

The Paint Rag January 1999 San Dieguito Art Guild, Offtrack Gallery, 510 North Coast HWY Encinitas CA 92024 760-942-3636

CALENDAR CHECK

Dec. 12, Art on the Green Dec. 15, Environmental Painters meet at McGee Park. Dec. 30, WED. Take-in Monthly Show 9-2 (note: change in day of the week) (over 28" in by noon) Jan., 3, Floor Rotation 1:00--4:00 p.m. Jan. 4, Wall Rotation 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Jan. 5, Environmental Painters meet Quail Gardens. Jan. 7, Board Meeting, Larabee House, Quail Gardens, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m., SDAG Panel. Jan. 10, Joan Grine, Artist of the month for January, Reception Offtrack Gallery, 1:00-4:00 p.m. Jan. 12 & 19, Environmental Painters meet at Fletcher Cove, Solana Beach. Jan. 26, Environmental Painters meet Torrey Pines State Reserve Lodge, Del Mar. Jan. 29, Monthly Show Take-In 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. (over 28" in by noon).

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION: I WILL HAVE A NEW PAINTING FOR EVERY MONTHLY SHOW!

AWARD'S SHOW RESULTS JUDGE: DUANE LIGHT 71 PAINTINGS IN SHOW

BEST OF SHOW Sandra Bray - "Jungle Jam"

OIL & ACRYLIC

1st: Betty Sanbrook "The Arbor"
2nd: Betty Eaton-Rhea "Before the Snow"
3rd: Victor LaFica "Country Road"
HM: Sue Kessinger "Carlsbad Power Station"
HM Helen Wallace "Pampus Grass Gardens"
HM: Allin Budek "Estuary"

WATER MEDIA

1st: Harriet Shoup "Snowflakes for Toby"2nd: Mary Trawick "The Sentinel"3rd: Joan Schmidt "Fall"HM: Pat Watkins "Twin Towers, Balboa Park"HM: Frank Glendinning "Borrego Dunes"HM: Walter Bruning "St. Francis Church, Warner

Springs"

PASTEL

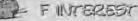
1st: Ora O'Toole "Blue Jean Lady"2nd: Michelle Lentz "Paradise Sail"3rd: Joan Grine "Lundy Lake"HM: Mary Ann Nillson Bloom "Palace of Fine Art"HM: Evelyn Cramer "Far Horizons"

PHOTOGRAPHY

1st: Petty Hubbard "Circle of Life:2nd: Michael Seewald "Patio Mykones, Greece"3rd: Denise Wyborski "Keep on Trucking"HM: Peter Fay "Taos Pueblo"HM: Tori Nelson "Georgia Wall"

OTHER MEDIA

1st: Debbie Ross "Space Odyssey"
2nd: Cynthia Brenneman "All My Toys"
3rd: Barbara Mille "Mountains of fold"
HM: Susan Kopp "Caesar's Folly"
HM: Terese Bushen "Sacred Dancer"
HM: Dot Dodds "Samoan Girl"



San Diego Cultural Arts Alliance Update on Development of New Art S Culture Center at the Naval Training Center, Point Loma. Dec. 18, 6:38 pm., Sherwood Ruditorium, Museum of Contemporty Rrt, 700 Prospect Street, La Jolla. R.S.U.P. to Melissa 619-296-7785. The Training Center is now in the planning stages for redevelopment and there is an area designated for arts and cultural organizations. The Athenaeum is moving it's downtown art school to NTC. There is currently a Sculpture studio, school and foundry on the old base, and plans for the future include Gallery space and maybe artists' Loft living space. Attend the meeting and find out more about this exciting addition to the San Diego Brt Scene.

