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President's Message — July-August 2019

Welcome Back! I've enjoyed the break from my regular duties and responsibilities to create, explore and learn. I'm almost ready to jump back into the DSWPS world.

While I was "un-busy," Jackie Rybinski, Erica Chappuis, Rose Rhodes and Janice Ducsay were busy planning the activities for the upcoming program year. All our vice presidents and program chairs have done a great job of securing places, speakers, registering and welcoming activities for DSWPS. At the same time, the background support team, Kimberly Santini, Lori Zurvalec, Joyce Manke, Julie Sabit, Kathleen McNamee, Kathleen O'Connell and Marilyn Bomarito quietly did their jobs, maintained accurate records, created a newsletter and updated the website. Thank you, to all the vice presidents and program chairs who work professionally throughout the year.

As an organization, we need members for our committees. Unlike other organizations, we do not have a membership requirement to participate in a committee. We believe that all members see the importance of functioning committees for the health of the our organization.

I invite all DSWPS veterans and new members to join a committee. Committees are important for the present stability of our organization. Committee members ensure that future leadership is identified and nurtured for DSWPS. Functioning committees prevent burn-out for the chair and ultimately our organization. Presently, we have a great leadership team, and I encourage you to be part of the committee structure of DSWPS. Please contact the chair of the committee you're interested in being part of for the upcoming year.

To learn who are the committee chairs, take the time to read your yearly DSWPS Directory or visit our website: www.dswps.org - In the Directory and website is the list of chairs and contact information.

We definitely have a great program year for 2019-2020. There are two exhibitions, interesting speakers and fun social activities planned for the upcoming year. I look forward to seeing everyone at our first meeting on September 19, 2019, at the College for Creative Studies.

Joan Smykowski, President

DSWPS

MEETING SCHEDULE

(There will be NO October Meeting)

DSWPS has reduced the meetings to FIVE, which includes the May Annual Meeting.)

Thursday, September 19, 2019

10 am at College for Creative Studies

Walter B. Ford II Building, room (Located on the corner of Frederick St. and John R, behind DIA.)

(Parking in CCS Structure is free: on Brush St. between Frederick and Ferry)

Program: Scholarship recipients from 2018 & 2019

Membership Show and Tell

(bring a piece you are working on for peer support and discussion)

Questions? Contact event host:
Jackie Rybinski or Marilyn Bomarito,
Scholarship Committee Chair

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Regret to report the passing of member
Jackie Fleming week of 7/16/19

ENTRIES WANTED:• **Deadline: 8/13/19**

The **Grosse Pointe Congregational Church** is hosting our **DSWPS Show 'Small but Mighty'**. Art Exhibition — **8/31 - 10/4/2019**. *Work must be 12 inches or smaller in any direction*, wired for hanging.

All members whose dues are current are eligible to enter. Only pre-registered work will be accepted.

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GPCC 240 Chalfonte, Grosse Pointe Farms

• **Deadline: 8/15/19** - Cafe at

www.CallforEntry.com

Starkweather Arts Center is hosting **The Romeo Guild of Art's '59th Annual Thumb Area Artists' Exhibition'** - open to all residents of Genesee, Huron, Lapeer, Macomb, Oakland, Sanilac, St Clair, Tuscola and Wayne county - show dates: **8/29 - 9/27** (closed Labor Day). www.810-908-9003 ksantini@turtledovedesigns.com 219 N Main, Romeo

• **Deadline: 9/10/19**

Northville Art House entries due for **'Small Works' 11/1 - 11/30 215**

248-344-0497

exhibits@northvillearthouse.org

215 W. Cady St, Northville

• **Deadline: 9/15/19**

Livonia Arts Commission's 22nd **'Annual Fine Arts Exhibition'** - Dates **10/1 - 10/25/19**. www.ci.livonia.mi.us or 734-466-2540

33000 Civic Center Dr, Livonia

WORK SHOPS/ART FAIRS• **Ann Arbor:**

JOIN US in Florence, ITALY 2019!

Sept 14-22- Marla Baggetta - pastel or oil (landscape)

Sept 24-30 - June 3-9 - Norberto Dorantes - Urban Sketching

Ann Arbor 2019 workshops

Oct 23-25 - Bethany Fields - "Captured-Your References Reimagined" - Pastel

Oct 28-30 - Stan Kurth - "Freedom in Watermedia"

Oct 31-Nov 2 - Jeannie McGuire - "Beyond the Reference" - Watercolor

Nov 4-5 - Karen O'Neil - "Color and Energy" - Oil or Acrylic

Nov 6-8 - Rita Kirkman - "Layering the Light" - Pastel

Nov 10-12 - Felicia Forte - "The Portrait: Alla Prima" - Oil

artensity.org/annarbor Debra at artensityworkshops@gmail.com

• **Franciscan Life Process Center**

August 1-3 - (Craig) Katriel Srebnik-"Painting Costumes and Clothed Figures"

