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The big sellers for August were

Penny Otley	\$275
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*Mystical Surfing by Isabella Breasted
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Artist Opportunities

Public Art Opportunities Monday, Sept. 17 at 7:00pm, Carlsbad Dove Library, in the Gowland Meeting Room. Arts staff from several cities in North County are hosting a meeting to bring together visual artists, who work in public art and to hear about several new art opportunities for them in San Diego county. One project to be discussed will be the Airport Authority's recently released RFQ seeking eighteen (18) exhibits to be displayed over the next three (3) years. Each exhibit will be displayed for a term of six (6) months at one of three locations within the Airport's terminals. Please RSVP your attendance to 760.434.2905.

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BAE Systems Take-in/drop-off is Friday, November 9, 11am -1pm.

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Off Track Gallery Awards September 2007 Judge, Suzy Schaefer	
Artist	Title
Best of Show - Best of Show artist receives check for \$25	
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Oil & Acrylic	
1 st Karen Louise Vlok Hart	Napa Twilight
2 nd Art Lochte	On the Pier
3 rd Toni Williams	Avobe the River
Water Media	
1 st Grace Swanson	Venice
2 nd Alison Christler	Sandra's Orchids
3 rd Wanda Olson	My Multi Colored Cloud My Angel
Photography	
1 st Isabella Breasted	Mystical Surfing
2 nd Agnes Lochte	Saturation
3 rd Rebecca Grohowski	Watching
Mixed Media	
1 st Susan Kopp	Cityscape
2 nd Janice Allen	Mask
3 rd Faith Fleury	Landscape

questions regarding this notice, please contact Lisa Rico **Lisa-Rico@sbcglobal.net**. 707.446.1754

Art Showing Venue Opportunity – Tentative for Nov. 30th- Dec.1. It will be held in the Bing Crosby Hall at the Del Mar Fairgrounds. Organizers of these shows for the past 14 years would like to recruit photographers and artists to join the craft and furnishings faire. Organizers hold a fair 4 times a year in Ramona and have approximately 2,000 in attendance. The mailing list is 6,000 and they advertise in local papers, etc. The cost per 10' X 10' space is \$215. (Space can be shared.) There is a 15% commission. If the artist puts in an 8 hour shift there is a 15%

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Paint Rag Information

Send relevant information via e-mail to: Megan Pierson at 760.944.7956 or meopierson@yahoo.com

Newsletter info due on or before noon, the 28th of each month.

Advertising Rates Members: \$15 for 1/8 page, \$30 for 1/4 page, \$60 for full page. **Non-members** \$30 for 1/8 page, \$60 for 1/4 page, \$120 for full page. Payable to "SDAG" due by 1st of the month.

Membership Info Contact Faith Fleury with any address changes, at 760.630.9518 or e-mail changes to: faith_f@sbcglobal.net. 619.794.4333

The *Paint Rag* is now delivered via e-mail. Members without e-mail will receive a printed copy via "snail mail".

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Laura Lowenstein	760.753.3254
Diane Dudek	760.944.7668
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October
2007

The Paint Rag

San Diego Art Guild
& Off Track Gallery
887 South Coast Highway 101
Encinitas CA 92024
760-942-3636
www.offtrackgallery.com

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MONTHLY SHOW

Take-in date _____ Check # _____ \$ _____

Artist _____ Phone _____

☐ **NEW S.D.A.G. MEMBER** this month please fill out address, email & medium

Address _____

Email _____ Medium _____

Diag. Measur	OfficeUse Item #	Title of artwork	Medium	Dept.	Vendor ID	Price
		MONTHLY SHOW #1				\$
		MONTHLY SHOW #2				\$
		MONTHLY SHOW #3				\$

Your vendor ID is the **first three letters** of **last name** and **first two letters** of **first name**

Item # will be given by take-in volunteers on the day of rotation.

Dept numbers: **1** = cards, **2** = shrink wrap, **3** = oil/acrylic, **4** = watercolor, **5** = photography, **6** = mixed media, **7** = other media, **8** = jewelry, **9** = glass, **10** = sculpture/ceramics, **11** = textile, **12** = special events, **13** = miscellaneous, **14** = digital art, **15** = PRINT (such as Giclee) made from original art work. Please list **medium** (i.e. watercolor/oil/acrylic) print was made from.

Prints are not eligible for ribbons or cash awards for the monthly shows.

Job for this month

I UNDERSTAND THE SAN DIEGUITO ART GUILD/OFF TRACK GALLERY AND/OR TOY FACTORY 101 ENCINITAS LP ARE NOT INSURED FOR COVERAGE OF ARTWORK AT THE GALLERY AND/OR IN UNSECURED AREAS. THE SAN DIEGUITO ART GUILD/OFF TRACK GALLERY AND/OR TOY FACTORY 101 ENCINITAS LP CAN NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE TO ANY ARTWORK AT ANY TIME. I WILL PROVIDE MY OWN INSURANCE IF I DEEM IT NECESSARY.

