

News from the Sanibel-Captiva Art League

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JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 2014

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*Hope you all had a wonderful holiday and are ready to tackle all the opportunities awaiting you in art. Once again we have a busy schedule ahead. Join in the fun, meet old friends, and immerse yourself in art!!!*

MEETINGS FOR JANUARY AND FEBRUARY

At the Sanibel Community House

January 16 (Thursday)      February 20 (Thursday)

1:00PM Social-1:30 Meeting

Ann Dalton

**The Business Of Art**

1:00PM Social-1:30 Meeting

Joan Klutch

**What is Art?**

Ann Dalton is an artist who specializes in portraits. She currently lives in Eastport, Maine and Naples, Florida. She is a graduate of Pratt Institute and Columbia University. Ann will discuss with us the business of art.

Joan Klutch is a multimedia artist. She has an interesting career as a painter, print- maker, sculptor and teacher who lives in Florida and New York. With her background, Joan will tell us what is art.

*Green Bags from Bailey's:* Green bags to paint on one side, will be handed out by Pat Baker at the January meeting. This is a Fund raiser for FISH. Instructions will be provided and they must be returned at the February Meeting.

Members Judged Show at the Sanibel Library

Receiving will be Monday, Feb. 3 from 9 to 12PM. Pickup will be Friday, February 28 from 9 to 12 (which is also the receiving for the March Members Juried Show). Your entry form and tags are attached. Rejects to be picked up at 1:30PM. Remember to Label your best painting as No. 1 entry as ALL No. 1 will be hung. If there is room, the judge will select from the No.2 entries. Neil Walling will be the judge, with prizes to be awarded at 1:30pm. There will be no reception.

*Patterns*, The 38<sup>th</sup> Annual Juried Art Council Exhibit at Big Arts  
December 4 to January 15, 2014

**Congratulations to the following winners:**

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| <b>1<sup>st</sup> Prize</b> | <b>Eleanor Dominek</b> | <b>Merit Awards</b>  |
| <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Prize</b> | <b>James Bird</b>      | <b>Joan Reynolds</b> |
| <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Prize</b> | <b>Rita McLain</b>     | <b>Peter Zell</b>    |
|                             |                        | <b>Joan Klutch</b>   |
|                             |                        | <b>Carl Schwartz</b> |

**Laverne Phillips Award: Tom Kulina**

**A big Thank You to Nory McNelis for stepping in as Chairman at the last moment. Pick up is January 16, 9 - 12pm. No exceptions, have a friend pick up your work if you can't. BA will charge you for storage!**

Coming shows at Big Arts:

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|---------------------------|--|
| January 17 to February 28 | Based on Books                                     |
| March 3 to March 31       | Trick of the Light:<br>Black and White Photography |
| April 3 to April 29       | It's Illuminating                                  |

**WORKSHOPS:**

**Portrait with Mary Klunk:** Weds. January 8 and 9 at the Community Center, 9 to 5 pm.  
An introductory meeting will be Jan. 6 at the Sanibel Congregational Church, 1 – 2 pm.  
Cost is \$95. Class limited to 10 people. Contact Mary at [maryhklunk@gmail.com](mailto:maryhklunk@gmail.com).

**Neil Walling:** Watercolor workshop to be held Feb. 10, 11, & 12. Classes will be held outdoors with a demo each day. Cost is \$200. Plein Air workshop to be held March 10, 11, & 12. Classes run from 9 to noon each day. Cost is \$25/day. Contact Neil @ [kneil239@gmail.com](mailto:kneil239@gmail.com) (239-949-2506) . Neil sets these workshops and 20% of the take goes back to the league.

**Ellie Gause** welcomes all artists interested in a sustained pose with a costumed model or a still life, each Tuesday in Feb. and March, 9:00am to 3:30pm. Register at Big Arts. \$20 for member of BA, \$25 non member plus class pays model. A great opportunity to advance your skills.

