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The Newsletter of the Palm City Art Associates

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Meetings:

Our next meeting is Wed., Feb.13. at 1pm. Join us for an exciting mixed media demo by Kelly Arnold.

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Another Enthusiastic Demo by Denise Justice

How fun for all of us!! **Denise Justice** created another fun and very enthusiastic demo in acrylics on Jan. 9th. She covered an enormous canvas in less than 90 minutes holding the attention of all members and guests in attendance. She selected a beautiful lady with a basket and an umbrella as her subject and proceeded to create a beautiful painting that was purchased by a member at the end of the fun demo.



Denise Justice

Denise started with this big blank canvas above, and created the final painting on the right in less than 90 minutes as she answered member's questions, explained

her technique & included a short color theory lesson as she went along. Her demos are always so entertaining and educational as well as fascinating to watch. She always attracts a large audience as she shares many painting tips for creating beautiful works of art. She even asked for a volunteer to assist her at one point and **Valerie Bonser** was happy to step up and assist. Denise, who paints in both acrylics and oil, offers classes at The Artist Nook in Stuart on acrylic painting. She's truly an amazing artist.

**Thank you to
Brenda Susla
for Chairing the
Refreshment
Comm. this year!
THANK YOU!!!!**

30th Annual PCAA Art Show & Sale

Curator **Betty Brain** says, "Our 30th Annual Art Show is on track to be our biggest and best show yet!! You entered 56 fabulous works of art this year. Opening reception is Thurs., Jan. 31, 5:30-7:30pm and the show will run the month of February. Please bring your friends, family & neighbors to see it and help us promote it on your web-sites, Facebook page and all your favorite local bulletin boards. Everyone is amazed at the talented artists in this show and this years show is truly exceptional!"

New PCAA Logo Contest Coming Soon



We were thinking..... with all the skilled & remarkably talented artists in PCAA, it is more fitting to have an original, painted logo rather than a clip art logo (left) to represent us. We hope you agree? So after the Art Show, we will announce a new logo contest and we hope that all members will participate. More details will follow in next month's *Brushstrokes Newsletter*.

**A very special
thank you to
Ellie Lafer for the
exceptional demo
program this year.
THANK YOU!!!!**



Exhibit Opportunity at the Kane Center

You asked for more display opportunities. We listened and recently announced a 5th display partnership with the Kane Center, 900 SE Salerno Rd., Stuart 34997. This is an ongoing exhibit provided for members. We hope you will participate. Drop off is Mon., Feb. 11 from 9:30-10:30am only. The Kane Center requests that artwork complement their uplifting, pastel-Florida interior, please. They maintain the right to reject an unsuitable piece for this Senior Living facility.

Due to hanging space, pieces can be no larger than 16" X 20", and as always your work must be wired, framed or gallery wrapped. Giclees are also acceptable. Please label your work with your name, title, medium, price and your phone number so prospective buyers can contact you directly. Sales will be handled by the artist and you will donate 10% of sales to the Kane Center, on the honor system. Change-outs will occur every 6 months.

If you plan to drop off work Feb. 11th, please call Pat Jayne, the contact by Sun., Feb. 10th at 5pm at 772.288.4428 (or email her at jayne0217@hotmail.com) so she will expect to see you & can plan for your work to be included. THANK YOU!!



To contribute to the monthly Brushstrokes Newsletter please call Patty White at 772.579.0605.