The Olney Art Association, established in 1974

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Olney Art Association

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<u>olneyartassociation.org</u> <u>or .com</u>



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Newsletter



Calendar of Events

- Tues Jan 8 Member meeting at Ashton United Methodist Church (17314 New Hampshire Ave) in the room where we had the jurying (**change of location for this meeting only**) 7pm to 9pm. Subsequent meetings will be held at the Buffington Building.
- Mon Jan 21 Receiving of entries for Ranazul Gallery
- Mon Jan 28 Hanging show at the Inn at Brookeville Farms
- Thu Jan31 LAST DAY TO PAY OAA DUES !!!
- Mon Feb 4 Take-down/Hang at Artful Framer 10am
- Mon Feb 11 Deadline for submissions to Ranazul Gallery
- Sun Mar 3 Hang Ranazul Gallery Show (time TBD)

NOTE: Dues must be

received by January 31, 2013.

See bottom of page 5 for where to send.



- Tues Mar 5 Member meeting at Buffington Bldg, 7pm-9pm (David Epstein, presenter)
- Sun Mar 10 Reception at Ranazul Gallery 4pm—5pm

MESSAGES FROM CO-PRESIDENTS

Hello fellow artists,

Over the past two years I have enjoyed the rewards and challenges experienced serving as **co-president** for Olney Art Association. My term ends in December and I look forward to passing on what I have learned to the two co-presidents at our January meeting. **I will continue to serve as web tender and follow the new exhibits instituted during my term as OAA president.** The way to keep Olney Art growing is to go forward with new ideas and leadership so our organization remains a vital part of the community. Thank you very much for your support. Happy holidays.

Sincerely, Sherry Jose'

Dear members,

I also want to thank you for your support over this past term as co-president and newsletter editor. I have enjoyed working with Sherry and all of the OAA board members. Lori Myers has volunteered to be our newsletter edi-

tor effective with the February 2013 issue. Thanks again everyone, you're the best!

Wishing all of you happy holidays and a great new year ahead.

Sincerely, Debby Wolfe



Annual Woodlawn Show

Congratulations to Toni Tiu, Cecile Kirkpatrick (our co-chairs) and to everyone who helped with the Woodlawn Show this year. A beautiful show, well attended and a beautiful day for the reception. David Epstein did a great job of jurying the show. We had several sales. Also, the additional lighting, provided by Sherry and Felipe Jose' helped considerably this year. Great job everyone!

Also, congratulations to our winners:

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Best in Show	-Jane Preece (Fall, acrylic)
Juror Award	-Mimi Hegler (Pears, watercolor)
Juror Award	-Karen Norman (Another Dimension, watercolor)
Juror Award	-Dan Ranhart (California Mike, mixed media)
Honorable Mention	-Marcia Davis (What's Over There?, etching)
Honorable Mention	-Nancy Leak (Grandma's Crazy Quilt, etching)
Honorable Mention	-Barbara McCool (Close Relationships, mixed media)
Honorable Mention	-Cathy McDermott (Celebration, watercolor)
Honorable Mention	-Dan Ranhart (Jamaica Desi, mixed media)
Honorable Mention	-Genevieve Roberts (Colorado Snow Fence, etching aquatint)



January 8th Meeting—Ashton Methodist Church

At this, our first meeting of the new year, we will vote in our new co-presidents and have a short business meeting. Sally Drew will have OAA aprons and bags for sale during the break. We hope every member will be able to attend this meeting to welcome our new co-presidents, who have volunteerd to lead us for the next two year term.

George Miller and Lori Myers of The Artful Framer in Olney, will be our presenters this evening. They will do a talk on framing in the form of a Q & A type session. Please come prepared with lots of questions.



A SPECIAL "THANK YOU" TO LORETTA MORGAN FOR HER GENEROUS DO-NATION TO OUR OAA GENERAL FUND EACH YEAR FOR THE WOODLAWN SHOW. THANK YOU!!

