

DEMONSTRATOR

KOLAN PETERSON

Kolan Peterson's love for the outdoors is reflected in the strong crisp color and creativity of his watercolors. He captures the beauty and infinite variation of nature in his compositions. He enjoys the outings with the scores of students who study with him. He brings this intimacy with the mountains, streams, trees, and birds to these painting sessions. His paint-out at Morrow Bay has become a popular annual event, and recently, a workshop at Jackson Hole has been added to his itinerary.

He is the author of two books published by Walter Foster Art Books titled "Watercolor Step by Step" and "Special Effects of Watercolor". They feature many completed works along with their step by step instruction. The books are distributed worldwide.

Kolan currently resides and maintains his studio in Hemet, California. The popular watercolorist has performed over 100 demonstrations for various art groups. He is an instructor in sketching, and beginning and advanced watercolor for several art clubs. He also conducts workshops and serves as a judge for competitive art shows.

WINNERS

For December

Martha Lou McCool

won the Demonstrator's Award

Lois Leuch

won the Popular Vote Award

Marion Fulton

won the Demonstrator's painting

Cindy Lopez

won the Opportunity Tickets prize

Congratulations!

BOARD MEETING

The January meeting will be held on 1/19/2005 at 9:30 am at the home of Deanie Laughrun 348 E. Auburn Way Claremont 624-8241

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Meetings are held at 9:30 A.M. on the second Wednesday of each month.

Next Meeting: January 12

**The Magnolia Center
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Upland**

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2005 DEMONSTRATIONS

- January - Kolan Peterson - watercolor
- February -
- March -
- April -
- May -
- June -
- July -
- August -
- September -
- October -
- November -
- December -

2005 ARTWORK OF THE MONTH

Artwork of the Month can always include 2- dimensional or 3- dimensional art pieces pertaining to the category. All work must be original art, and must be suitably matted and/or framed. Photography and computer graphics are accepted.

- January - Artist's Choice
- February - Landscapes
- March - Still Life
- April - Seascapes, Lakes, Rivers
- May - Florals
- June - Artist's Choice
- July - Structures: buildings, houses, bridges, etc.
(can be paintings, drawings, or sculptures)
- August - Artist's Choice
- September - Animals, Birds
- October - Portraits & Figures
- November - Artist's Choice
- December - Miniatures (no larger than 14" in any direction, including frame)

Editor's Note

Instead of seeing one individuals' work this month, we will feature a "Best of the Board" display. Board members are challenged to select a favorite piece from their retrospective work, a prize-winning piece, or current work. We look forward to bringing in the new year with a diverse and interesting exhibit.

As the new year begins, the Board of Directors of the Associated Artists of the Inland Empire would like to thank you for your continued interest in the Association and for your continued support during the past year.

We will continue to strive to help build our organization in the future, and look forward to your participation.

We would like to take a moment to personally thank everyone who has helped the Associated Artist in many ways. We have active, supporting, hard-working members who work behind the scenes to keep our association going strong. Without all of you doing your various jobs, our organization would not be the successful one that it is. We really appreciate your participation.

It is our sincere wish that each of our members will have a "Happy and Artful 2005".



NEW MEMBERS: BENEFITS

ART OF THE MONTH

One great feature of the monthly meetings is Art of the Month. A different subject is featured each month (these are found on the back of this newsletter). All members are encouraged to participate, by bringing to the meetings original art, suitably matted and/or framed, which meets the monthly subject requirement.

All media are accepted, including photography and graphics. Awards are given for Poplar Vote and Demonstrator's Award. This is a great way to show off your current work and take part in a little friendly competition!

VIDEO LIBRARY

Rules for the video library are as follows:

- Members can check out 1 video at a time.
- There is a \$10.00 deposit on the video, returned to the member if the video is turned back in on time.
- Each video can be checked out for one month at a time, and can be renewed for one month only.
- If a video is not turned in, the member forfeits their \$10.00 deposit and is charged an additional \$35.00 to replace the video.

Please be considerate and turn your video in on time to avoid any fines.

EXHIBITING ARTIST MEMBER

Every month an individual member and their work is featured at the meeting. New members may want to take advantage of this benefit, as it is a great way to show your work to all members. Just have 5 - 7 pieces ready to show. Sign-ups are taking place now for 2005. For more information, contact Joy Fink @714-826-7628.

SALES TABLES

January

Tables are still available for the January meeting. For more info, call Shirley Bonneville @ 463-6259.

COOKIES

January

Alice Wade, Mary Ann Osko, Sandy Graziano, Joann Woodward, Maxine Grebbien

EDITOR'S NOTE

Please notify me of any newsworthy articles that you would like to have printed in the newsletter. This could include any awards you have recently won, and any art-related information. Space permitting, I attempt to fit all articles in the newsletter. The deadline for all articles is the 20th of the month. Please email your articles to marthacowan@earthlink.net. Thank you - Martha Cowan

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION APRIL 2004 -MARCH 2005

Note: Membership begins annually April 1 to the following April 1. Date: _____

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

email address _____

- ☐ **Regular Membership** - \$15.00 (Must pay \$2.00 at each regular demo meeting).
- ☐ **Special Membership** - \$29.00 (includes one year's cost of most demo programs).
- ☐ **Family Membership** - \$22.00 for two (each member must pay \$2.00 for each demo program)
- ☐ **Special Family** - \$50.00 for two (includes one year's cost of demo programs)
- ☐ **Life Membership** - \$100.00 (Includes first year's cost of programs). Pays dues for life. Thereafter, pay demo fee each meeting.

Please enclose this form with check payable to : Associated Artists c/o Ginger Marshall 11112 Antietam Alta Loma CA 91737

ARTBOX STUDIO

Experimental Abstract Workshop by nationally known teacher and artist,

Carol Barnes
January 24-28

Call Sylvia Megerdichian at the Artbox @ 981-4508

ART OF THE MONTH

The following are the rules regarding Artwork of the Month:

Artist: Must be a member.

May enter one item.

Art: Must fit the category.

May be any medium.

Must be framed or matted.

Must be original.

Must not have been entered in any previous Associated Artists show.

Must be no more than two years old.