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January 2021

Imagine, Create, Enjoy

Bits From The Board

I hope 2021 finds you well and continuing to create during the pandemic.

Given the current surge of Covid 19 and the snail's pace delivery of vaccinations, it is doubtful that we can resume in-person meetings until autumn at least. If the Guild can obtain state approval for proposed events, we will hold them if at all possible and safe.

In the meantime, please take advantage of the neat educational programs that Larry Bunch has been finding and citing in the newsletter. If you have cyber art activities and wish to share them with Guild members, contact Tom Britton.

Take care.

- Carolyn Powell, President

Bits From The Bored

I'm ready for things to get back to something called normal. I am tired of the masks and their elastic straps...my ears are starting to look like satellite dishes. All the fun things are closed. We can't have normal meetings. Worst of all, due to unrelated issues, I can't get into my studio. Covid 19 messes up everything.

Sorry about the "rip-off" of Carolyn's section.... I just couldn't help myself! Tom

2021 WACG Show Dates

HGHBA Home Show
Myrtle Beach Convention Center
February 19th -21st

Art In The Park
Valor Park, Market Common
April 24th & 25th

WACG Juried Show
Myrtle Beach Art Museum
April 29th – May 27th

HGHBA Home Show
Myrtle Beach Convention Center
September 17th – 19th

Art In The Park
Valor Park, Market Common
October 9th & 10th

WACG Member's Judged Show
October – TBA

Art In The Park
Valor Park, Market Common
November 13th & 14th

ALL EVENTS SHOULD HAVE THE PREFIX ... "MAYBE". Keep your fingers crossed and watch for updates.

Monthly Meeting

This month we will not have a monthly meeting due to Covid-19. We do, however, have some programs for you. Board member Larry Bunch has found some great programs for us...see below. We will have a Board meeting on Saturday 1/16/21.

Virtual Program Info

Artist Presentations at In-Person Monthly WACC

Meetings – Not Yet: Since, as a guild, we are not at this time able to have our regular monthly guild meetings together, perhaps the offerings below will provide you with some new-found knowledge, inspire you to look deeper and think harder about art and artists, and motivate you to continue your creative output in these very challenging times. No Quizzes :)

Viewing Directions: If you are reading this online, just click the https link provided below the title of the presentation and it should go right to the presentation. If you are reading this in a printed-paper version, open an Internet Search Box. Next, copy and paste the https address into the Search Box. Finally, press Search or Enter or Return depending upon the device you are using.

JANUARY VIDEO PRESENTATIONS

The month of January marks the beginning of a new year. Conventionally, too, January also symbolizes a time of new beginnings. This, then, could be a great time to look closely at a variety of artists whose names and work may not be so recognizable to you, or, are in fact, completely new to you. Hopefully, by observing their processes, listening to their thoughts and ideas, and by getting a peek into their creative spaces the video presentations selected for the month of January will prove to be beneficial and inspiring.

Enjoy.

p.s. I have also included a Bonus Video.

Belonging - Glenn Murcutt

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QYEbgU7xZHA>

A documentary on the Simpson-Lee house and the Boyd Education Center by Australian architect Glenn Murcutt. (YouTube, [Aureliano Ramella](#), *Belonging - Glenn Murcutt*, Jan 1, 2019, Duration 21:35)

Ceramics - Icheon Master Hand

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xDmBtNrC5Lc>

The exhibit "Icheon: Reviving the Korean Ceramic Tradition" was on display at the American Museum of Ceramic Art (AMOCA) from October 12th- December 29th, 2013. www.amoca.org For more images of the show -

<http://goo.gl/tcChe0>

(YouTube, AMOCA, *Ceramics - Icheon Master Hand*, Oct 23, 2013, Accessed December 8, 2020, Duration 6:52)

Bharti Kher "The Unexpected Freedom of Chaos" at Perrotin, New York

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d3vXg0jQ3fc>

(YouTube, GaleriePerrotin, Bharti Kher "The Unexpected Freedom of Chaos" at Perrotin, New York, Mar 31, 2020, Accessed December 8, 2020, Duration 6:42)

Meet Kerry James Marshall

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GSdkmThgtU>

An interview with artist Kerry James Marshall at the Smithsonian American Art Museum. Kerry James Marshall is one of the leading contemporary painters of his generation. Over the past twenty-five years, he has become internationally known for monumental images of African American history and culture. <http://www.americanart.si.edu/collect...> (From website).

