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Message from the President

Dear Members,

Greetings to all of you and welcome to our new members! For those who have not yet sent their membership renewal dues to Alice Smallwood, be sure to do it NOW so that you can be included in the upcoming 2014-2015 membership directory. (if not renewed by our September 18th meeting, you will NOT be listed). Arlene Oakland is working hard to finish it and get it ready to distribute to us.

At last flowers are blooming and summer is here, we waited a long time for it. May you all have a sun-filled, refreshing, and artful summer! See you in September! . . . Kathy O'Connell, President

Send your \$35 membership renewal dues to our
Membership Chair: Alice Smallwood
8532 Bellevue Rd., Grosse Ile, MI 48138
Phone: 734-558-0548

Subject: Global Art Project (GAP)

HI Ladies . . .

I have just received the box from Beijing, China with the art for the 12 members that had their work sent to China. I will pass them out at the September meeting on Thursday, Sep. 18, 2014.

I would like all the rest of you to please bring in the art you received from your assigned fellow artist, so you can display them to the rest of the members.

It should make for a very interesting meeting with all that worldly art.

Hope everyone had great summer.

. . . Marilyn Bomarito

Board Meeting:

T.B.A.

GENERAL MEETING:

At Detroit Yacht Club
Thursday, September 18
11:00 - Meeting
12:00 - Lunch
1:00 - Art presentation from
Global Art Project
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Welcome new members:

Arlinda Crossland
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Bloomfield Twp., MI 48302
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Mary Grosvenor
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248-320-6433
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Changes in Member Information

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248-896-2564
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Cindy Parsons
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Oakland, MI 48363

Joya Rush-Keli
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Phone: 313-304-4432

Nobuko Yamasaki
22 Webber Place
Grosse Pte. Shores, MI
Add cell: nobukoyamasaki@mac.com

It is with sympathy
and sorrow we report the
death of
Carol LaChiusa's
daughter Cyd.

What's Happening:

- **Starkweather Arts Center** hosted the Birmingham Society of Women Painters exhibit **6/6 - 6/26**. The Center's class schedule including a clay studio begins - see www.starkweatherarts.com 586-752-5700 219 N. Main, Romeo
- **Grosse Pointe Art Center** presents 'Our Rivers, Our Lakes' - **7/25 - 8/16/14** 313-881-3454
- **Midland Center for the Arts** '53rd Annual Greater Michigan Art Exhibition' **7/26 - 9/21/14** 989-631-5930 mcfta.org Alden B. Dow Museum of Science & Art, 1801 W. St. Andrews Rd. Midland
- **UMMA** presents 'Changing Hands: Art Without Reservation 3/ Contemporary Native North American Art from the Northeast and Southeast' - explores the work of contemporary artists of Native North American origin, working in both traditional and new media. Info: 734-764-0395 umma.webstaff@umich.edu University of Michigan 525 S. State St, Ann Arbor
- **Wasserman Projects** presents 'Comic Relief' exhibit, work by artists E. Earls, M. Scoggins and D. Thorneycroft. Artist spotlight: Reuven Israel' sculptural works **6/7 - 8/9/14**. 248-220-4628 wassermanprojects.com 2163 & 2167 Cole St, Birmingham
- **David Klein Gallery** presented 'Equal Opportunity', works by artist Kelly Reemtsen. **5/31 - 7/5/14** 163 Townsend St., Birmingham
- **Lawrence Street Gallery** presents: **August Cindy Parsons - 7/30 - 8/20/14** **September Glenn Corey & Gary Van Gorp - 9/3 - 9/26/14**.
- **Robert Kidd Gallery in Birmingham is closing for good according to report in Oakland Press.**



