



ARTY FACTS

monthly newsletter to inform and support members

MEETING DATES :

Due to Corona Virus concerns, the monthly meetings have been **CANCELLED** until further notice.

CURRENT LOCATION:

Be Safe & Stay Home!

When meetings resume, they will begin at **10:30 a.m.** If you wish to participate in "Artist of the Month", please bring a painting which you have completed within the last three years that was not created during a workshop or class.

USUAL LOCATION:

LAKEVIEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
5914 CANAL BOULEVARD,
NEW ORLEANS

50/50 drawing with prize money, and art magazines as prizes.



"THAT'S ODD: MY FACEBOOK FRIENDS WHO WERE CONSTITUTIONAL SCHOLARS JUST A MONTH AGO ARE NOW INFECTIOUS DISEASE EXPERTS...."



President's Report: by Ria Russo, NOAA President

April, 2020

Hi Fellow Inmates ,

Are you climbing the walls yet? Trust me, after the fifth or sixth trip up it gets easier! I know that by now each of us has enough work done to host a private show.....NOT! I have found more trivial things to do, and when I am done doing them, it looks like I did nothing all day.

It is the month of April and with this newsletter we are sending you next year's ballot. If you have any nominees from the floor, please call me,(my number and email is in the yearbook) and I will see that that person is included in the voting. This must be done by April 10. If there are no changes, I will take that as your vote that you concur with the Nominating Committee and wish to elect their recommendations for the year 2020-21. I am trying to make this less complicated for all of you by assuming that your non response is your vote to affirm the committee's choices. All election activity will be closed by April 15,2020

I have cancelled the May luncheon. If circumstances permit, we will celebrate our end of the year at the Church on the May meeting date with lunch catered by Wanda. We can get together to meet, greet, and eat to bring closure to session 2020. I have not canceled the possibility of a luncheon in September. That will be the call of the new president based on the number of interested parties. Remember we need to cover the cost of the venue by the number of members and guests who commit to attend.

All other NOAA activities are being suspended until further notice as City Hall is not operating for these type of events. You will be given info as to when preparations can be made to support these events.

Be safe and stay connected,

Ria

Dear NOAA Members,

This ballot is based on the recommendations of the NOAA nominating committee. If you are opposed to any of the nominees, and wish to nominate a prospective board member or member at large, please notify Ria by April 10th, and that person will be included in the voting. Voting ends on April 15th. If no one adds to the slate then we will assume a Yea or Yay on all nominees.Ria Russo, President

Ballot for2020- New Orleans Art Association

Slate of Officers and Members

At large presented by the

Committee Nominee

Floor Nominee

President: Linda Hart

1st Vice President: Maggie Mae Kennedy

2nd Vice President: Laura Saxon

Financial Secretary: Mary Beth Machenberg

Corresponding Secretary: Beverly Boulet

Treasurers: Wanda McKinney, Gwen Tappin

Corresponding Secretary: Shirley Doiron

Members at Large:

Darlene Johnson

Pat Lamarie

Toni Wendell

Michelle Eroche

The Terrebonne Fine Art Guild recently held their **57th Annual Spring Arts Show** in Houma. Several NOAA members participated in the juried show and won awards (See below). Congratulations, Artists!



A Louisiana Egret

Michelle Eroche:

- ✚ A Louisiana Egret – Embodies the Spirit of Art Award
- ✚ Let’s Be Friends – Most Creative Award
- ✚ Urban Paradise – First Place for Photography

Julie Saputo:

- ✚ Chrissy – Second Place Award
- ✚ Vicki and Luke – Honorable Mention
- ✚ Ain’t Nothin’ Like a Good Cigar – Excellent Use of Design Elements Award, Jack Richeson Merit Award



Chrissy



An Apple A Day

Karen Kelly:

- ✚ An Apple A Day – Second Place Award
- ✚ Flower in Landscape - Jack Richeson Merit Award

Peggy Delery Pospisil:

- ✚ French Quarter Café – Third Place
- ✚ Happy Anniversary – Dick Blick Merit Award



French Quarter Cafe



Woods

Darlene Johnson:

- ✚ Woods – Honorable Mention

Wanda McKinney:

- ✚ Cherries Galore – Holbein Merit Award



Cherries Galore

Don't Forget:

The **Annual \$30 dues** are payable in May. If you are currently experiencing hardship, the deadline for payment is not until September.

Please add \$2.00 if you would like the yearbook mailed to you, and add \$5.00 if you would like the newsletters printed and mailed.

Checks can be made out to NOAA, and mailed to:

NOAA

c/o Mary Beth Machenberg

2104 Daniels Rd

Terrytown, LA 70056

Looking Ahead:

We hope to be able to resume our planned activities as soon as possible, so stay hopeful, and keep creating, artists!

Events to look forward to:

Luncheon- Possibly in May or September

Pirates' Alley Art Show and Festival- We have not ruled out rescheduling this event for the Fall

Get Crockin' - Our annual Fundraiser featuring amazing food served in crockpots and an auction of donated items

Members' Show- If we have a chance to fit this in to our condensed schedule, we will!

National Show- in the Spring of 2021



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