

# ARTY FACTS

monthly newsletter to inform and support members

### NEXT MEETING: JANUARY 20th, 2022

Meeting begins at 10:00 am

#### **LOCATION:**

CHURCH
5914 CANAL BOULEVARD
NEW ORLEANS

\*\*Please note the church requirements in green box on right, below the photo.

Food will not be served after this meeting; you are welcome to bring your own refreshments.

If you wish to participate in "Artist of the Month", please arrive at least 10 minutes early and bring a painting which you have completed within the last three years that was not created during a workshop or class.

50/50 drawing with prize money.

January demo by: Larry Frates

# Thanks to everyone who participated in NOAA's December Christmas party!



December's gift exchange of small original paintings, after some fun and games and followed by a wonderful holiday banquet.

\*Please wear your mask and follow social distancing protocols.

\*Meeting attendees must have proof of vaccination or a negative PCR Covid test within 72 hours of the meeting.



## **NOAA President's Report by Linda Hart**

#### **Happy New Year**

I hope everyone had a joyous holiday season.

Our **December party** was great fun, especially for new members experiencing our "left-right" painting swap for the first time. Thanks to **Ria Russo** for such an entertaining swap script, and to **Carol Scott** for keeping her composure while reading it. **Marie Weiler** did a great job setting up decorations and our main dish, supplemented with everyone's creative side dishes. **Gwen Tappin** donated decorative cuttings from her plant collection for us to take home.

**Darlene Johnson** is doing a great job coordinating our **workshops**. There is space available in **Larry Frates**' January 20-21 watercolor class, immediately following our monthly meeting. Check out Larry's <u>YouTube link</u> to hear more about it. Before we know it, it will be time for **Glinda Schafer's** pastel workshop - details soon.

#### IT'S COMING!!

#### "Northshore Art in Bloom" members show April 1-28, 2022 Hammond Regional Arts Center

Prospectus and application forms will be available in person and online. Get those brushes ready – images and applications due **February 23.** 

#### Need help organizing a last-minute painting or art-related excursion?

Contact Beverly Boulet, Laura Saxon, Gwen Tappin, or me so we can help you spread the word.

Thanks to **Michelle Eroche** for coordinating NOAA's tent at **Holiday Arts Markets** at City Park and Marsalis Harmony Park.

#### **Yearbook corrections?** Email, website, and/or phone changes?

Contact membership chair Mary Beth at marybeth@mbmachenberg.com so we can stay in touch.

#### Keep up

Visit our website <a href="https://www.noartassoc.org/">https://www.noartassoc.org/</a>
or Facebook page <a href="https://www.facebook.com/NOAArtassoc/">https://www.facebook.com/NOAArtassoc/</a> (no FB membership required)

Best wishes for a happy new year

#### ~Linda

"Every child is an artist. The problem is how to remain an artist once we grow up." Pablo Picasso

### **More Pictures from December...**



NOAA's Booth December Art Market in City Park







Carol Scott leads the Left-Right Gift Exchange Game



NOAA Members' Original Paintings for the Holiday Gift Exchange

#### **Attention: Call to Artists!**

#### for NORTHSHORE ART IN BLOOM

#### Members Juried Art Show

#### **APRIL 1-28, 2022**

Complete details will be in prospectus, available at January meeting and soon on the NOAA website, www.noartassoc.org.

ENTRY DEADLINE: February 23, 2022

**ENTRY FEE: \$20.00** 

NOAA Artists may submit up to three artworks for the entry fee of \$20.00 At least one work will be chosen from each artist who applies.

JUDGE: Marcia Holmes

#### **AWARDS**:

Awards and ribbons will be presented for the selected First Place (\$100), Second Place (\$75), Third Place (\$50), and Honorable Mention (\$25). Additional merit prizes will be awarded as deemed appropriate by the judge.

**LOCATION**: Hammond Regional Art Center, 217 E Thomas St, Hammond, LA. 70401

#### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

**February 23** Images/application/payment due to NOAA

March 25 Delivery of accepted artwork to HRAC,12-6pm

We will have some volunteers who can deliver paintings to the Northshore.

**April 1** Opening Reception— 5-8pm

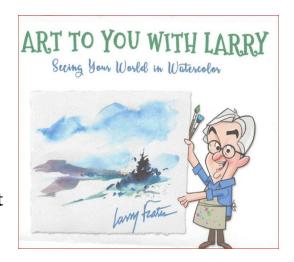
**April 2-28** Exhibition open to public –12-6pm, Wednesdays through Fridays

**April 29** Pick up artwork from HRAC,12-6pm

# It's not too late to join the Larry Frates Workshop!

OBSERVATION-INTERPRETATION-IMAGINATION

January 20-21, 2022 **Sponsored by the New Orleans Art Association** 



The New Orleans Art Association is proud to announce Larry Frates will conduct a 1 & 1/2 day workshop at Lakeview Presbyterian Church, 5914 Canal Blvd, New Orleans, LA. This one and one half day watercolor workshop is designed to provide you with some practical ideas, techniques and material applications directly linked to painting with watercolors.

Lawrence (Larry) Frates is presently the Artist in Residence at the Historic Belknap Mill in Laconia, New Hampshire. He has been creating watercolor, oils and acrylic paintings for over 50 years that represent a clean use of color in a semi-realistic style. His focus is on the representation of his subjects, rather than a detailed representation of the images.

Website: www.larrvfratescreates.com.

<u>Tuition is \$150 for NOAA members and \$175 for non-members.</u> To reserve a space, fill out the form below and mail it with a \$100 deposit or full payment check payable to the New Orleans Art Association c/o Darlene Johnson 3950 South Pin Oak Ave New Orleans, La 70131. The balance will be due by January 18. No refund can be made after January 18, unless your space can be filled. For more details, call Darlene Johnson at (504) 392-0215 or email darlenehjohnson@yahoo.com

Enrollment Form for Larry Frates Workshop, January 20&21, 2022		
Name		
Address		
Phone #	Email	

# Additional drawing and painting opportunities

#### N.O. Urban Sketchers

Sat, Jan 15th at 9:00 am January Sketch Session St. Roch Market 2381 Saint Claude Ave, NOLA 70117

## **Phil Sandusky Plein Air**

Painting / Drawing Workshop St. Joseph Abbey, Covington, LA Three day workshop, **Feb 15-17** <a href="https://www.philsandusky.com/.../philsandusky-plein-air.../">https://www.philsandusky.com/.../philsandusky-plein-air.../</a>

#### **Blue Easel Club**

A drawing Atelier with Carol Peebles
New workshops for 2022 as well as
year-round drawing opportunities.
New 2022 Drawing Workshops
(mailchi.mp)

- In a sense, every work you do is a selfportrait because your paintings always reveal more about you than about your subject. Your experience of something, not the something itself, is the true underlying subject of every work you do.
- It often takes two to do a good paintingone to paint it, and another to rap the painter smartly with a hammer before he or she can ruin it.
- Use lots of paint and don't worry, they will make more.
- When we are bursting with some wordless experience, Art is our voice, the song of our heart.

~Selected quotes from **Richard Schmid**, artist

Stop by to view the JAG Members Show at Lakeside Mall January 13-16. http://www.ieffersonartquild.com/

