



DETROIT SOCIETY OF WOMEN PAINTERS & SCULPTORS

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President's Message:

You don't want to miss this presentation !



Lisa Waud, of "Flower House" fame, will be the guest speaker for our September meeting at the DYC.

In 2015 Lisa initiated and produced a floral-art installation in an abandoned Detroit house. Lisa and other cutting edge florists filled the walls and ceilings with fresh flowers and living plants. The installation was up for only one weekend and received an estimated 3,000+ visitors.

Flower House is an art installation featuring American-grown, fresh flowers and living plants, filling a 15-room abandoned, Detroit house with designs created by innovative floral designers both local and nationwide.

The breathtaking exhibition will last only three days, and will welcome neighbors, Detroiters and visitors from across the world. After the installation weekend, the house will be responsibly deconstructed, with salvageable materials reclaimed for reuse in other projects around the city.

When the demolition is complete, the land will be prepared and planted as a flower farm for Flower House creator Lisa Waud's floral design business, Pot & Box.

The installation was photographed by Heather Saunders and developed into a book. You can see some photos of the artwork by searching: "Flower House Detroit".



Board Meeting:

9:00 - SEPTEMBER 21st

GENERAL MEETING:

SEPTEMBER 21st at
DETROIT YACHT CLUB

11:00 Meeting

12:00 Lunch - choice of:

DYC burger

Michigan Salad

(like the Traverse City salad)

Crab Cakes.

Each is under \$20 and they are different prices. They will collect for the lunch of your choice 10:30 am - 11 am before the meeting

1:00 Program: Lisa Waud

NOTE:

9:30 - 10:45 Take-in art,
jurying for DSWPS show at
Starkweather

(take home all work after
program,

bring accepted art to Gallery
on 9/30/17 between 10:00 and
4:00 pm

Welcome to new member:

Theresa Lannen

12923 Devoe St, Southgate, MI

Southgate, MI 48195

734-285-0111 - C tblannen@yahoo.com

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to
DSWPS member & Social Chair

Jean Thomas,

who is recovering from ankle surgery.

Cards may be sent to her @

13974 Wisconsin, Detroit, MI 48238

Sincerely regret to report
the recent passing of
DSWPS member
Carol Bedard Walters

Sincerest sympathy to
Janet Kondziela
on the recent death
of her brother James

Entries Wanted:

- **Deadline: 9/5/17**

The **Artist's Magazine's 'Over 60 Art Competition'** 2-d in all art media artistsnetwork.com/competitions/over-60-art-competition

- **Deadline: 9/6/17 11 - 5 pm**

Lakeside Palette Club new & existing members, Warren Tri County Assn. & Mt Clemens Art Assn. **9/9 - 10/12 Anton Art Center** 125 Macomb Pl

- **Deadline: 9/10/17 Livonia**

Arts Commission's 20th Annual Fine Arts Exhibit **10/2 - 10/28/17** 734-466-2540 ci.livonia.mi.us 3000 Civic Center Dr, Livonia

- **Deadline: 9/14/17**

Grosse Pointe Artists Assoc. 'Our Rivers, Our Lakes' **10/2 - 10/31, Boll Hse 10/31 - 12/1/17**

- **Deadline: 9/24/17**

Scarab Club announces a call for entry for their all media annual member show '104th Gold Medal Exhibition' **11/15 - 1/6/18** tericson@scarabclub.org

- **Deadline: 9/30/17**

Northville Art House 'SmallWorks' max. 12" **11/3 - 12/16** 248-344-0497 SmallWorks2017_Prospectus

- **Deadline: 10/20/17**

Year of Resistance 2017: Artists Moved to Action - A book of resistance art by Michigan women artists <https://drive.google.com/file/d/>

- **Deadline: 12/5/17**

Northville Art House's 'Juried Comic Art Exhibition' Show dates: **2/2/18 - 2/24/18**

- **Deadline: 1/4/18**

Anton Art Center's call for entry for their 'MI Annual XLV' **1/27 - 2/23/18** exhibitions@theartcenter.org

- For local gallery installations, check out **Art Detroit Now.** info@artdetroitnow.com

- **CHECK OUT contactcafe@callforentry.org** for Call-for-

Entries all over the States
For MI & Midwest shows:
www.artshow.com/juriedshows/
Midwest

Workshops/Art Fairs:

- **Ann Arbor Workshops:**

- **9/4 - 9/6/17 - Peggi Kroll Roberts** - Painting the Figure and Still-Life Oil, Gouache, Watercolor, or Acrylic
- **9/30 - 10/8 - Vianna Szabo -Italy** 9 days of Art and Beauty
- **10/23 - 10/25/17 - Diana Sanford** - Jam Session! - Experimental Drawing and Painting Workshop 734-662-8734 to register: artensityworkshops@gmail.com

