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CORAL SPRINGS ARTIST GUILD

Newsletter

Message from the President—Ezi Algazi

The Coral Springs Festival of the Arts has come and gone for another year. We had a record number of members who participated in the manning the Guild tent.

We had painting demonstrations by Barbara Capeletti on Sunday and by Jene Rizzo, Cathy Shapiro, Chris Cruz and Lydia de la Cerda on Sunday.

I hope you were able to come down to The Walk on University Drive this weekend. Our tent was in the same location as in previous years. We were in front of Barnes and Noble which continued to draw heavy traffic to our way.

Those of you and many newcomers who were able to stop by to say hello, admired the hanging artwork and picked up a copy of the prospectus for the Lobby Gallery exhibit in April at the Coral Springs Museum of Art.

We had people leave their business card or their name and email address on a slip of paper for a drawing to win a hardcover book, "The Art of Allure of the Seas". This donated book featured the beautiful artwork that hangs on the largest cruise ship in the world.

There was also a raffle to win a donated signed copy of Andre Desjardins book. His paintings and bronzes are currently exhibiting in the our local museum of art. The winners of the raffle and the drawing will be announced April 8th at the awards reception where the winners for our Lobby Gallery exhibit will receive their checks or ribbons.

The deadline for entering this exhibit is nearing. Your entry needs to be post-marked by March 26th. The intake is April 1st and, as written above, the reception is April 8th from 6:30-8pm. An easy-to-print prospectus is available on our web-

site at www.coral-springsartistguild.org. There are extra copies available in the lobby of the museum.

Our next Board meeting and General Membership meeting will be on Thursday, April 3rd at 7pm. After a brief executive meeting we will have our favorite event, The Critique. Everyone is asked to bring two pieces of their artwork and receive feedback from fellow artists. Our meetings have become very popular. We had more than 20 people who attended our March meeting.

Continue to visit our website which is updated twice a week with many local events here in South Florida and with our member news. You can find the latest prospectus, forms and news about upcoming events there also.

CSAG Calendar of Events

What: Board/General Membership Meeting
Where: Coral Springs Museum of Art, 2nd floor studio
When: Thursday, April 3rd
Board Meeting followed by General Membership Meeting at 7pm
What: Art Critique-Bring 2 pieces of art work for feedback from fellow artists

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

What: **ArtPril Expression**—Open Juried
Where: Coral Springs Museum of Art Lobby Gallery
When: Prospectus deadline—Wednesday, March 26th
Intake—Tuesday, April 1st, 10-noon
Reception—Tuesday, April 8th, 6:30-8pm
Pickup—Monday, April 28th, 10-noon

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.

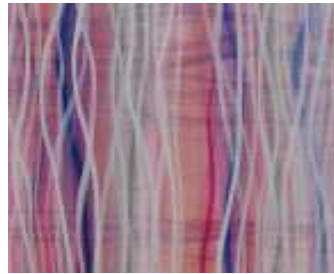
Coral Springs Museum of Art



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

Coral Springs Museum of Art Workshops
Creative Abstract with Sally Cooper
Saturday, March 22, 2014 9:30am-4:30pm
\$85/member, \$100/nonmember

March 29th, 1pm Strathmore papers - Nancy Spielman

For more information visit the Museum website or call the Museum.



Only \$15 for BAG Members, \$20 for Non-Members

Photographing Your Art!

Saturday, March 22nd,
10:00am - Noon

Learn the art of photographing your art for Publications, Online Juried Exhibition Submissions and Your Website. Join Broward County resident and one of America's top photographers of fine art for an informative, interactive workshop. Come with all your important questions. There will be a live photography demonstration.

Visit website for more information or to register

The *Artist as an Entrepreneur Institute*(AEI) is an artist-focused course of study designed to assist artists (visual, musicians, writers, media, theater, performing arts), by cultivating and advancing their business skills.

Presented on 4 Saturdays, AEI will be offered as a series of 20 classes. AEI is led by a premier faculty composed of leading business practitioners and artists familiar with arts and culture from the South Florida region. Faculty members instruct artists through a series of lectures, panels and discussions.

Participation in program is \$100 per person and includes: AEI course book (an indispensable resource for artists), light refreshments, free parking. **Please**

RSVP to: ArtServe, Inc. 1350 E. Sunrise Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, 33304



**SUNDAY, MARCH 23 FROM 12- 4pm at Annie Beck and
Victoria Parks in Ft. Lauderdale**



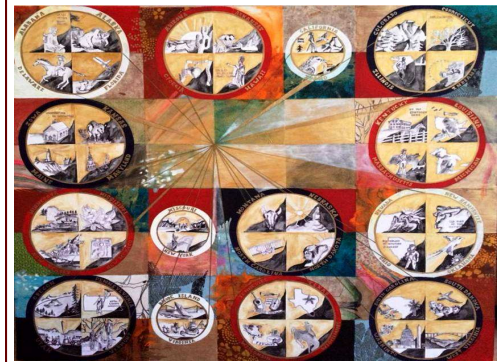
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THE CHATTERBOX



CSAG member, Isabel Perez's, artwork has been selected for Art Florida 2014 at ArtServe in Ft. Lauderdale.



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.)