

The Brushmark

July 2015

Our Location:

COAL Gallery
300 Carlsbad Village Drive,
Suite 101
Carlsbad Village Faire
Carlsbad, Ca. 92008-2990
760-434-8497
www.coalartgallery.com

Hours:

Sun., Wed., Thurs., Sun.,
11:00 am-5:00 pm
Fri., Sat.,
11:00 am-8:00 pm

July Inserts:

COAL
2015 Open Juried Show Prospectus
2015 Open Juried Take-in form
2015 Open Juried Judge Bio

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of each month.

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Brushmark Proofing & Mailing
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TOTAL MEMBERS 182

~The monthly newsletter for the Carlsbad Oceanside Art League~
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- July Demo



Dot Renshaw Fine Artist - Pastels & Oils

website: www.dotrenshaw.com

Dot Renshaw rises before dawn and paints the dramatic shadows of the early morning, or the last fleeing light of dusk. She loves to capture the serenity and beauty of nature unfolding to the light. She chooses locations that others might miss, the small trails, the neighborhood canyons, and the juxtaposition of urban life against the delicacy of nature. Her pastel and oil scenes composed of bold strokes and dramatic color and value ranges are primarily painted on location. Her work has a visceral presence allowing the viewer to sense the temperature, atmospheric conditions, and time of day in which the painting was completed.

Born and raised in Ventura and a Pacific Beach resident for 40 years, Dot remains deeply connected to the coastal environment, and to hidden treasures discovered on back roads and trails. She often depicts scenes reminiscent of her youth in slower times in coastal California and works to raise awareness of environmental concerns facing Americans today.

July DEMO July 10th, 1:30pm-3:30pm

At the Buena Vista Nature Center,
2202 S. Coast Hwy, Oceanside

COAL NEEDS YOU TO VOLUNTEER! NEWSLETTER- BRUSHMARK EDITOR

This is the last issue of the Brushmark in this format. **We have NO editor for next month.** The newsletter is put together with MS Word or any other text format that will allow you to cut and paste. The stories will arrive by the 15th of the month, you will have a couple of days to prepare the newsletter, get it proofed by our proofing committee, make the final changes.

Kathi St. Peter was kind enough to prepare our newsletter for many years even though she moved out of California.. Editor position is available now.

Questions? Interested?

**Contact Judy Richardson 760-433-2258, or
Bob Mussay 760-730-9274**

I would like all of our members to be aware of the monthly Art Walk held in the Village Faire on the fourth Thursday of every month from 6-8 pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to see not only our show, but also what's going on in the other two galleries as well. Refreshments and wine are provided along with continuous music. So, drop in and bring your friends and neighbors.

I hope you are looking forward to our big money Open Show in August. Once again, Judy Richardson has done her usual good job in getting things organized. You know that it takes a great many volunteers to make this event run smoothly so we will be asking for many of you to pitch in to help. We cannot give exemptions to host the Gallery. I hope you will all understand and volunteer the extra time.

The gallery now has a functioning CD player and you have a choice of 4 different CDs to play.

Over the past 6 weeks we have had 3 sittings missed. It is the primary responsibility of the person that is scheduled to host the gallery to keep this commitment. We try to help you accomplish your commitment by calling you with a reminder, but you cannot count on this 100% of the time. Some of you have phones that do not allow a person to leave a message. All opening Gallery Hosts, call the next day's Gallery Hosts then call me at 760-295-7635 and if you do not reach me then call me at 760-672-5990.

When you are using the credit card machine and you see red lines on the paper, please call me. It means the machine is about to run out of paper.

At the end of July we will be having the COAL Open Juried Award Show. There will be \$ 2,300 in cash awards. The receiving dates will be Saturday July 25th and Sunday July 26th and the take-in time will be 10 am to 3 pm each day. The Show dates will be Wednesday July 29th through Sunday September 6th.

The OPEN JURIED SHOW is almost here. Show dates: July 29 to September 6th. FIVE weeks to show and sell your art!! COAL will be open 6 days a week. The full prospectus, judge's biographies and the entry forms are on the COAL website, with your electronic *Brushmark* and at the gallery.

TAKE-IN is July 25 & 26 from 10 am to 3 pm..

SHOW ENTRY RULES

Reminder from the Board: ORIGINALITY: All work submitted must be the artist's own creation and not copied from the work of other artists or cloned from copyrighted material. Class or group work must be the sole creation of the artist with no aid from the instructor or the group other than advice. Classroom work will be accepted in the regular monthly shows at the gallery, but will not be allowed at the Annual Open Juried Show. The integrity of the art work is the responsibility of the artist.

The COAL Board of Directors would like to remind the membership of the Art Show Rules and Category Definitions under Forms & Policies on our website at: www.coalartgallery.com. Look for the prospectus, judge's bios & take in forms on the Homepage. There are also copies on the desk at the gallery.