- **Franciscan Life Process Center:**

- **9/7 - 9/10 - Helga Flowers** - Solving Painting Problems
- **9/8 - 9/10 - Roger Dale Brown** - Composing & creating successful plein air landscapes
- **9/11 - 9/12 - Kathy Mooney** - working with acrylic & hand cut stamps
- **9/21 - 23 - Mary Qian** - All Prima, Painting Figure from Life
- **9/22 - 23 - Carole Nielsen** - Watercolor Batik
616-897-7842 flpc@lifeprocesscenter.org evenbrite.com



- **Visual Arts Assoc. of Livonia presents:**

- *En plein air workshop with Janus Benda, 9/11 - 10/9*
- 10 am - 2 pm - 248-788-1091
- *Creative Self Workshop with Donna Engstrom, 9/22 - 9/23* - 10 am - 4 pm - 734-261-7633 **VAAL** - The New Five Village Shopping Center - 37653 5

Mile Rd, Livonia

- **Grosse Pointe Art Center presents:**

- *Pastels with Dan Methric* - four Thursdays, **8/24 - 9/14** 10 - 1 pm
- *Acrylics with Al Sonnenberg* - four Tuesdays, **9/12 - 10/3** 2 - 5 pm
- *Pen and Ink with Al Sonnenberg* - four Tuesdays, **9/12 - 10/3** 6 - 9 pm
- *Mixing to Match & Color Specificity with Rachel Reynolds Z* - Sat. **9/26, 10 - 4 pm**

313-881-3454 grossepointartcenter.org

- **Scarab Club** has weekly Sketch Sessions:

Thurs. 7 - 10 - Life Model, nude Sat. 10 - 1pm Costume Model
Sat. - 1:30 4:30 - Life Model Sun. 1:30 - 4:30 - Life Model

director@scarabclub.org (313) 432-0297



Show Schedules:

- **Michigan Water Color Society Exhibition & Traveling Show:**

- **8/11 - 9/1/17 - Greater Flint Arts Council** 816 Saginaw St, Flint 810-238-2787 greaterflintartscouncil.org
- **9/5 - 11/5/17 - Shiawassee Arts Center** 989-723-8354 shiawasseearts.org - 206 Curwood Castle Dr, Owosso
- **12/1 - 12/30/17 - Studio 1219** Port Huron - 810-984-278 studio1219.com

- **U/M Dearborn: 'Open Competition' - 8/11 - 10/5**

- **Northville Art House - 'West of Center' - 9/1 - 10/28**

- **The Community House - 'Our Town' Art Show & Sale - 10/20 - 10/22/17**

Words to Remember

Why waste energy worrying when you could spend it creating art!

**UPCOMING
2017 SCHEDULE**

**NEXT MEETING 9/21/17
at Detroit Yacht Club
Friday, Oct. 27**
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**OCTOBER MEETING
at Detroit Yacht Club
October 19, 2017**
Program: Rob Maniscalco
he will do a demo - an oil
portrait.
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**NOVEMBER, FEBRUARY &
MAY MEETINGS at
Madonna College
(tentative)**
10 am - 2:30 - bag lunch
(more info in later newsletters)
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**SATURDAY Nov 18, 2017
Madonna College**
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**DSWPS Christmas Party
Saturday, Dec 16, 2017**
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**NEXT DSWPS SHOW
Madonna College
February 2018 T.B.A.**



Carol Bedard Walters was an active member of Detroit Society of Women Painters & Sculptors, Mt Clemens Art Association,



Anton Art and Lakeside Pallet Clubs. In addition to her painting, she was known as well for her installation art in recent shows. See her web page c.bedardgallery.com
Art is long, life is short - Hippocrates
(a quote from her web page)

What's Happening:

- Northville Art House presents their 9th Annual 'West of Center' juried all-media exhibition. **9/1 - 10/28/17** 248-344-0497 exhibits@northvillearthouse.org
215 West Cady St., Northville

- **The Loft Fine Art** presents 'Sculptors Guild of Michigan' exhibit **9/9 - 9/29**. Reception 9/9 3 - 7 pm
586-840-7979
theloftfineart.com



81 Macomb Pl, Mt Clemens

- Sculpting from the soul 'inmersión' at **Windrise October 6, 7 and 8, 2017**, finish a portrait at the end of the weekend, learn to open your soul through clay. Info: **Estela Boudreau** at 313 -407-0953

