



The Palette

The Los Gatos Art Association Newsletter

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November / December 2017

Upcoming Events

November 11, 2017: 1-3 p.m.
NO MEETING

November 12, 2017: 1-3 p.m.
Fall MJS Artist Reception/Awards Presentation
at the Addison-Penzak Jewish Community Center of Silicon Valley, 14855 Oka Road, Los Gatos.

December 9, 2017: 1-3 p.m.
Holiday Social

We will have a live Auction! Please bring something to auction off that you think is of value but you no longer need or want. You are welcome to bring a spouse, friend, significant other, etc. The proceeds will go to support the victims of the recent fires in northern California.

There will be no Peer Group judging, but the Artist of the Year will be announced.

Bring finger food to share and an unwrapped toy for TOYS FOR TOTS.

January 14, 2018: 1-3 p.m.
George Rivera
Critique

Our juror is well-known and respected local artist and teacher George Rivera. Rivera received his B.A. and M.A. at San Jose State University, and for 28 years he was the Executive Director and Senior Curator for the Triton Museum of Art in Santa Clara.

During this time he also taught art studio, art appreciation, and art history classes in many Bay Area institutions: San Jose State University, San Jose Art League, Pacific Art League, UC Berkeley Extension, DeAnza College, Triton Museum of Art School and continuously at Mission College since 1986. In 2013, he joined Mission College as Associate Faculty Instructor of Art and also teaches studio art and art appreciation at Ohlone College since 2014.

Classes

Classes with Kay Duffy – watercolor classes continue at Hakone every 2nd and 4th Monday, 9:30 to noon; \$20/class. k@kayduffywatercolors.com.

John Giannotti will be teaching a six-week "Beginning Painting - Watercolor" series at the Addison-Penzak JCC of Silicon Valley
Cost: \$108 per 6 week session or \$22 per class
Date: Wednesdays, October 25 - November 29
Time: 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

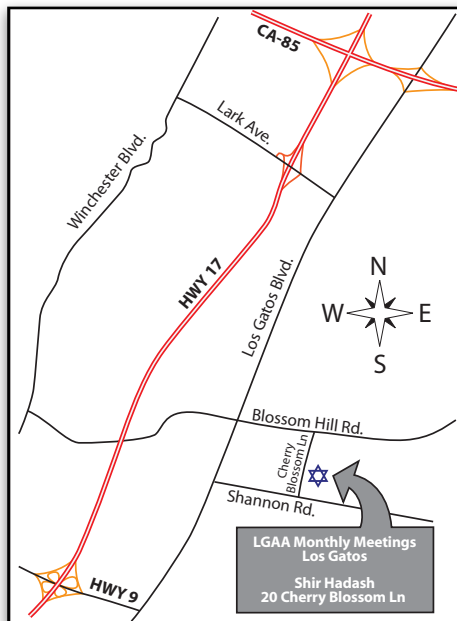
For registration or more information contact Addison-Penzak Jewish Community Center of Silicon Valley
14855 Oka Road, Ste. 201
Los Gatos, CA 95032
Phone Line: 408.357.7462
Fax Line: 408.358.7311
www.apjcc.org

Nina Bricker's next 8-week winter session of "Drawing in the Evening" classes will begin again in January 2018, at the Los Gatos Adult Recreation Center on Tuesday nights. Contact them to sign up or inquire at: www.lgsrecreation.org or call 408-354-8700.

LGAA IS MOVING

To a New Location & Day !

Beginning in **January 2018**, LGAA meetings will be held at 20 Cherry Blossom Lane at Shir Hadash in Los Gatos on **Sundays** from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. It's a beautiful facility with ample parking and a wonderful meeting room.



DATES TO REMEMBER

LGAA Fall MJS:

November 7 - Show opens

November 12 - Reception/Awards

January 8 - Show closes

November 11 - No meeting

We will be busy with the Fall MJS

December 9 - Holiday Party at Los Gatos Adult Recreation Center, 208 E. Main St., Los Gatos

January 14 - Member Critique by George Rivera

Welcome New Members

Cookie Addison
Len Floyd
Smruti Kurse
Leslie Landers
Michelle McCune, DVM
Jill Pipkin
Arti Raman
Sandra Smith-Dugan
Will Tait

Member News

Danielle Dufayet's piece, *WILD*, was accepted into the Color Speaks Art Show in Berkeley. They also used it as the poster art!



