



CSAG 2010-11 BOARD

President
Website Designer
Laurianne Macdonald
954-255-8325
the_macdonalds@bellsouth.net
csagpresident@bellsouth.net

Vice President
Loretta Herman
954-340-0049
mobil1292@comcast.net

Treasurer
Lester Wolfe
954-344-4799
lwwolfe@bellsouth.net

Recording Secretary
Joan Hinden
954-937-8621
jhinden@comcast.net

Property Chairperson
Al Rosenfeld
954-735-3747

Membership Chairperson
Newsletter Editor
Janet Little
954-605-1197
jml2139@earthlink.net

Scholar Award Committee
Laurianne Macdonald
Date Scheduling
Printing
Janet Little
School Contact
Lester Wolfe
Volunteer Judge Scheduling

Historian
OPEN POSITION

Publicity Committee
Laurianne Macdonald
Stanford Slutsky

Exhibit Advisor
Candy Childrey
954-752-2817

Board Advisor
Eleanor Richter
954-752-0678

Newsletter

Message from the President—Laurianne Macdonald

As you all know, without the continued generosity of spirit, talent, and energy from our volunteers, the Coral Springs Artist Guild would not survive. Last month the newsletter presented our members with nominees we wished to list on the official ballot for the 2011/2012 season. Many of those nominees have held positions on the board for more years than they care to count, so . . . we added a few we considered then requested the participation of all our members in filling the ballot. Unfortunately, there was little to no response and those we did consider to be

possible additions, declined or did not respond. Fortunately, Robert Grauer has agreed to take over Loretta Herman's position as Vice President. Raymond Rivera is considering the Co-Vice President position. Joyce Tripp has offered to take over as News Letter Editor which opened space for Janet Little to resume as Scholar Awards Chair. I thank all those who've stepped forward. I'm sure I do not have to tell any of you how rewarding a volunteer position can be.

I would also like to thank all those who participated in the members

only exhibit at the American Orchid Society this month. The show is delightful and anyone who is in the area should take the time to visit.

The summer will be a time for rest and renewal. I do hope you all enjoy the break and use the time to create. The date and time for our annual general assembly and installation of new board members is scheduled for Tuesday, May 31st, the day after the holiday. However we have confirmed Edyi Lampasona for the demonstration. It will be held in the Coral Springs Museum of Art. You don't want to miss the last event of the season.

Message from the Vice President—Loretta Herman

I don't know if this month or next month will be my last VP message for the newsletter, but I wanted to say how much I enjoyed being Vice President for the past year. I checked my records and I have been a member of the Guild since 1994 and have held several different positions on the board over the years. All have been

rewarding experiences that contributed to my growth as an artist. I highly recommend that you find the time to try it for a year and see what you learn. I will happily continue for the next year as exhibit advisor.

I want to thank Joyce Rogers, Ray Herman, Bob and Eleanor Richter for helping with the intake for the American

Orchid Society exhibit. It is a beautiful exhibit in a beautiful environment. It will likely be the last time we exhibit there as there are plans to lease the facility to a school for special needs children.

Don't forget that the pickup for the Orchid Society show is Tuesday, June 7th, 10-11am. I hope to see you at the meeting on May 31st.

CSAG Calendar of Events

What: 2011 Members Only Juried Exhibit
Where: The American Orchid Society in
Delray Beach
When: **May 3—June 6, 2011**
Pickup on Tuesday, June 7th, 10-11am

What: General Membership Meeting and
Installation of 2011-2012 Board of
Directors, Demo by artist Eydi
Lampasona
Where: Coral Springs Museum of Art
When: **Tuesday, May 31st at 6:30pm**

What: Board Meeting
Where: Laurianne Macdonald's house
When: Monday, June 6th at 7pm

Candidates for 2011-2012 Board of Directors.

At the May Board Meeting, the slate of candidates for the upcoming Board of Directors was finalized. Laurianne Macdonald, the CSAG President for the last 4 years, said she would fill the position for another year. Bob Grauer and Ray Rivera have volunteered to serve as Co-Vice Presidents. Joan Hinden accepted the nomination as Secretary for another year and Lester Wolfe said he would continue as the nominee for Treasurer. Loretta Herman, our VP for the past year, will step down and serve as Exhibit Advisor.

Janet Little will continue as the Membership Chairperson as Joyce Tripp has volunteered to be the Newsletter Editor. Janet will also take over Laurianne's duties on the Scholar Award committee. The Board wishes to thank the two new members to the Guild, Ray and Joyce, for offering to serve. We also look forward to member, Bob Grauer's, ideas for new venues to exhibit and sell our artwork.

Coral Springs Museum of Art

May 12-August 20, 2011



TOOLS IN MOTION
The Hechinger Collection
from International Arts &
Artists, Washington D.C.

Pictured is artwork by Stephen Hansen

May 3-27, 2011

What: Adult Student & Faculty
Art Exhibit
Where: Lobby Gallery



Summer Classes & Camp Artshops

In June and July will be 4 week art classes for teens, adults and children on Saturdays. Classes offered are High School Portfolio Builder, Techniques of Drawing, Open Studio Figure Drawing, Watercolor, Techniques of Paintings and Art Studio. Registration forms are online at www.csmart.org or call 954-340-5000.

Summer Camp Artshops will run from June 13 to August 19 with ongoing registration. The camps are for children from 6 to 15 years of age. Member and sibling discounts are available. There will be both morning and/or afternoon sessions running weekly. The class sizes are small and supplies are included in the camp fee.

