

The Sketchpad



A monthly newsletter of the Toledo Artists' Club

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TAC Hours

Tuesday	1 - 4 PM
Thursday	1 - 4 PM
Saturday*	1 - 4 PM
Sunday*	1 - 4 PM

*When volunteers are available.

Members' News

In Memoriam: GERALDINE HASS, a member of the club for 20 years, passed away July 19.

Please welcome new members LINDA KLOPPING, JANE VARGO and HOPE WALLACE

AARON BIVINS won first place in Painting, and PAUL BRAND won the Purchase Award at Art on the Mall at the University of Toledo, July 28. On the advice of the jurors, the Alumni association purchased PAUL's pastel, "Springtime" to add to their collection exhibited in the associations offices.

Message from the Trustees

Summer is in full swing in our area. We hope everyone is finding time to be creative with their art. There are plenty of sights and venues around to inspire the artist in us. Please share your creativity by continuing to enter your works into our monthly Gallery Exhibitions. If you have ideas for improving the exhibitions or for different themes for next year's shows please contact Duane Lammers, duane_lammers@hotmail.com, or Debra Sommers, DS5875@gmail.com, who are the new co-chairpersons for the Gallery Exhibition Committee.

The Metroparks Board has approved the agreement with the City of Toledo to assume ownership of the TBG Property and buildings. This is great news as it means that after two years, the Metroparks will have more control of the Gardens and what improvements can be made.

At our June board meeting, the trustees voted to move the monthly board meeting from the 2nd Tuesday of each month to the 3rd Tuesday, at noon. With this change our meetings will follow the monthly Resident Organization Committee (ROC) meetings, allowing the TAC board to react promptly to issues raised at the ROC meetings.

The library bookshelves in the storeroom adjacent to the Studio are collapsing. The bookcases are not strong enough to hold the weight of the books. The Board will be addressing this issue in September but in the meantime, please do not donate any more books to the club until we decide how to fix the problem. Also refrain from taking out or replacing any books.

At the September board meeting we will also address the vacant officer and committee positions: (Board President, Board Chairperson, Workshop Chairperson, and Auction Chairpersons (2 required). We ask you, the membership, to step up to fill one of these vacancies. You do not need to be a Trustee to be an officer.

RICH CARLE
Treasurer

Please renew your membership online or at the Club

RENEW ONLINE at our website: <http://www.toledoartistclub.com/>

Click on "Membership" or call 419 531 4079 during regular hours

Annual dues are \$50 for Active Members, \$15 for Associate Members, and \$500 for Lifetime Members



Impressionistic Landscapes by VIANNA SZABO offers the new and experienced artist a great opportunity to explore a unique way to approach landscape painting. Learn how to make your landscapes look fresh and painterly, how to interpret photographs to simplify the landscape, and how to choose colors that infuse your paintings with light and atmosphere. VIANNA has held several workshops at TAC that were well received. She is experienced in pastel, oil, watercolor and acrylic mediums. Artists working in all mediums and levels of experience are encouraged to attend this learning experience. Dates are October 7 to 9, 2019. The fee for this three (3) day class is \$325 for Active TAC Members and \$350 for Associate or Non-TAC Members. Please check our website for more detailed information.

2019 Gallery Shows

	Theme	Start	End	Take-in	Juror	Volunteer	Reception
Aug	Water	6-Aug	29-Aug	Jul 25, 26	Karrie King		
Sep	Northwest Ohio	3-Sep	26-Sep	Aug 22, 23			
Oct	Artist's Choice	1-Oct	31-Oct	Sep 19, 20			
Nov	People & Portrait	5-Nov	26-Nov	Oct 24, 25		B. Watrol	11/03
Dec	Winter	3-Dec	19-Dec	Nov 21, 22			

For all exhibitions you may use any fine art medium: watercolor, oil, acrylic, pastel, gouache, encaustic, graphite, charcoal, pen and ink, photography, or sculpture. Take-in is always on Thursday and Friday.

Water Show 2019

American Frame Best-of-Show Award
EDWARD MARKS – Pond

1st Place

KENNETH JACKSON – *Hurricane Charlie's*

2nd Place

CAROL SICHA – *Ribbit*

3rd Place

EDWARD MARKS – *Early Morning*

Honorable Mention Awards

LESLIE DIETSCH – *Reflections*

MICHAEL HILL – *Conservatory*

CLAIRE WILSON – *Over the Waves*

Juror's Comments: My thanks to the Toledo Artists Club for asking me to jury the "Over the Waves or Under the Bridge, if it has to do with Water, it's Great!" Exhibition. As I made my way through the sea of water-inspired entries, I could see the quality of the artwork and each artist's depth of involvement. The artists creatively and skillfully channeled their energies into the theme. Congratulations to all those who entered this highly competitive show. A body of work like this is a true sign of a competent, talented and vibrant art organization.