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ART ON THE GREEN

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Art Talk Newsletter-www.arttalk.com



NEORMATION New Procedures for paying Artists Our new Bookkeeping service, Motherlade Bookkeeping Service of Encinitas, will charge by check written. The minimum a check will be written for is \$100, in addition there will be a \$5.00 check writing service fee charged to the artist receiving the check. We regret having to implement this charge, but there is a short fall between our annual income and our expenses and there must be belt tightening in some areas to continue our life style! Information for Motherlode Bookkeeping enclosed in this Newsletter

AUSEY

All members who intend to display their work in the Gallery must complete the enclosed W-9 Form and return it to the Gallery, Place the completed Form in the Bookkeeper"s File in the Gallery.

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OF INTEREST

San Diego cultural Arts Alliance

Update on Development of New Art & Culture Center at the Naval Training Center, Point Loma. Dec. 10, 6:30 pm., Sherwood Auditorium, Museum of Contemporary Art, 700 Prospect Street, La Jolla. RSVP to Melissa. The Training Center is now in the planning stages for redevelopment and there is an area designated for arts and cultural organizations. The Athenaeum is moving it's downtown art school to NTC. There is currently a sculpture studio, school and foundry on the old base, and plans for the future include Gallery space and maybe artists' Loft living space. Attend the meeting and find out more about this exciting addition to the San Diego Art Scene.

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"New Leaf", Jan. 1-51. Features original works. by Carol Land, Kirstine Olson, Bruce Stowell, Lisa Michele, Nancy Bruce, and Robert Minami. 388 Carlsbad Village Dr., #284, Carlsbad. 11:88 a.m. to 5:80 p.m. Daily. 768-434-9431.

La Vida Del Mar

Millie Waelchli, Jim Respess, and Gloria Daniels will be showing their art work December 1-31 (858 Del Mar Downs Road., Del Mar). Call 619-755-1224 for information.

La Costa Branch Library

Claudia Brown will display her work during December.

La Jolla Art Association Gallery

Carol Thomason and Annette lotuso Paquet. Reception: Sun. Feb. 7, 1999, 3:88 p.m.-5:88 p.m. Show runs Feb. 1-Feb. 14. 11:88 a.m.-4:38 p.m. Dally, 7917 Sirard Ave., La Jolla.

LOOR ROTATION, JANUARY 3RD,7:00-6:00 PH, ALL ROTATION, JANUARY 4TH, 130 A.H. -6:00 P.H.

Artists are requested to come as early as possible due to the new parking restrictions and new procedures being implemented. There will be a buddy (assistant) meeting you at the Loading Zone on the South side of the building. Please have all your paperwork completed in order to shorten your time in the gallery.

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HOW REVIEW Well not a show in the true sense of the word, but not to be missed by you, your

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RECORDING SECRETARY, has had a life long INTEREST IN ART., AND HAS EXPERIMENTED WITH OIL ACRYLIC, AIRBRUSH, AND PHOTOGRAPHY. SINCE 1991,

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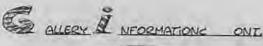
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FACTS ABOUT OUR MEMBERS

Kathleen McGee, our recording secretary, has had a life long interest in art, and has experimented with oil, acrylic, airbrush, and photography. Since 1991, however, she has been painting exclusively in watercolor. Although she has a background in computers and accounting, she is now pursuing a career as an artist. After 19 years of life in Hawaii, she now lives in Carlsbad with her best supporters, her husband of 20 years, her 14 year old golden retriever and a black and white "Tuxedo" cat. Computers are not entirely out of her life, during the past year she was created a web site for the San Diego Watercolor Society at www. sdws.org and has co-authored an on line art gallery which has 40 member artists at www.artfaces.com. A tropical influence and the flora of Hawaii, California and Mexico are common in Kathleen's art. Look for Kathleen and her work on the Mother's Day Studio and Garden Tour!