_____**INITIAL HERE**

I AGREE TO PERMIT MY ART TO BE PHOTOGRAPHED AND USED FOR SDAG ADVERTISING/P.R. PURPOSES.

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SDAG Board and Volunteers for 2007-2008

SDAG Board

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Wall Art Chair	Dot Renshaw	858-272-8599	artist@dotrenshaw.com

Try something new: Hands On Silk Painting Demonstration*

Off Track Gallery 687 S. Coast Highway 101 Encinitas, CA



Jeanette Shires has been painting on silk since 1993. “I have been fortunate to study with the best in the world,” states this artist, “I have enjoyed many art disciplines but silk painting is the one that has it all — brilliant color, fabulous fabrics and unlimited potential for expression.” Her silk painting projects include canvas mounted painting, clothing, scarves, quilted wall hangings, pillows, and her specialty — Fantasy Fish. Her fish are seen in the Children’s Hospital Parade of Trees and Disneyland’s Christmas decor shops. She has been invited to the “Silk Symphony” silk show at the Mendocino Art Center In Northern California. Her work is also featured in the book “Silk Painting for Fashion and Fine Art” by international instructor and silk painter, Susan Louise Moyer.

The demo will include several different styles of painting as well as a hands on portion which will allow participation in the experience of the unique aspect of dye flowing on stretched silk.



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**Silk Painting Demo
November 4, 2007
12:30pm to 2:00pm
Public invited, free admission**

Small Image Show Reception
November 4, after the demo.
Please visit the Small Image
Show all through November.

**Small Image Show and
Art Demo presented by
the San Dieguito Art Guild**

* This program paid for, in part, by a grant from the City of Encinitas





SDAG booth at QBG plant sale



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Mark Your Calendar

- **Board Meeting:** Mon., Oct. 22, 2007, 9:30am, Off Track Gallery
- **Small Image & Monthly Show Take-in for Wall Artists:** Mon. Oct. 29, 3-8pm, Tues. Oct. 30, 2007, 9:30am-12 noon.
- **Floor Artists (Nov./Dec.):** By appointment only, contact Floor Manager Barb Millé 760.942.3595.
- **Next Wall Renter's Take In for November & December:** Sun., Oct. 28, 2007, 10am-6pm. Contact Dot Renshaw in advance, with arrival in am or pm 858.692.6478.
- **General Meeting:** Nov. 4, 2007, 12:30pm. sharp, just before demo at Off Track Gallery.
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- **Art Demo:** Silk Painting Demo by Jeanette Shires Nov. 4, 2007, 12:30-2:00pm, in the Off Track Gallery warehouse.
- **Small Image Pick-up:** Nov. 27-Dec. 2, 2007, regular gallery hours.

Environmental Painters

PAINT OUTS - ALWAYS TUESDAY

Oct. 16 & 23, San Dieguito County Park meet on Highland, north of Lomas Santa Fe in Solana Beach.

Oct. 30 & Nov. 6, Buena Vista Lagoon, meet at the parking lot on the south of Jefferson, in Carlsbad, east of the I-5.

Nov. 13 & 20, Fletcher Cove, at the west end of Lomas Santa Fe.

Call Joan Grine for directions and info 858.481.8783.

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Yearly membership renewal was due on September 1. If you have not yet paid your dues, this will be your last *Paint Rag*. \$55 Individual, \$70 Family

Off Track Gallery Small Image Show

Bring your 2D and 3D artworks to take-in on October 29, 3-8pm or October 30, 9:30-12 noon. Remember no larger than 12" square. Joan Grine, will judge the show with over \$1000 in cash awards being presented at a reception and awards ceremony held November 4, 2-4pm, at the Off Track Gallery. See the last 3 pages of your *Paint Rag* for entry forms or go to **www.offtrackgallery.com** and see Small Image Show. Artwork pick up will be Tuesday, November 27, 9:30am-12 noon or November 28 thru December 2 during regular gallery hours. The regular monthly show will be in the foyer this month. Only large sized pieces 17" to 40" on the diagonal. First come, first served as the space is limited. Take in will be the same as for the Small Image Show, see above. Pick up is November 27, 9:30am -12 noon.



Mixed Media Watercolor by Alison Christler, "Batiquitos Trail"

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Nov 4, 12:30 to 2 pm

Off Track Gallery Warehouse

Public invited, free admission

The San Dieguito Art Guild will present an art demo by silk painter Jeanette Shires. The demo will include several different styles of painting as well as a hands on portion which will allow participation in the experience of the unique aspect of dye flowing on stretched silk. Guild Members are also encouraged to bring a raffle donation. Jeanette Shires has been painting on silk since 1993. "I have been fortunate to study with the best in the world," says Jeanette, "I have enjoyed many art disciplines but silk painting is the one that has it all – brilliant color, fabulous fabrics and unlimited potential for expression." Her silk painting projects include canvas mounted paintings, clothing, scarves, quilted wall hangings, pillows, and her specialty – Fantasy Fish. Her fish are exhibited in the Children's Hospital Parade of Trees, and Disneyland's Christmas decor shops. She has been invited to the "Silk Symphony" silk show at the Mendocino Art Center, in Northern California. Her work is also featured in the book "Silk Painting for Fashion and Fine Art" by international instructor and silk painter, Susan Louise Moyer.