- **Lawrence Street Gallery's** 'Invitational Exhibition' **7/2 - 7/25** 248-544-0394 www.lawrencestreetgallery.com - Woodward Ave. Suite A Ferndale, MI 48220
- **River Gallery + Exhibits** closed its downtown Chelsea venue on **June 30th, 2014**. The Gallery will be continuing as an arts business, and moving right next door on the second level. 734-433-0826 New address: 118 S. Main St, Chelsea patti@chelsearivergallery.com
- Robert Burrige is featured in the new **Acrylic Artist Magazine** - Summer 2014 - on the news stand - 'On the Move' Footloose, inventive and dynamic, Robert Burrige experiments with acrylic and collage in evolving series
- **The Whitdel Studios** 'Members Only Exhibit' **7/11 - 8/9/14**. Info: terry@whitdelarts.com 1250 Hubbard St, Suite B1, Detroit
- **Paint Creek Center for the Arts** presents 'Members' Biennial Show' - main gallery **7/11 - 8/8/14**. First floor gallery features Roshan Toma **7/11 - 8/8/14**. 248-651-4110 www.pccart.org 407 Pine Street, Rochester
- **Scarab Club** presents their '2014 Fiber Exhibition' **7/30 - 8/23/14** 313-831-1250 scarabclub.org Reg. Hrs. W-Sun, Noon-5 pm 217 Farnsworth Detroit.
- **Ypsilanti Rec Center** has a COLORED PENCIL CLASS by Dean Rogers **8/13 & 8/20/14** 12 - 3 pm 2025 East Clark Road, Ypsilanti, MI To register call 734-544-3838
- **OUR TOWN** 'Art Show & Sale' **10/9 - 10/11/14** 248-644-5832 - free & open to the public. The Community House 380 S. Bates St, Birmingham
- **The Alfred Berkowitz Gallery/ U of M Dearborn** had their 'Open Competition 2014' **6/13 - 7/24/14** 4901 Evergreen, Dearborn
- Art workshops being offered at the **Franciscan Life Process** in Lowell, MI (near Grand Rapids) **2014 - 2015** including Fresh Air, Oil & Pastel, Alla Prima Portrait, Masa Paper W/C, etc. Info: kbechtel@lifeprocesscenter.org
- **Eric Law of Color & Ink Studio Ltd.** (away the week of 8/4, can be reached by e-mail or phone, scheduling appointments beginning 8/11) announces a new partnership with Andrea Rosenfeld, professional artist and wholesale business specialist. 1850 Eleven Mile Rd, Berkley
- A 2-day workshop 'Painting Expressive Landscapes in Soft Pastel' is being offered by **Barbara Reich** at the **Oliver Art Center** on **9/25 - 9/26**. For details call 231-352-4151 or the **Oliver Art Center** website
- Bev Jozwiak's book 'Painting Life with Life in Watercolor' available, Info: ChrisUnwin.net or 248-624-4902. For more info on books/giclee prints etc. ChrisUnwin@att.net or DonUnwin@att.net. There is still room in Jozwiak's work shop **10/23 - 10/26/14** at **Suburban Collection** on Grand River in Novi.
- **Cranbrook Art Museum** in Bloomfield Hills celebrated the opening of six new exhibitions for the summer, including one featuring the cover artwork of famed artist Andy Warhol. **11 am- 5 pm** 248-645-3320
- **Ellen Kayrod Gallery** presents 'Mixed Media Summer Open **7/11 - 8/22/14**.
- **Woods Gallery** of Huntington Woods presents art by Marat Paransky, work made from materials that would otherwise be thrown out, entitled 'Wastelands' Show: **7/7 - 8/15/14** Info: 248-581-2696 - 26415 Scotia, Huntington Woods
- **BBAC** Exhibit: 'Where were You' art by Linda Soberman **7/25 - 8/22/14**, also on exhibit: 'Mosaic Artists of Michigan'.
- **Detroit Artist Market** is featuring 'If You Build It, They Will Come' **8/1 - 8/29/14**. 313-832-8540
- **Village Fine Arts Association** presents 'Views & Visions' Art Show **11/7 - 11/26/14**. 'All That Jazz' & Opening Ceremony and Awards **11/7** at 6:30 pm at the HVCA, 205 West Livingston Road, Highland MI 48357. **Deadline to enter art is 9/27/14** Info: 248-797-3060 www.milfordvfaa.org

