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The Newsletter of the Laguna Woods Art Association



The Brushstroke

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Museum Update



Summer Museum Update for your viewing pleasure!

Karen Keckler has viewed and reviewed many of the local museums and galleries so you can just go out and enjoy yourself with all our local community has to offer.

FIRST STOP—THE Laguna Woods Village Clubhouse 4 Art Studio -A Great Show from Front Door all the way around the studio—Not to be missed. [Sixty Seven \(67\) examples of ALL MEDIA not shown by Clubs.](#) We are proud of our artists continuing through and post Covid to produce works of art.

AND DON'T FORGET THE HELP THE HERD 2 SHOW

Thursday July 14—5:30—7:30 in the Courtyard of the Equestrian Center

Wine, beer and a grazing table of charcuterie will be provided. Entrance fee \$20, cash or check. Purchases of artwork are cash or check, only. A tour of the Equestrian Center will be included in the evening's program.

Registration is required. RSVP by July 9 by email to:
abrecht1@hotmail.com Attendees are limited to 75.

Please note: closed-toed shoes are required.

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Laguna Art Museum 307 Cliff Drive, Laguna Beach, CA 92651

<https://lagunaartmuseum.org/> Hours: Daily 11:00 am - 5:00 pm. Wednesdays: closed .
Selections from the Permanent Collection - Ongoing

Black and White: Contemporary Art from Frederick R. Weisman Art Foundation

July 2, 2022- October 9, 2022 - 30 artworks are a cross-section of works by artists who share attention to black and white—as palette and, in some cases, as theme. This selection demonstrates a diverse array of the artistic approaches, materials, and techniques that So Cal based artists have deployed over the past half century.

Your Place in the Multiverse: Jean Lowe March 19, 2022 - September 18, 2022 A survey of Lowe's work from the past 20 years.

Striking Figures: Francis De Erdely May 14,- October 23, 2022. Known for his social realist paintings of everyday people as a way of addressing issues of race, culture, and social strata in Southern California, this is the first major exhibition of his work.

Southern California Portraits: Francis De Erdely & John Sonsini June 10,-October 23, 2022. Sonsini is known for his portraits of men, typically people unknown to him, selected based on the personas they convey. Sonsini's portraits of Los Angeles day laborers showcase the emotional power he can elicit from his choice of models.

Outlook/Insight: the LCAD Effect May 21 - August 21, 2022. A sampling of artwork from the 2022 Master of Fine Art graduates from Laguna College of Art and Design (LCAD).

Laguna College of Art and Design (LCAD) 374 Ocean Ave, Laguna Beach Hours 11am – 4pm Wednesday through Sunday - A constantly changing exhibition of well known artists, emerging LCAD students and differing art forms.

Hilbert Museum of California Art At Chapman University 167 N Atchison Street, Orange, CA

Hours: Tuesday through Saturday 11am -5 pm -Free admission with advance online reservation: tickets.chapman.edu Docent tour each Thursday at 11 a.m. UPDATE: Due to supply line issues delaying construction planning, the Hilbert Museum will remain open in its current location until further notice.

BRADFORD J SALAMON - FORGING AHEAD January 29 through August, 2022 Selected works from the critically acclaimed Southern California artist, whose lively, layered and textured paintings and drawings include portraits, cityscapes, and images of food and vintage objects.



BY POPULAR DEMAND: VISITOR FAVORITES FROM THE HILBERT COLLECTION - Now on view through the end of August, 2022

The Genius of Chuck Jones November 2021 through August, 2022. This exhibition of 20 pieces, either from the pencil or brush of Jones himself or by animation artists working on shows he directed, includes original production drawings, cels and illustrations of Bugs, Daffy, Wile E. and Road Runner, Pepe and more – including an original drawing and cel from *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*

“Capio Lumen/Capture the Light: Michael Johnson’s Digital Illuminated Manuscripts” – Now through August, 2022 From his home studio in Orange, Calif., Michael Johnson creates exquisite illuminated manuscript pages that look as if they were painted by hand in 15th-century France.

CAP GALLERY (Community Art Project Inc) Admission is free. Wells Fargo Bank, 260 Ocean Ave, 2nd floor, Laguna Beach, CA 92651 Hours: 9-6 Monday through Friday, 9-4 Saturday .CAP’s mission is to increase the visibility and appreciation of art and serve as a catalyst for art education. Community Art Project provides ongoing exhibitions in the CAP Gallery. The Festival of Arts displays art on the 3rd floor.

Orange County Museum of Art <https://ocma.art/ocmavisit/> TEMPORARILY Closed Opening October 2022

BOWERS MUSEUM 2002 North Main Street, Santa Ana CA 92706 Tuesday - Sunday 10 am - 4 pm Visit bowers.org for a complete list of current exhibitions.

Laguna Beach Art Walk – 1st Thursday of each month, 6 - 9 pm. Over 40 galleries participate, offering artist receptions, demonstrations and live music. The night includes free admission to the Laguna Art Museum. For complete gallery listings and events visit First Thursday’s Art Walk page.

San Clemente Art Association Art Gallery -100 N Calle Seville, San Clemente, CA 92672 Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday Noon to 4pm, Saturday and Sunday 10 am to 4 pm. Monthly shows by members of the San Clemente Art Association. Paint San Clemente Show June 18 – July 22, 2022. July Show opens July 24th, 2022

Susi Q Gallery, 380 3rd Street, Laguna Beach Hours: 9 am - 5 pm Monday-Friday. **Animals - Wild and Not So Wild** May 19, 2022 - July 27, 2022. Several of our LWAA artist members are exhibiting there.