Yearly membership renewal was due on September 1.

If you have not yet paid your dues, this will be your last Paint Rag.
\$55 Individual, \$70 Family
Off Track Gallery

Small Image Show

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Mixed Media Watercolor by Alison Christler, "Batiqitos Trail"

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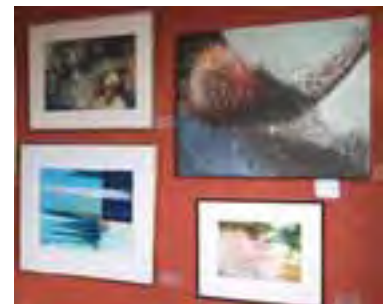
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MONTHLY SHOW

Take-in date _____ Check # _____ \$ _____

Artist _____ Phone _____

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Address _____

Email _____ Medium _____

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Your vendor ID is the **first three letters** of **last name** and **first two letters** of **first name**

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Job for this month

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"Mine Eyes Have Seen" by Harriet Shoup



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Thirteenth Annual Southern California Art Show “Small Image at the Off Track Gallery” October 31 - November 27, 2007

What makes “Small Image at the Off Track” special?

- ❖ The show is open to San Dieguito Art Guild (SDAG) members and non-members.
- ❖ **Over \$1,000** in cash awards will be offered in five (5) categories.
- ❖ All entries meeting the eligibility criteria and found acceptable will be accepted.
- ❖ Excellent sales potential due to local and tourist walk-in traffic.
- ❖ Commission for work sold is only 15%. The Off Track collects necessary sales taxes.

Awards

(Award winners will be notified by phone.)

Best of Show: **\$200**

First Place(s): **\$100**

Second Place(s): **\$50**

Third Place(s): **\$25**

Honorable Mention: Ribbons awarded at Judge's discretion.

President's Choice: Ribbon awarded.

Eligibility

- ☐ Open to all Southern California artists.
- ☐ All work must be the original work of the artist.
- ☐ You may put in reproductions (such as Gicleés) and offer them for sale, but they are NOT eligible for prize money or ribbons.
- ☐ All work must be for sale.

Five Show Categories

- ☐ Oil and Acrylic
- ☐ Water Media under Glass or Plexi
- ☐ Photography
- ☐ Mixed Media
- ☐ Other Media

Entry Rules

- ☐ Maximum entry size for flat work is 12" square, **including the frame**, 12" cubed for sculpture and 3-D work.
- ☐ Three entries maximum per artist.
- ☐ Oils must be dry. Do not bring in wet paintings.
- ☐ Works paper must be under glass or Plexi.
- ☐ All 2D works must have a multi-strand wire (not one of those saw-toothed hangers that usually come with ready-made frames) attached securely approx. 1/4 of the way down from the top of the frame and slack enough to come up to approx.. 2 inches from the top of the frame. Ends of wire must be taped. Other hanging devices will be rejected. This is strictly enforced.
- ☐ The Committee may reject any entry deemed inappropriate.
- ☐ Work may not be withdrawn until the end of the show.
- ☐ Work must be framed unless you use wrap-around canvas stapled on the back (no staples on sides).
- ☐ Be sure your work looks as nice as it can, with clean, well put-together frame, clean glass and clean well-cut mat.
- ☐ The Guild reserves the right to refuse entries that do not meet SDAG standards.
- ☐ Reproductions/prints of original art (such as Gicleés) must **CLEARLY** be identified as such (and will not be judged or awarded prize money or ribbons).
- ☐ Calligraphy as part of the art piece is acceptable.

Please go to page 2 for entry details and page 3 for entry forms.

Entry Fees

Members: \$10 for one entry, \$15 for two, \$20 for three.

Non-Members: \$15.00 for one entry, \$20.00 for two, \$25 for three. Payments can be made by cash or check (made out to SDAG). No credit cards.

Sale of Art

All work must be for sale. A 15% commission will be collected on all work sold. An additional 5% will be collected on all credit card sales. The Off Track Gallery collects sales tax from the buyer. Artists will be notified by phone upon the sale of their work. The artist may hang another piece of eligible work to replace sold art. Payment to the artist for sold pieces will arrive in the mail approximately one month following the sale.

Description of Show Categories

Oil and Acrylic

Oil, Acrylic, Casein, or combination of oil and acrylic on canvas, Masonite, or wood

Water Media under Glass/Plexi

Any water medium on paper or illustration board which is framed under Plexi or glass. Watercolor, acrylics, casein, and gouache

Photography

Black & White, Color, Digital Prints (unmanipulated), and Polaroid Transfer

Mixed Media

Two or more medias together, such as pastel and watercolor OR one media on a built up surface, such as watercolor on rice paper collage surface OR collage in more than one media

Other Media

Pastel. (oil pastel or regular pastels).

