

Dates to Remember

**JUNE 1, 5:30PM
 INSTALLATION-
 POTLUCK DINNER**

**JUNE 23, 6PM:
 GALA**



QUOTABLE QUOTES

"I feel strongly that the visual arts are of vast importance. Of course, I could be prejudiced. I am a visual art."

Kermit the Frog

"Life is too short to drink the house wine."

Helen Thomas

"Silly is you in a natural state, and serious is something you have to do until you can get silly again."

Mike Myers

"Whenever you see darkness, there is extraordinary opportunity for the light to burn brighter."

Bono

San Clemente Art Supply News

Jump into summer with some amazing deals!!

Arches 140# CP Watercolor paper

5 sheet pack 45% off list
 10 sheet pack 47% off list
 25 sheet pack 50% off list

Raphael Sable or Squirrel Rounds

50% off list

New Winsor & Newton Artists' oil or Sable Artists' Watercolor Brushes

30% off list.

Great prices mean you can get what you need when you need it!

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Summer's coming on like gangbusters, with a variety of outdoor events filling up every weekend. The art walks and festivals, given the sheer number of shows, still attract large crowds out for a fun day, but are they actually interested in buying? You can't eat a snow cone and rollerblade with your Schnauzer in the Louvre, or in most galleries I'm familiar with (there are a couple that could belong in the other category), so the outdoor venue is pure family daytime entertainment.

I was one of about 400 artists at the San Diego Artwalk several weekends ago, where the entertainment value, advertising, etc. was very excellent, and subsequently drew hordes....people that is, from near and far. Even the homeless were pushing their shopping carts through the crowds. The positive of all this is the sheer numbers of contacts you might make. Of course the negative is: few lookers have actually come with the intention



of buying anything over \$100. Selling becomes a very important part of your work, as important as the quality of your art.

On another note, I attended a workshop by Libby Tolley, who some of you surely recognize as a wonderful painter with years and years of experience and well-deserved accolades. The emphasis was on trees, starting with a foundation of transparent washes (oil) to find values and form, wiping off areas to identify particular structure and negative shapes, etc., then building with opaque paints. The object is to leave areas of under-painting shine through when possible, especially those areas in shadow. She also pre-mixes most all her local col-

ors, something I've been doing lately also. It takes time, but, for me, the actual painting process goes smoother, with colors more brilliant.

Enjoy your day,
 Steve Kell

GALLERY NEWS

JUNE IS THE END OF THE YEAR but the beginning of all our major events for SCAA. Mark your calendars!

MAY 31, Thursday evening: Our Reception for the May Judged Show, **7:00 pm**. Our first **Artwalk** of the summer, **6:00 - 8:30 pm**.

*You can still sign up for the summer Artwalks. The forms are on our website and in the gallery. Be sure to come to a fun evening of artwork and artists.

JUNE 3, Sunday: Artists Supplies Garage Sale, **10:00 am - 2:00 pm**. Please bring in your saleable (in good condition) supplies **Saturday, June 2**, to the gallery. Be sure to tell all your artist friends to come to our sale Sunday. Lots of bargains!

PAINT SAN CLEMENTE

JUNE 16: will begin our **SIXTH PAINT SAN CLEMENTE** Plein Air competition. Artists will be given a goody bag from SC Art Supply, one of our main sponsors.

JUNE 22: 10:00 am-12 noon: Quick Draw.

JUNE 23, 10am: Plein Air paintings display outdoors and judged. Outdoor Art Fair Exhibit 10:00 am-4:00 pm.

6:00 pm-8:30 pm: GALA!!!
 Paintings moved to auditorium & awards announced
 Fabulous Food spread by Beachfire
 Two complimentary drinks
 Live entertainment
 Silent auction and Drawing (including trip to Park City)

Tickets: \$30. Call Mary 366-1601.

*Invite all your friends to the Gala. This is our fund raiser for our student supplies and scholarships. Last year the Sunpost Newspaper said *"it was the party of the year"*.

Below is a list of where we need volunteer help: You may sign up for several spots.

June: Poster distribution.

6-16: Plein Air Artist Sign-in.

