

June, 2017

COAL Gallery

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Gallery Hours:

Mon, Wed, Thurs, & Sun: 11AM – 5PM
 Friday & Saturday: 11AM – 8PM
 Tuesday: Closed

Deadline for Brushmark submissions is the 15th of each month. Please send your information to Cindy Fatica, Brushmark Editor, cindyf8755@att.net
 Brushmark Team, Jean Booth & Bob Mickey

Demo, Friday, June 9th, 2017
1:30pm-3:30pm
 At the Buena Vista Nature Center,
 2202 S. Coast Hwy, Oceanside.
*This program is made possible in part by a
 Community Arts Grant from the City of
 Carlsbad's Cultural Arts Office.*

Calendar of Events

- Monday, June 5, Take-In
 10 AM – 4 PM
 Regular Entries &
 Show in Show, theme, "Water"
- Monday, June 5, Board Meeting,
 5PM. All members welcome.
- Friday, June 9, Demo,
 1:30-3:30PM
- Sunday, June 11, Reception
 3 PM – 5 PM
- Thursday, June 22, Art Walk (Cruizin'
 the Art Scene), 5PM-8PM
- Sat & Sun, May 27th & 28th, 10AM-4PM
COAL Art in the Courtyard

Art on the Green each weekend!

~The monthly newsletter for the Carlsbad Oceanside Art League~
 This Organization is funded in part by a Community Arts Grant, City of Carlsbad.



Joe Oakes, June Judge and June 9th Demo Artist

"You are what's missing from my work. I'm often asked, why don't your paintings have any animals, birds, people, etc? The reason... you, the viewer, are the one who needs to fill that void. When I paint I'm expressing a peaceful, solitary moment. If I have been successful, then you will be able to replace me as the viewer. I want you to want to be dropped down into this scene and feel it. Or better yet, that you feel like you're already there, truly appreciating it!



My uses of color, light and shadow have been exaggerated to capture your imagination. And, although my work is representational, for me it's more about atmosphere, feeling, emotion, and conveying that to you. I deliberately intensify color, adjust composition and remove extraneous information to capture the essence of the moment.



It takes a keen eye to find the fantastical in everyday places. I seek them out but remember it's not just looking but seeing. It's really seeing and appreciating all the little nuances of light and shadow playing on surfaces and competing with each other. I hope that you will 'visit' one of my paintings and recognize somewhere you want to be. This is how we can connect and all I ask of you is to not only see, but feel."

Join award-winning artist, Joe A. Oakes, for a fun, informative painting experience. Format includes a combination of discussions on composition, color, value and technique, along with a painting demonstration.

HELP WANTED - Treasurer Assistant

Skills Needed: Knowledge of accounting.

A good understanding of Microsoft Excel, and if possible, some experience with QuickBooks. QuickBooks is NOT a requirement, but will need to learn how to work with the reports. Contact: Charles Dozer, 760-753-4784. COAL does many things for its members and for the community but it is, after all, a cooperative organization. Thus, it expects its members to assume certain individual responsibilities. Please help.



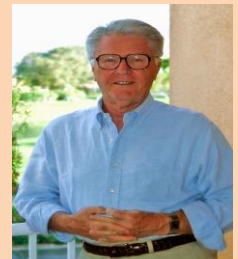
A Few Words from COAL President, Charles Dozer . . .

The 2017 COAL Children's Art Show and reception are and were really special. The show, organized by Marta Hotel and implemented by 16 additional member/volunteers is superb and should not be missed, with over 130 children's images hanging. Many, many thanks, Marta, for the reception event and show.

Additionally, our Regular Members Show is also stunning, with the Best of Show to George Young and his "Desert Path." Judging was by Chuck McPherson, who also conducted a creative and wonderfully entertaining water-media Demo at the Audubon Nature Center! Thanks to the many who attended.

COAL is now on "Trip Advisor." We love to see great reviews. Please ask your friends and neighbors to post a review. It is a great opportunity to alert the traveling community to our Gallery, and see our members' fine art and photography. We are coming into the Summer months and will be asking for live, "pop-up" artists to "demo" at the Gallery and lighted patio. Watch for information of dates and times for this opportunity. Many thanks for your continuing membership!

Chuck Dozer, (760) 753-4784, cdozerphoto@sbcglobal.net



Thank you, volunteers. Make this a great year. Volunteer!



. . . and a few more words from COAL Gallery Director, Judy Richardson

Wow! What a wonderful Children's Show Reception! If you didn't get there, you missed a very successful affair. Thank you, ladies for a job well done.

We had nine unfilled sitting slots in May and two no show sitters. Not so good for the rest of us who want to show and sell our work. Our membership is like a family, so please enter and show up for your hosting time. We will all thank you.

When you frame your work there are some things to remember:

- No Screw eyes or saw tooth hangers
- Apex of your picture wire needs to be 3 inches from top of the frame
- Use D-rings or Euro Hangers for metal frames
- Clean mats
- Gallery quality frames
- If using cradle wrap canvases, sides must be painted
- Plexi, not glass if frame is greater than 24" x 30"

June Show-in-Show theme is "Water." See you all on June 5th.

Judy Richardson, (760) 433-2258, judyluvsart@att.net

Happenings in June . . .

June Show: Show in Show with cash awards, theme, "Water" (can be anything from one drop to an ocean) and Regular Entries. Take-in June 5, 10AM-4PM.

Demo, June 9th, Joe Oakes, 1:30PM-3:30PM and **Reception,** Sunday, June 11th, 3PM-5PM.

