANNUAL OLD WEST & RODEO ART SHOW

Clovis Veterans Memorial District
Veterans Room
808 4th Street
Clovis, CA 93613

RECEIVING - April 16, 10am-Noon

OPEN FOR VIEWING -
Monday-Saturday, April 18-23,
10am - 6pm

Sunday, April 24, 10am - 4pm

RECEPTION/AWARDS CEREMONY
Thursday, April 21, 5 - 8pm

PICK UP ART - April 24, 4 - 5pm
at show location.

*NOTE: See the attached Prospectus
and Entry forms.*

SUNNYSIDE LIBRARY PAINTING EXCHANGE

January 19, 11am
Paintings will hang for 2 months until
March 16 when the next exchange
will take place.
See Gail Daley for details.



FEBRUARY FEATURED ARTIST — Carole Anderson

Carole Anderson has been pursuing her dream of watercolor painting since her retirement from Navy civil service in 2002. Her appreciation for the beauty of watercolor developed from being surrounded by and in possession of paintings beautifully done by her great Aunt May Wellman. Aunt May also was an illustrator of children and zoology books written by David Starr Jordan, President of Leland Stanford Junior University in the early 1900s.

Watercolor Technique has always seemed to her a mystery waiting to be solved. She has had classes in oil and acrylics over the years, but has loved the purity and simplicity of watercolor paintings. It has proven to be an incredible journey. She won 2nd place in the 2012 and 2015 Fresno County Fair for her Tarahumara Indian Woman and Wawona Family Tree paintings and has won several awards for her works in local studio shows.

BROCHURE COVER CONTEST

We have a brochure for the Old West & Rodeo Art Show in April. Each year we have a contest to pick a cover picture for the brochure. Enter your drawings by the March 9 meeting. Drawings need to be no bigger than 7" x 5", in pen & ink or pencil and photo copy ready, Subject is usually old west or rodeo. Winner receives \$25.00 and your drawing will be on the cover of the brochure.

Here are some examples



OPPORTUNITIES

ARTISTS MAGAZINE ANNUAL ART COMPETITION

Early Bird Deadline: April 3, 2022

"Open to **all traditional media in five subject categories**, this is their largest competition of the year. Enter now for a chance to win more than \$28,000 in cash prizes and publication in *Artists Magazine!*"

<https://www.artistsnetwork.com/art-competitions/artists-magazine-annual/>

JERRY'S 10TH ANNUAL SELF PORTRAIT CONTEST 2022

Entry Period:
January 10 - April 17, 2022

Round 1 Voting (Public): Monday,
May 16 - Thursday, June 16, 2022

Winners Announced:
Friday, July 15, 2022

Total Prize Amount:
\$5,000 (e-gift cards)

"Go surreal, abstract or fantasy, draw your reflection, paint yourself...Anything goes as long as

it's creative, original, and it's you. Media of your choice."

Check it out online at Jerry's Artarama —
<https://www.jerrysartarama.com/contests/self-portrait/2022>

HAPPY
VALENTINE'S
DAY

“**I**nspiration is for amateurs. The rest of us just show up and get the work done. If you wait around for the clouds to part and a bolt of lightning to strike you in the brain, you're not going to make an awful lot of work.”

~ Chuck Close

Empty Space for your thoughts or doodles...

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

President	Gail Daley	960-2428
Vice President	Shirley Lindgren	255-0826
Secretary	Meganne Gore	255-2146
Treasurer	Alice Sutton	787-2386
Program Chair	Jackie McCoy	787-2451
Bargain Table	Shirley Lindgren	255-0826
Featured Artist	Carole Anderson	240-5793
Membership	Alice Sutton	787-2386
Pick Of The Month	Mary Ann Ferstl	285-5663
Publicity	Roseanne Peters	999-3353
Newsletter	Linda Oberquell	(408) 421-7333
Website	Gail Daley	960-2428
Refreshments	Jeanne Naito	255-2146
Rodeo Liaison	Claudia Fletcher	297-5348
Scholarship	Dave Boothby	681-2046
Sunnyside Library	Gail Daley	960-2428
Sunshine	Carole Anderson	240-5793
Greeter	Susan Patterson	790-2004

BOARD MEETINGS

1st Wednesday of each month 4:30 – 7:30 PM
except Nov & Dec
at the Dennys on Shaw and Willow in Clovis.
All members are welcome.

GENERAL MEETINGS

2nd Wednesday of each month 7:00 PM — 9:00 PM
except Nov — Jan
Clovis Veterans Memorial District
804 Veterans PKWY
Clovis, CA 93612

CLOVIS ART GUILD

MEMBERSHIP — 2022

Membership fees are due in **February**. Please fill out the form and return it with your membership fee of \$30.00.

Student membership fees are \$5.00.

Please print.

NAME _____ Send to: Clovis Art Guild

P.O. Box 1594

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CLOVIS ART GUILD 52ND ANNUAL OLD WEST & RODEO ART SHOW

CO-SPONSOR CLOVIS VETERANS MEMORIAL DISTRICT



A J Sutton
Just A Few Strays
Acrylic

April 18 - April 24, 2022

Clovis Veterans Memorial District

808 4th Street

Clovis, CA 93613

Show Chairs: Alice Sutton 559-787-2386

Gail Daley 559-960-2428

www.clovisartguild.com

ENTRY FORM

Attach to back upper
right hand corner of art.
Do not separate
sections

Receiving Old West & Rodeo Open Show Saturday,
April 16, 2022 10am - 12 Veterans Memorial District,
Veterans room. Please print or type entry

Artist _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Tel _____

E-mail _____

Category _____ Media _____

Title _____

Price _____

Signature _____



Artist Receipt for Old West
& Rodeo Open Show
April 18- April 24, 2022
Must Accompany Art Pickup

Title _____

Artist _____

Pickup at Show location on Sunday, April 24, 2022 from
4:00 - 5:00 PM. Storage of art not picked up is not an
option. Your signature denotes acceptance of these rules.

