

CALupdate

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CALENDAR

- 12/30 Holiday Show pick-up 1pm - 5pm
12/31 Holiday Show pick-up 9am - 5pm
1/3 General Meeting-Town Hall, Tom Myott-Acrylic Demo 6:30-9 pm
2/7 General Meeting-Town Hall 6:30-9 pm
3/7 General Meeting-Town Hall 6:30-9 pm
Jess Hyatt- Oil Demo/Contemporary Options
4/3-5 Carol Brody Watercolor Workshop

CAL HOLIDAY SHOW

Once again, the December juried art show was a huge success with *eighty-four* works of art on display. The winners follow:

Paint on paper

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| 3rd-Carol Meisel | <i>Mountain Waterfall</i> | wc |
| 2nd-Beverly Braun | <i>The Thaw</i> | acrylic |
| 1st-Merrilyn Merrill | <i>Winter Woods</i> | wc |

Paint on Canvas

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| 3rd-James Mise | <i>Mountain Meadows</i> | oil |
| 2nd-Susan Coon | <i>The Family Portrait</i> | oil |
| 1st-Robert Francis Whelan | <i>I Made a Paper Hat</i> | oil |

Pastel

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| 3rd-Juliet Konieczny | <i>Drama in the Sky</i> |
| 2nd-Lorraine Miskinis | <i>Autumn</i> |
| 1st-Debbie Park-Boussu | <i>Tuscan Glow</i> |

Other

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| 3rd-Ellie Prakken | <i>Green Mist</i> | mixed |
| 2nd-Joan Van Alpen | <i>Enigma</i> | acrylic collage |
| 1st-Chick Owen | <i>My Ancestor at Stonehenge</i> | mixed media |

Emerging Artist

Lois Mannolini *Wisteria* oil

Judges Circle

3rd-Bret Laumeister *Magnolia* oil

2nd-Ned Lacy *Mohawk River, Latham* oil

1st-Lorenz Worden *Pusher* graphite

Honorable Mention (not in rank order)

Anita Devanandan *Rose Among Weeds* pastel

Fred Holman *Beyond the Fence* oil

Megan Merrill *Still Water* photography

Jill Murphy *Lilies resting* wc

Janet Shaughnessey *View from Chris' House* oil

Mary Sherwood *L in Her Winter Coat* pastel

Jean Tower *Serenity* wc

People's Choice

Natalie Adler *Retired Sulky* oil

Best in Show

Cindy Handy *Island* wc

Special Thanks

Venue: William K Sanford Town Library

Judge: David Francis

MC: Noreen Powell

Decorations: Marjorie Ward

Intake:

Lucy and Jim Comly

Dee Foley

Larry McArthur

Marion Reynolds

Diane Campion

Linda Worden

Jacqueline Smith

Hangers:

Kris Woodward

Sue Coon

Barbara Via

Sue Lunow

Janet Shaughnessey

Carol Meisel

Jack Berkery

Margot Bernhardt

Emily Rivard

Debbie Park-Boussu

Meggie Carsen

Chris Lally

Jay and Susan Freud

Shelly Nevard

Greeters:

Doreen Crosby

Carol Christensen

Ribbon Hangers:

Lorenz Worden

Laurel Petersen

James Mise

Jack Berkery

And, to all who participated!

In addition to the art entered in the show, 36 CAL members hung small works for \$75 or less on the Front Wall. Sales we are aware of: Jack Berkery, Jean Tower, Laurel Le Lipski, Kris Woodward and Noreen Powell. Please notify **Noreen Powell** (427-8857) if you sell so we can congratulate you in our next CAL News.

Condolences

to the family of **Connie Alexander**, who was a long-time CAL member and served on the board. Also, to the family of **John Hand**, a CAL member for many years.

Get Well Wishes

Bob Blackmon healing from knee replacement and **Paula Haavind** healing from gall bladder surgery.

Congratulations to **Bob Blackmon**, who won \$78 in the 50/50 raffle

Staying Healthy through Art!