- **The Community House** show 'Our Town: Art Show & Sale' opens with Opening Night Party **10/19**, Public opening **Friday - Sunday, 9/1 - 10/28/17** 248-644-5832 communityhouse.com
380 S. Bates St, Birmingham

- **Midland Center for the Arts's** '56th Annual Greater MI Art' exhibition at the **Alden B. Dow Museum** Show: **9/23 - 11/5** midlandcenter.org
1801 W Saint Andrews, Midland

- **The Livonia Arts Commission** presents their '20th Annual Fine Arts Exhibition' **10/2 - 10/28** 734- 466-2542 33000 Civic Center Dr

- The **Scarab Club** presents 'WAX' - an encaustic exhibition of work by 7 artists including Candace Law and G. Snowden. **8/23 - 9/30/17**

The **Scarab Club** presents the 2017 'Photography Exhibition' **10/4 - 11/11** The exhibition is unthemed and includes video, mixed media etc.
217 Farnsworth, Detroit

- **Detroit Artists Market's** 'Top of the World' Art Auction - DAM Gala **3 10/20** 7 - 10 pm. Guardian Bldg. 500 Griswold St. 32nd Floor, Detroit

- **Grosse Pointe Art Association** exhibition 'Art Makers at the War Memorial' **8/29 - 9/29, Boll House 10/2 - 10/27/17**, featuring students of GPAA teachers along with independent artists. Reception 9/10

Members'

Accomplishments:

- Members accepted in the **U/M Dearborn Berkowitz Gallery** show are: **Linda Allen, Joyce Manke, Barbara Murphy, Susan Perrish** and **Lori Zurvalec**. Show: **8/11 - 10/5/17** 313-593-3592 umdearborn.edu/berkowitz
4901 Evergreen Rd, Dearborn

- Juried into the **Lawrence Street Gallery's** 'Summer Invitational '17' **7/2 - 7/29/17** were members: **Alison Kardell, Kathy McNamee, Bette Prudden**, and **Lori Zurvalec**.

- Included in the **MWCS Traveling show** are DSWPS members **Linda Allen** and **Barb Eko Murphy**.

- Accepted in the **Northville Art House** '9th Annual All Media West of Center' Exhibition were **Jan Brown, Pamela Day & Carrie Wheeler**. **9/1 - 10/28/17** 248-344-0497 Tues - Fri 12 - 5pm, Sat 12 - 4 pm
www.NorthvilleArtHouse.org
215 W. Cady, Northville

- **Vasu Tolia** has two pieces accepted in the **Birmingham Community House** 'Our Town' show.

- **Padzieski Gallery** is featuring 'Inspired by' (paintings of artist inspirations) - 12 artists including DSWPS members: **Barb Desmond, Daria Fileta, Sara Hadley, Janet Kondziela, Linda Logan, Kathy McNamee, Barbara Murphy, Kathleen O'Connell** and **Susan Perrish** **9/7 - 9/27/17**.

313-943-3905 dcacarts.org
15801 Michigan Ave, Dearborn



Barb Murphy



Sue Perrish

Above art by

**DETROIT SOCIETY OF WOMEN PAINTERS AND SCULPTORS
Minutes of Annual Meeting, May 16, 2017
Down River Council for the Arts**

President Jackie Rybinski called the meeting to order at 12:13 pm.

The minutes of the May, 2016 annual meeting were read by the Recording Secretary Carolyn Sherwood. Dara Brooks made the motion to accept the minutes as read with support from Jean Thomas.

The president asked that all final reports from the board and committee chairs be sent to her.

The Nominating Chair Carolyn Sherwood presented the slate for president-elect. There were no nominations from the floor. The motion to accept the nomination of **Joan Smykowski** by acclamation was made by the Chair and seconded. Motion carried.

President Jackie Rybinski thanked those who took on responsibilities during the year. A moment was taken to remember those members who had passed during the 2016-2017 membership year. The president also announced that a survey would appear in the next newsletter in regard to scheduling meetings.

The meeting adjourned at 12:35pm.

Submitted by **Recording Secretary Carolyn Sherwood**

**Just some of the art at the 30th Anniversary Show
featuring work by former members of the Lawrence Street Gallery**

- Included in **Lawrence Street Gallery '30th Anniversary Show'** featuring former members in the Gallery were DSWPS members **Jan Brown, Jan Filarski, Joyce Manke** and **Barb Murphy.**
8/2 - 8/25/17



Groaner Alert!

When a clock is hungry, it goes back four seconds.



Properly drafted will reduces anxiety after death