Drawings. (Conte, graphite, charcoal, pen and ink, marker, watercolor pencils or crayons, colored pencil).

Sculpture. (ceramic, glass, metal, wood, plastic, paper-maché, bas-relief, or any other 3-D piece. Can be combined media 3-D sculpture and DOES NOT go under mixed media category).

Printmaking. Must be original and not series of prints. (Linoleum block, wood block, collograph, etching, or monoprints.). Collage (In one media) If more than one media enter in m/m.

Encaustic.

Copper Enameling (no jewelry unless in enclosed frame on wall).

Digital Art (art that is created on the computer).

Digitally-Manipulated Photography (one or more photographs which have been manipulated with the use of the computer)

Bring In Work

Monday, October 29, 3-8pm or Tuesday, October 30 from 9:30am -noon. Artwork must be hand delivered to the Gallery with completed entry forms and payment.

Pick Up Work

Tuesday, November 27, 9:30am-2pm or during regular business hours (W/Th/Sun 10-6, Fri/Sat 10-8) **Wednesday, November 28 through Sunday, December 2.** Work left after Sunday, December 2, 2007 may be sold and monies donated to SDAG. There is no storage space at the Gallery!

Artist's Reception and Award Ceremony

The Small Image Show will be judged by Joan Grine on Wednesday, October 31.

The Award Ceremony and Reception will be Sunday, November 4, 2007, 2:00pm - 4:00pm at the Off Track Gallery. Awards ceremony at 3:15pm.

Joan Grine, Small Image Show Judge

www.JoanGrine.com

Joan Grine started with her art studies when she was 11 years old, learning the use of charcoal and pastels. She has always been interested in drawing and nature, so now she concentrates on plein air painting, doing landscapes in pastel. She majored in art in college, and earned a BA in Art from Mary Washington University in Virginia. Her award winning paintings, oils and pastels, have been in many solo and group shows in the area. As well as teaching classes in pastel painting, she has given demonstrations for various art group and at the San Diego Fair, and has been the judge for several shows.

Small Image at the Off Track - Entry Forms

Artist Work # 1

(Please Leave the entry # blank)

Off Track Entry # _____

Artist _____

Phone _____

Address _____

City/Zip _____

Title _____

Price _____

Category _____

Liability

While SDAG handles all art submitted with the utmost care, it is not responsible for loss or damage to any art work while in its care.

Liability Clause: I (artist)

hold SDAG, Off Track Gallery, and all helpers associated with the Small Image at the Off Track Gallery harmless for any loss or damage to my artwork while in their care.

Artist Work # 2

(Please Leave the entry # blank)

Off Track Entry # _____

Artist _____

Phone _____

Address _____

City/Zip _____

Title _____

Price _____

Category _____

Artist Work # 3

(Please Leave the entry # blank)

Off Track Entry # _____

Artist _____

Phone _____

Address _____

City/Zip _____

Title _____

Price _____

Category _____



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Grace Swanson



Alison Christler



Toni Williams



Isabella Breasted



Artie Mattson



Basia Koenig

MINUTES November 26, 2007

Held at the Off Track Gallery

Officers Present:

Assistants Present:

Patricia Eldon

Joanne Chambers

Faith Fleury

Mary Beck

Grace Swanson

Wanda Olson

Officers Absent:

Barbara Mille`

Salmi Ellablanch

Laura Lowenstein

Gaga Barnes

Penny Ottley

Sue Kessinger

Isabella Breasted

Morgan Janis

The meeting was called to order at 9:34 a.m.

A. MINUTES: Recording Secretary Mary Beck.

October 29 minutes approved. motion: Joanne Chambers , 2nd: Wanda Olson 8 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain.

B. UPCOMING DATES:

1. Take-in for Jan Wall Rental Art: No take-in, Take-out will be Tuesday Jan 29, 2008 from 8am to 8pm
2. Floor art take-in for January.: Jan 1, 2008, Contact Barb Mille` at 760.942-3595.
3. Monthly Take-in for January: Jan 2, 9:30am - noon
4. Monthly Show Take-out, Jan 29, 2008 8am to 8pm
5. General Meeting: During lunch at the Dec 6 potluck
6. Foyer Rental for December: December Award Show
7. Foyer Rental for January:
8. Board Meeting: Monday, Dec 17, 9:30, Off Track
9. B.A.E. Systems Take-in: take-in, drop-off Fri,