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Solana Beach City Hall Rotation Anyone interested in showing their work during March please call Joan Grine RSAP at 619-481-7984. Angela Burkett Art Lessons

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MiraCoasta College

Watercolor Painting with Annette Paquet. Saturdays from 9:80 a.m.-2:50 p.m. January 19-May 21, 1999. Registration begins Nov. 17. Section 6355 (3 units), \$33.88, 15 secsions. See Spring 1999 Credit Class Schedule for more information on registration or see Web site http://www.miracosta.cc.ca.us Quall Gardens_

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US TRIPS

Van Gogh Show, L.A. County Museum

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Call Laurie Allen, San Diego Watercolor Society for reservations and details at 619-595-0302.

La Califia Hotel, Bala CA.

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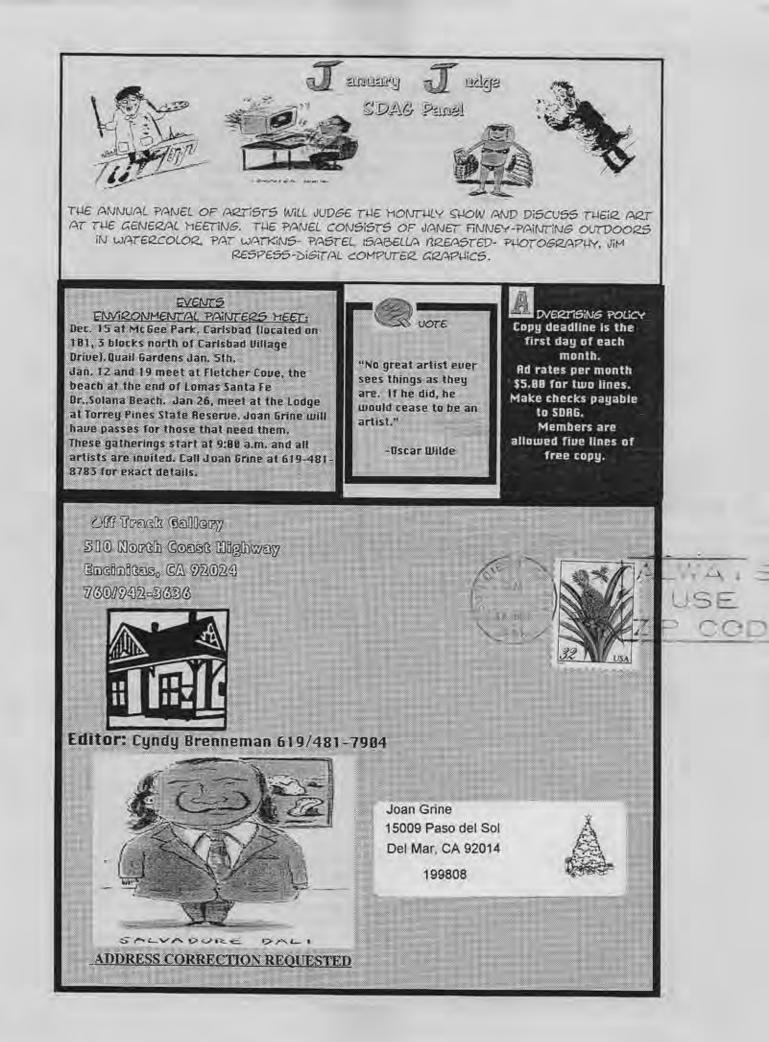
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SDAG Panel The annual panel of artists will judge the monthly show and discuss their art at the general meeting. The panel consists of Janet Finney - Painting Outdoors in Watercolor, Pat Watkins - Pastel, Isabella Breasted - Photography, Jim Respess - Digital Computer Graphics.

EVENTS

January Judge

ENVIRONMENTAL PAINTERS MEET: Dec. 15 at McGee Park, Carlsbad (located on 101, 3 blocks north of Carlsbad Village Drive), Quail Gardens Jan. 5th. Jan. 12 and 19 meet at Fletcher Cove, the beach at the end of Lomas Santa Fe Dr. Solana Beach. Jan 26, meet at the Lodge at Torrey Pines State Reserve, Joan Grine will have passes for those that need them. These gatherings start at 9:00 a.m. and all artists are invited. Call Joan Grine for exact details.