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2022 Old West & Rodeo Fine Art Show

RECEIVING: SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2022 10AM-NOON
VETERANS MEMORIAL DISTRICT
VETERANS ROOM
SHOW OPENS MON, APRIL 18th
HOURS: 10 AM — 6 PM
RECEPTION/AWARDS CEREMONY
THURSDAY APRIL 21, --- 5 PM — 8 PM
PICK UP ART: SUNDAY APRIL 24,
4:00 — 5:00 PM

RECEIVING: Saturday April 16 2022, 10AM—Noon at Clovis Veterans Memorial District, Veterans Room. Judging and Hanging will take place afterwards. This is an Open Show. ALL SUBJECTS ARE WELCOME in any category except the Theme. Due to limited space, this show may be juried. Any winning entry may be used for publicity in the 2023 show.

CATEGORIES: Oils, Acrylics, Watercolors, Pastels, Drawing/Graphics, Mixed/Media, 3-D-art/Sculpture, SPECIAL THEME category: Old West, Rodeo and the Western Way of life. You may enter art in the special theme category "Old West & Rodeo", using any media from the seven open categories as long as the subject matter is the Old West, Rodeo or the Western Way of Life. Categories may be combined at the discretion of the Show Chairs.

ENTRY FEES are \$25.00 per art piece for non-members and \$20.00 per art piece for CAG members. Entry fees are non-refundable.

PRIZE MONEY: Cash prizes will be offered for Best of Show, First, Second, Third places. There must be 7 entries in a category to receive monetary awards. Honorable Mentions will be awarded ribbons. The Mary Krause Award, a special award for artwork showing a unique understanding of the principals of art. Categories with insufficient entries may be combined with another category for judging. People's Choice will be awarded at the close of the show.

RECEPTION / AWARD CEREMONY: Thursday, April 21st, 5:00 p.m. — 8:00 p.m. Public is welcome. Awards will be given out this night. CAG does not mail out awards; they must be picked up in person. Please be there to accept your award!

ELIGIBILITY: The Old West show is open to all artists 18 years or older. Student Artists under 18 may enter the adult show, but must have a parent, Teacher or guardian's signature on the entry form. All entries must have been completed within the last three years. A signed and completed entry form must accompany each work.

LIABILITY: All show entries will be handled with the greatest care, but neither the Clovis Veterans Memorial District or the Clovis Art Guild will be held responsible for any loss or damage whatsoever to any entry, before, during or after the show. Artists should carry their own insurance.

EXHIBIT HOURS: Mon—Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 10am-4pm Artists entering the show should be prepared to sit as host/hostess or furnish a representative for at least one 3-hour segment during the show. Thank You.

ART PICKUP is Sunday, April 24th 4:00PM—5PM at the show location. Please be on time. Storage of your art not picked up from the show is not an option. If you cannot be present during art pickup, please make arrangements for someone else to pick up your art.

SALES are handled by the Artist. A 10% donation to CAG is customary and appreciated. Art may not be removed prior to the close of the show — 4:00 PM on Sunday, April 24th

UNACCEPTABLE ENTRIES: Artwork that has been done by any printing processes will not be accepted. Copies of another artist's or photographer's work from postcards, art books, magazines or other printed material may not be entered. Art depicting famous people or celebrities must have written permission of the celebrity or famous person attached. Work created as a part of a class assignment may not be entered. No Nudity or graphic violence.

ENTRY RULES: Artists may enter no more than 3 entries per category and no more than 9 entries total.

Entries cannot have been shown in successive Clovis Art Guild juried shows. Independent work that has been critiqued by a professional or independent work done in a classroom environment is acceptable. Entries in combined categories will be judged against the standards for the original media.

Drawing/Graphics includes pencil, charcoal, colored pencil, Prisma-Color, markers, pen/ink and just about any medium that can be used to draw lines on paper.

Mixed Media: For art to be considered Mixed Media, all media used must be clearly visible.

3-D/Sculpture includes encaustic, glass, ceramic, and other sculpture media such as clay, wood, stone, paper, Bas-Relief, Assemblage, and Collage.

Oils must be completely dry. **Watercolor, Pastels, graphics** and some types of **Mixed Media** must be under glass, unless larger than 24" x 28" and then plexi-glass is required.

Frames must be in good repair and ready to hang. **There will be no repair table.**

FRAMING: All paintings must be framed (gallery wrap 1.5—3" on the edge is acceptable). Use of metal frames is at the risk of the artist. Screws for hanging must be no more than 4" inches from the top of the frame and the wire must not show over the top of the frame. Please use flat hangers with wires only, no saw-tooth, eyelet hangers or quick frames and no screw eyes. The ends of the wire must be taped or sleeved with plastic. Unique or uncommon framing must pass inspection by the show chair. Please see the Professional Framing Standards Flyer posted on our website, www.clovisartguild.com.

SIZES ALLOWED: The maximum size including frame is 42" x 42", maximum weight 25 lbs. Artists entering sculptures or other 3-D media too large or too heavy to fit on a display table should provide their own pedestal.

MARY KRAUSE AWARD: Given to the artist who shows the best grasp of the principals of art.

GENE BUTLER SCHOLARSHIP ART SHOW: Open to Local Area High Schools. Please contact your teacher for information about the Gene Butler Student Scholarship. All scholarship entries should go through your high school art teacher. Please use the Professional Framing Standards Flyer posted on our website. www.clovisartguild.com.

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