Note: If you know of a member who needs to be remembered with a card due to serious illness or death, please contact Selma Robey 301-216-5416 and she will send a card from our membership



MEMBER NEWS

- Members included in the 79th Annual International Exhibition of Fine Art in Miniature at Strathmore (through Dec. 31), include: Ingrid Barnes, Marcia Davis (HM in Graphic Art), Mimi Hegler (1st place in Graphic Art), Sherry Jose', Nancy Leak (HM in Collage/Mixed Media), Debbie Miller, Dan Ranhart, Genevieve Roberts (3rd place in Graphic Art), Shirley Tabler (HM in Graphic Art).
- Members who sold works at the Woodlawn Show were: Gloria Tanton, Debby Wolfe, Sara Becker, Sherry Jose', and Bertha Padams.
- Mimi Hegler designed and created our new OAA pamphlets....they look great! Thank you Mimi!
- OAA members, also members of RAL, won several awards in the recent RAL show. Marian MacKerer, Jane Preece and Karen Norman.
- NOTE: Please send future news items to our new newsletter editor Lori Myers:

Email: lmyers1761@live.com or call: 301-540-3373 / 240-477-0843

HOLIDAY LUNCHEON /THE INN AT BROOKEVILLE FARM

Our holiday luncheon was well attended this year. The food was delicious and the dining room was very festive, with candles on the tables, a fire in the fireplace and a lot of friendly chatter. If you missed it, we hope you will make plans to attend next year's event...so much fun! Special thanks to our OAA Board members who put together the festive gift bags and supplied art related "free" art gifts to all. Sally Drew, you did a spectacular job (as usual) with the place cards and bags, and Sherry, we all love the value finders...thank you so much from all of us who attended.

OAA WEBSITE

Sherry Jose' is point of contact for the OAA website:



olneyartassociation.org

If you would like to put digital

photos of your paintings on the website, please email Sherry....each member will be allowed (1) image at a time and you may change them at any time. We need photos of your paintings for the gallery.

Email Sherry at: jose2325@aol.com



VENUES TO EXHIBIT YOUR ART

This is a "great" way to exhibit and sell your work. Don't miss out on these wonderful opportunities !

When you see Sherry Jose', our president, please give her a big "thanks" for all her dedication and work behind-the-scenes that benefits all of us in the Olney Art Association. (:

The Artful Framer

Exhibits will be changed out the first Monday of : Feb-April-June-Aug-Oct-Dec

This space will handle 8 to 10 paintings: <u>16" x 20" or smaller</u> (professionally framed)

Pricing: Artist list price, less A/F 25% commission + sales tax. To get your name on the list for future exhibits, please contact co-chairs:

Cecile Kirkpatrick 301-570-4429 cecile810@gmail.com - or -Toni Tiu 301-977-4714 atelier063@gmail.com (co-chairs)

Artful Framer offers OAA members 25% discount on framing of your original art works. Artful Framer is now remodeling and will be selling overstocked frames, uncut and precut mats etc. at a significant discount. See owner, George Miller for more information.

The Ranazul Gallery Show—Marcia Nilson and Sherry Jose' will host this committee. Submit your entries to Marcia Nilson no earlier than Jan 21 and no later than Feb 11, 2013. The theme will be **"CONTEMPORARY ART."** Only paintings with black framing, plain metal framing or wrapped/painted canvases will be accepted and all must be for sale. Submissions will be accepted on a first come first serve basis. The gallery can take up to 18 pieces of art. This is a great venue to sell your work! **Submit 1 or 2 entries (only one will be accepted)** to:

Marcia Nilson- nilson.directions@comcast.net 301-989-0354 or...

Sherry Jose' — jose2325@aol.com 301-681-4786



The Inn at Brookeville Farms Restaurant

The deadline for submissions is December 17th. The team of members handling this show will be : Sherry Jose, Debby Wolfe, and Marian MacKerer. Forty spaces are available. Giclee prints of original art will be accepted and the same artist will replace their sold piece. A sign will be posted informing restaurant patrons how to purchase paintings. Checks will be written to OAA; the association will take a 25% commission on all sales. You are welcome to send me up to five pieces for consideration. If you have any questions about this, please do not hesitate to call me or email me. 301/681-4786 or jose2325@aol.com. The exhibit will be hung on January 28th, 2013.



REMINDER:

Annual dues of \$25 for OAA membership are to be paid <u>by January 31, 2013.</u> Please submit payment to OAA treasurer:

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