August 12-16 - David Sharpe-"Light and Shadow-Painting the Emotional Landscape"

August 16-17 - Stanka Kordic - Intuition and Design to Create What's Next

August 15-17 - Keiko Tanabe-"Keep it Simple and Strong"

August 29 -30 - Ellie Harold - A Woman's Expressive Art Retreat

August 30-31 - William Mancuso - Watercolor Sketchbook Workshop

September 4-7 - Steven Assael -"Workshop on Color and For

Please find all the workshops at www.lifeprocesscenter.org 616-897-7842 x 352

• **Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center:**

August 21 - 23 - Paul Jackson - "Dramatic Light & Luminosity in w/c" - Wed - Fri - 9 - 3:30 pm

248-644-0866 - long list of more upcoming workshops can be seen at bbartcenter.org

• **Grosse Pointe Art Association**

August 15, 22, 29 & Sept. 5 - Liz Frankland - "Painting Urban - Landscapes" - 6 - 9 pm
313-881-3454 gpaa@grossepointeartcenter.org

• **Visual Arts Association of Livonia (VAAL)**

734-838-1204 vaalart@yahoo.com

• **Huron Valley Council for the Arts:**

September 16 - September 20 - Sandra Strohchein - "Let's Paint"
Wendy @248-505-6323

• **For upcoming workshops at Northville Art House - check out**

store@northvillearthouse.org campscui.active.com.

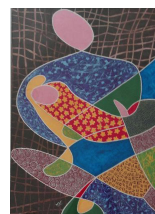
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MEMBER ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

• **Jean Thomas** was accepted in the **'Spring Art Exhibition'** of the **Visual Arts Association 6/2 - 6/28/19** at the Livonia Civic Library, Fine Arts Gallery, 32777 Five Mile Rd, Livonia

• **Ellen Stern** reports she has her art on view at **Farmington Hills City**. The show will be there for two years, from **1/2019** through **12/2020**. 31555 West Eleven Mile Rd. (near Orchard Lake Rd.)

• **Sue Mallick** has work showing in the **'Reunion Show of Solo Artists'**, celebrating 50 yrs of the **Plymouth Community Arts Council** during **July & August**. M & Tu 12-6, W & Th 10-5, F 11-2.
774 N. Sheldon Rd, Plymouth

• **Inspired By 2.0' - Opening**

Reception: Friday, 9/13 6-8 PM at the Padzieski Gallery in Dearborn.

This figure and portrait show runs **9/13 - 10/10**. Artists include: *Candace Brancik, Kathleen Boettcher, Jayne Brophy, Sara Hadley, Janet Kondziela, Kathleen McNamee, Lynn Edwards Newman, Kathleen W. O'Connell, Susan Perrish, Rose Rhodes, Mary Step.*

15801 Michigan Ave, Dearborn (in Ford Community and Performing Arts

MEMBER

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

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- **Barbara Reich** was juried into the **Pastel Society Members** show at the Carnegie Center for the Arts, Three Rivers, MI. **6/21 - 9/7/19** Sign up for **Barb's** newsletter - lots of info re plain air spots: barbarareich.com
- Members **Judith Bemis, Jan Brown, Pamela Day and Loretta Markell** were accepted in the **Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center's '38th Annual Michigan Fine Arts Competition'**. Over 80 works of art were selected. Opening **6**
- **Francine Kachman** and **Mary Jo Rabbene** received Outstanding Awards at '72nd Annual' **Lakeside Palette Spring Art Show** at the **Grosse Pointe Art Center** at the War Memorial.
- DSWPS members accepted in the **Lawrence Street Gallery's '2019 Sumer Invitational'** **7/3 - 7/27** were: **Janet Almstadt-Davidson, Vana Beginin, Jan Brown, Jan Filarski, Christina Haylett, Joyce Manke, Sue Mallick, Julie Sabit, Marilynn Thomas** and **Vasu Tolia**.
- **Inspired By 2.0 Opening Reception: Friday, September 13th from 6-8 PM at the Padzieski Gallery in Dearborn.** This figure and portrait show runs Sept 13 - Oct 10 at the Padzieski Art Gallery located at 15801 Michigan Ave, Dearborn MI 48126 (in Ford Community and Performing Arts Center).