A river of criteria on which to judge this exhibition poured forth from my mind; composition, creativity, craftsmanship, skillfulness and visual impact. After spending much time with the entries, the winners you see here rose to the summit and were superior in this artist's eyes. Enjoy the show and may it wet your appetite to create!

KARRIE KING – Retired Art Educator – 07/26/19

People's Choice Award, America Show: CLAIRE WILSON for *West Coast Event*.

Save The Dates For Heralding The Holidays

The three-day event, "Heralding the Holidays," sponsored by the Artists Village at the garden, is a major fundraiser for our club. Please put these dates on your calendar: Friday, Dec. 6 (evening) through Sunday, Dec. 8, 2019. You'll be hearing more about lots of fun ways to donate artworks, baskets, or other items. Questions? Contact Janet Wharry, janetwharry@yahoo.com or (248)835-3949; or Paula Davis, paulamariadavis60@gmail.com or (607) 342-0560.

Start thinking about small quality artwork to donate (or sell!). Also, this year consider "adopting" a basket to assemble, following a theme such as: U of M or OSU basket, Children's art supplies, Acrylic Pour or Alcohol Ink supplies, Candles, Birds, OR Dogs, or Cats (choose!), Seasonal (4 seasons, holidays), Gardening, Relaxation/Spa, Chocolates! The baskets will be raffled or auctioned.

Questions? Contact Janet Wharry, Heralding Coordinator, janetwharry@yahoo.com (248) 835-3949; or Paula Davis, Silent Auction/Raffle Chair (607) 342-0560 paulamariadavis60@gmail.com.

Classes for 2019

PAUL BRAND: Watercolor, acrylic, oil, pastel or drawing instruction. Class meets every Tuesday 2 to 4 PM all year; join any time. Each week Paul demonstrates a different technique or subject. Check his Facebook page for details. Students may try the demo or do their own work. Composition, color mixing and basic drawing are covered. Emphasis is on individual instruction. **Register with Paul** at 419-944-6150 or by email: paulhbrand@gmail.com. Website: www.dadandrenee.com. Cost is \$20 per session; come when you can, pay only when you come. *Students provide their own supplies. Contact Paul for a supply list.*

MJ ERARD: Soft or Oil Pastel Class, Saturdays or Sundays, 12 to 3 PM. Next class is July 13. MARY JANE demonstrates techniques in both oil and soft pastel and color and composition skills. All supplies are provided with sanded pastel paper for an extra fee of \$3/sheet. All skill levels welcome. No prior art experience needed. Source photos for the class will be provided or you may bring your own. Cost is \$35. Bring your own paper or purchase sanded paper. To register or for more information, email Mary Jane at maryjaneerard@yahoo.com or visit <http://www.artbymjerard.com> or MaryJaneErardFineArtist on Facebook.

Watercolor "Arty Partys" at the club the last Wednesday of the month except as noted, evenings 6 to 9 PM. \$25, all art materials and project are provided. Cash or checks only. Bring wine, snacks & paper products. Contact Elaine to confirm dates: H (419) 841-8153 or C (419) 450-4006, elainescarvelis@gmail.com

2019 Plein Air Painters Schedule

Everyone welcome. No charge. Meet at 9:30 with supplies and lunch. If weather is "iffy" use your discretion.

- Aug 6 Lourdes College** Convent Blvd., Sylvania, Ohio (parking lot north side of Franciscan Center)
13 577 Foundation 577 E. Front St. Perrysburg, Ohio, Entrance across from S. Boundary Rd.
20 Grand Rapids, Ohio Meet by ice cream parlor
27 Rain Date or Possible Catawba Island Home 4567 Cliff Rd., Port Clinton, Ohio.

Hosts and Hostesses needed: To promote the club and maintain our good relationship with the Metroparks, please volunteer to keep the club open on the weekends, from 1 to 4 PM. Put out the flag and welcome visitors. You may bring artwork with you. Call the club to sign up: 419 531 4079.

First and third Saturdays of the month are Demo Days at the Garden. Come to the garden and paint or demonstrate artwork in the club. The more we are noticed the better off we will be.



American Frame Showroom

400 Tomahawk Drive, Maumee in Arrowhead Park
419-887-8030 www.americanframe.com

American Frame has been selling custom cut frames, mats, and framing supplies at wholesale prices for 45 years. They also offer fine art reproduction services and printing. **Toledo Artist Club members receive a 10% discount on any purchase over \$50.00, and 5% off all other purchases. Free samples of frames, mats, acrylic and mounting boards. Volume discounts on multiples of the same size/style frame. Professional advice from one of our friendly showroom representatives**

Showroom open Mon - Fri 8:30am to 5:30pm, until 6:30pm on Thursdays

The Art Supply Depo locations: 29 South St. Clair in Toledo & 435 E. Wooster in Bowling Green.

Both locations are fully stocked with a wide variety of art supplies. **TAC members receive a 10% discount on purchases of supplies.** Customers can expect the same level of service, quality art supplies, and classes to continue as the business expands. For additional information, call [419-720-6462](tel:419-720-6462).