Members

Accomplishments:

- An **OOPS - sorry: The Grosse Pointe Art Center** show entitled 'Four Sight' with *Mary Aro, Amy Fell-Burford, Julie Strabel and Nobuko Yamasaki*
- **Sue Mallick** had 2 pieces accepted in the **Plymouth Community Arts Council's 'Out of the Blue'** show, one was awarded an Honorable Mention, the other was chosen to be featured on their posters, invitations and programs. She was also accepted in the **VAAL 'Spring Show'**.
- Accepted in the **VAAL 'Members Show' 6/3 - 6/29/14** were **DSWPS** artists **Regina Dunne, Daria Fileta, Alison Kardell, Sue Mallick and Barbara Eko Murphy**. **Regina** received Second Place, **Daria and Barb** both received Honorable Mentions.
- **DSWPS** members in the **U/M Dearborn 'Open Competition'** were **Linda Allen, Nina Ashraf Asmi, Vana Beginin, Jan Brown, Regina Dunne, Linda Logan, Barbara Eko Murphy, Olga Pawlowski, Lan-Huong Reilly, Julie Sabit, Fran Seikaly, Alice Smallwood and Lori Zurvalec**, with Third Prize awarded to **Regina** and Merit awards going to **Nina, Linda** and **Fran**.
- **Fran Seikaly** received Third Place in the 'West of Center' Show and a Merit Award in the **U/M Dearborn Berkowitz 'Open Competition'** Show.
- **Jan Brown** had a semi-solo show at the **Village Theater** at Cherry Hill in Canton 7/1 - 7/30/14 featuring her new work of this year.
- **DSWPS Members** exhibiting in **Lawrence Street Gallery's 'Invitational 2014' 7/2 - 7/25/14** were: **Alice Allhoff, Nina Asmi, Janus Benda, Richie Campbell, Barbara Cuthbert, Alison Kardell, Susan Kwolek, Candace Law, Ilham Mahfouz, Joyce Manke, and Kathleen O'Connell**.

- **Candy Law** was Artist in Residence at **Cycling Salamander Gallery**, Charlevoix 6/24 - 7/1 giving an artist talk and encaustic overview, with a Basics Workshop on 6/8/14. cyclingsalamander.com
- Member **Kate Paul** was filmed in late May for **PBS** for an up-coming 'Detroit Performs' and can be seen on a YouTube clip - <http://youtube/vdjGt64Pk8>. She appeared on front page of the Free Press (6/21) re an article about Gilda's Club.
- **DSWPS** members in the **Grosse Pointe Art Center** show 'Exposed' were **Linda Allen, Alice Allhoff, Estela Boudreau, Richie Campbell, Charmaine Kaptur, Joyce Manke, Kathleen McNamee, Carolyn Sieffert, Julie Strabel and Lori Zurvalec** with **Lori** awarded Second Place and **Linda** receiving Third Place.

• **The Community House's '2014 Our Town'** entry date has closed. Date of their show is **10/8/14** (opening night party), open to public **10/9 - 10/11/14**.

- **MDCC Gallery Night** presented **DSWPS** member **Barbara Cuthbert** in 'The Cuba Series' 7/11/14.
- Members of **DSWPS** in the **Thursday Brushes critique group** (from left to right: *Christina Haylett, Mary Marple, Janet Almstadt-Davison, Denise Dunn and Bobbie Tarbunus* - featured in Sunday Oakland Press regarding nearly 2 dozen plein air artists participating in the plein air paint out at the Troy Garden Club's 40th annual walk held 7/9/14

- **Barbara Reich** reports the plein air season has begun. She participated in the **Leland Air, 'Second Annual'** hosted by the **Old Art Building** in Leland and sold her piece. One of her paintings in **Art Center Traverse City at the Historic Barnes Park** was awarded Second Place. She has a piece juried into the 'Great Lakes Pastel Society National Exhibit' at the **Dennos Museum** and received the 'Terry Ludwig Award'. She, along with *M. Szabo, S. Will and M. DeferPfeifer* have an exhibition at the **Oliver Art**