WHAT'S HAPPENING:

- **Grosse Pointe Art Association exhibition 'Our Rivers, Our Lakes' 6/19 - 8/4/19.** The War Memorial, 32 Lake Shore Dr, Grosse Pte Farms
- **Black Box Gallery** features exhibit of past and present **MWCS** members' art, including **Lori Zurvalec**. **7/12 - 8/3/19.**
- **Northville Art House Show: 9/6 - 9/28** northvillearthouse.org 215 W. Cady St., Northville
- **Anton Art Center** celebrates **fifty years**. The new SatARTday program presented by First State Bank provides opportunities for people to take free courses - Events schedules for the second Saturday ea. month through **September**. 586-469-8666 theartcenter.org125 125 Macomb Place, Mt Clemens
- **2019 Open Competition Cancelled; Will Resume in 2020** The annual **Alfred Berkowitz Gallery 'Open Competition'** has been cancelled for this year to make room for the grand opening exhibition and event **Thursday, 9/12 - 5 - 8 pm** for the new **Stamelos Gallery Center** 4901 Evergreen Rd, Dearborn
- **Reunion Art Show at Plymouth Community Arts Council** opened Friday. Celebrating 50 years. Their Solo Artists were invited. **6/14 - 8/11/19** M & T 12-6, W & Th 10-5, F 11-2. 774 N Sheldon, Plymouth



- **ArtPrize Project 1 -- Artist Installation Details 9/7 - 10/29** media@artprize.org
- **Michigan Water Color Society's 2019 '72nd Annual Exhibition' City Opens 6/8 - 8/2 at Studio 23/The Art Center, Bay City. Exhibition Travel Show: 8/6 - 9/27/19 Studio 1219** 1219 Military St, Port Huron 48060 (810) - 984 - 2787 Gina: www.studio1219.com
- 'Rising Voices' The **BENNETT** prize for Women Figurative Realist Painters through **9/8/19** at the **Muskegon Museum of Art** 231-720-2570 296 W. Webster Avenue, Muskegon
- **Anton Art Center** presents two complementary art shows - the first ever Macomb County Art teacher Show open since **6/22** and the Governor's Top 30 Traveling Student Show opens in **7/13 - 8/23/19** in the Petittren Community Gallery on the second floor - reception 2 - 4 on 7/13
- **Starkweather Arts Center** is hosting **The Romeo Guild of Art's '59th Annual Thumb Area Artists' Exhibition'** - open to all residents of Genesee, Huron, Lapeer, Macomb, Oakland, Sanilac, St Clair, Tuscola and Wayne county - show dates: **8/29 - 9/27 (closed Labor Day)**. [www.ksantini@turtledovedesigns.com](mailto:ksantini@turtledovedesigns.com) 810-908-9003 219 N Main, Romeo
- **Lawrence St. Gallery 'Summer Invitational'** ran **7/3 - 7/27**. Opening reception was **7/5 6 - 9 pm**, Mid-Month reception Sunday, **7/14 2 - 5 pm**.



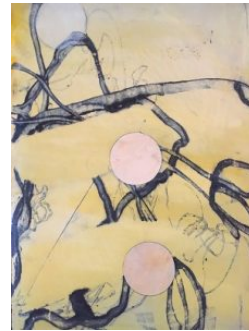
- **Pointe Studio Ten 'A Celebration of Creativity' at Grosse Pointe Congregational Church 6/9 - 7/14/19** starring **Linda Allen, Zena Carnaghi, Isabelle Goosen, Charmaine Kaptur, Bette Prudden, Nobuko Yamasaki, Beverly Zimmerman** and **Lori Zurvalec**

GROANER ALERT:
 why didn't the zombie go to school?
 He felt rotten!

REMINDER: Have you renewed your membership? If not, this is your LAST newsletter!

Michigan Fine Arts Exhibit at the BBAC

Hope everyone gets to see this show – a great variety of work by talented artists!



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Entry form postmark deadline Tuesday, August 13th.

Questions?: Lori Zurvalec. 313-881-7084 zurvalechands@comcast.net

Greetings again, fellow artists ~

We're still hoping that you will be renewing your membership in the Detroit Society of Women Painters & Sculptors! I know a lot of things get put on the back burner during the summer months, but we would certainly hate to lose you!

If you are intending to renew and can't find that bright pink renewal card, no worries.

Please email me at hulajan@aol.com and I will send you another form via email.

If you have decided not to renew, please just let me know that so I can remove you from our "reminder" list

many thanks, Jan Ducsay

(NOTE: DATE IN LAST NEWSLETTER INCORRECT!)

See below

Thursday, November 21, 2019 10 am at Scarab Club

Program: Carole Morisseau will show & discuss her recent work from her time in Brazil

This meeting/program is hosted by Julie Sabit (DSWPS Historian) and Carole Morisseau (DSWPS member)

Message from our Web Master:

Tell the world that there is a link on the website, where people can download the application form:

<https://www.dswps.org/new-index#/upcoming-shows>

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