QUOTE

"No great artist ever sees things as they are. If he did, he would cease to be an artist." Oscar Wilde

ADVERTISING POLICY

Copy deadline is the first day of each month. Ad rates per month \$5.00 for two lines. Make checks payable to SDAG. Members are allowed five lines of free copy.

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Editor: Cyndy Brenneman

MOTHER'S DAY MEETING NOTES 1/20/99

Those in attendance:

Lisa Jackson - presiding, Sandra Bray, Cathy Breslaw, Cindy Brenneman Nurserys:

- Armstrong: Local Armstrong Nurserys unable to move without corporate support. Lisa is attempting to contact the corporation.
- Andersons La Costa: Seemed too busy to respond. >> Maybe QBG could get a better response because of Andersons generous support of QBG's plant sale.
- · Samia: Interested
- Solana Succulents: Interested but want to know that other nurserys are involved.
- A bromeliad supplier: No leads. <u>>> Maybe Robert Kopstein could provide</u> some.

Poster:

Various discussion about logistics. A printer is needed <u>>> Who was the printer</u> for the Hubble poster?

QBG Tours:

Is QBG planning tours of the grounds on Saturday?

Crafts:

The woman from Sunshine Gardens is interested in underwriting the crafts activity. The group suggested offering a succulent wreath class.

Tea:

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Those in attendance:

Lisa Jackson - presiding, Sandra Bray, Cathy Breslaw, Cindy Brenneman

Nurserys:

Armstrong: Local Armstrong Nurserys unable to move without corporate support. Lisa is attempting to contact the corporation.

Andersons La Costa: Seemed too busy to respond. Maybe QBG could get a better response because of Anderson's generous support of QBG's plant sale Samia: Interested

Solana Succulents: Interested but want to know what other nurserys are involved.

A bromeliad supplier: No leads. Maybe Robert Kopstein could provide some.

Poster:

Various discussion about logistics. A printer is needed. Who was the printer for the Hubble poster?

QBG Tour:

Is QGB planning tour of the grounds on Saturday?

Crafts

The woman from Sunshine Gardens is interested in underwriting the crafts activity The group suggested offering a succulent wreath class.

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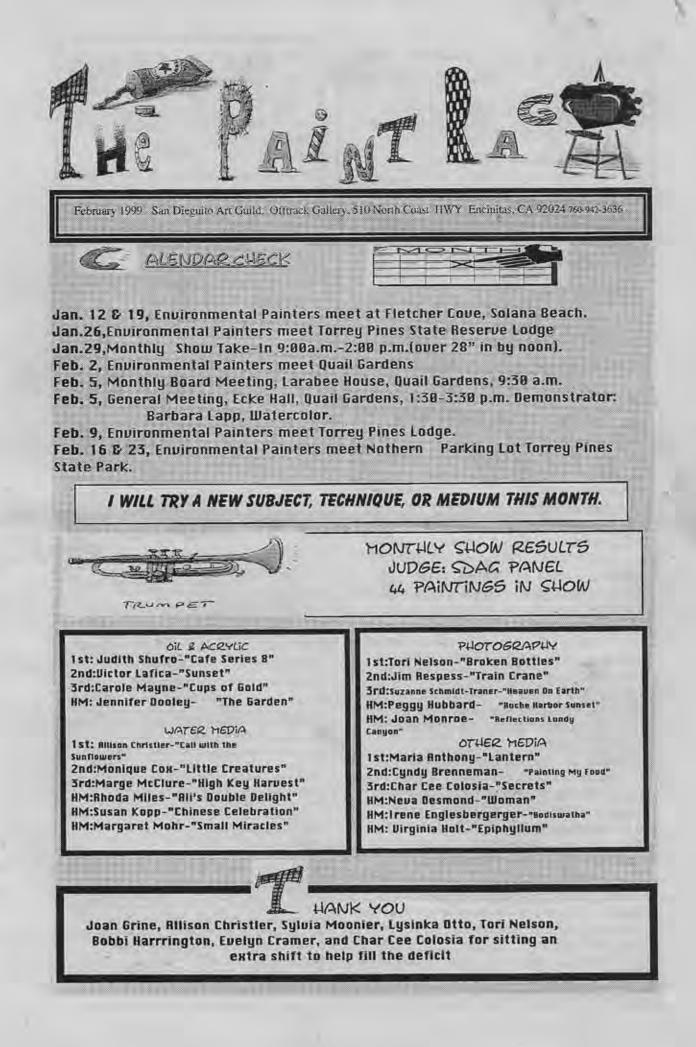
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CALENDAR CHECK