Did you know that former President Dwight D. Eisenhower's physician "prescribed" painting as a means of reducing stress? Other former Presidents have also found creating art good for the soul, including: former Presidents Ulysses S. Grant, Jimmy Carter, and George W. Bush. (brought to our attention by **Jay Freud**) A Google search will reveal more, including examples of their artwork. *We all know the benefits of creating our own art. For those who want to get more involved, CAL offers its members the*

following opportunities, along with camaraderie. We always welcome new members!

Member Opportunities

Current members are encouraged to take advantage of the following opportunities.

Carol Brody Workshop: Creative/Experimental Watercolor

April 3, 4, 5

We are pleased to have Carol Brody, NWS, join us for a workshop to develop texture and pattern in watercolor through creative and experimental techniques. Negative glazing, wet-in-wet, graded washes, sponges, screens, stencils, composition, color and mood will be taught and demonstrated. Deposit of \$40 will hold your spot. Estimated cost under \$100 for three days based on 20 students. Checks to **Kris Woodward**, 44 Hoffman Drive, Latham 12110.

www.carolbrody.com

Advertising in CAL News

Ads can be listed in the newsletters. A separate email ad must be submitted for each newsletter issue.

1. Advertise classes, workshops, or art services. The size is limited to a maximum of 400 characters including spaces. This is approximately 8 lines.
2. Advertise art-related merchandise for sale, swap, free, or looking to buy. The size is limited to a maximum of 100 characters including spaces. This is approximately 2 lines. Send ads to **Carolyn Martel** jmartel4@nycap.rr.com

by the 5th of the month prior to the newsletter date. Questions should be directed to **Carolyn**.

Lending Library/Scholarships

The CAL Library is open to check out books on *Wednesday* and *Thursday*, 10am to 8pm St. Matthews Church, 129 Old Loudon Rd, Latham. Contact **Debbie Park-Boussu** 763-3116 or **Kris Woodward** 461-2809 to ensure that the church is open. Donations of books, DVDs and art supplies are welcome. These may be sold for scholarship fund. Contact **Debbie** for donations, pick up or obtaining a note for taxes.

Please return any library books or DVDs you may have, or call Debbie at 658-2178. We're trying to get a correct inventory.
dparkstudio@yahoo.com

Custom Mats for CAL members

Contact **Debbie Park-Boussu** for custom mats cut 518-658-2178.

CAL Workshops

When? anytime on *Wednesdays*, 9-4pm

Where? St. Matthew's Church in Latham

How much? \$3 donation

For whom? open to all CAL members

Enjoy a full day of painting with friends. Bring your lunch, and art supplies and a dose of humor. No lessons. Come and go as you please. Call **Kris Woodward** 461-2809 the first time you come.

Other Art Classes

Watercolor, Pastel, Acrylic, Oil, Drawing

Kristin Woodward offers classes weekly at St. Matthew's: *Wednesday* evening, *Thursday* morning and evening. Contact **Kris** 461-2809 or kristin.woodward@earthlink.net

Drawing for Children

Susan Lunow offers classes on *Wednesdays* 6-7pm ages 9-12

Thursdays 6-7pm ages 7-8

St. Matthew's Church

The class is \$15/hour.

Sue will be teaching the basics of drawing including contour drawing, shading and perspective. Contact Sue 250-5904 or slmpalette@hotmail.com.

Introduction to Drawing

Marion Reynolds at the Art Center of the Capital Region ACCR

Tuesday, 1/10 from 10am - 5pm

Painting Color: Oil or Acrylic

Tuesdays, 1/17 - 2/7 Beginning to

Intermediate 10am - 1:00 pm

Contact ACCR for more information@

<https://www.artscenteronline.org/studio-art/painting/>.

NOTES

General Meeting cancellation CAL meetings are scheduled at the Colonie Town Hall, first *Tuesday* of the month. If inclement weather, call any board member for confirmation.

Scholarship Support our scholarships by donating art books/supplies or buying raffle tickets at meetings.

CALnews and CALupdate submission deadline - the 5th of each month preceding the month of publication. Contact **Carolyn Martel**
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How to join CAL?

[www.colonieartleague.com/
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membershipinfojoincal.html](http://www.colonieartleague.com/aboutusjoincal/membershipinfojoincal.html)

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