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CORAL SPRINGS ARTIST GUILD

Newsletter

Message from the President—Ezi Algazi

The election for the 2014-2015 Board will be on Thursday, May 1st at 7PM. It will be during our monthly meeting held at the Coral Springs Museum of Art. Come to the meeting and vote for your new Board Members. You can also email me your votes before May 1st.

You still have time and an opportunity to be nominated for the following Board positions: President, Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Treasurer and Recording Secretary. The following volunteer positions are also available: Newsletter Editor, Publicity Chair and Events Program chair.

For the position of Newsletter Editor, you will use a template to write, design and distribute the newsletter, most of which is done via email. Currently the Publisher program is being used to generate the monthly newsletter which is then put into a pdf file for email distribution.

If you would like to serve as Publicity Chair, we have a list of the local newspapers and magazines that you can use to send press releases.

The Events Program position uses a template to create the program that lists the names of the artists that hang at a CSAG exhibit, the winners, the judge biography and adds a picture for the cover of the program. You will also print the programs and bring them to the reception.

I have a couple of people interested in the volunteer positions, but please email me if you wish your name to be added to the volunteer list. We need more than one volunteer for these positions so that work can be done either together or as a backup in the case of emergency.

As a volunteer, the rewards are endless. You will have the satisfaction of knowing that you are taking part in serving this great organization. You will meet influential people in the art scene. The galleries and museums take notice of those who serve the arts and it will look great on your biography. For most of these positions, you can work at your own pace and they don't take much of your time.

I would like to thank Lester Wolfe who is stepping down after 12 years as our Treasurer.

Thank you, Loretta Herman, who has served the Guild for many years in various positions as President, Vice President and many other positions.

Thank you, Janet Little, who has held a position as 2nd Vice President, President, Newsletter Editor or Membership Chair every year since she joined in 2000.

Our next Board Meeting on May 1st will be very exciting. In addition to the election, we will have Tereza Hazelton as a guest speaker. She will discuss her paintings and her connections to major European museums, including the Louvre in Paris. Tereza is also a member of our Guild.

Continue to visit our website at www.coral Springsartistguild.org. It is updated twice a week with many events in south Florida and with our member news. You can find the latest prospectus, forms and news about our upcoming events there.

CSAG Calendar of Events

What: Board/General Membership Meeting
Where: Coral Springs Museum of Art, 2nd floor studio
When: Thursday, May 1st at 7pm
What: Board Meeting with election of 2014-2015 Board Members followed by guest speaker, Tereza Hazelton, who will talk about her artwork and connections with museums around the world.



Tereza painting in the Louvre in Paris.



This meeting will be open to the public so bring friends and family.

What: Members Only Three-Day Exhibit
Where: Broward Art Guild
When: May 14-16, 2013
Entry Deadline—May 7th
Drop Off—Saturday, May 10th, noon-3pm
Reception—Friday, May 16th, 6:30-8pm
Pickup—Saturday, May 17th

The entry fee is \$30 for up to 5 pieces of artwork. All artwork accepted if it meets size restrictions, framed and ready to hang. CSAG members and CSAG participating artists will provide food and beverage at the reception. The Broward Art Guild will take a 10% commission on all sales so price your artwork accordingly. Prospectus available soon. For more information, contact Cris Cruz at 954-718-0209 or cc43green@bellsouth.net.

Coral Springs Museum of Art



Scott Draves
Electric Sheep
March 27 to May 2, 2014



Henning Haupt
Drawing Lines
March 27 to May 17, 2014



Craig Carlisle
Big Heads and the Peaceful Valley
March 27 to May 17, 2014



Sylvia Tarshis
Florals
March 27 to May 17, 2014

What: ArtPril Expression—Open Juried Exhibit of the Coral Springs Artist Guild
Where: Coral Springs Museum of Art Lobby Gallery
When: April 2-27, 2014
Pickup—Monday, April 28th, 10-noon

NOMINEES FOR 2014-2015 CSAG BOARD

The following members of the Coral Springs Artist Guild have agreed to be nominated to the ballot for the 2014-2015 Board. If you check out the list of the current board which is listed on the left side of the first pages of this newsletter, you will see some people have volunteered to serve CSAG for another year and other members have graciously volunteered to serve in new or different positions. Every person is prepared to not run unopposed. Add your name to a position as a nominee by calling Ezi Algazi at 954-775-0313.

President—Ezi Algazi Vice President—Robert Grauer Treasurer—Isabel Perez

2nd Vice President—Cris Cruz Recording Secretary—Natalee Jones

ArtPRIL EXPRESSIONS

This month the Coral Springs Artist Guild had its biannual, open juried exhibits in the lobby gallery of the Coral Springs Museum of Art. At the reception and awards ceremony the following artists received their recognition:

Best in Show—Lynne Kroll

2nd Place—Tereza Hazelton

3rd Place—Carol Thaw



Merit Award: Gisela Bender, Robert Grauer, Grace Fishenfeld

Honorable Mention: Jerry Saxon, Deborah Gregg, Loretta Herman

CSAG would like to thank judge Tom Rosetti of Rosetti Gallery for his time and expertise in deciding these winners from a field of well-deserving artists.

Northwest Regional Library CSAG Members Only Exhibit

The Coral Springs Artist Guild will have a **two month** long exhibit at the Northwest Regional Library located at 3151 N. University Drive in Coral Springs this summer.

The postmark deadline for entries in July 30th. The intake is scheduled for August 5th between 10:30am-12:30pm. A reception will be held on August 9th at 2pm. Pickup at the conclusion of the exhibit will be on September 9th. The prospectus for this widely viewed lobby exhibit will be available soon.



CSAG Members at our Tent in the Coral Springs Festival of the Arts





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THE CHATTERBOX



CSAG member, Loretta Herman, is on the mend from a shoulder injury and surgery. We wish her best wishes for a speedy recovery.

The EAT YOUR ART OUT exhibit which was scheduled this next month at CSMART has been cancelled. All monies will be refunded to CSAG artists who entered their food-themed artwork. The museum plans to re-schedule this Chef's Challenge fundraiser for later in the year.



Caran Art and Frame in Coral Springs at 5643 Coral Ridge Drive is an award-winning frame shop offering quality custom framing services. Caran has a section in their Gallery dedicated to artists from the Coral Springs Artist Guild. Every 2 months, our members will be displaying their work. There is no entry fee but there will be a small commission on sold

pieces. Acceptance will be based on a first come, first served basis so hurry up and email Ezi Algazi at ezi@comcast.net for the next available gallery

MEMBERSHIP

At the November board meeting, it was decided that the membership fee will be increased to **\$45/year** for 2014-2015. However, if a current member renews for 2014-2015 after May 1, 2014 and before June 30, 2014, the membership fee will be \$40/year.

For current members, keep in mind that whenever you receive an exhibit prospectus, a membership application will be printed on it. It does not mean you need to renew your membership each time you enter a show. The board voted to not refund duplicate payments. Instead the money goes toward our Scholar Award fund. Please keep track of your payments. If you have any questions, contact the membership chairperson, Janet Little, at 954-605-1197 or by email at jml2139@earthlink.net.

Membership Form for Current Membership Year—July 1, 2014-June 30, 2015

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ Website _____

Individual Membership \$45 () If renewed between May 1, 2014 and June 30, 2014 \$40 ()

Date _____ Check # _____

Receive monthly newsletters via email YES _____ NO _____

Email _____ (Please print very clearly.)