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I WILL TRY A NEW SUBJECT, TECHNIQUE, OR MEDIUM THIS MONTH.

MONTHLY SHOW RESULTS JUDGE: SDAG PANEL 44 PAINTINGS IN SHOW

Oil & Acrylic 1st: Judith Shufro - "Cafe Series 8" 2nd: Victor Lafica - "Sunset" 3rd: Carole Mayne "Cups of Gold" HM: Jennifer Dooley "The Garden"

WATER MEDIA

1st: Alison Christler "Call with the Sunflowers"2nd: Monique Cox "Little Creatures"3rd: Marge McClure "High Key Harvest"HM: Rhoda Miles "Ali's Double Delight"HM: Susan Kopp "Chinese Celebration"HM: Margaret Mohr "Small Miracles"

PHOTOGRAPHY

1st: Tori Nelson "Broken bottles"2nd: Jim Respess "Train Crane"3rd: Suzanne Schmidt-Traner "Heaven On Earth"HM: Peggy Hubbard "Roche Harbor Sunset"

HM: Joan Monroe "Reflections Lundy Canyon"

OTHER MEDIA

1st: Maria Anthony "Lantern"2nd: Cyndy Brenneman "Painting My Food"3rd: Char Cee Colosia "Secrets"HM: Neva Desmond "Woman"HM: Irene Englesberger "Bodiswatha"HM: Virginia Holt "Ephiphyllum"

THANK YOU

Joan Grine, Alison Christler, Sylvia Moonier, Lysinka Otto, Tori Nelson, Bobbi Harrington, Evelyn Cramer, and Char Cee Colosia for sitting an extra shift to help fill the deficit.

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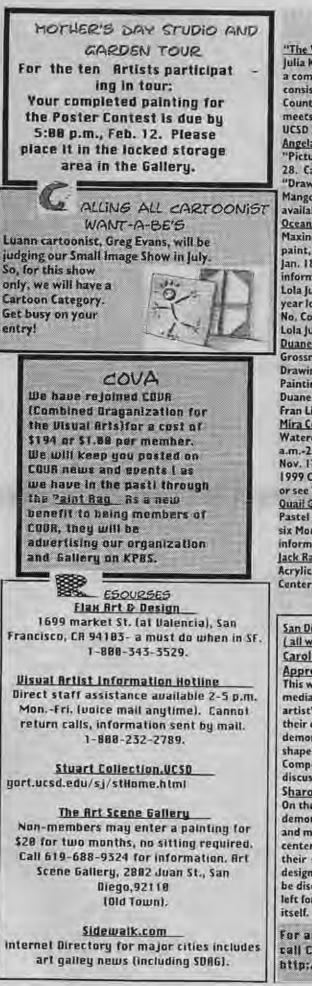
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RESOURCES

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Visual Artist Information Hotline Direct staff assistance available 2-5 p.m. Mon. - Fri. (voice mail anytime). Cannot return calls, information sent by mail.

