



Burlington County Art Guild, Inc. est. 1966

TIDINGS NEWSLETTER

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This is the last Tidings Newsletter of our fiscal year. You will receive your next newsletter in September 2017.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

My Dear BCAG Members, I would have loved to serve you longer but our house sold and we're moving to Bethlehem, PA where I can play with my grandsons :-) and have time to paint (we're moving into a condo). It has been an absolute pleasure getting to know those of you that are regulars at the member's meetings. If I wasn't in the president's position, I wouldn't have extended myself to get to know you. The position allowed me to grow. I no longer get butterflies while speaking in public. That's because you have made me feel so comfortable. Thank you. I was very fortunate to hear a little voice turn to me at a meeting and volunteer to take over the president's position. She's the purple-haired woman-- that purple that's on our logo! Alexandria Louden is ready to be a 'BCAger'! She has great past experience and I feel she will be wonderful. Welcome her! Introduce yourselves so she gets to know you. That is the most important thing... getting to know the people.

My love and the best to you,
Melanie

BCAG, Inc. announces the 3rd Annual Volunteer Recognition Picnic and Plein Aire Painting Day

SAVE THE DATE!

Sun. June 4, 2017 at the Red Dragon Canoe Club!

The Executive Board invites members in recognition of their volunteer service during the year. What is better than spending the day painting and visiting with friends?!

If you have volunteered, expect an invitation from Pam Levin via email in the first week of May.

PLEASE SAVE THE DATE!!!

October 22, 2017, Sunday, 2pm - 5pm

BCAG Inc. FUNDRAISER AND SILENT AUCTION:

We will be calling on everyone to sell tickets. It will be a fun time for everyone with music, good food, a tour of the Roebing Museum plus the bidding on *Silent Auction* items.

2017 Meeting Schedule

NEXT MEMBERS' MEETING
May 16 @ 6:30pm

Meeting will be held in the auditorium and not our customary meeting room.

No refreshments will be served.

Members' meetings are held at the Burlington County Library every third Tuesday of the month from September - May unless otherwise noted.



5 Pioneer Blvd., Westampton, NJ

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Inputs for the newsletter will be collected over our Summer break.

Please send to:

sherrydmcgrath@gmail.com

***Photos are welcome!**

MEMBERSHIP REMINDER:

New and renewal fees will be collected during the Summer and into September. Please see website for any updates and send payment to: Burlington County Art Guild, Inc. P.O. Box #233 Moorestown, NJ 08057

May Program



Joanna L. Patterson will be doing a presentation called, "By Hand and Foot in Burma"

Joanna L Patterson's Biography

Joanna Patterson is an award-winning photographer who received her first camera (a Brownie Hawkeye) when she was ten. As a young adult, she studied photography in both California and New Jersey. In 2003 she set her sights on traveling to all seven continents before the age of seventy. Joanna switched to digital equipment in 2005, and completed her 7-continent goal in 2011.

Her work hangs in both private and corporate collections including AtlantiCare in Atlantic City, NJ; the Temenos offices in Moorestown, NJ; Zimmerman's Dental office in Ohio; and an 8'x12' mural in a prestigious Massage Studio in Philadelphia. Her work appears on several websites and in the book entitled "Bears, the Last Frontier" by PBS's "Nature" narrator, Chris Morgan.

In addition to the venues mentioned above, Joanna sells note cards, calendars and framed images out of her office in Mt Laurel, NJ. She has presented educational slide programs on Alaska, Africa, Arctic Norway, Antarctica, China, Burma and the Pantanal in Brazil. She has won numerous awards at the South Jersey Camera Club (during her 10 years as a member) as well as in many juried photography shows in the area.

Joanna has a passion for both travel and photography. She looks for, and records, the beauty in nature and in human nature so that she can share the diversity of life through her photographs, inspiring viewers to celebrate and protect this magnificent planet we call Earth.

Joanna L Patterson | jopat700@verizon.net | Essence of Life Photography | 609.605.8369



Information and photos provided by Ellen Miller/Program Director

MEMBERS' NEWS

All work entered into the 45th Annual Robert Ransley Open Juried Art Exhibit was accepted. The opening reception and award presentation will be on Friday, May 5 from 6-9pm at the Lyceum Hall.

