LCAL Member News, May 2019

Spring LCAL Member Show Reminder

Instead of a monthly meeting in Grayslake, the critique will take place on Monday, May 20th, 7:00-9:00 pm at the Jack Benny Center for the Arts, 39 Jack Benny Drive, Waukegan. You can pick up your work then.

Questions? You may contact Chris Tanner, chrisetanner@sbcglobal.net.

April Meeting Activity at the LCAL Meeting

Our planned April demo was postponed because of a family schedule conflict for one of the key players. The art league instead retained an experienced art model (Megan) who did a routine set of poses for our members. LCAL members used various media in this session.



Winners of the April's Friendly Competition



Grumpy Flowers
Oil Painting by Oliver Miriam



Slide Rock State Park Photograph by Anne-Marie Bracken



Spring Is Here – Acrylic Painting by Leslie Nauta

LCAL member, Les Scott, provided the judging for the April meeting friendly competition.

Instruction Demo by Pat King and Skip Wiese at June LCAL Meeting

Pat King and **Skip Wiese** will be teaching two Waukegan Park District staff members, both beginning artists, to paint at the monthly LCAL meeting on **June 17, 2019**. The subject will be a scene from Waukegan. All LCAL members will have the opportunity to observe how the instructors coach these new art students.

Les Scott to be Featured at the Lemon Street Gallery

Les Scott will be part of a three-person exhibit which will be hosted by Lemon Street Gallery in Kenosha WI. It will be a Featured Artist program from May 1-26, 2019. The reception will be on Saturday, May 11 from 6:00-9:00 pm. There will be free refreshments and the reception is open to the public. Les will feature 11 new paintings. The location is 4601 Sheridan Rd at 46th Ave. Any questions contact Les at call at 224-610-0682 or les.scratchart@yahoo.com.

Michael McConville to be Featured at the Dandelion Gallery

Michael McConville will be showing his latest Batik painting the Dandelion Gallery, 109 S Genesee St, Waukegan, IL this month (May). For information about the gallery, please see: http://www.dandeliongallery.org/ or call 224.627.6039.



Judy Williams to Show at the Grayslake Art Alliance May Fest

The Grayslake Arts Alliance is holding a May Fest on **Saturday, May 4**, **2019**, from **12:00-4:00 pm (rain or shine)**, **at the Grayslake Heritage Center** (located next to the fire station on Lake Street in downtown Grayslake). There will be painting, photography, pencil art, collage, children's crafts, music and refreshments. Access the website for more information: https://www.grayslakeartsalliance.org/events.html.

Refreshment Sign-Up for Monthly LCAL Meetings

May

Jack Littlefield Val Brandner

Frankie Johnson to Lead Plein Air Demo



Frankie Johnson will lead a workshop that will prepare the beginner for painting in the great outdoors. The supplies and equipment needed for plein air painting will be displayed and discussed, including demonstration of how to pack and set up your equipment in the field. This is an important first step for those who want to expand the realm of their art beyond the studio, and it provides valuable preparation for those taking Frankie's plein air painting workshop in the following weeks.

Mainstreet Art Center 20 E. Main St., Lake Zurich, IL 60047 847-550-0016 Sunday, May 5, 10:00am-1:00 pm \$50.00

Pat King to Teach a Watercolor Class

Pat King will be teaching a watercolor class at the Perkowitz Art Studio, ll6 S. IL Rt. 83 in Grayslake. 847.372.0451. The class will be held on Monday from 1:00-3:00 pm, from May 13 to June 17. Call the studio to register.

Schaumburg Prairie Arts Festival

The festival will be held on May 25-26, 2019, 10:00 am-5:00 pm, at the Robert Atcher Municipal Center Grounds in Schaumberg, IL. For more information, contact Roxanne Benvenuti at 847.923.3605.

Dandelion Wine Fine Arts Festival

The Lake County Art League has long participated in the annual Ray Bradbury's Dandelion Wine Fine Art & Music Festival which on this, its 20th year, will be Saturday, June 1, 2019, 11:00 am to 6:00 pm. The location will be at Waukegan's Bowen Park.

