



Brush Strokes

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What do you think?

By the time you receive this *Brush Strokes* the Member Show will have already been hung. We hope that many of you entered this year. You can't win an award unless you are in the game. If you didn't enter we would really like to know why. If it is something we can fix we will do our best to do so. And, that really applies to all of the benefits and events that PAG offers. They are there for you and should fill your needs. So, please share your thoughts with us as to how to do things better, and what you would like to have made available to you. We are not going to solicit this information formally (as in a survey) but would hope that in passing and in conversation you would let us know what you think.

The Ultimate Bag

PAG now has its very own tote bag, stylishly offered in black with white lettering with a zipper and shoulder straps. It is only \$10 and will be available for purchase at all our events. See the picture for details. We urge you to buy one and help support your art guild.



EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

- **Board Meeting** November 7th at 5:00pm — Deicke Auditorium
- **General Meeting and Member Show Awards Presentation** Monday, November 7th at 7pm — Deicke Auditorium
- **Lynn Ferris Workshop** November 8 – 10th, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm at the Kennedy Community Center
- **Paint-in Adventures in Creativity** November 14th at 11am – 3pm Plantation Community Center — A modern day interpretation of a cave painting will be the lesson
- **Workshop/Classroom Show Intake**, Tuesday, November 29th at Deicke Auditorium from 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM. Doors will close promptly at 11:30 and judging will begin at Noon.
- **Board Meeting** December 5th at 9:30am — Deicke Auditorium
- **Member Show Take-down** Monday, December 5th from 9:30 – 11:30 AM at Deicke Auditorium
- **Holiday Luncheon** on Monday December 5th at 11:30 AM right after Member Show Take-down. Location to be announced but will probably be at the Olive Garden

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Birthdays

Rachelle Berkowitz	11/3
Paula Oliveira-Seixas	11/7
Molly Lesnick	11/13
Mirtha Gutierrez	11/19
Petey Kaletta	11/22
Juliane Ketcher	11/22
Wanda Boguslaw	11/27

Plantation Art Guild 2011/2012 Workshop Schedule

All workshops will be held at The Plantation Community Center, 5555 Palm Tree Road, Plantation, FL 33317. Lunch will be provided at all workshops. Contact Karen Braverman at KFB1000@aol.com or plantationartguild.org.



LYNN FERRIS NOVEMBER 8TH, 9TH AND 10TH, 2011

Lynn will teach how the use of light, shadow, and color can turn a painting from ordinary into extraordinary. Using a limited palette of only five colors of paint you will learn how to design with shadow, light, and create luminosity by layering color. She will provide reference materials, handouts, and lots of personal attention. Appropriate for all levels, but some experience with watercolor is preferred. She is a signature member of NWS and FWS. She was a feature artist in American Artist "Watercolor" magazine.

www.lynnferris.com

Cost: \$325 Member

\$355 Non-Members

CARRIE BURNS BROWN COLLAGING WITH COLOR JANUARY 31ST THROUGH FEBRUARY 3, 2012

Carrie Burns Brown, NWS, brings your collages to a new level. Learn to make your own richly textured papers and personalized stamps plus develop your own rainbow array of light-safe papers. Carrie shows you how to sandwich fibers and combine and alter pre-existing materials to make them more personal, satisfying and unique. You learn how to use color harmonies and simple design structure to strengthen your work. Carrie is an inspiration. You won't want to wait to get started!

Cost is \$325 Member

\$355 Non-Members



WORKING WITH SPARKY AGAIN

We are honored that the City of Plantation Fire Department once again asked PAG to judge the Plantation grades K – 2 students posters entered in the Fire Prevention contest. The winners were presented with their awards at the City Council meeting on October 12 and this picture shows the citywide winner receiving her award from Sparky, the Mayor and the Fire Chief.



SHERRY O'NEILL BEYOND THE ORDINARY WORKSHOP MARCH 7TH, 8TH AND 9TH, 2012

Sherry O'Neill is a signature member of several international and national art organizations. She offers this FUN-NO PRESSURE WORKSHOP. She will fire up that spark of creativity with acrylics, texture, glazing, sanding and stenciling. Sherry simplifies the principles and elements of design. Bring your biggest brushes and your willing spirit and have some fun! If you haven't painted in a while or you're just plain bored, this workshop will put you back on the path to creativity.

Cost is \$250 Members

\$280 Non-Members

ARTSERVE MEMBERSHIP

We are pleased to inform you that we are once again a member of ArtServe which means that you will be able to enter their 12 X 12 Show early next year as a member of PAG. Now is a good time to start thinking about what you want to enter ... up to three pieces of work that are 12" x 12". It's really a fun show and you may get to sell a few paintings. It also is a little fund raiser for PAG as we share in the registration fee. So get those paintings lined up and ready to go when the dates are announced.