February 8, 11 am – 1 pm

10. Holiday Potluck plus December awards: Dec 6, noon to 3pm at the Ecke Building, Quail Gardens

C. PRESIDENT: Patricia Eldon

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Dot will temporarily store the Mylar mirror at her home. It could be stored in Wanda's shed later.
2. Chamber of Commerce show for January will be Isabella Breasted, Grace Swanson, Patricia Eldon (Note, information post meeting reschedules the show for February.)
3. A disclaimer has been added to the take-in sheet regarding late pick-ups of artwork.
4. Dot will store any unpicked-up art work at her home after the gallery closing in January, 2008.
5. A motion to change our commission and hanging fee structure to add revenue when we begin exhibiting art work in a new location was offered by Mary Beck, 2nd by Wanda Olson. Vote: 11 yes, 1 no.
6. SDAG members will be informed of the Off Track galleries January 2008 closing through the Paint Rag and at the same time we will announce that a show at the Encinitas City Hall will take place between January and June. Details about this and other shows being arranged will be published in the Paint Rag.
7. A "Moving On" party for the Off Track gallery will be combined with the Arts Alive banner unveiling on January 27th. Artist Colony 101 and DEMA will provide a band. Details of the party will be discussed at the next board meeting.
8. Wanda Olson will look for assistants to help arrange off site shows.
9. Committee for a gallery search: Barb Mille`, Joan Grine, Wanda Olson, Laura Lowenstein, Grace Swanson, Isabella Breasted, Patricia Eldon, Mary Beck. Meeting date to be determined.
10. Grace will host Board meetings after the gallery closes.
11. Our business license has been renewed.
12. Laura will put a three month ad in the Art and Gallery Guide for Mother's Day and the Moving On party.
13. Shirley Hawley is donating a Mabef solid

wood drawing or painting easel like new (retails from \$60-\$120) and a Mabef case... new hard wood can hold anything retails for about \$50 for the raffle at the Holiday Potluck Dec. 6.

14. Grace Swanson reports our website is under construction and looks great.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Action items from October 29 are completed.
2. Our City grant is complete.
3. Our insurance will continue for SDAG's shed and it's contents at Kirk Allyn's home.

D. TREASURER'S REPORT: Joanne Chambers

- 0.
1. Small Image Show Take-in: \$1180, 136 paintings
2. Monthly Show Take-in: \$150, 20 paintings
3. October sales: \$1855.97
4. Big art sales: Dot Renshaw, \$450
5. Balance in cash box: approx.\$100.00.
6. Rental history: 687 Coast Highway, our present location \$750/ Lucadia rental, \$1400/ Panikan rental \$1300

E. MOTHER'S DAY FUNDRAISER:

Penny Otley is investigating the use of vacant upscale homes through realtors. Dot will contact Lisa Rhinehart about chairing the Mother's Day Committee. Penny would co chair.

F. VP INFORMATION CHAIR: Ellablanch Salmi

There are still some vacancies in Dec. They may be filled at take-in or the gallery could be closed on some evenings.

G. GALLERY MANAGER: Gaga Barnes

No issues to report

H. VP PROGRAMS CHAIR: Isabella and Alison

Christler the new co-chairs
December show judge: Peter Fay. A January judge is needed. Isabella will contact Tom Fong about a Demo.

I. PUBLICITY CHAIR: Morgan Janis, asst.

Isabella Breasted
Morgan will get coverage for the Moving On Party.

J. MONTHLY SHOW ART CHAIR: Penny Ottley

Penny will have a sign-up at the take-in for Dec and Jan for food donations for the Moving On Party.

K. GALLERY FLOOR ART CHAIR: Barb Mille' (absent)

L. MEMBERSHIP CHAIR: Faith Fluery

Membership total:106

Isabella will finish calling the members on the renewal list.

M. OFF SITE Exhibits CHAIR: Wanda Olson

See New Business

N. PAINT RAG EDITOR: Grace Swanson

1. Deadline: due on or before noon on the 28th of each month. (A few days, generally, after the board meeting.) Please get things to her early & before the 28th if possible.
2. Please email submittals to Grace Swanson

O, MAILING AND DISTRIBUTION: Karen Hart

P. HOSPITALITY CHAIRMAN: Sue Kessinger (absent)

Penny Otley will make a "Reception Box" to help facilitate receptions. Sue did a great job on the last reception.

Q. PARLIAMENTARIAN Laura Lowenstein

R. SUNSHINE SECRETARY Isabella Breasted

Isabella will send a thank you card to Kathleen Mcgee for her work on the website.

Motion to adjourn by Joanne Chambers, 2nd by Morgan Janis

Meeting was adjourned at 12:12

Respectfully submitted:

Secretary Mary Beck

ACTION ITEMS from the November 26 Board Meeting:

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Jackie Tyree



Janet Finney



Mary Beck











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Art Lochte



Grace Swanson



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Off Track Gallery is Moving

We have been so incredibly lucky for the last couple of years to be able to show our art in our present location. We knew that the day was coming when the building would be torn down and we have been planning for it.