Sargent's Art Group will exhibit at COAL June 7 thru July 3.

Art Walk (Cruzin' the Art Scene) (4th Thursday of each month) has been a huge success. Come see for yourself on May 25th 5PM-8 PM.

Coming in July . . . Regular Entries, Take-in July 5 - Wed 10AM to 4PM

Tom Smith, June Featured Artist



Tom's love of photography began in his childhood. "As a small child, I probably had the most photographed dog in history." He joined COAL in 2006 and has received more than 50 ribbons and cash awards during his membership tenure, including "Best of Show."

His images have won awards at the San Diego County Fair

and have appeared in Shutterbug Magazine, on-line, more than 20 times and the Reader, on-line. His work is displayed in the Artisan Collection in San Diego and upscale coffee shops throughout the area. Tom's full bio is attached to this Brushmark.



Volunteer Needed for Website Gatekeeper

Duties include coordination with website manager. Function as key funnel point between all information from COAL to website manager. Review website regularly & update information, as needed. Examples: Advance publicity for Featured Artists and Demonstration Artists. Contact Judy Richardson JudyLuvsArt@att.net or 760-433-2258



THANK YOU FROM ALL OF US:

- James Michelson Bob Mussay
- Joan Grine Billy Day
- Joe Gaines

THEY VOLUNTEERED TO HOST WHICH ENABLED US TO KEEP THE GALLERY OPEN TO SHOW & SELL OUR WORK.

BACK UP GALLERY HOSTS \$35 PER 3 HOUR

If you are willing to serve as a substitute sitter, please contact Judy Richardson at judyluvsart@att.net.

The following members are available to substitute as gallery hosts for \$35 per 3-hour session. If you are unable to host, it is your responsibility to contact someone on this list or another member to ensure that your commitment is covered.

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| JAMES MICHELSON | (760)330-7111 |
| TOM SMITH | (760) 518-7219 |
| LINDA DI ROSA | (760) 967-9991 |
| KELLY NICHOLL (Saturdays) | (845) 242-5126 |
| TONY TAYLOR | (603) 264-1349 |
| DEB SIEVERS | (951) 505-5551 |
| VIRGINIA WHITTAKER | (760) 717-9016 |
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| MIDGE PEARCE (Afternoons, Wkends) | (760) 435-2430 |

DID YOU KNOW?

You may now **enter 5 pieces** of art and **only sit once**.

- **CARD RACKS** - we have room for more of your cards.
 - With 1+ entries, you can enter up to 3 card packs & up to 3 shrink wraps.
- **COAL phone number** is taped to the front of the phone, on the cover of the Procedures Manual & on the bookmarks.
- **The 4th Thursday Art Walk was a huge success.** Come see for yourself on May 25th 5-8 PM.
- **Place our ROLLING SIGN** so it can be seen from the circular courtyard. Please check to be sure our sign isn't blocked by the Sock Shop's sign.

ART ON THE GREEN . . .

Spring has sprung and with it a whole new group of buyers for Art on the Green. There are new homeowners and visitors from Arizona to Canada visiting to purchase art for their homes. So if you are interested in joining the group of juried artists that take the opportunity to sell their works on weekends at Art on the Green, please contact Ann Hurd at photosbyannah@gmail.com.



The **OPEN JURIED SHOW** is almost here. Show dates **August 2nd to September 3rd**. **FIVE** weeks to show and sell your art!! **COAL** will be **open 6 days and 2 evenings 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 Saturday, July 29 & Sunday, July 30 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 artwork is the responsibility of the artist. Enter up to 3 pieces at \$16 each. Maximum diagonal measurement for the combined entries is 110 inches.

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.

THE COAL HIGH SCHOOL ART SHOW almost didn't happen this year because we lost our venue. Thanks to the Oddfellows's loan of the old historic building they own on Mission Ave., we were able to host it. Several hundred people visited the two week exhibit which featured three hundred pieces of art by high school students from Carlsbad, Oceanside and Vista. The majority of the people visited on the final weekend during the Oceanside Days of Art. Awards were presented in nine categories at a reception on April 14. Best of Show went to Rachel Klock, Carlsbad High. Participants are eligible to apply for COAL scholarships. The recipients will be displayed in the COAL Gallery in July.

Thanks to Lou Kasza, my right hand woman, for judging the show and helping with the reception and awards and Karen Crowell, for helping clean up the building, processing art work, greeting the guests and helping at the reception. Additional thanks to COAL members Judy Richardson, Karen Crowell, Linda DiRosa, Homa Zartoshty, Cathy Hark and my MCC students for serving as gallery hosts. A very special thank you to the Oddfellows, my husband Frank and friend Ray for all their help hanging and organizing the **show**. Thanks to Bonnie Gleason, Vicki Griffin, Gina Lee, Bob Mussay and Lou Kasza for staffing the COAL booth that promoted the show, our League and Gallery and the Children's Show at the Days of Art. If you missed the show, look for it next April! Diane Adams, High School Show Chair

Looking for an Art Teacher . . .

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Joan Grine	P	grine@roadrunner.com
Rikki Reinholz	W	rikkibr@roadrunner.com

In Memoriam

Long-time COAL member Shirley Shabazian has passed away. She became a COAL member in 1993. Shirley is survived by her 2 sons, Steve and Paul, and daughter Karen Clark.

Note to Artists: \$\$\$ IRS rules require COAL to file Form 1099 for any artist with sales of more than \$600 per year. You will be required to provide your social security number to COAL.