A 10x10 foot space will cost \$50-105 depending on extras like chairs, a table and a tent. Get an application form from Corresponding Secretary Chris Tanner at chrisetanner@sbcglobal.net or from JBC Cultural Arts Specialist Debra Carl at 847.360.4740 and dearl@waukeganparks.org. Applications for a display space must be received by the Waukegan Park District by May 18. Anyone interested in sharing a booth should start organizing that now. You can get your own tent space or share a space with a friend. Becky Schwarz has paid for a single LCAL tent space for members who just have a handful of pieces to display. Contact her at 847.623.8863 or qbecky@msn.com. Also, a group tent for LCAL members will be available. If you have 1-2 pieces you'd like to include in that space, contact Becky Schwarz and expect to arrive between 8:30-10:30 am to deliver your artwork.

[&]quot;Sometimes we even have time for a short demo outdoors" said Frankie.

Please use the following form, if you intend on participating in the group tent:

The Ray Bradbury Dandelion Wine Art & Music Festival

The RBDW&MF will be held June 1, 2019 in Bowen Park, Waukegan, IL, 39 Jack Benny Drive (1800 Sheridan Rd) from 11:00 am-6:00 pm.

MEMBER TENT INFORMATION AND ENTRY FORM:

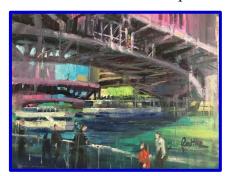
Set up time (art arrival time) is 8:30 am - 10:30 am June 1
Pick Up time will be starting at 6:00pm June 1 unless special arrangements have been made.
The member tent will be located at the very south end of exhibits right next to south parking lot.

You need to have your art wired and framed. (no saw hooks) There is no charge for entry. Have attached to the back of your art your name plus a separate card (made for display with your art) with this information: Title, medium, value, for sale?, and your name. Restrictions: Display or written language related to alcoholic, drug products or nudity is prohibited. Contact: Becky Schwarz 847-623 -8863 or gbecky42@gmail.com with any questions.

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Lee Radtke to Show at the Old Town Art Fair

Lee Radtke will be at the Old Town Art Fair in Chicago again this year – June 8-9, 2019. He will have many new pieces from different parts of the city, as well as a variety of other subject matter. Below is a sample of his work to be displayed.



The website http://www.oldtownartfair.org/attend/ will provide information about the event.

Antioch Fine Arts Foundation 7th Annual Art on the Lawn

Saturday, June 8, 2019, from 9:00 am -4:00 pm (rain or shine). Each spot is $10^{\circ}x10^{\circ}$. Setup is the morning of the show, 7:00-8:30 am. Tear down starts at 4:00 pm.

For more information and an application, see: http://antiochfinearts.org/event/art-on-the-lawn-2/ or contact Linda Richter, http://antiochfinearts.org/event/art-on-the-lawn-2/ or contact Linda Richter, http://avent/art-on-the-lawn-2/ or contact Linda Richter R

Grayslake Art Festival, Fine Crafts Show and Wine Tasting

This multipurpose festival will take place on June 22, 2019, 10:00 am-4:00 pm at Whitney Street, Downtown Grayslake.

Applications are Now Available. at the link:

http://www.grayslakechamber.com/documents/2019ArtsFestivalApplication.pdf. This is a Juried Art Show. Apply Early!

Adler Festival of the Arts at Cook Park in August

The Adler Festival of the Arts will take place on August 3-4, 2019, 10:00 am-5:00 pm in Cook Park in historic downtown Libertyville. For more information:

http://www.adlercenter.org/attend/festival-of-the-arts/.

Arlington Heights, A Walk in the Park

This art fair will take place on Sunday, August 25, 2019, 10:00 AM - 5:00 pm at the North School Park, located at E. Eastman St. & N. Evergreen Ave. For more information see the website: https://www.ahpd.org/events/walk-in-the-park/.

Art Quote

"Art does not reproduce what we see. It makes us see." - Paul Klee

NEW LCAL RIDE SHARE PROGRAM

Ride Connections

LCAL is creating a new program to connect members who might require a ride to a monthly meeting with those who would be willing to provide one. Kindly complete your contact info (phone/email) below. This will be listed in every monthly *Member News*.

Needs Ride (Name/Contact Info) Available Ride (Name/Contact Info)

For inclusion in a future *Member News*, please send your news of exhibits, classes, awards and art-related comments to: **Anne-Marie Bracken**, <u>amabracken@gmail.com</u>.