JUNE SHOW WINNERS

JUDGE: Norm Daniels

BLACK & WHITE THEMED SHOW

- 1st David Schlegel, Coastal View
- 2nd Marjorie Weaver, In the Studio
- 3rd Joy Buckles, Oceanside Pier
- HM Anthony Taylor, Old Iron
- HM Victoria Griffin, Abstract Man
- HM Ronald Brewer, Birch Tree

OIL AND ACRYLIC:

- 1st M. Nilsson, Balboa at Dusk
- 2nd Alexandra Babic, The Vineyard
- 3rd Kathleen Graham, Value Study
- HM Jorge Garcia, St Patrick's Cathedral NYC
- HM Charles Rathfon, Autumn Storm

COMPUTER ART:

- 1st Kathleen Hamilton, Tracking Mr. X Again
- 2nd Bruce J Bartells, Grand Canyon
- 3rd Alan Katof, The Arch
- HM David Schlegel, Aerial III A HM

MIXED MEDIA:

- 1st John Robinson, Flow
- 2nd Martha Grim, Dancing with Cybil
- 3rd Judith Richardson, TV Antennas & Air Conditioners
- HM John Robinson, Old, Old Del Mar
- HM Christine Ames, Series, Primary Colors: Red

WATERMEDIA:

- 1st Gitta Pfahl, At the Pond
- 2nd Bonnie Gleason, Well Ridden
- 3rd Pat Dispenziere, Dia III
- HM Ruth Parker, The Serenity of Dorland
- HM Carol Robertson, Locked In or Out
- HM Shirley Shabazian, Ellen

SCULPTURE

- 1st Scott Beale, French Curve
- 2nd Scott Bruckner, Burnt Nest
- 3rd Elaine T. Seeley, Dragon Slayer
- HM Scott Bruckner, Paduak Spire
- HM Victoria Griffin, Ocean's One

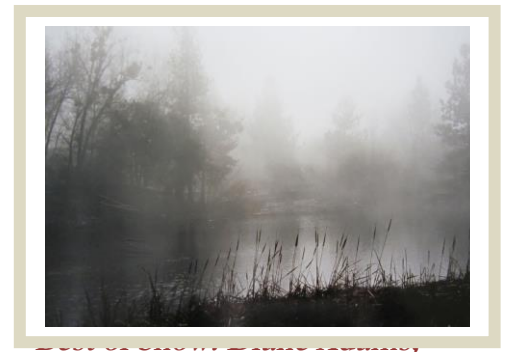
PHOTOGRAPHY:

- 1st Ronald Brewer, Barber's Pole
- 2nd Deb Capetz, Marble Godwit
- 3rd Doreen Long, Hovering
- HM Bruce J Bartels, Pelicans
- HM Alan Katof, Tranquility

PASTELS:

- 1st Joan J. Grine, Batiquitos Eucalyptus
- 2nd M Nilsson, The Foothills
- 3rd Joan J. Grine, Grand Mesa
- HM Julie Compton, Into the Woods

Congratulations !



"As the Fog Rolls In"

ARTIST RECOGNITION AND OPPORTUNITIES

Vita Sorrentino has paintings on display at the Lyceum Theatre in Horton Plaza together with the San Diego Watercolor Society group artists. The exhibit will be there through July. www.vitasorrentino.com

Rikki Reinholz is showing at the San Diego Water Color Society through July. www.rikki-studio.com

Watercolor classes- Monday in Carlsbad or Wednesday in Encinitas – Rikki Reinholz, 858-755-6202, rikkib@roadrunner.com

Lois Athearn and **Judy Richardson** both took Honorable Mention awards in the Vista Chamber of Commerce "Shades of Red" Juried Show.

COAL MEMBERS WON 15% OF THE 1ST, 2ND & 3RD Place Entries * at the San Diego Fair

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL !

- Lois Athearn
- Scott Beale *
- Beverly Bell
- Shirley Calvert
- Pat Dispenziere
- Penny Fedorchak *
- Debbie Forbes *
- Victoria Griffin *
- Martha Grim
- Joan Grine
- Marie Huggin *

- Peg Klinger
- James Millard *
- Chris Monet-Appleton*
- Diane O'Connell
- Gitta Pfahl *
- Anita Plaks *
- Rikki Reinholz
- Ursula Schroter
- Vita sorrentino *
- Tish Wynne *
- Carol Zaleski *

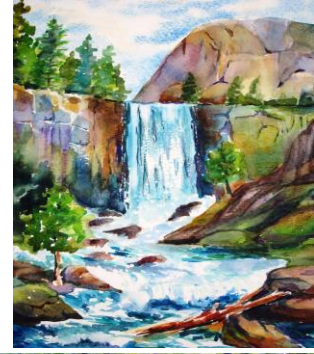
July's Featured Artist -

BONNIE GLEASON

Bonnie has a BA and MA Degree through our CSU and Chapman college systems. She is also a long-time counselor/educator at Mira Costa Community College and teaches painting through CSU San Marcos's "Osher Life Long Learning Institute". Her memberships include the Carlsbad Oceanside Art Gallery, National Arts Program and National Watercolor Society.