***Irvane Spracklin** has a new website, *The Art of Irvane Spracklin* - irvanespracklin.net that was creatively designed by artist, Sandy Sandy

***Bob Minnick** and **Carol Summers Nash** are showing in the Members and Faculty Show at Perkins Center for the Arts in May.

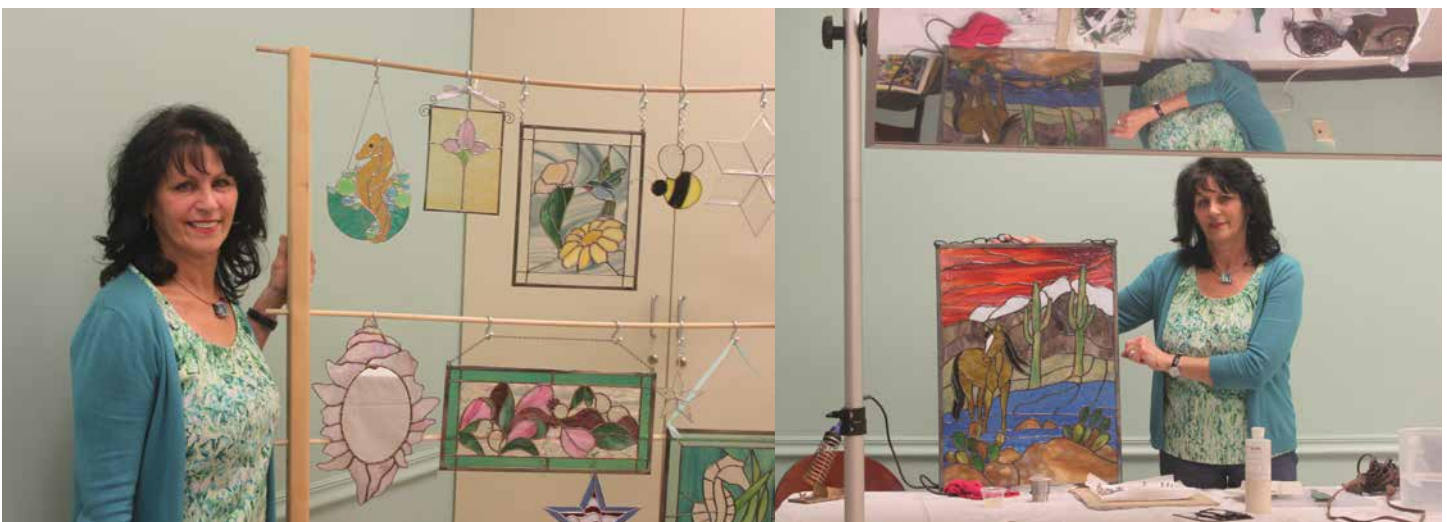
***Joy Hoffman** keeps very busy! In March she had four paintings in the Medford Art Center's *Works on Paper Show*, juried by James Toogood. Also in March, three works were in the *Willingboro Art Alliance show* at the Smithville Mansion, juried by Phillip Carroll. In April, Joy participated in the *Art Blooms* show at Croft Farm in Cherry Hill. In May, she will submit a collage to the *Willingboro Art Alliance 2017 Open Show* at the Moorestown Library. Joy plans on entering the 45th *Robert Ransley Open Juried Art Exhibit*, hosted by the Burlington County Art Guild, Inc. April 23rd at the H.T.C. Lyceum Hall Center for the Arts in Burlington City; also she will enter three pieces in the *Re-purposeful Art Exhibit* at the Smithville Mansion Annex Gallery. In addition to showing, Joy has been taking a few workshops!

***Pamela Scribner** will be entering two pieces in the 45th Annual Robert Ransley Open Juried Art Exhibit, hosted by the Burlington Art Guild, Inc. at the Lyceum Hall in Burlington with her two pieces, *Germany* in Colored Pencil and *Isle of Capri* in Pen and Ink. She will be entering one submission in the Hammonton Arts center May show titled, *Anything Goes*. She will be entering her one and only oil painting called, *The Cove*. She will be in the *Willingboro Art Alliance 2017 Open Show* in May show at the Moorestown Library a colored pencil drawing title, *Danube* and the Riverfront Renaissance Center for the Arts - May open call exhibit titled, *Art of the Pencil*.