Paul Leveille will be holding a Portrait Workshop at Lexington Country Club, Sat. and Sun. Feb. 22 and 23, 9 to 4pm. He will do a demo Friday from 4 – 6pm, and a demo Sat. afternoon. All mediums welcome. Cost is \$150 for 2 days. Contact Jean Eaton at 433-3086, or [jeaneaton38@msn.com](mailto:jeaneaton38@msn.com).

SCAL's Portrait Open Studio will be On Monday afternoons beginning Jan. 6 at BA Annex on Perwinkle thru Mid April. Clothed models will hold the same pose from 1 to 3:30PM Cost is \$8.00 per session. Anyone is invited. Call Jean Eaton at 433-3086.

WEEKLY LIFE DRAWING open studio, a non instructed class facilitated by Pam Rutherford, will be held at the BA annex on Mondays from 9:15 to Noon. Call Big Arts, 395-0900 to register. Model fee is included.

Paint Out Schedule- San Cap League's (Plein Air Painter's) Meet every Thursday morning at 9AM at different locations . Car pooling is suggested. Bring a bag lunch and stay for a short, friendly critique. All skill levels are welcome. If you have never painted outdoors before, come join us for a fun morning. All destinations have restrooms available. We look forward to seeing lots of new faces every year. Any questions call: Carolyn Johns – 472-2726.

#### January Chair Terry Shattuck 225-7397

- 2 Jensen's Marina Captiva Road. Park close to road. It's a busy time there. Lots to paint. Water views, sometimes manatees, cottages etc. Tiki tables for lunch.
- 9 Blue Dolphin Resort, West Gulf Drive. Not much parking. Car pool.
- 16 Walsh Landscaping, SanCap Road across from school. Fabulous flowers and garden settings. Does not open till 9:30 so DON'T COME BEFORE
- 23 Carl Schwartz Home, 5825 Briarcliff Rd., Car pooling necessary because of Parking. He has beautiful gardens and koi ponds.
- 30 Sanibel Moorings Resort East Gulf. Park across the street. Great plants and Garden.

#### February

- 6 Chapel by the Sea, Capitva Road. A popular painting with visitors at the Clothesline show.
- 13 Sanibel Moorings Resort, East Gulf Drive. Has beautiful gardens and gulf views. Park across the street in guest parking.
- 20 SCCF on SanCap Road. The Conservation Foundation has a natural plant Nursery, butterfly house and various trails.
- 27 Historical Village. Several new buildings, interesting plantings and is next to the Big Arts complex.

The Sanibel Moorings Botanical Garden is inviting SCAL and any guests to paint on the premises during the months of Jan. thru March on Wednesdays. Come between 9:30-4PM and set up anywhere, after checking in at the front desk. You May also bring bins of your work to sell. Questions: Anita Force Marshall-322-8593.

The Clothesline show will be held on Saturday, March 1. Support our fellow artists.

### News of Members

Long time SCAL member, Gordon Coughlin is having a retrospective exhibit of his abstract landscape paintings in the Founder's gallery at Big Arts from January 20 to February 26, 2014.

Carol Good is sponsoring a painting group at the Congregational Church on Tuesdays. Contact Carol at [carolgood12@gmail.com](mailto:carolgood12@gmail.com). Also, if you wish to show your work at the Congregational Church, contact Carol.

Jane McKenna passed on in April. She was a welcome participant in all our activities. and we miss her positive outlook on life.

Joan Bitzer, long time member of SCAL and member of our portrait group, who had sessions at her home at 436 Glory Circle, died early this year.

### *November – Oct.2014 San-Cap Art League Membership*

Copy, complete and return this form with dues of \$30.00 to:  
Sanibel Captiva Art League, PO Box 1192, Sanibel, FL 33957

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ FL Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Local Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Address \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

*Please if new or old*

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Circle Months at local address

Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May June July Aug Sept.

#### Circle Committees and activities you would be willing to assist:

Hospitality    Receiving at shows    Hanging shows    Take down & pick up shows    Publicity  
Pot Luck Dinner    Newsletter    Clothesline show

Please submit news for the newsletter by Feb. 10 to Jean Eaton at  
[jeaneaton38@msn.com](mailto:jeaneaton38@msn.com)