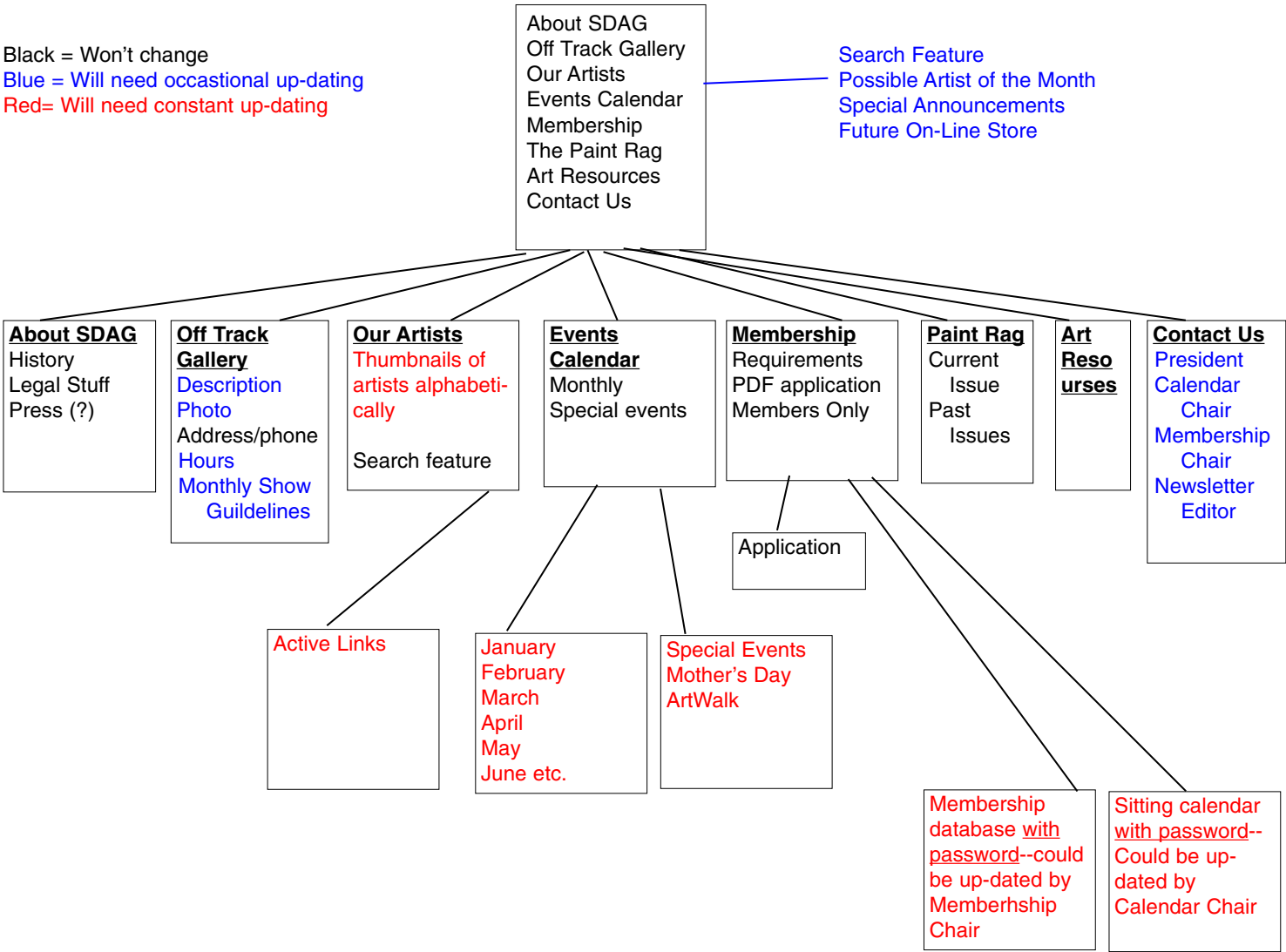
The SDAG Board has formed a committee to research a new location for the Gallery. The committee is headed by Laura Lowenstein for the month of December and if a gallery location is not located by January the committee will then be headed by Mary Beck.

A rating system has been established to try to figure out the best location for us. The items being rated are: • Walk-in traffic • Location (Encinitas preferred) • Proximity to other retail stores • Charm • Cost per month (rent) • Start-up cost • Lighting • Rest room • Nearness to coffee shop or restaurant • Good relationship with owner • Lease vs. month to month • Parking • Street-side windows • The necessity, or not, of a guarantor (someone to sign and be liable for the rent).

So far the committee has looked at or considered at least 10 different properties ranging from Solana Beach to Cardiff to Carlsbad. The biggest problems are parking, walk-in traffic and cost. The search continues. When a decision is made you will be informed immediately by email (or phone if you do not have email).

The Guild will host a “Moving On” party on Sunday, January 27 celebrated in conjunction with the **Arts Alive, 101 Artist Colony/DEMA** banner unveiling. This party will take place on Sunday, January 27 in the afternoon in the warehouse in the 687 building. There will be live music, wine, food, and even a chocolate fountain. Please invite a friend and contribute to the wine or food for this event.