Professional instructors will be teaching and children may enroll in multiple camps. The available camps are: Art of the Animal, Cartoon Art, Creating Comic Books, Green Art Explorations, Drawing and Painting, Papier Mache, Exploring Sculpture, Techniques of Drawing, Ceramic Handbuilding, Animation and Video Art.

CSAG Juried Exhibit at the American Orchid Society

Once again the Guild sponsored a members only juried exhibit at The American Orchid Society in Delray Beach. The exhibit will run from May 3 to June 6. The winners of artwork with the floral/fauna theme are:

Best in Show	“Angel’s Trumpet” by Loretta Herman
2nd Place	“Splashing Roseates” by Candy Childrey
3rd Place	“Palm Futures” by Terry Molina
Merit Award	“Classical Choice” by Eleanor Richter
	“Bird of Paradise” by Chris Cruz
Honorable Mention	“Threesome Beauty” by Joyce Rogers
	“View from Loop Road” by Bob Grauer
	“Japan” by Ray Rivera



2011 Scholar Award Judging

The judging for the 2011 Scholar Awards for the 5 area high schools, Coral Springs, Taravella, Stoneman Douglas, Coral Glades, and Coral Springs Charter has been completed. Thank you all the judges who volunteered their time to go to each school. Thanks to Lester Wolfe for securing the judges and to Janet Little who notified each school via the Broward schools email about this year’s award. Many thanks to Laurianne Macdonald who scheduled the judging dates with the art teachers and for putting together the award packets to be presented to each winning artist at their school’s Senior Awards Night.

We will announce the winners in next month’s newsletter since the schools have not yet had their Senior Award presentations and the winners are kept secret until that night.

2012 Signature Artist

Our Guild is taking a leading role in working with the city of Coral Springs to get the Signature Artist for the 2012 Festival of the Arts. The application form is available on our website at www.coralspringsartistguild.org.

Once you submit the application form with your original art, you will not be able to sell it or reproduce it until you get a letter indicating your work has or has not been selected. If selected, the city will then have the copyright for that piece.

HINT: The selection committee would love to have artwork that showcases Coral Springs in particular, not just S. Florida or the tropics in general. Travel the city and look around for something that says “Coral Springs” that can make you the Signature Artist.

Membership Renewal Form for 2011-2012

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell _____ Individual Membership \$36 () Family Membership \$48 ()

Date _____ Check # _____

Receive newsletter via email YES _____ NO _____ Email _____

Mail with check to Coral Springs Artist Guild, P.O. Box 9661, Coral Springs, FL 33075



*Coral
Springs
Artist
Guild*

**Post Office Box 9661
Coral Springs, FL 33075
954-753-5533
www.coralspringsartistguild.org**

Anyone can submit information of interest to guild members or about our guild members for the newsletter by mail, fax or email. Please send your newsletter info to:
Janet Little, Editor
7033 Suffolk Lane
Parkland, FL 33067
Fax: 954-340-5380

THE CHATTERBOX



The newsletter editor apologizes for mistyping Rosario Gia's name, not once, but twice in the April newsletter.

Members for 2011-2012

Thanks to the following new and renewed members for 2011-2012:

Eli Algazi, Barbara Bailey, Chris Cruz, Joyce Tripp, Antonia Calderon, Stuart Kirsner, Ray Rivera, Meg Morgan, Patricia Surdi, Grace Fishenfeld, Joan Hinden, Thelma Lubell, Joyce Rogers, Lester Wolfe, Terry Molina, Grace Dubow, Robert Grauer and Carol Thaw.

If you are not sure that you renewed your membership for the 2011-12 year, check this listing. We will post the names of renewed members in the June, August and September newsletters to prevent double dues payments.

We are planning to have membership cards available in the fall for all annual members. We are working to see if we can get some discount benefits from local businesses that would be available to members who present their cards. If you have any ideas or contacts who can help us with this, please contact Laurianne Macdonald at 954-255-8325.

CSAG Members' Award & Exhibits

Kudos to CSAG members who have recently been accepted and/or won awards for their artwork in area juried exhibitions.

Candy Childrey has been accepted in the "All Florida" art exhibit at the Boca Museum of Art.

Both Eleanor Richter and Candy Childrey are on exhibit at the Cornell Museum as part of the Florida Artist Group until June 26.

Candy Childrey received an Honorable Mention award at the Broward Art Guild Tri-County exhibit.

Joan Hinden won Honorable Mention at the Women in the Visual Arts exhibit at the Posnack Center in Davie.

Eleanor Richter received a Judges Recognition Award at the Women in the Visual Arts "Art for Arts Sake" exhibit at the Rosen Museum Gallery in Boca Raton, Mar. 2 - Apr. 14.

CSAG member, Stan Slutsky, will be having a one-man show at the Rosen Museum Gallery at the JCC in Boca Raton from May 3-Oct. 8. The gallery is open from 10am-4pm Monday-Friday.

Also Stan's son, Marlin, and his band, "Big Daddy Project", was recently on the Joey Reynolds show, "NBC New York". Marlin is the band's drummer as well as a singer and songwriter. The band performed 2 songs from their latest CD.

First time grandparents, Lester and Vickie Wolfe, recently traveled to Lubbock, Texas to see their new granddaughter. As Lester said, "There is a baby and a Babies R Us store waiting in Lubbock for us."

CSAG President, Laurianne Macdonald, has published and illustrated a new children's book, "Once Upon a Christmas Secret". This book is available for purchase on Amazon.com and BarnesandNoble.com. Get your holiday shopping done early this year for your family's little ones.