6-22: Quick Draw: Sign in 8:00 - 10:00 am. Entry check-in 12 noon and tear-down.

6-23: Art Fair Vendor Set-up and Tear-down.

8:00 - 9:30 am: Plein Air entry paintings check-in.

4:00 pm: Gala Set-up.

5:30 - 8:30 pm: Gala Event Staffing (2) 1 1/2 hour shifts.

6:00 - 8:30 pm: Quick Draw Silent Auction.

8:30 - 9:30 pm: Gala Tear-Down.

A committee will be calling members to do short shifts or you may call or email Pam Hill: pamhill.art@cox.net or 369-0260.

Pam Hill,
Gallery Chairwoman



ARTISAN CASE

Truman Benedict Elementary School removed their wonderful display on Friday, May 18th. It was a very nice set up and each student showed a lot of effort to display a good art design!

Well done and thank you,
Alice Waldo

We have five jewelry artists displaying and selling their items. The names and phone numbers are listed below:

Sharon Longdale: 949-361-1885 - Precious stone necklaces and earrings.

Katharina Stute: 949-364-6905 - Handcrafted jewelry and lapidary.

Monica Branstrom: 949-481-8466 - Silver fabrication with cut glass from local beaches.

Adele Lynas: 714-731-4392 - Silver jewelry with colored epoxy-resin.

Darlene Goins: 949-361-8844 - Jewelry made from silver with beads and clay.

The display session starts on May 20 and ends on June 22.

Katharina Stute
Artisan Case Chairman
949-364-6905.

DATES TO REMEMBER

May 31, 7pm - Reception, May Judged Show, Gallery.

May 31, 6-8:30pm - Artwalk.

June 1, 5:30pm - Installation, Potluck Dinner & Meeting, Palm Beach Park Clubhouse, 101 N. Palm Drive, San Clemente.

June 2, 10am-4pm - Bring donated art supplies to the Gallery.

June 3, 10am-2pm - Artists' supplies garage sale, on the grounds just outside the Gallery.

June 6, 3pm - Executive Board Meeting, Gallery.

June 16, 10am-1pm - Artist check in - Paint San Clemente Plein Air Competition.

June 22, 10am - Noon - Quick Draw.

June 23, 10am - Plein Air paintings displayed & judged.

10am - 4pm - Outdoor Art Fair Exhibit.

6-8:30pm - GALA

August 3, 1-4pm - Pick up paintings, Plein Air Show.

August 4, 10am-Noon - Registration, Paint San Clemente Membership Judged Show.

August 18, 19, 10am-5pm - ART/CRAFT FAIR

MEMBER NEWS

KAREN SHAW: Won 1st Place in oil/acrylic for her portrait, "Indian Love Call", in the Saddleback Art League's "Spring Reflections" 8th Annual All-Media

Juried Fine Art Exhibition, April 29 through June 8, 2007.

ALICIA

We just received Alicia Sotherland's first official Newsletter "Direct From Alicia's Art Studio", in which she notes that several of her Workshops in June and July have not as yet been filled. These are described below:

Semi-Private Intensive Workshop:

Sat., July 7, 9:30/10:00 – 4:30: \$130.00 (includes alfresco lunch, wine, and model fee). Each class is set up for 4 students, each of whom will receive intense individualized attention. Students will paint from their own photo, then from a model who will pose for 3 hours. Workshop will be held at Alicia's Art Studio, 1140 E. Fifth Ave., Escondido 92025.

Painting Pastel Portraits From Photos:

Sun., June 24, 10:00 – 4:00: Workshop will be held at Escondido Art Association Gallery. Two openings remain.

Painting From Photos:

Sat., July 28, 10:00 – 4:00: Workshop will be held at San Clemente Art Supply, 1531 N. El Camino Real, San Clemente 92672.

For further details on Alicia's Workshops, call her at (760) 746-6256, or log onto

www.aliciasotherland.com



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TIME TO RENEW MEMBERSHIP!

The application for the June 16, 2007 through June 15, 2008 membership renewal was included with the May Sketch Pad. Submitting your renewal dues on time will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you to the many members that have already responded.

Mary Bierce
Membership