V. Szabo, S. Will, M. Defer-Pfeifer and Barbara

- **Denise Dunn** has a piece accepted for **ArtPrize 2014**. She also has been juried into the **2014 Greater Michigan Art Exhibition** as well as work upstairs at the **Starkweather Gallery** in Romeo with the 'Thursday Brushes'. She reports learning of the **GMAE** thru our newsletter - *ah, it IS being read!*

- **Kathleen McNamee** was awarded Second Place in the **Ann Arbor Art Center's 'The Print 2014'** (5/16 - 6/22/14)

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Oakwood Arts for the Spirit Exhibit

Delivery of artwork

9/29 - 10/2 to

15915 Southfield Rd

Allen Park Oakwood

Physical Therapy

586-489-1846

(in a strip mall with

ACO Hardware and a

Ruby Tuesdays)

(list of accepted artists - see below)

Members

Accomplishments:

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- Members accepted into the **Oakwood Arts for the Spirit 2014** are: **Jan Brown** - Wayne, **Linda Coutts** - Dearborn, **Madge Lawson** - Dearborn, **Lorraine Gedeon** - Dearborn, **Deb Maiale** - Wayne, **Sue Mallick** - Dearborn, **Joyce Manke** - Wayne, **Kathleen McNamee** - Dearborn, **Barbara Murphy** - Wayne, **Molly Murphy** - Dearborn, **Bette Prudden** - Dearborn & Wayne, **Roselyn Rhodes** - Wayne, **Jackie Rybinski** - Taylor, **Sharyn Schlarman** Dearborn, **Fran Seikaly** - Dearborn, **Marilynn Thomas** - Taylor, **Chris Unwin** - Dearborn, **Darlene Urbanek** - Wayne **Anton**

Entries Wanted:

- **Deadline: 8/6/14**

Connecticut Pastel Society's 21st Annual National Competition:

'Renaissance in Pastels'

Soft pastels only. Show dates: **10/8 - 11/9/14**. On line submissions only.

www.ctpastelsociety.org

or SASE #10 to: Diane Stone

89 S. Main St., Marlborough, CT

06447

- **Deadline: 8/9/14**

Northville Art House 'Can you Spare a Chair' with completed chairs and other art due 8/27 - 8/30. Sale

9/18/14. Info: 248- 344-0497,

www.northvillearthouse.org

215 W. Cady St, Northville

- **Deadline: 8/19 & 8/30**

Menagerie Room Gallery's

'People's Choice' call for Entries.

menagerieroom.co 248-446-0411

- **Deadline: 8/24/14**

The Canton Commission on

Arts, Culture & Heritage has

issued a call for entry for the '22nd

Annual Canton Fine Arts Exhibition

2014' at **The Village Theater at**

Cherry Hill. Digital CD entries.

Show dates: **10/2 - 11/1/14**

Info: 734-394-5308 MyPDF.pdf

50400 Cherry Hill Rd, Canton, MI

- **Deadline: 8/31/14**

SlowArt Productions call for

artists for 'Show of Heads' Show:

10/23 - 11/22/14 at the **Limmer**

Gallery. Info: [www.slowart/](http://www.slowart/prospectus/head.htm)

[prospectus/head.htm](http://www.slowart/prospectus/head.htm)

- **Deadline: 9/1/14**

The **Berkeley Center's** call for

entry to 'Hack the Bells' - an

international art and new media

contest. Info:[http://hackthebells.](http://hackthebells.org/home)

[org/home](http://hackthebells.org/home) - depending on the grand

prize winning work - which could be

a painting, a poem, a robot, a remix, a

dance performance. Winners

announced Oct. 1. If a performance is

to take place, it will take place at the

University of California, Berkeley,

funding to sponsor the performer

(within reason!).