Stuart Collection, UCSD gort.ucsd.edu/sj/stHome.html

The Art Scene Gallery

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Born and raised in Southwest Louisiana, Shirley began drawing at a very early age. When she moved to California in the late sixties, she began art classes at Southwestern and Mesa Colleges. Her art classes at Palomar with Harry Bliss and MiraCosta with Diane Adams motivated her to pursue a future in the art field. Shirley recently completed a workshop with Jim Kosvanec. Teaching art as a volunteer in the Encinitas School District for the past twelve years has been a rewarding experience. She was awarded a grant from the Encinitas Education Foundation to teach two sixth grade classes in 1996. Five of her students won special awards at the Del Mar Fair's student art exhibit. Shirley works in a multitude of mediums including watercolor, acrylic, gouche, pen and ink, pencil, colored pencil, charcoal, oil and who knows what in the future! Always eager to share her love of art with others she has demonstrated for Leisure Village, COAL, SDWS, and at the Del Mar Fair. Shirley currently teaches at Rhino Art Store in Solana Beach. A founding member of the "Environmental Painter", she welcomes you to join the group painting outdoors on Tuesdays.

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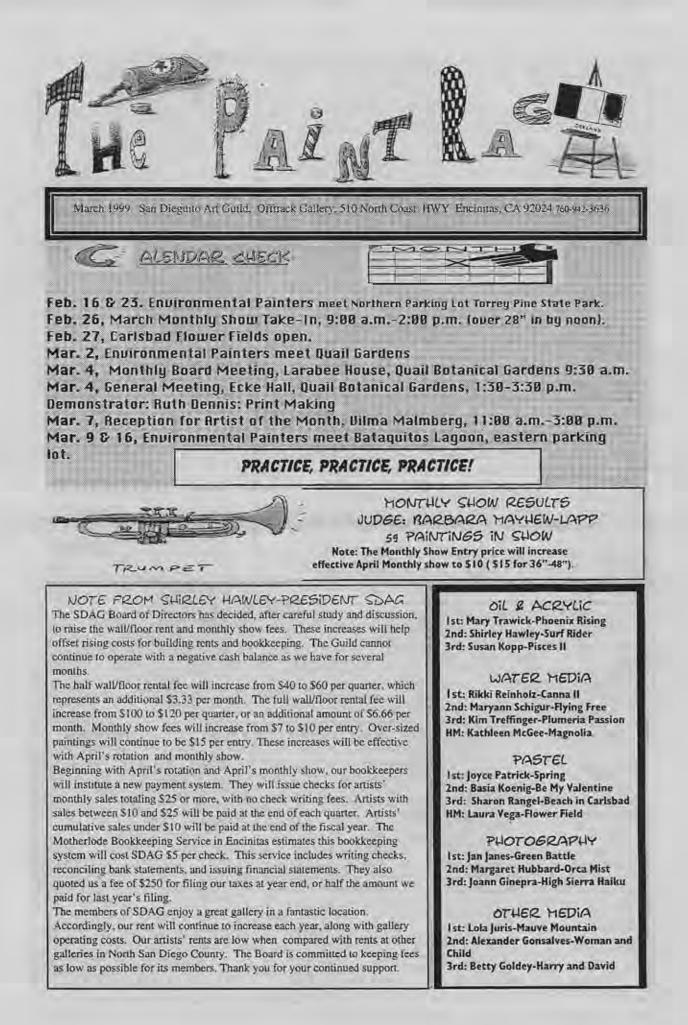
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The Paint Rag

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CALENDAR CHECK

Feb. 16 & 23. Environmental Painters meet Northern
Parking Lot Torrey Pine State Park.feaFeb. 26, March Monthly Show Take-in, 9:00 a.m. -
2:00 p.m. (over 28" in by noon).anFeb. 27, Carlsbad Flower Fields open.tasMar. 2, Environmental Painters meet Quail GardensindMar. 4, Monthly Board Meeting, Larabee House,
Quail Botanical Gardens 9:30 p.m.ottMar. 4, General Meeting, Ecke Hall, Quail Botanical
Gardens, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m. Demonstrator: Ruth Dennis:
Print MakingottMar. 7, Reception for Artist of the month, VilmaottMar. 9 & 16, Environmental Painters meet Batiquitos
Lagoon, eastern parking lot.an

PRACTICE, PRACTICE, PRACTICE!