(YouTube, Smithsonian American Art Museum, *Meet Kerry James Marshall*, Aug 1, 2013, Accessed December 9, 2020, Duration 7:35)

Anupama Kundoo Interview: Nothing is Fixed

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pi16vn5fkSk&list=RDCMUCY2mhw-XNZSxrUynsI5K8Zw&index=10>

(YouTube, Louisiana Channel, *Anupama Kundoo Interview: Nothing is Fixed*, November 17, 2002, Accessed December 9, 2020, Duration 4:23)

Giving Artists With Disabilities a Space to Thrive

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D96OZkx2bOs>

Creative Growth Art Center in Oakland, California, is the world's first and largest nonprofit center dedicated to giving artists with disabilities the space to let their talents shine. Since 1974, the center has served hundreds of artists with developmental, mental and physical disabilities who lacked formal education in the arts. ... More information at website. (YouTube, [Great Big Story](#), *Giving Artists With Disabilities a Space to Thrive*, May 15, 2018, Accessed December 9, 2020, Duration 4:38)

Robert Hannaford Portrait Artist

(Along with images of portrait paintings, there are also some life-study images presented in this video as well.)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XploVPrsNDY>

(YouTube, Top Cat, May 27, 2018, Originally from: [The Mix], ABC TV Australia, 2018, *Robert Hannaford Portrait Artist*, Accessed December 10, 2020, Duration 5:54)

Tsering Hannaford - Realist Oil Painter | MAKERS WHO INSPIRE

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eUAifRN4quc>

(YouTube, [Henry Thong](#), *Tsering Hannaford - Realist Oil Painter | MAKERS WHO INSPIRE*, Jan 11, 2017, Accessed December 10, 2020, Duration 2:56)

BONUS VIDEO

More of the Korean ceramic masters... on to the out-of-doors firing process.

Icheon Ceramics (ver.2)_Ceramic Master

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YeaULZv248w>

Icheon has a 1,000-year history of producing celadon porcelain. The city, which was named South Korea's first Special Ceramics Industry Zone in 2005 and a UNESCO City of Crafts and Folk Arts in 2010, boasts a large number of industrial-academic-research infrastructures, including the Korea Ceramics Art High School, the Korea Ceramics Foundation, the Korea Institute of Ceramics Engineering and Technology, and SK Hynix.

(YouTube, Icheon, *Icheon Ceramics (ver.2)_Ceramic Master*, June 17, 2015, Accessed December 8, 2020, Duration 6:00)

Show Info

The Myrtle Beach Art Museum 10TH ANNUAL COLLECTORS' EVENT

January 2 – February 6, 2021 | online auction on February 14, 5 – 7 pm

The Collectors' Event provides seasoned and novice art collectors alike with a unique opportunity to acquire works of art while supporting the Art Museum. This high-energy auction for 100 pieces of art each valued at a minimum of \$200 by local, regional and internationally known artists is available to the first 100 tickets buyers. Each ticket holder will receive an original work of art.

- Click [here](#) to purchase your tickets.
- The donated artwork will be on display in the Art Museum's second floor galleries from **Saturday, January 2 through Saturday, February 6**.
- Ticket holders will have the opportunity to schedule a visit to the Art Museum to view the art and select their favorites. The art will also be featured online in a digital gallery (coming soon).
- The live, virtual auction will take place on **Sunday, February 14, 2021**. Details regarding the virtual auction will be sent to ticket holders and participating artists as soon as all of the details are finalized.

We encourage you to preview our digital gallery of art (coming soon) for the event.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MARINE ARTISTS 18TH NATIONAL EXHIBITION

January 16 – April 17, 2021

Marine art is a genre that depicts maritime activities, inshore and harbor scenes, naval scenes, ship portraits, waterscapes and marine wildlife. Marine art took root as its own genre during the Dutch Golden Age of the 17th century, when artists began to make their careers by

specializing in naval and trade ship portraits and scenes. Many of the conventions of the Dutch tradition of marine painting are still practiced today. The Romantic period of the 1900s ushered in the dawn of the popularity of the seascape, making waterscapes absent of vessels common for the first time. European marine artists, who came to America, helped establish this genre in prosperous port cities, including Boston, New York and Salem.

The American Society of Marine Artists is a non-profit organization dedicated to the promotion of marine art and maritime history, with a focus on education and the exchange of ideas among artists, collectors, educators, historians and students. Since its founding in 1978, the ASMA has presented its prestigious national exhibition biennially. Featuring 110 paintings, drawings and sculptures representing the very best in marine art, this highly sought after exhibition is touring museums throughout the United States, and the Art Museum is proud to be one of those venues.