Black = Won't change
Blue = Will need occasional up-dating
Red= Will need constant up-dating



SAN DIEGUITO ART GUILD **Membership Application**

(Make Check Payable to SDAG - No Cash)

Name(s) _____ (as you wish to appear in directory)

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Web site (If you have one) _____

Email _____ (please print VERY very carefully) Artistic Media (s) _____

Check Amount \$ _____ Check # _____ Date _____

Membership Category: ☐ New Member ☐ Renewal ☐ Adult (\$55) ☐ Family (\$70) ☐ Youth (\$25)

Note: SDAG's annual year runs from September 1 through August 31 of the following year.

New Members joining in June, July and August are paid up for the following annual year.

Please check below experience you had in the following areas:

☐ Promotion & Publicity ☐ Bookkeeping ☐ Computer ☐ Newsletters ☐ Graphics-Flyers & Ads ☐ Fund Raising

Please indicate the guild activities you would be willing to participate in:

☐ Telephoning ☐ Guild Historian ☐ Distributing Flyers

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Foyer Available for the Month of January

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Please contact:

Ellie Havel Wagoner

760.602.0140

artistellie@roadrunner.com

She will give you all the details.



Best of show, R. Bagguley, "Trilogy"

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Please contact **Joanne Chambers** 760.943.0986, **hygeiaron@cox.net** or **Isabella Breasted** at 760.436.2091, **ibella@pacbell.net** for more information.

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Be sure to join us our December 6 holiday potluck and gift exchange at Quail Gardens. **Joan Grine** is organizing it. I hope you won't miss out on our December monthly show, which will have cash awards. **Penny Ottley** is monthly show chairperson.

Thank you, board members, for doing your jobs well, for doing extra work, and for helping me learn the job of president. All have held on through my learning curve. **Laura Lowenstein, Grace Swanson, Barb Millé** and **Isabella Breasted** have been especially helpful as well-informed advisors. While our calendar chairperson **Elleblanche Salmi** was in London, we had the state-wide fire disasters. Her substitute, **Laura Lowenstein**, our president for last year and the year before, made sure that the gallery was staffed, so we got back to business very quickly after the worst of the fires.

Thank you all for staffing the gallery and doing your other jobs, especially during the fire.

Grace Swanson, in addition to being Webmistress, advisor, and doer of many miscellaneous jobs, has agreed to be our new Paint Rag editor and publisher.

Thank you, **Megan Pierson**, for having been Paint Rag chairperson, especially for the two extra months.

Happy Holidays and happy creating,

Patricia Eldon

President of San Dieguito Art Guild

Want to Make Some Money?

Loretta Phoenix has been supplying members of the Guild with poly bags (for shrink wrap art and for greeting cards) since I can remember. She is moving out of the area. She has inventory to sell and can tell you how to order bags, store them and re-sell them.

The advantage of having someone storing and selling the bags is that as Guild members we can then order a small amount in several sizes instead of having to order a minimum amount from any given company.

In the meantime, here are a few sources for poly bags: Rhino Art, Anderson's Stationery, and www.clearbags.com.

Notice:

Since the Gallery has no storage the Board has ruled that:

Any art left at the Gallery for more than one month (30 days) will become the property of the San Dieguito Art Guild. The Guild may dispose of this property in any way it sees fit. The Guild will make repeated attempts to notify the artist to come and pick up the work.

Fire

Do you know of any of our Guild members affected by the recent fires? If so, please contact Patricia Eldon. There are several artists in our group who would like to assist in whatever way they can.



*First place, Other Media, Bob Ochs,
"Kaleidoscope"*

Member Announcements

Loretta Phoenix will discontinue taking bag orders. She is moving out of town. We at the Guild wish her well and already miss seeing her at the Gallery.

Faith Fleury and Mary Beck are showing their art in the brand new Encinitas Chamber of Commerce building located at 859 Second Street, downtown Encinitas between H and G. This is a new venture for the Chamber and they are still working out the details of artists showing in their building and reception dates. We hope that SDAG members will continue to have this wonderful opportunity.

Mary Beck received the Juror's Choice Award for an oil painting "Mini Kiwis and a Kiss" in the November Regional Show at the San

Off Track Gallery Sales

Alison Christler

Watercolor \$200

Artie Mattson

"Lagoon Tranquility \$450

Artie Mattson

"San Diego Beach \$280

Mother's Day Tour

Could it be that time already to start thinking about our major fundraiser of the year? The board has been discussing possibilities. We really need someone to come forward to chair this event. Cris Weatherby did an outstanding job last year but is not available for 2008. If you would like to take on this important job please contact:

Laura Lowenstein

760.753.3254

lloenstein@roadrunner.com

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Be sure to join us our December 6 holiday potluck and gift exchange at Quail Gardens. Joan Grine is organizing it. I hope you won't miss out on our December monthly show, which will have cash awards. Penny Ottley is monthly show chairperson.