MONTHLY SHOW RESULTS JUDGE: BARBARA MAYHEW-LAPP

59 paintings in show

Note: The Monthly Show Entry piece will increase effective April Monthly show to \$10 (\$15 for 36"-48").

NOTE FROM SHIRLEY HAWLEY-PRESIDENT SDAG

The SDAG Board of Directors has decided, after careful study and discussion, to raise the wall/floor rent and monthly show fees. These increases will help offset rising costs for building rents and bookkeeping. The Guild cannot continue to operate with a negative cash balance as we have for several months. The half wall/floor rental fee will increase from \$40 to \$60 per quarter, which represents an additional \$3.00 per month. The full wall/floor rental fee will increase from \$100 to \$120 per quarter, or an additional amount of \$6.66 per month. Monthly show fees will increase from \$7 to \$10 per entry. Over-sized paintings will continue to be \$15 per entry. These increases will be effective with April's rotation and monthly show.

Beginning with April's rotation and April's monthly show, our bookkeepers will institute a new payment

system. They will issue checks for artists' monthly sales totaling \$25 or more, with no check writing fees. Artists with sales between \$10 and \$25 will be paid at the end of each quarter. The MotherLode Bookkeeping Service in Encinitas estimates this bookkeeping system will cost SDAG \$5 per check. This service includes wiring checks, reconciling bank statements, and issuing financial statements. They also quoted us a fee of \$250 for filing our taxes at year end, or half the amount we paid for last year's filing.

The members of SDAG enjoy a great gallery in a fantastic location. Accordingly, our rent will continue to increase each year, along with gallery operating costs. Our artists' rents are low when compared with rents at other galleries in North San Diego County. The Board is committed to keeping fees as low as possible for its members. Thank you for you continued support.

Oil & Acrylic

1st: Mary Trawick - Phoenix Rising2nd: Shirley Hawley - Surf Rider3rd: Susan Kopp - Pisces II

Water Media 1st: Rikki Reinholz - Canna II 2nd: Maryann Schigur - Flying Free 3rd: Kim Treffinger - Plumeria Passion HM: Kathleen McGee - Magnolia

Pastel

1st: Joyce Patrick - Spring2nd: Basia Koenig - Be My Valentine3rd: Sharon Rangel - Beach in CarlsbadHM: Laura Vega - Flower Field

Photography

1st: Jan Janes - Green Battle

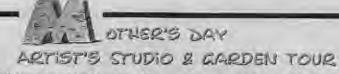
- 2nd: Margaret Hubbard Orca Mist
- 3rd: Jo Ann Ginepra High Sierra Haiku