Danielle Dufayet - *WILD*

Nancy Takaichi received "Best in Show" at the North Tahoe Plein Air Open for her 12x12 inch oil, *Racked Up*.



Nancy Takaichi - *Racked Up*

Nina Bricker's watercolor *Mountain Gem* will be in the Santa Clara alley Watercolor Society's "Small Treasures" show.



Nina Bricker - *Mountain Gem*

Syd Dunton had a very successful show of 18 of his pieces at JCO Art Haus in Los Gatos. The Art Fair ran from October 12-15. Pictured here is *Bits and Pieces*.



Syd Dunton - *Bits and Pieces*

Syd also has eighteen pieces on display in October at JCO's Art Haus in Los Gatos. His sculpture, *Movement*, was one of several that sold.



Syd Dunton - *Movement*

Ellen Howard was awarded "Best Water Scene" for her painting *MacKerricher Splendor* at the Mendocino Plein Air Competition in September. She has also joined Paul Kratter as a co-chair for the San Francisco Chapter of the California Art Club (CAC).



Ellen Howard - *MacKerricher Splendor*

Maralyn Miller is showing *Up the Hill* with the National League of American Penwomen at the John O'Lague Galleria at 777 B Street in Hayward at the Hayward City Hall from October 6 to November 7.



Maralyn Miller - *Up the Hill*

Rozanne Hermelyn's *Waiting for the Water to Rise*, has been selected for inclusion in The Boston Printmakers 2017 North American Print Biennial, Jan. 27 - March 4, 2018, Lunder Arts Center, Cambridge, MA., juried by Judith Brodie, Curator of Modern Prints and Drawings at the National Gallery of Art, Washington, DC. From 1,990 entries, 88 were accepted for the exhibition.



Rozanne Hermelyn - *Waiting for the Water to Rise*

In this year's Pacific Print show at Palo Alto Art League, **Rozanne** won third place with *Falling and Rising on the Other Side*, juried by Alice Vu, Kala Art Institute.

Kathy Kleinsteiber will have four paintings at the Sandhill Crane Festival Art Show at Hutchins Street Square in Lodi on November 3-5.

Hadi Aghaee was awarded 3rd place in the juried art show of Silicon Valley Fall Festival 2017. Hadi's clay sculpture was awarded 2nd place in the national juried competition, *Visions in Clay* 2017, exhibited at LH Horton Jr. Gallery.

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LGAA Plein Air Schedule by Rebecca Lillis White & Annie Haines

The Los Gatos Art Association runs a weekly outdoor painting event every Monday each month.

The location changes every week. All mediums are welcome.

Upon arriving at each location, members will be there to greet you and start the session.

All events are mornings 9:00 – 12:00 noon unless otherwise noted. Updates online at <http://www.lgaa.org/new.pleinair.html>.

Nov. 6: Guglielmo Winery, Morgan Hill



Map

1480 E Main Ave., Morgan Hill, 95037. From Los Gatos, take CA-85 S (11.2 mi). Merge onto US-101 S, go 8 mi. Take exit 367 for Cochrane Rd., go .5 mi. Turn left on Cochrane Rd., go .5 mi. and turn right on Mission View Dr., go .6 mi, turn right on Half Rd., .3 mi., turns slightly left and becomes Condit Rd., .4 mi. Turn left on E Main Ave., .4 mi, then right on restricted usage rd. Restrooms.

Nov. 13: Santa Teresa Park, San Jose



Map

From Los Gatos take CA-85 S to Bernal Rd. exit. Go right on Bernal Rd., go 1.3 mi., turn left into Santa Teresa Park. Pay station in first parking lot. Meet in third parking lot, picnic area. Fee \$6 for Seniors, Restrooms. View paintings at 12:15.