Thank you, board members, for doing your jobs well, for doing extra work, and for helping me learn the job of president. All have held on through my learning curve. Laura Lowenstein, Grace Swanson, Barb Millé and Isabella Breasted have been especially helpful as well-informed advisors. While our calendar chairperson El-leblanche Salmi was in London, we had the state-wide fire disasters. Her substitute, Laura Lowenstein, our president for last year and the year before, made sure that the gallery was staffed, so we got back to business very quickly after the worst of the fires.

Thank you all for staffing the gallery and doing your other jobs, especially during the fire.

Grace Swanson, in addition to being Webmistress, advisor, and doer of many miscellaneous jobs, has agreed to be our new Paint Rag editor and publisher. Thank you, Megan Pierson, for having been Paint Rag chairperson,

especially for the two extra months.

Happy Holidays and happy creating,
Patricia Eldon
President of San Dieguito Art Guild

Want to Make Some Money?

Loretta Phoenix has been supplying members of the Guild with poly bags (for shrink wrap art and for greeting cards) since I can remember. She is moving out of the area. She has inventory to sell and can tell you how to order bags, store them and re-sell them. The advantage of having someone storing and selling the bags is that as Guild members we can then order a small amount in several sizes instead of having to order a minimum amount from any given company. In the meantime, here are a few sources for poly bags: Rhino Art, Anderson's Stationery, and www.clearbags.com.

Notice:

Since the Gallery has no storage the Board has ruled that: Any art left at the Gallery for more than one month (30 days) will become the property of the San Dieguito Art Guild. The Guild may dispose of this property in any way it sees fit. The Guild will make repeated attempts to notify the artist to come and pick up the work.

Fire

Do you know of any of our Guild members affected by the recent fires? If so, please contact Patricia Eldon. There are several artists in our group who would like to assist in whatever way they can.

First place, Other Media, Bob Ochs, "Kaleidoscope"

Member Announcements

Loretta Phoenix will discontinue taking bag orders. She is moving out of town. We at the Guild wish her well and already miss seeing her at the Gallery.

Faith Fleury and Mary Beck are showing their art in the brand new Encinitas

Chamber of Commerce building located at 859 Second Street, downtown Encinitas between H and G. This is a new venture for the Chamber and they are still working out the details of artists showing in their building and reception dates. We hope that SDAG members will continue to have this wonderful opportunity.

Mary Beck received the Juror's Choice Award for an oil painting "Mini Kiwis and a Kiss" in the November Regional Show at the San

Off Track Gallery Sales

Alison Christler Watercolor \$200

Artie Mattson "Lagoon Tranquility" \$450

Artie Mattson "San Diego Beach" \$280

Mother's Day Tour

Could it be that time already to start thinking about our major fundraiser of the year? The board has been discussing possibilities. We really need someone to come forward to chair this event. Cris Weatherby did an outstanding job last year but is not available for 2008. If you would like to take on this important job please contact: Laura Lowenstein

Rules for Monthly Take-in

These instructions are for the monthly wall art only.

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- Three pieces of artwork are allowed if space permits.
- Your work should have some identification on the back.
- Do not bring in wet paintings or frames. Prints (such as Gicleés) that are made from original art work are acceptable as long as they are well marked, but will not be included in the judging.
- A 15% commission will be charged on sales from the monthly wall art, plus a 5.4% credit card fee if a credit card is used.
- Work must be framed unless you use the wrap-around canvas stapled in the back.
- The wire should be the multi-strand wire (not the saw-toothed hanger typical of ready-made frames) attached approximately one-fourth of the way down from the top of the frame, and slack enough to come up to approximately 2" from the top of the frame.
- Please tape the ends of the wire, and please don't put tape or tubing in the middle of the wire.
- If your work, including frame, measures under 17" on the diagonal the fee is \$5.00, 17" to 36" on the diagonal, including the frame the fee is \$10.00. If your work, including frame, measures over 36" on the diagonal, your fee is \$15.00. Measure carefully. Artists may show 1 or 2 or 3 pieces depending on available gallery wall space.
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- The Take-in committee reserves the right to refuse entries that do not meet gallery standards.

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If you want to take part in the gift exchange, bring a piece of your art work (framed or unframed — or an assortment of your greeting cards), draw a number when you arrive, and after lunch you will be able to select another artist's work to take home.

Shrink Wrap Bin

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studiomille@roadrunner.net
760-942-3595

BAE Systems

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Small Image Show Awards

Artist	Title	Judge's Comments
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Water Media under Glass or Plexi		
1st Place — Janet Finney	Canyon View	Nicely handled, beautiful
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Photography		
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President's Choice		
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Artist _____ Phone _____

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		MONTHLY SHOW #2				\$
		MONTHLY SHOW #3				\$

Your vendor ID is the **first three letters of last name** and **first two letters of first name**
Item # will be given by take-in volunteers on the day of rotation.

Dept numbers: **1** = cards, **2** = shrink wrap, **3** = oil/acrylic, **4** = watercolor, **5** = photography,
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Job for this month _____

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