Bonnie enjoys filling her paintings with color, light and depth. She attributes the majority of her painting skills from taking workshops from professional watercolor artists and from studying with Diane Adams at Mira Costa College. While her painting style fluctuates from realistic to painterly, the subjects of her watercolors come primarily from inspiration. Bonnie keeps a camera in her car at all times, just in case she finds an irresistible scene that might become her next painting.

Teaching Approach: Begin at the beginning. Bonnie starts her classes off with a tried and true materials list, a simple pallet, an introduction to the color wheel and learning to how to make beautiful but simple watercolor washes. From there she moves on to specific techniques that enrich all paintings. For advanced painters this is a great review that comes with new challenges; for enthusiastic newbies, her class offers an easy to learn introduction to painting that is enjoyable and even addicting. Bonnie's instruction includes lots of examples, a color photo and a transferable line drawing. What a great way to learn.



AUGUST OPEN SHOW HELP NEEDED!

ONLY ONE SHIFT ON

July 25th or 26th ---10:00 AM to 3 PM---

Lunch will be served.

Be 1st to choose your Hosting date.

Also, we need your help with **hanging** and the **reception.**

SIGN UP SHEETS: at the gallery and at the JULY Demo or send email to:

Bob Mussay – take-in

Lazyram@AOL.com

Mary Anne Bloom - hanging

nilssonfinearts@aol

Becky Wergers reception--

bwergers@yahoo.co

**We have a new AM/FM/CD
player. Hope you Enjoy it.
Thank you, Bernie**

Reminder . . . Pick up your art pieces promptly after a show to eliminate the chances of their getting "dinged" in the back room.

Allissa Thompson to Direct 2016 Children's Show New COAL member Allissa Thompson has agreed to be the new director of the Children's Show for 2016. According to Kathleen Hamilton, outgoing director of the show, "It's time for a change, and I am delighted that Allissa will take on the task!" Allissa is an Oceanside resident and photographer who moved to San Diego County six years ago from upstate New York. She joined COAL earlier this year and her photography recently won a blue ribbon. She attended Duke University where she studied psychology and ran track, but credits a high school photography class with kindling her creative passion as well as educating her in the fundamentals of lighting and composition. Allissa looks forward to being the new director of the COAL Children's Show in 2016.

**Children's Show - Best of Show
by Ruby Diamond-Peacock**



MAY 2015 SALES

Linda DiRosa	Sales slip not filled out
Michael Nelson	Sales slip not filled out
Ursula Schroter	Jump shrink wrap
Ursula Schroter	Sunset at Lake Hodges - cards
Alexandra Babic	Angel - cards
Beverly Bell	Late Nite Jazz
Alan Katof	Swedish Sheep - cards
Carolyn Robertson	Jungle Stampede - cards
Alexandra Babic	Cards
Bruce Bartells	Cards
Char Cee Colosia	Beach Time
Drew Duke	Tamarack Street - shrink wrap
Michelle Carlen	Monterey Otter - cards
Doreen Long	Life's a Beach - cards

Longtime COAL member (1974 to present) **ALMA CRABTREE has passed.** She was a member of the U.S. Marine Corp stationed at Camp Pendleton during the Korean Conflict. She served COAL as a Board member and Brushmark committee chair back when we mailed all of the newsletters as well as numerous behind-the-Scenes jobs during her 40 years as a COAL member. Alma was an oil/acrylic painter.

Diane Adams Director of Youth Programs

Nine students from high schools in Carlsbad, Oceanside and Vista were selected to receive scholarships from COAL. Diane has presented scholarships to three of the high schools and have two left to visit. The recipients will all be invited to show a group of their paintings in our gallery in July. Their work will be displayed on the back wall.

COAL gave Donor Awards to Karen Langer-Baker, fine Artist and to Brendon Laurs, photographer at the San Diego Fair.

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Backup Gallery Hosts:

The following members are available to substitute as gallery hosts for \$25 per session. If you are unable to host, it is your responsibility to contact someone on this list or another member to insure that your commitment is covered.

Doreen Long	858-487-3672
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Make this a great year, **VOLUNTEER!**
Get involved!
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Calendar of Events

Mon. July 1	Take-In, Regular Entries
Mon. July 1	Board Meeting 5 PM All Members Welcome
Fri. July 10	Monthly Demo and meeting at Buena Vista Nature Center 1:30- 3:30 pm
Sun. July 12	COAL Reception 3:00-5:00 pm
Thurs. July 23	Cruizing the Art Scen 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Looking ahead . . .

August Open Show – Take In July 25 & 26
Award Presentation Aug 2, 3:00-5:00 pm

Don't forget the **Art on the Green** each weekend!