***Sherry D. McGrath** will be participating in the Willingboro Art Alliance's shows, *2017 Open Show and 2017 Abstract Show*. She was accepted into both upcoming shows at Riverfront Renaissance Center for the Arts, *The Art of the Pencil* and *Inspiration. Third Friday* Opening on May 19. Sherry entered the *BCAG's 45th Robert Ransley Open Juried Art Exhibit* and was accepted along with all other entries and will participate in their *Annual Summer Members' Exhibit* during the Summer break. Sherry has uploaded new abstract designs and continues to lend her designs to VIDA for apparel and accessories. See here:

<https://www.shopvida.com/collections/sherry-dellaria-mcgrath>

April Guest Artist: Judy Gangemi with Stained Glass Art



Photos courtesy of Carol Fitzpatrick/Program Director

Art Opportunities

***Burlington County Art Guild, Inc./WAA: Photography Show:** Intake dates are Friday, June 2 from 2-4pm and Saturday, June 3 from 9-11am. No pre-registration required. Reception: Saturday, June 24 from 2-4pm. End of show pick up: June 30, 2017 from 2-4pm. Virtua Memorial Hospital | Dr. Flinker Pavilion Gallery (1st Floor | 175 Madison Avenue, Mount Holly, NJ 08060

***Burlington County Art Guild, Inc.: Members' Summer Exhibit 2017:** Intake date is Saturday, July 29th and Pick up date is Saturday, September 2nd. Virtua Hospital/Dr. Flinker Pavilion Gallery. More details to come.
Upcoming show in the Fall! BCAG will be at Palmyra Cove for a *Fall Members' Show* - details to come.

***Willingboro Art Alliance: 2017 Landscape Show.** June 30-July 31. Artists may submit two (2) pieces - any medium. Only twenty artists will be able to show. 1st, 2nd, 3rd place awards will be given. Send File Copy, Artist Receipt and \$5 per piece to Joy Hoffman by June 23rd. Register intent deadline is June 15. See prospectus for details and forms at: www.willingboroart.org | Exhibition Coordinator: Joy Hoffman | Joyke41@comcast.net | 856.234.1406

***Medford Arts Center: Members' Show and Sale.** Show dates: June 23-August 11, 2017. Open House Reception: Friday, June 23, 6-8pm. Meet the Artists in the Gazebo Room June 23 from 6-8pm.
Fall Invitational Show - September 1-30, 2017. Open House Reception on Friday, September 8 from 6-8pm. Meet the Artist Reception in the Gazebo Room - Sept. 8, 6-8pm.
From Brush to Canvas - Coming in Fall (dates are being rearranged due to renovations)

***Center for the Arts So. NJ: Annual Open Juried Watercolor Exhibition.** August 7-August 28, 2017. Open to members and non-members of CFA. Entry fees: \$12/per piece for members and \$15/per piece for non-members. Up to three pieces may be submitted. Awards Reception: Wednesday, August 16 from 7-9pm. 123 S. Elmwood Rd., Marlton, NJ 08053 | 856.985.1009 | www.cfasnj.com | cfasnj@yahoo.com

***Hammonton Arts Center:** The following shows are listed on their website, please use the following link to contact them for further details: www.hammontonartscenter.org. June: *Flora & Fauna (Non-Domestic Animals)*-Drop Off: 5/22-5/27. Reception is on June 1st; July & August: *On the Road Again*-Drop Off: 6/26-7/1. Reception is on July 6th; September: *The 4 Seasons* Drop Off: 8/28-9/2. Reception is on September 7th. All receptions are 6-8pm. Located at: 219 Bellevue Avenue, Hammonton, NJ 08037 | 609.567.5360 | hammontonartscenter@gmail.com