Nov. 20: Rose Barn, Morgan Hill



Map

From Los Gatos take CA-85 S to Almaden EXPY. Turn right onto Almaden EXPY. Stay on Almaden EXPY to the end. Turn right onto Harry Rd. Make an immediate left onto McKean Rd. Turn right on Casa Loma Rd. Drive until you see the Barn on the right side of the road, not far past Triple Bar Stables. Restrooms at Rancho Canada del Oro parking lot farther down the road.

Nov. 27: Los Gatos Creek, Los Gatos



Map

From CA-85 S, take Winchester Blvd Exit. Turn left on Winchester. Take 2nd right on Knowles Dr. Road turns left, becomes Dell. At 1690 Dell Ave (Southbay Construction) turn right into the parking lot on the north side of parking lot where there is an opening in the chain-link fence. Take path to the bike lane, go left to the bridge and cross. No facilities.

Dec. 4: Almaden Quicksilver County Park, San Jose



Map

From Los Gatos, take CA-85 S. Take Almaden Expressway, exit south. Proceed 4.5 mi to Almaden Road and turn right. Proceed onto Almaden Road through the town of New Almaden to Almaden Quicksilver County Park. Parking lot on your right. Facilities, no fees. Meet at 12:15 to view paintings.

Dec. 11: Bernal-Gulnac-Joice Ranch, San Jose



Map

From Los Gatos, take CA-85 S to Cottle Rd, San Jose. Turn rt. onto Cottle Rd. then turn left onto Santa Teresa, then first rt. onto Camino Verde Dr. Drive to end of the road. Park on the street. Rest rooms, no fee. Historic Ranch

Dec. 18: Sierra Azul OpenSpace Preserve, Los Gatos Mt. Umunhum Area

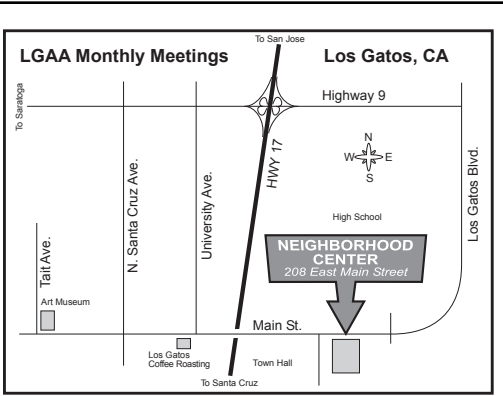


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From Los Gatos take CA-85 S to Camden Ave. Exit onto Camden Ave., head S. Turn right onto Hicks Rd., go about 6.3 miles. Turn right on Mt. Umunhum Rd. Pass first parking lot on the right. Go to the next parking lot, (Bald Mountain). New lot and nice restrooms.

Dec. 25: HAPPY HOLIDAYS ALL YOU GREAT ARTISTS

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Member News

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Bobbie Frederickson has been asked to participate again in the Holiday show of the Olive Hyde Gallery. What she likes is commission paid from sales stays in the community. Check out olivehydeartguild.org for more information.

Susan Migliore will have a one person show at the Los Altos Library from December 1 - 31. The show will be hung in the main lobby and can be viewed during regular library hours. Among the twenty or more paintings on view, visitors can find Susan's many with focuses on creeks, rivers and ocean. Susan finds the dynamic and exciting aspects of moving water and reflections both captivating and forever challenging.



Veronica Gross - Afternoon Sun on Sentinel Dome



Susan Migliore - China Beach

Plein Air by Veronica Gross. Exhibit runs Oct. 31 – Nov. 26. Reception is Friday, Nov. 3, 5-8 p.m. at Viewpoints Gallery. Gallery hours: Mon. - Sat. 11 a.m. - 5 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Viewpoints Gallery, 315 State Street, Los Altos, 94022. 650-941-5789. www.viewpointsgallery.com.

Artists of the Month

SEPTEMBER:

- 1st Place
Claudia Browne
Big Surprise
(Oil)
- 2nd Place
Barbara Lancon
Spanish Dancers
(Pastel)
- 3rd Place
Annie Haines
Hayes Mansion
(Watercolor)

OCTOBER:

- 1st Place
Vernon Dittenbir
Baby Elephant
(Oil)
- 2nd Place
Annie Haines
Point Reyes Lighthouse
(Watercolor)
- 3rd Place
John Giannotti
Portrait #6
(Watercolor)