- Fund raiser put on by Dearborn

Community Arts Council at the

Padzieski Art Gallery 9/11 -

9/28/14. 10" x 10" provided canvas

to 100 artists, work auctioned off

Info: 313-943-3095 or

rvaldez@ci.dearborn.mi.us

- **Deadline: 9/5/14**

Great Lakes 'Small Works' call for Artists - open to anyone 18 yrs or older residing in any of the eight Great Lakes states. 2D - 3D juried exhibition art 12"

on either side, including frame, if framed. Show: **10/2 - 25/14**. For info:

734-480-2787 [http://www.riverside](http://www.riversidearts.org/in-the-gallery/small-works)

[arts.org/in-the-gallery/small-works](http://www.riversidearts.org/in-the-gallery/small-works)

Riverside Arts Center

76 N. Huron Street, Ypsilanti

- **Deadline: 9/8/14**

Ferndale Public Library has a call for entries for 'Menagerie - a group art exhibition celebrating all animals'.

Show **8/25 - 10/11/14**

FPLArts@ferndalepubliclibrary.org for

entry form

- **Deadline: 9/25/14**

Call for entry from UnitedWomen.org

and Karen Gutfreund Art for 'Voices:

An Artist's Perspective' Open to all

self-identified women artists. Show:

4/2 - 4/30/15

To enter: <http://www.entrythingy.com/>

[www.unitewomen.org# dashboard](http://www.unitewomen.org#dashboard)

NAWA Gallery, National Association of

Women Artists. 80 Fifth Avenue, Suite

1405, New York, NY.

- **Deadline: 9/30/14**

Submission for Individual artists or

group. The Huron Valley Council for

the Arts is now accepting proposals for

the 2015 gallery season. Each artist

selected during the jury process will

exhibit for one month in the beautiful

historic Highland Station House

Gallery. In addition the HVCA will

provide a full compliment of

advertising materials including posters

for public distribution as well as a

"Meet the Artist" wine and appetizer

reception on the first Friday of the

exhibition month at no cost to the

artist! at 248-889-8660

[http://www.huronvalleyarts.org/](http://www.huronvalleyarts.org/1/257/call_for_artists.asp)

[1/257/call_for_artists.asp](http://www.huronvalleyarts.org/1/257/call_for_artists.asp)

HVCA Art Center

205 West Livingston Highland



Reminder!
Take-in for artists
accepted in
Anton Show is
September 10th
10 am - 4 pm



**SEPTEMBER 24 - OCTOBER 12
GRAND RAPIDS, MI**

As you know, DSWPS has a trip planned every year for this event: ArtPrize...the largest art show in the world....last year there were over 1600 artists from all over the world participating in this

citywide event.

DSWPS is going on Sep. 25th and staying overnight at the Amway Grand Plaza Hotel. The room rate is \$134.00 for one night (\$67 pp for two in a room, or \$33.50 pp for four in a room).

I have made arrangements with them to hold 10 rooms for us. We will be having a cocktail hour on the 25th at 6pm, then on to dinner at the Cignus Restaurant at 7 pm.

The following day we will start out at the Grand Rapids Art Museum for another day of art and inspiration.

Please contact

**Marilyn Bomarito at
734-675- 7243
to make arrangements
to join us.**

Update on the Oakwood Art for the Spirit Group Show

All the entries for the Oakwood Art for the Spirit group show have been submitted. I will send out the list of accepted artists and titles of pieces selected and notify you of the exact location of the exhibit.

Framing: metal frame with channel (Nielsen type), wood frame, or finished edge gallery wrap. Art is secured to the wall with screwed-in bracket.