October Meeting

The October General Meeting was highlighted by a demo given by Liora Davis. She wanted to demonstrate how you could successfully glaze with multiple layers (many, many layers) in different hues without creating "mud" and, in fact, ending up with a very desirable foundation that could be lifted and worked on. These pictures show Liora at work as well as some of her paintings.



2011 Member Show

The marvelous 2011 Member Show awards will be presented at the Reception on Monday, November 7th, 7 PM at Deicke Auditorium, 5701 Cypress Rd., Plantation. There will be refreshments and it is a wonderful opportunity to socialize with your artist friends. We hope to see many of you there to acknowledge and recognize the winners of the show as they receive their awards. This is the first PAG show of four shows scheduled for the 2011/2012 season.

Kudos from US

We are most pleased to report that Elaine Kahn was recently one of 31 artists selected to present their work in a digitally published book by Sue St. John "A Walk Into Abstracts: 3rd Volume." The artists are from around the United States and show their different types of techniques and working processes in more than 50 paintings in the ebook. To see the book and how to order:

www.awalkintoabstracts3.com.



2011 ANNUAL WORKSHOP/ CLASSROOM SHOW

We know it seems like we have hardly caught our breath from entering the Member Show and now we are promoting the second annual Workshop/Classroom Show. The fact is, now that we have four shows a season we have to pack them into nine months. The calendar that was in September's *Brush Strokes* indicates Intake on Tuesday, November 29th at the Historical Museum. It has been moved to Deicke Auditorium at 5701 Cypress Rd., Plantation. The time is from 9:30 – 11:30 AM. The prospectus for this show is enclosed with this issue of *Brush Strokes*.

The big deal here is that this is an opportunity for you to show three of those great works of art that you did in a workshop or classroom which are excluded from all other judged shows.

HAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN

Dues are due and by now you should have received the renewal letter with an addressed envelop for next year's dues. They are only \$30 if you receive *Brush Strokes* electronically, we hope we have made it easy for you to just complete the form so our records are up to date and return with your payment in the addressed envelope. The important thing to remember is that your dues must be in by December 31st in order for you to be included in the 2012 Member's Directory. So, do it right now while you are reading this.

October Paint-in Adventure in Creativity

October's Paint-in Adventure in Creativity again presented a Karlyn Holman technique. Karen Fletcher Braverman demonstrated designing a composition with asymmetrical shapes. As you will note in the accompanying photos there were a number of different approaches. A good time was had by all and they left with a new concept to incorporate into their work and a finished or partially finished piece. Karen got rave reviews for her demo.



November Paint-in Adventure in Creativity

November's Paint-in Adventure in Creativity will take you back to the past ... way back. We will demo a modern day interpretation of a cave painting. You will be surprised as to how effective the end result will be. Suggested supplies are:

- Watercolor paper
- Black Webbing spray (Krylon) sold at Michaels and we will have some if you do not
- Watercolor paint – earth colors like burnt sienna, raw sienna and some cool colors like cobalt blue
- Gauze
- Wax paper
- Salt
- Masking fluid
- Sand paper
- Colored pencils
- Black Sharpie – thin point
- Table cover

So, save the date, Monday, November 14th from 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM at the Kennedy Community Center, 5555 Palm Tree Rd., Plantation. This is open to all and free of charge and you can bring your lunch ... there are kitchen facilities and soda vending machines.

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Plantation Art Guild Schedule 2011-2012

REVISED NOVEMBER 2011

August 15, 2011	3:00 PM	Board Meeting at Edie Bryan's house
August 27, 2011	9:30 AM	Workshop at Helen B. Hoffman Library
September 12, 2011	5:30 PM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
September 12, 2011	7:00 PM	General Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
September 19, 2011	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center
October 3, 2011	9:30 AM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
October 3, 2011	11:00 AM	General Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
October 10, 2011	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center
October 21, 2011	10:00-12:00 AM	Member Show Take-in at Deicke Auditorium
November 7, 2011	5:30 PM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
November 7, 2011	7:00 PM	General Meeting and Reception at Deicke Auditorium
November 8-10, 2011	11:00 AM	Lynn Ferris Workshop at Community Center
November 14, 2011	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center
November 29, 2010	9:30 – 11:30 AM	Workshop and Classroom Art Show Intake at Deicke Auditorium
December 5, 2011	9:30 AM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
December 5, 2011	11:00 AM	Holiday Luncheon and Take-down Member Show
January 2, 2012	5:30 PM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
January 2, 2012	7:00 PM	General Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
January 9, 2012	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center
January 10, 2012	10:00 – 12:00 AM	Take-down Workshop and Classroom Art Show at Deicke Auditorium
January 31 – February 3, 2012	9:00 AM	Carrie Burns Brown Workshop at Community Center
February 6, 2012	9:30 AM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
February 6 2012	11:00 AM	General Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
February 13 2012	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center
February 16, 2012	11:00 AM	Scholarship Judging at Deicke Board Room
February 17, 2012	10:00-12:00 AM	Open Show Take-in at Deicke Auditorium
March 5, 2012	5:30 PM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
March 5, 2012	7:00 PM	General Meeting and Reception at Deicke Auditorium
March 6, 2012	10:00-12:00 AM	Volunteer Show Take-in at Plantation Historical Museum
March 7-9, 2012	9:00 AM	Sherry O'Neill Workshop at Community Center
March 12, 2012	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center
April 2, 2012	9:30 AM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
March 30, 2012	10:00 – 12:00 AM	Volunteer Show Take-down at Plantation Historical Museum
April 2, 2012	11:00 AM	General Meeting and Take-down Open Show at Deicke Auditorium
April 6, 2012	10:00-12:00 AM	Volunteer Show Take-in at Plantation Historical Museum
April 9, 2012	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center
May 7, 2012	5:30 PM	Board Meeting at Deicke Auditorium
May 7, 2012	7:00 PM	General Meeting and Reception at Deicke Auditorium
May 14, 2012	11:00 AM	Paint-in at Community Center