For the Love of Art

4027 N. Holland-Sylvania Rd Toledo, OH 43623
419-882-2060 www.forloveart.com

TAC members get a 10% discount on purchases over \$10

Laura's Framing Place

Colonial Village Shopping Center, 4400 Heatherdowns Blvd at Key Street
Call: 89-Frame (419 893 7263)


Mon - Fri 10 am to 6 pm; Sat 10am - 3 pm

Locally owned; 34 years Framing Experience

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I found I could say things with color and shapes that I couldn't say any other way - things I had no words for." - Georgia O'Keeffe

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1 9 to 12 Thu Morning Painters	2	3 Blair Museum of Lithophanes All About Eggs- Stephanie Osser Solo Exhibition August 3rd - October 27
4 Hostess Ellie Miller	5	6 2 to 4 Paul Brand All Media Class	7 4:45 to 9 Anthony Wane Garden Club	8 9 to 12 Thu Morning Painters	9	10  11 to 7 Art in the Garden
11 CLUB CLEANING Hostess Lynn Brand	12	13 2 to 4 Paul Brand All Media Class	14 5 to 7 Resident Organizations Council	15 9 to 12 Thu Morning Painters	16 6 to 8 Artist Reception - Lithophane Artist Sephanie Osser At Blair Museum	17 10 Stephanie Osser Talk 11 to 3 Making Lithophanes Workshop At TAC 10 to 7 Levis Commons Fine Art Fair
18 Hostess Paula Davis 11 to 5 Levis Commons Fine Art Fair	19	20 2 to 4 Paul Brand All Media Class 6:30 to 9 Rose Society	21 9:00 to 12:30 Maumee Valley Herb Society 6 to 9 Toledo Gem & Rock Club	22 9 to 12 Thu Morning Painters	23	24 Hostess Joan Martinez
25 12 to 3 MJ Erard Class	26	27 2 to 4 Paul Brand All Media Class 6:30 to 9 Rose Society	28 6 to 9 Arty Party Elaine Scarvelis	29 9 to 12 Thu Morning Painters	30	

**PROSPECTUS: Northwest Ohio Show
September 3, 2019 – September 26, 2019**

VOLUNTEER: P. Alspach/S. Horvath
JUROR: Millie Guldbek

SUBMISSIONS: Thursday, August 22, 1-4 pm & Friday August 23, 2019, 1-4 pm.

IF UNABLE TO SUBMIT AT THESE TIMES, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE IN ADVANCE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.

ELIGIBILITY: Toledo Artists' Club members and area artists.

All mediums: paintings, drawings, graphics, pastels, photos, sculpture, three-D, ceramics, glass.

Theme Description: Anything related to our beautiful region, from cityscapes to bridges, metroparks and country vistas. Paint your backyard!!

ENTRY FEE: **TAC members:** \$10 per entry, or 3 for \$25.00
No Refunds **Non-members:** \$15 per entry or 3 for \$40.00

ENTRIES: **Three (3)** works may be entered per individual. Attach official entry form (bottom of this prospectus) to the back top left corner of the piece with the blank side facing out or to the bottom of 3-D works so that the artist's name is not visible. Tape should be Painter's blue tape or equal.

TAC IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE TO ART WORK.

ALL WORK MUST BE SUITABLY FRAMED UNDER ACRYLIC with wire, ready to hang (no sawtooth bars).
Exceptions: pastels may be framed under glass; glazing is not required for canvas. Framing for canvas is required unless the sides of the canvas are part of the painting. Submissions must be original (no giclees, not copied, not done in a class or workshop). *Maximum framed size: 36" x 48". TAC reserves the right to refuse any subject deemed unsuitable.*

PICK-UP: Work not accepted can be picked up when the club is open. **EXHIBITED WORK MUST REMAIN HANGING FOR THE DURATION OF THE SHOW UNLESS IT IS SOLD.** Exhibited works must be picked up within 30 days of the show's end.

SALES: **ALL WORK MUST BE FOR SALE and MUST HAVE A PRICE LISTED.**
All sales will be handled by the TAC, which retains a 25% commission.

Tape a label per instructions above. PLEASE do not staple or glue the tag to your piece.

Northwest Ohio Show 2019

Name _____

Title 1 _____

Medium _____

Price \$ _____ BoS 1st 2nd 3rd HM M

Northwest Ohio Show 2019

Name _____

Title 2 _____

Medium _____

Price \$ _____ BoS 1st 2nd 3rd HM M

Northwest Ohio Show 2019

Name _____

Title 3 _____

Medium _____

Price \$ _____ BoS 1st 2nd 3rd HM M

Fill out this form and give it to the person doing take-ins

Name _____

Phone _____

Title 1: _____

Medium: _____ Price: \$ _____

Title 2: _____

Medium: _____ Price: \$ _____

Title 3: _____

Medium: _____ Price: \$ _____