To Our Artists

If you advertise in our newsletter, please be sure that the information in your ad is correct and current. If not, send me an email with corrections. I am always happy to update your information. Tom

Classes & Workshops

CHECK FOR UPDATED INFORMATION

CLASSES:

Litchfield Exchange - <http://www.classatpawleys.com/>

Myrtle Beach Recreation Center –

<http://www.cityofmyrtlebeach.com/recreation.html>

Members Who Teach

Susan Duke – watercolor, gouache & all water media, all skill levels. Tuesdays 10-12:30, her studio, 637 Grissom Pkwy, MB (at the corner of Hwy 501 and Grissom Pkwy). Wednesdays 9:30-12:30 at B&C Art Museum. Call (843)251-3877 or email - susanduke.artist@yahoo.com

Stuart Fleishman – oils, acrylics, pastels, charcoal. Teaches use of brush and palette knife in oil and acrylic. Classes at NMB Rec Center, NMB Hobby Lobby, and Myrtle Beach A.C. Moore stores. Contact him at (843)213-1037 or fuforu@aol.com.

Hank Pulkowski - Hank is back to teaching after some health issues. Contact him directly for details. If you have any questions, please email me at hankpulkowski@yahoo.com, or call me at 843-236-0968.

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Weekly Figure Drawing Sessions with nude model
Thursdays 6:00pm - 8:30pm \$10 Model Fee

Private & Group Painting Lessons - 3 hour sessions in Acrylic, Watercolor, Abstract, Drawing, Creative Mixed Media, and more. Can schedule to mutually agreed times. (\$30 per person, no supplies) (\$40 per person, includes supplies) - Generally available, Mornings and Evenings

The Business of Being and Artist
Artistic Mentorship learning how to sell, price and show your art. Cultivate more collectors, set artistic goals, build a series, and attract a gallery. Can schedule to mutually agreed times. \$50 per session

Custom Painting Parties
A fun event that can celebrate your occasion, be it a birthday, anniversary, engagement, wedding, or team building event. I work with you to create a fun event lasting 2-3 hours, scheduled at a mutually agreed time. Cost is \$200 for 5 people, and additional \$40 per person. Can easily accommodate up to twenty people. BYOB and Food, (Can be provided at extra cost) Canvas, Easels, Aprons, Water, Brushes, Paint and Instruction included.

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Rebecca Zdybel SCWS
Change of plans due to Covid 19 from Rebecca Zdybel - This summer she will be hosting classes via Zoom. These classes will offer students the opportunity to attend remotely. Additionally, students will receive a video recording of the class so that they can return to the

lesson for practice or if they are unable to attend the class live, still receive the instruction. To discover what is now available:

<https://rebeccazartist.com/calendar-of-classes-and-private-lessons-2/>
[Rebecca Zdybel- Artist/Instructor Website/Blog: rebeccazartist.com \[1\]](#)
[Art Myrtle Beach LLC](#)
[Phone or Text: 843-450-2307](tel:843-450-2307)

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Support them - they support us. They are also really good at what they do. WACG is proud to be associated with each of them.

Horry Georgetown Homebuilders Association – is your contractor a member? WACG is allowed to participate in 2 HGHBA Home Shows per year.

Ameriprise Financial Services – good advice and good results – improving Guild finances.
Linda Rabon, & Aaron Neal
900 Main Street, Suite C, Conway, SC 29526

Three Ring Focus – web design and marketing – create & host our website. 1925 Mr. Joe White Ave., Myrtle Beach, SC

Collectors Café - great food & fine art.
7740 N. Kings Hwy, Myrtle Beach, SC 29572.

Art & Frame, Purple Elephant, LLC – great quality frames at low prices. Member Discounts
Two locations – 3261 Waccamaw Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC 29579 & 5200 C Hwy. 17 Bypass, Murrells Inlet, SC 29576

King & Godbold, LLC – CPA for WACG.
1131 48th Ave. N, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Office Depot – discounted office supplies & printing. 9678 Hwy 17 Bypass S, South Strand Commons, Surfside Beach

Jerri-Bob's Mail Services – printing, packing, mailing & shipping. Member Discounts. 1413 Hwy. 17 S, Surfside Beach, SC 29575

Myrtle Beach Chamber of Commerce – Member Discounts – at various businesses around town.

This organization is funded in part by the South Carolina Arts Commission which receives support from the National Endowment for the Arts.

IMPORTANT -

It's time to renew your membership. All memberships renew January 1st. If you are a new member who joined after August 1, 2020 your membership extends through 2021. Otherwise, complete the form and send in your renewal.

Remember, you can renew, or join WACG online at wacg.org and pay there as well. If you would prefer to send a check, use the form attached.

One More Thing -

We are starting a new year with cautious optimism that things will be better in 2021. Last year, we were caught by surprise and the Juried Show was a mess along with a few other events. I hope that we can avoid that this year. We will do what we can.

One way or another, I intend to have a Juried Show and give out awards to our artists. I will be putting out a prospectus soon. I am currently working to obtain a judge for the show. One thing for sure, it will be very important that everyone have good quality digital photos of their artwork(s) in case we have to go virtual.

Take care, stay healthy and get to work on a masterpiece for the Juried Show. I hope to see all of you sometime soon.

Tom Britton, Editor
WACG Show & Communications Director