DROP OFF DATE: 9/29 - 10/2/14 15915 Southfield Rd. (just south of I-94 in Allen Park at Oakwood Physical Therapy - 586-489-1846 in strip mall with ACO Hardware & Ruby Tuesday)

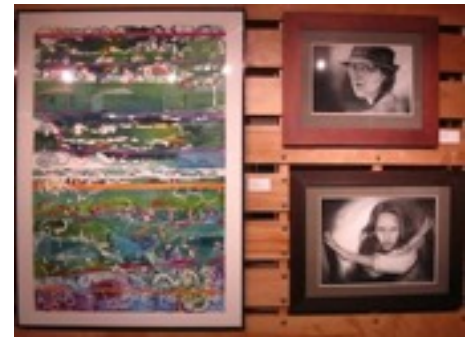
Display: 90 days - October, November and December 2014

Pick up date: **2nd week of January 2015.** Same place as drop off site.

Any sales will be routed thru Susan Majewski at Arts for the Spirit. 35% commission to Oakwood Foundation. The buyer will write a check to the artist. Susan will send the check to the artist. The artist cashes the check and sends 35% to the Oakwood Foundation. All this information, in detail, will be sent to the artist about the transaction.

Peace,
Jackie Rybinski

**A few photos of the
U/M Dearborn Berkowitz
Gallery Show -- Hope everyone
had a chance
to see it! (6/13 - 7/24/14**



Groaner Alert!

A rubber band pistol
was confiscated from
Algebra Class
because it was a
weapon of math disruption

In case you missed seeing the show, you can catch their Traveling Show!

• 8/16 - 9/27/14

The Charlevoix Circle of the Arts

231-547-3554
109 Clinton Street, Charlevoix
www.charlevoixcircle.org

• 10/1 - 10/31/14

Lowell Arts

616-897-8545
149 South Hudson Street, Lowell
www.lowellartsmi.org

11/14 - 12/27/14

• **Studio 1219**

810-984-2787
1219 Military Street, Port Huron
www.studio1219.com

Top photo: Ted Vassar and juror Paul Jackson for MWCS show with Laura W. Host, President

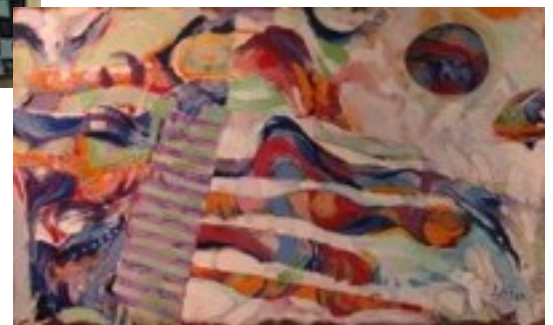
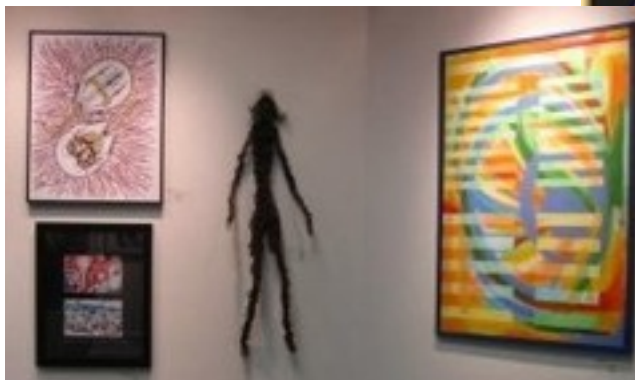
photo at right: Barb Murphy

photo at far right: Daria Fileta

MI Water Color Society '67th Annual Exhibition' Greater Flint Council, Flint, MI (6/7 - 7/3/14)



**Grosse Pointe Art Center
show: 'Exposed'
6/20 - 7/12/14**



Message from Ann Arbor Art Center: "Introducing 117 GALLERY"

As valued supporters of the Art Center, we wanted you to be the first to know our big news. Starting August 15th, the Gallery Shop is getting a new name and a whole new look! Help us welcome the "117 GALLERY", a contemporary retail art gallery and exhibition space. Same place, familiar faces, same hours... everything else will be new. Stay tuned for upcoming announcements of changes that are sure to inspire and delight!