Other Media

1st: Lola Juris - Mauve Mountain

2nd: Alexander Gonsalves - Woman and Child

3rd: Betty Goldey - Harry and David



For all our new members, here is a run down on our annual fund raiser. We need your help. If you have family events planned for that weekend, you can be of help before or after the tour. Please call Bobbi Harrington to offer your assistance. The event has been held for the past two years with Quail Botanical Gardens. On Saturday, May 8th we will be at Quail Gardens to show and demo our art. There is a sign-up sheet in the gallery if you would like to show at Quail Gardens, Janet Finney will organize the Sat. event. But, we still need to make sure the guild's A-Frames are available on-site. If you have a truck and can help deliver and return the A-Frames please let lanet or Lisa Jackson know you are volunteering. On this day, Quail Gardens will have a High Tea in their Walled Garden. It is in addition to the \$12.00 Ticket price for the two day weekend. Call Quail Gardens at 760-436-3036 for your reservations for the tea. Quail Gardens will also have music, food, tours of the gardens, and children's fun activities. On Sunday, it is show time for us. Ten of our members and other North County artists are opening their studio's and garden's for the Mother's Day for a self guided tour of the Del Mar, Rancho Santa Fe, Encinitas, and La Costa areas. Some of the local garden centers and plant societies are setting up displays at the artist's homes and answering garden design and flora related questions. Each artist will have at least two docents to help out(make sure no one falls in the ponds, eats the paint, help get addresses, make sales of tickets and art work, etc.). Tickets will be available on April 1st. If you can't help, or participate, please buy a ticket and be one of the 400-600+ tourist (we've had that many attend!). You will want to be part of this event. The Guild and Gallery have developed a wonderful following and have received a lot of great press for this event. This year, the tour will be in the Sunset Magazine calendar section and they are trying to come to the event. You never know who you might meet and what benefit it might be to you and your art when you give up your day to help us and Quail Gardens raise some funds.

Wall/Floor Renters and Other Guild Artists

Right now the Gallery is in an unusual situation with fewer Wall and Floor artists that we need. I know from past history, that during some years artists have had to languish on the waiting list for years before getting onto a wall. Indeed that was my situation many years ago. If you decide you would like to be a Wall or Floor Renter this is indeed a rare opportunity. Call Rae Calori (760-632-8180) today and she will update you on the requirements. As you read, our rents will be \$120.00 per quarter for a full space and \$60.00 per quarter for a half space starting with the next rotation in April. This is still a bargain for the busiest little gallery in the west.

Well the last Wall and Floor Renter's rotation went smoothly for most of our members. Having Floor Renter's come in on Sunday afternoon and Wall Renter's on Monday helped thin out the crowd. On Monday we had an unloading zone at the south end of the building. The plan was to have you un-load your paintings from your car with a helper, hurry downstdirs with the helper to retrieve your old paintings, load them into your car and then repark. Then the process starts outdoors with a celendar sign-up. Once that is complete, you carry your new paintings downstaris with the helper. Unfortunately only two or three members used our unloading zone which caused the outdoor helpers to disappear from boredom. Once downstairs fees are paid, cards made and placed on paintings, and paintings taken to their new wall. It would be helpful if arcists made cards at home and attached them to the paintings before coming. As you sit the gallery in March please take some of these cards home and use them for our next rotation. The cards will be kept in a hox in the bottom of the file case to the right of the desk. -Pat Watkins



GALLERY

Directory Update Please add: Evelyn Cramer as Bookkeeper's assistant (artists' interface);

Neva Desmond 760-753-6901. 1680 Leora Lane, Leucadia: Victor La Fica 760-745-9479, 525 W. El Norce PKWY, Escondido, 92026, Roscoe Wilkey, 619 vs. 760; Allin Budek S647 Tortuga Ct. San Diego 92124, 619-573-2607; Alison Christler 760-942-5895; Angela Burkett 760-438-9059 Business

There were lots of mistakes made in logging sales in January. Please take care when making salestreat every sale like it was your own. Call Evelyn Cramer (760-728-6209) or Judianne Shannon if you are not sure how to handle a sale.

Review your work before you leave the gallery.

W-9 Forms- the bookkeeper does not want to pay anyone who doesn't have a W-9- get yours in today. The Forms are in the gallery, if you lost yours. Gallery

The sitter who turns the heater on turns it off at the thermostat on the post. Yery Important! Turn the overhead fan on to circulate heat.

To answer an incoming call while you are talking on another line, push FLASH.

WE NEED A SMALL IMAGE SHOW

Coordinator Call Shirley Hawley If you would like this great job. The judge is Greg Evans. You need to get the forms together with the assistance of Jim Respess, get a committee together with Bobbi Harrington's assistance, handle show Take-In with Isabella Breasted's assistance, plan the reception with Phil Henschel's assistance, make sure the awards are ready and presented. Great Job-someone must do it-can you?