DEMONSTRATOR

ANGELA HERNANDEZ HIGHLIGHTS

A ngela Hernandez finds that her ideas are best expressed in the medium of transparent watercolor. From early successes with oils, she was inspired to shift to watercolor because of its ability to capture a myriad creative impulses arising from her experiences gained through world travel.

From her career beginnings as a successful fashion illustrator for such clients as May Co., Robinsons, Bullocks, and others, Angela's interests migrated toward fine art, and to watercolor in particular, because of its versatility and its quality of transparency. These characteristics have become increasingly important to her as the sources for her ideas have expanded from her professional art career to include her experiences with both local and foreign travels.

Angela's art training includes Art Center College of Design, Chouinard's Art School, and Scripps College. She has taken watercolor workshops with Robert E. Wood, Robert Uecker, Christopher Schink, Milford Zornes and others. She has won many awards for her work. She is a member of Women Painters of the West, and of Watercolor West, Signature Member.

Y	WINNERS	
OF THE INL	For January Edie Selkee won the Demonstrator's Award Julieta Weiner won the Popular Vote Award	President: Shirley Bonneville Editor: Martha Cowan Circulation: Cindy Lopez
	Iris Alves won the Demonstrator's Painting Dick Haug won the Opportunity Tickets prize	Meetings are held at 9:30 A.M. on the second Wednesday of each month. Next Meeting: February 11 <u>Please bring small denominations</u> to pay at the meetings!
	Congratulations! BOARD MEETING	
	The February meeting will be held at 9:30 am on 2/18/2004 at the home of Patty Kruggel . Directions available at the next general meeting	The Magnolia Center 651 West 15th Street Upland

OF THE INLAND EMPIRE P.O. Box 623 Upland, CA 91785-0623

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2004 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 <u>are</u> 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 -

- September Animals, Birds
- October Portraits & Figures
- November Artist's Choice
- December Miniatures (no larger than 14" in any
 - direction, including frame)

2004 DEMONSTRATIONS

January - Sandy Clark - watercolor

February - Angela Hernandez - watercolor

March - Helga Batman-Koplin - Oil

April - John (Jim) Salchak - watercolor

May - Gene Turner - watercolor/colored pencil June

July - Gerald Brommer - watercolor August

September

October

November - Ruby Wang - watercolor

December - Sylvia Megerdichian - mixed media

MELANIE PHILLIPS

Melanie Phillips decided to try watercolor painting around 11 years ago. Finding the perfect opportunity for exploration to be a month long wilderness camping trip with her husband, she bought the painting supplies and took them along to see if she could paint. At the end of the trip she discovered that she loved it, and pursued lessons with Sharon Yatsko.

Art classes at Chaffey College and through other instructors rounded out her studies and experience with other mediums. She still works in watercolor, but also enjoys acrylics.

Another passion has developed from her art studies - that of teaching.

Melanie teaches at the Rancho Cucamonga Senior Center through Chaffey Adult School, and at the Gibson Senior Center in Upland. She will also begin teaching for Upland Recreation in April, with an adult class and a children's class.

She enjoys experimentation in using new techniques and applications. So she doesn't single out or rule out a particular subject matter. She savs "I don't know what I would do if I couldn't create art. It is such a large part of me!" Melanie and her associate, Barbara Bernath are in the process of opening a new business venture "Art on the Move", which will be a mobile art supply company.

Melanie is also one of two gallery coordinators at Gallery SoHo in Pomona. She participates in local art shows and is an active member of the Associated Artists of the Inland Empire. 2

SALES TABLES

Martha Cowan (Cucamonga Cakery) variety of Valentine treats If you are interested in having a sales table

at the February meeting, please contact Shirley Bonneville at 463-6259. Reserve your table early. They are free of charge and are a benefit of being a

COOKIES

For February Harriet Chilstrom, Jan Gardner, Charlotte Tanner, Ikeda Michiko, and Jean Anderson

Jo Anna Jacqueline L Billings Hedy Marien Carole Knudsen Rhoda Kerr Sandy Graziano Karen Werner **Dorothy Gonzales** Laura Mallory

CHEAP JOE'S

Duane Thomas, the Association Treasurer, has been very generous in setting up an account for the Associated Artists with Cheap Joe's, a catalogue art supply store.

The benefit to you, as a member, is that when you place an order with Duane at the monthly meetings, as long as all orders together total a minimum of \$250.00, then no shipping is charged! Your order is available to you for pick up at the next meeting! Catalogues are on order and will be available for each member. Please take advantage of this new benefit.

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SLATE OF OFFICERS 2004

ROSTER ADS

Ads for the new roster are only \$15.00 each, and the roster is used for two years. What a deal! Any member can take out an ad. Contact Shirley for more info @463-

GIBSON SENIOR CENTER

Paintings will be changed at the Gibson Senior Center on Wednesday, March 3, at 9: 30 am. Please be there to exchange your paintings. Many members sell their work at the Center; it's another benefit of being a member! For info, contact Shirley @ 463-6259.

SHOWS & WORKSHOPS

Hillcrest Festival of Fine Arts February 27, 28, & 29, 2004 2000 West Road, La Habra Heights Associated Artists member Sandra Crowley -Kramer will be exhibiting her work. For more info, contact her at 909-948-1759

Pastel Society of the West Coast 18th Annual International Exhibition February 26 - May 23, 2004 Triton Museum - Santa Clara, CA For more info, write Kathryn Higley 828 Mikkelsen Dr. - Auburn, CA 95603

City of Brea 19th Annual Made in California Exhibit January 18 - March 7, 2004 City of Brea Gallery, Brea CA

ART BOX STUDIO

Workshops for 2004! Feb 23 - 27 - Watermedia Intensive Studies Toph Schink & Skip Lawrence March 22 - 26 - Carla O'Connor Abstract Figure Workshop May 17 - 21 - Don Andrews Landscape Painting at Green Valley Lake Oct. 18 -22 - Gerald Brommer Collage & Drawing

Open studio session with Sylvia every Monday from 9:30am - 2:00 pm

For more information, contact Sylvia 3 Megerdichian @ 909-981-4508

NEW MEMBERS