***Artworks Trenton: 11th Annual Art All Night** - 24 hr. art show from June 17th 3pm-June 18th 3pm. Free to submit. Free to attend. Over 1,500 pieces of artwork on display. Live Glassblowing Master Classes, Interactive Art-Live Graffiti, Live Mural Painting, 50 Live Musical Acts and Silent Disco-24 hour Film Fest and over a dozen food trucks. To submit your art or to volunteer: www.AANTrenton.org | Historic Roebling Wireworks | 675 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton, NJ 08610

***Ocean County Artists Guild: Juried Photography Exhibit.** July 1-29, 2017. Open to all artists regardless of residency. Delivery of artwork is on June 24th from 10am-2pm. Entry fees for non-members: \$30/one piece, \$40/two pieces, \$50/three pieces-Up to 3 pieces maximum. Categories: Color, Monochrome, Nature and People. Reception on Sunday, July 9 from 1-4. Awards will be presented at 2pm. Juror: Lisa Tice. Accepted pick up is on Sunday, July 30 from 1-4pm.

***Riverfront Renaissance Center for the Arts:** Open Call for Art-North Gallery. *Inspiration Exhibit*. Art inspired by your favorite artist (original ideas only).
Open Call for Art-Witt Gallery. *The Art of the Pencil* show. Original Graphite or Colored Pencil Art.
Submissions by email. Deadline: May 12th. Drop off accepted works for both shows May 14, 15, 16. Awards presented for both shows on Third Friday, May 19th from 6-9pm. Open all day-check website for times. Both shows end June 11th.
Email submissions to: rrcarts@rrcarts.com | 22 N. High Street, Millville, NJ 08332 | 856.327.4500 | www.rrcarts.com

***The Pinelands Preservation Alliance (PPA)** is pleased to announce *Pinelands- 2017 Juried Photographic Exhibition*. Black and white and color images taken within the boundaries of the New Jersey Pinelands National Reserve depicting its landscape, flora, wildlife, communities and people will be accepted. The exhibit will hang in the newly renovated barn at the PPA Headquarters in Southampton, New Jersey. For more information visit - <http://bit.ly/ppaphoto2017>

***Photo SJ 2017 Conference:** Patricia Worley will be the workshop presenter for *Photo SJ 2017*, June 14-15 in Millville, NJ. This two-day conference is for those who are passionate about photography & filmmaking. The event features workshops, presentations, exhibits & portfolio reviews by some of the regions best photographers and videographers. Plus a free keynote presentation by wildlife photographer Chas Glatzer. For more information and to register for her workshop entitled, *Visualization*, visit: <http://www.artcnw.com/photosj/>

Shows To See

***Burlington County Art Guild, Inc.:** *45th Annual Robert Ransley Open Juried Art Exhibition.* Show dates are May 1 through June 1, 2017. Awards Reception is on Friday, May 5 from 6-9pm. H.T.C. Lyceum Hall Center for the Arts | 432 High Street, Burlington, NJ 08016. www.lyceumhall.org

***Willingboro Art Alliance:** *2017 Open Show.* Show dates: May 1-May 31. Moorestown Library | 111 West Second Street, Moorestown, NJ 08057; *2017 Open Abstract Show.* Show dates are June 1-June 30 and *2017 Open Landscape Show* starting June 30th to July 31st at The Burlington County Library | 5 Pioneer Blvd., Westampton, NJ 08060 | For info contact: Joy Hoffman | 856.234.1406 | joyke41@comcast.net

***Medford Arts Center:** *Watercolor Memories.* Show dates: May 12-June 16, 2017. Reception and awards Friday, May 12 from 6-8pm. In the Gazebo room, our featured artist is Indriani Choudhary. *MAC Members' Show and Sale:* June 23-August 11, 2017. Open House Reception: Friday, June 23 from 6-8pm. Featuring the work of Barbara Doreste in our Gazebo room. Tracey Femiano/Exhibitions Coordinator | Medford Arts Center | 18 North Main Street, Medford, NJ 08055 | 609.654.6033 | 609.932.4149 | 609.654.1855 (res.) | tfemiano@aol.com

***Markeim Arts Center:** *Power of the Flower Juried Art Exhibition.* Show dates: May 12-June 2. Opening reception and awards presented on Friday, May 12 from 7-9pm. *Outsider Art-* June 9-July 7. Opening Reception: Friday, June 9 from 7-10pm. Gallery Hours: Tues.-Fri., 12-5pm. 104 Walnut St., Haddonfield, NJ 08033 | 856.429.8585 | www.markeimartscenter.org