Plantation Art Guild's 2011 Workshop/Classroom Show

ELIGIBILITY: Open to all PAG members who have work done in a workshop or classroom. All two dimensional media, acrylic, oil, collage, pastel, photography and watercolor work done in a workshop or under class instruction is eligible. The work must have been executed within the past three (3) years. Each artist may enter up to three [3] works.

REGULATIONS: Maximum size, 30"x40"; minimum size 10"x10", including frame. All works must be suitably framed under Plexiglas (not glass), wired (not saw-tooth hangers), and ready to hang. Gallery wrapped works are acceptable, frames may be metal or wood, but ornate gold frames or bright enamel colors are unacceptable. Double mats are acceptable where the outer mat is white or off-white. Diptychs and Triptychs must be contained in a single frame to be judged as a single work. No nudes. PAG reserves the right to refuse any work submitted.

SALES: While PAG does not participate in the sale of artwork, a price list will be available to interested parties with all inquiries directed to the artist. A donation of 10% of each sale is requested for the Scholarship Fund.

ENTRY FEE:

\$30 for one to three works for pre-registrations postmarked no later than November 15, 2011.

\$35 fee to register at take in November 29th.

Make checks payable to PAG. Mail to: Judi Wallack, 10501 W. Broward Blvd., #410, Plantation, FL 33324

DELIVERY: MONDAY, November 29th from 9:30 am to 11:30 am at Deicke Auditorium, 5701 Cypress Rd., Plantation, FL 33317.

OPENING RECEPTION: Awards and ribbons will be presented at the Holiday Luncheon, Monday, December 5, 2011.

ENTRY CONDITIONS: All accepted artwork **MUST hang for the duration of the show. Submission of work to be juried shall constitute an agreement to comply with all of the conditions set forth in this prospectus.**

CALENDAR	
Mon. Nov 15	Postmark Deadline for Pre-registration
Mon. Nov 29	Take In 9:30 am—11:30 am
Mon. Dec 5	Awards/Holiday Luncheon 11:30
Tue. Jan 10	Pick Up 10 am - 12 noon
For more information contact:	
Judi Wallack 954-370-9096	
Edie Bryan 954-475-1406	

ARTIST'S RECEIPT PLANTATION ART GUILD Annual Workshop/Classroom Show Complete and bring at time of delivery.	
Artist: _____	
Title #1 _____	
Title #2 _____	
Title #3 _____	
Signature of Registrar _____	

ENTRY TAG #1 <i>attach to back of entry upper right</i>	Value _____ circle one: FS / NFS
Artist _____	
Title _____	
Phone _____	
ENTRY TAG #2 <i>attach to back of entry upper right</i>	Value _____ circle one: FS / NFS
Artist _____	
Title _____	
Phone _____	
ENTRY TAG #3 <i>attach to back of entry upper right</i>	Value _____ circle one: FS / NFS
Artist _____	
Title _____	
Phone _____	

ENTRY FORM for PLANTATION ART GUILD ANNUAL WORKSHOP/CLASSROOM SHOW

Pre-registration by Mail: Postmarked by Novemebrr 15th with Check payable to PAG for \$30

Mail to: **Judi Wallack, 10501 W. Broward Blvd., #410, Plantation, FL 33324**

Registration at Take-In: November 29th , 9:30 am—11:30 noon with Check payable to PAG for \$35

Name _____ Phone _____
Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

Title #1 _____	Medium _____	Value _____	For Sale Y / N
Title #2 _____	Medium _____	Value _____	For Sale Y / N
Title #3 _____	Medium _____	Value _____	For Sale Y / N

All accepted artwork **MUST hang for the duration of the show. Submission of work to be juried shall constitute an agreement to comply with all of the conditions set forth in this prospectus.** WAIVER OF LIABILITY: Every care will be exercised in the handling of works submitted. By submission of work, the artist agrees to abide by the exhibition rules and waives any and all claims against Plantation Art Guild, The City of Plantation, or any individual associated with the exhibit.

Fee: _____ Check # _____ Signature of Artist _____