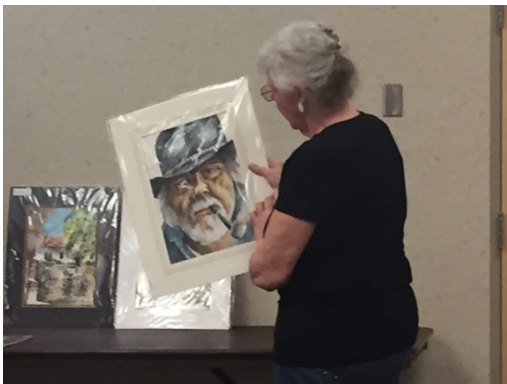


Clovis Art Guild News

Next General Meeting – Wed July 10, 2019. 7PM to 9PM
Clovis Veteran's Center, 804 Veteran's Parkway, Clovis CA 93612
Please Check Web Site For This Month's Room Location

Our July Demonstration Artist is Deanna Bristow



Deanna Sue Bristow is a native Californian who appreciates the landscapes that her state has to offer. She is particularly enamored by the beauty of the central Sierra. "I attempt to bring out the love I have for the grandeur of the Sierra; its ancient trees, glorious rock formations and life-giving waters." Her style leans towards the impressionistic, because the scenes she paints are not static but of life which is continually changing. Deanna says, "True realism does not provide me the fluidity I need to express this life." Color plays an important part in these emotional paintings. Her favorite medium is watercolor as it allows her the freedom to create scenes that naturally flow.

"I can't stop painting. I find my surroundings so inspirational that my fingers literally itch to put down on paper or canvas what I see. I don't strive to paint the socially or politically significant. I see beauty and I want to paint what I love in this world. I live in the Sierra and think I'm the luckiest person around."

The mountains call to me. Not just the grand rocky tops and passes, but the small streams and lonely pines inspire me. I love the shadows and color, the shapes and textures of this world. I retired from the Forest Service several years ago, but not from the land itself. I am never at a loss for inspiration. My frustration is there will never be enough time to paint all that I see, but I will have fun trying."

Deanna is a signature member of ACA, a member of the Clovis Art Guild and has received her signature award from SWA. She operates her studio/gallery in Auberry and has her work in the Shaver Art Gallery, Circle Gallery and the Art Stand. While she paints in several mediums, her favorite is watercolor. "Watercolor allows me the freedom to paint emotionally, there are times when I just have to slop on the paint and let it happen. For some artists there is not enough control in painting this way, but I find I tighten up as the painting progresses." My training includes an A.A. in Art and workshops with numerous artists.

Save The Date!

Receiving for the Miniature Art Works Open Art Show is Saturday, July 6. 10 AM to Noon at the Veteran's Building in the Patriot Room.

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June Kirk Cruz
July Deanna Bristow
Aug
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Oct

FEATURED ARTISTS

March-Julie Raymer
April – Georgia Verduzco
May – Linda Oberquell
June – Gail Daley
July – Mary Ann Ferstl
Aug – June Livingston
Sept- Mary Fotheringham
Oct – Carole Anderson

PICK OF THE MONTH



Pick of the Month is an informal contest for our members at each general meeting. We'd like to see what you've been working on (work done in class is ok). Art should be finished and in a ready to hang condition (framed unless its gallery wrap). **WE NEED AT 7 ENTRIES TO AWARD 3 PLACES**, so please participate! At the end of the year all First-Place winners will compete for pick of the year.

SAVE THESE DATES!

July GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, July 10, From 7-9PM at the Clovis Veteran's Memorial Building.

Please check our website for the room location

Don't Forget To Bring Your Pick Of The Month Entry

MINIATURE WORKS FINE ART SHOW

CORRECTION: The information about the Miniature Works Show in the June Newsletter inadvertently went out with incorrect dates. The correct dates are:

RECEIVING: SAT JULY 6 – 10AM - NOON

SHOW OPENS SUN – JULY 7 CLOSSES – THURS AUG 1

SHOW HOURS: OPEN FOR VIEWING DURING REGULAR LIBRARY HOURS

RECEPTION / AWARDS CEREMONY THURS. JULY 18, 5 PM – 8 PM

PICK UP ART: THURS, AUG 1, 6–7PM AT THE SHOW LOCATION (CLOVIS LIBRARY)

SUNNYSIDE LIBRARY EXHIBIT – WED JULY 17, 2019 11:00 AM--NOON

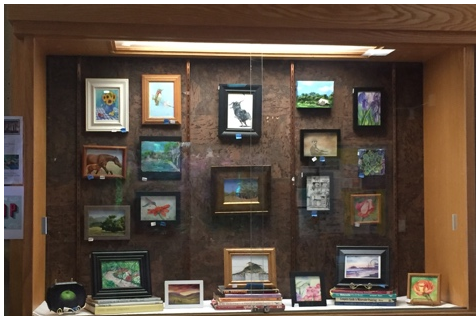
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Wow! Last month's newsletter sure was a mess! My apologies, sometimes home life does interfere with my concentration. Please note the corrected dates for the Mini Show under "Save The Dates". I have enclosed another copy of the prospectus with the correct dates with the e-mail for July. A correct copy can also be found on our website.

I hope all of you have finished or almost finished your entries for this show. Our 501c designation says that one of our stated purposes is to bring art to the public. I can't think of any better way to do that than to offer it in a public library. I hope that all of you plan to come and help out with either receiving, judging or hanging.

Speaking of Libraries, I want to encourage all of you to participate in our display at the Sunnyside Library as well. Receiving, Wed July 17, 11:00 AM. All members are welcome to hang finished pieces here. No Charge to display at the Sunnyside Library Gallery but you do need to be a member. For this display, members can bring in old art, new art, classwork, even photographs as long as it is suitably framed for hanging. Displaying at Sunnyside Gallery is a part of our 501C qualifications. 559-960-2428 (Gail) Pick Up Art and Exchange for a new display: Wed Sept 18, 2019.

Yes, I know this will mean CAG will have 2 two different displays at two different libraries in July. We are very fortunate to have the support of both the Clovis Regional Library, and the Sunnyside Library.



Gail



FEATURED ARTIST Mary Ann Ferstl



Best of Show
2018 Mini Show

Mary Ann Ferstl was born in Denison, Texas, and raised in Tulsa, Oklahoma. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree from Oklahoma State University at Stillwater. In addition to her courses in Retail

management, she took courses in interior design and art. She then went to work for Sanger-Harris Department Stores in Dallas, Texas, as an assistant buyer where she met her husband, Jim. They have celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 2017. They have two daughters living in the San Francisco bay area and one son who is a Major in the U.S. Army.

An "empty nest" gave Mary Ann an opportunity to resume her interest in all things art. She began taking classes at the Clovis Adult Education Center with Bonnie Doyle and has continued with Valerie Ward when Bonnie retired. She has studied under several well-known artists by taking workshops. Some of the pastelists are Ginny Burdick, Lesley Harrison, Teresa Saia, LeVonne Sterling, and most recently, Richard McKinley.

She has also taken watercolor workshops. Along with pastel, she also works in pen and ink, graphite, colored pencil, watercolor, oil and acrylics.

Mary Ann has been fortunate in earning many awards through the years including Best of Show and the Mary Krauss Award from Clovis Art Guild.

Mary Ann is a member of Clovis Art Guild and Association of California Artists.

Friends and family say they look forward to her original watercolor Christmas cards that she sends each year.

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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 Veteran's
Memorial District
804 Veteran's PKWY
Clovis, CA 93612

MEMBERSHIP / RENEWAL APPLICATION

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