***Perkins Center for the Arts-Moorestown Gallery:** *2017 Member and Faculty Exhibition.* May 7-June 18. An annual exhibition featuring staff, members and faculty. It's a diverse exhibition that includes art in various mediums. Artists Reception: Sunday, May 7 from 1-3pm. 395 Kings Highway, Moorestown, NJ 08057 | 856.235.6488 | www.perkinsarts.org

***Center for the Arts So. NJ:** *Center for the Arts Children/Teen Exhibit.* June 5-26, 2017. Students of the CFA between the ages of 5 and 18 are invited to display in this exhibit. Awards are presented to all students. Reception: Saturday, June 17 from 1-3pm *CFA Annual Members' Exhibition -* July 10-31, 2017. This multi-media show is to honor the supportive CFA members. Reception is on Wednesday, July 19 from 7-9pm. 123 S. Elmwood Rd., Marlton, NJ 08053 | 856.985.1009 | www.cfasnj.com

***About the Art Gallery Space:** *The Fine Art of Illustration-David Watson.* Come and enjoy artwork straight out of the imagination of local Burlington County Artist David Watson. David's technique and versatility in a wide range of mediums, from pen & ink to oil will be on display from May 1-June 30, 2017. Reception is on May 20 and June 10 (*Second Saturday*), 1-4pm. The following show will be *Janet Cebular and Friends*-July and August. Receptions on *Second Saturdays*, July 8 and August 12 from 1-4pm. 137 High Street, Mount Holly, NJ 08060 (across from prison museum) | Curator: Jan Terry | 609.280.6890 | janterry67@gmail.com

***Smithville Annex Gallery:** *Re-Purposeful Art Exhibit.* Show Dates: April 28-June 25, 2017. Reception is on Saturday, May 6 from 1-3pm. This art show will highlight how something old/used can be transformed into a work of art and/or functional art. GPS Address: 803 Smithville Road, Eastampton, NJ 08060 | 609.265.2445 | kbrown@co.burlington.nj.us

***Southampton Township:** *Arts in the Village Market Day -* May 13th from 9am-3pm. Coincides with *Boy Scout Car Show.* Located on Main Street in Vincentown, NJ 08088

***Hansen Warner Building Gallery:** *The Reginald Wickham Memorial Exhibition.* Extended until May 12th. This exhibition is meant to be seen longer. A Closing Reception is scheduled for May 12, 6-8pm. It is a wonderful display of black and white images from the *South Jersey Photographers* and is well worth the visit. Hansen Warner Bldg. Gallery | 6 South Main Street, Medford, NJ 08055 | 609.694.3247

***The Plastic Club:** The following shows will be displayed in the galleries of the Plastic Club during the Summer.:

Annual Members' Medal - Show Dates: May 7 to 25. Opening Reception on May 7th, 2-5pm. This show is for members only.

Workshop Show - Show Dates: June 3 to 22. Opening Reception on June 3rd, 7-10pm. This show is for workshop participants.

Models as Artists - Show Dates: August 6 to 24. Opening Reception and Performances on July 9th 2-5pm. This is a show for people who have modeled at the Plastic Club.

Members' Choice - Show Dates: August 6 to 24. Opening Reception on August 6th, 2-5pm. This is a show for members only. 247 South Camac Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107 | 215.545.9324 | info@plasticclub.org | www.plasticclub.org

***New Jersey Council on the Arts:** *Public Meeting -* May 23, 2017 at 11am at the *Tuckerton Seaport & Baymen's Museum.* The agenda will include reports from State Arts Council committees that have met recently, as well as a presentation by the meeting host. The meeting is free and open to the public. No need to RSVP. For questions, contact Allison Tratner: allison.tratner@sos.nj.gov 120 West Main Street, Tuckerton, NJ 08087

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Your Membership Expires

Special Notes

See you in September!
Look for news and updates on the
BCAG website during our Summer Break and watch for
more details for the upcoming Members' Summer Exhibit!

HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY SUMMER!