



WACCAMAW ARTS & CRAFTS GUILD NEWSLETTER

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WACG Guild Meeting

The Guild will meet on **January 16 at The Art Museum at 10:15 A. M.**

Back by popular demand, **Walter Allen** will present the program for January. Walter will show his work and demonstrate his techniques in drawing and cartooning with emphasis on the importance of drawing. Walter's last demonstration was so interesting and helpful that he left everyone wanting more. **We hope everyone will come out and join us for the first meeting of the new year.**

• **Board Meeting:** The Board of Directors will meet at the **Woodhaven Pancake House** (Location below) directly after the general meeting, unless otherwise notified by Jackie. The meeting is open to the public. If you are a Board Member and cannot attend the meeting, please call or Email Jackie at: 843-446-5749 or jackie799@gmail.com. The bd. meeting is always open to the public.

WACG Breakfast Social - meets on the **second Tuesday** of each month at 9 am at the **Woodhaven Pancake House**, located on Hwy. 17 business about 1/2 mile North of the former Myrtle Beach Air Force Base front entrance, right beside Teacher's Touch. Everyone is invited!

2010 Program Schedule: **January** - Walter Allen to discuss & demonstrate cartooning & sketching

February - Demo from a member of SC Watermedia Society, **March** - Spring Solstice one day Art Fair in Conway. The Guild will pay the entrance fee and any member can participate and sell their art and crafts for free. Peggy Thibodeau will coordinate this for the Guild. More about this in the February newsletter., **April** - Another art challenge! create a piece of art incorporating a coffee mug and a lamp - or any vessel used for drinking and a light source: lamp, candle, spot light, etc. Start thinking about it now to create for April Show & Tell. **May** - Juried Exhibit at the Art Museum. (No meeting for June or July)

Newsletter Changes

The big news so far in 2010 is the newsletter changes the Board has voted to implement. Beginning with this newsletter, members who have E-mail addresses will receive the newsletter by E-mail. Those who are not online may still receive it by regular mail but will need to pay a bit extra to cover the postage, etc. as the bulk rate will not apply for a smaller number of items. **The Membership fee for 2010 has also increased to 25.00;** Fees for 2010 will be as follows:

Individual Membership - \$25.00

Family (living in the same household) - **\$32.00.**

Student fees (18 years of age or over & enrolled in a public school) - will remain at **\$10.00.**

If you would like to have the newsletter mailed to you by regular mail, please add \$5.00 to the above amounts and notify us of your preference when you send in your Membership/Renewal forms

For the month of January, everyone on the WACG mailing list will receive the newsletter as described above, but on **March 1st**, those who have not renewed their membership since **2007 or 2008**, will be moved to the "**Shows Only**" list. Everyone who was a member in **2009** will remain on the newsletter mailing list until **April 1st**, at which time you will also be moved to the "**Shows Only**" list if you have not renewed your membership. However, beginning this month, the newsletter will be posted on the WACG web site so **anyone who wishes may download it from there. (Lifetime Members will continue to receive all newsletters and show applications).** We hope these changes work for everyone. If you are receiving the newsletter by E-mail, you can contact JoAnne at **843-448-7690** if you are unsure of your membership status.

2010 Juried Exhibit

Preparations have already started for the 2010 Juried Exhibit which will again be presented at The Art Museum. The dates for this year's show will be: April 29 to May 27 with the Awards Presentation and Reception on April 29. The Prospectus/Entry forms will be mailed out by the end of January, and will also be posted on the web site **after the mail out.** All information concerning the exhibit will be in the Prospectus.

Art Classes

- **Don Stolberg** - Wood Carving Classes, Beginning and Intermediate are being offered at the North Myrtle Beach Recreation Center, 1030 Possum Trot Road. Call Don at (843-249-7637) or Recreation Coordinator, Callie Langley (843-280-5570).
- **Kate Lagaly** - Watercolor & Colored Pencil - 650-3750 or E-mail: woogs1@yahoo.com
- **Alice McInvaill Estes** - Teaches private art lessons in her home for both children and adults at reasonable prices. Call 843-333-4669 or alicemestes@sc.rr.com for current class schedules. Go to <http://picasaweb.google.com/alicemestes> to see Alice's Batik works. **Also from Alice:** Batik jewelry and small purses will be on display at Applewood Pancake House, Litchfield/Pawleys, on a column near checkout counter. Ear rings and necklaces or small silk purses -\$17.50. All unique and bright colors, fun for gifts.
- **Jackie Stacharowski** - Oils & Acrylics at the Base Recreational Center. Call: 446-5749 or Email jackie@artistjackie.com
- **Jane Staszak**: Sunset River Marketplace with emphasis on drawing and using soft pastels. Students may work in any media except oils.....**Call 249-6849 or Email stash38@earthlink.net.**
- **JoAnne Doshier** (Doshier Designs): Watercolor Classes for beginners to advanced. A material list is available at the NMB Recreation Center. Open to ages 18 and above. \$15 per class or \$100 for 7-week session. Call 843-390-4023 - 843-280-5605 or Email at jd4019@scoast.net for complete details and dates.
- **Susan Duke** - Classes in Watercolor, Gouache, and other water media. Call Susan for details and class schedules- Susan's Cell Phone: **251-3877**
- **Stuart Fleishman** is teaching pastel and open studio and his wife **Wynona Fleishman** teaches beginning acrylic painting at The Family Learning Center at 3101 Oak St. phone: **839-5400 or call Stuart at home at 272-4488.**
- **Ruth Cox**: Is teaching art classes at the Adult Education Center at MB Elementary School on Oak Street next to Pepper Geddings Rec. Center. For a complete class schedule call the Adult Education Center at: **843-839-5400. Email Ruth at: coxrc@yahoo.com Or you may contact their web site at:http://www.edtheturtle.com/Departments/AdultEd/community_education.htm.**
- **Bob Johnston** will conduct a Life Drawing class with a live model at the Litchfield Exchange beginning in mid February. The following changes are: Class duration will be eight weeks, class will be held at 9:30 a m, until 12:00 noon, Wednesdays. The cost of the class will be \$200.00 for the entire session. Those artists interested in taking this class, are asked to contact Bob personally, prior to February 5th. **237-7290,,,,,,or Tesoroz22@aol.com.**
- **Mud Bucket Pottery**: February 5, 6 & 7 Tony & Sheila Clennell will be at Mud Bucket Pottery for a demo workshop of clay work, showing their unique methods of throwing and hand building and making cane handles for use in pottery for lids and teapots.**Schedule:** Friday 6PM, Slides, discussion, wine & cheese Saturday & Sunday 9-5PM Tony & Sheila will be throwing., hand building, combining forms & making cane and sweetgrass handles along with a discussion of the pieces made the day before. **Cost is \$200 for the event.** For further info contact: 843-399-8702 or E-mail at www.mudbucketpottery.com.

Art Events & Other Things of Interest

- **The Associated Artists of Southport** will present their **Spring Art Show** from March 1 to March 27. Deadline for entry is February 12, 2010. For further information and to receive a Registration Form, contact **Joyce Grazetti, www.artslave@nc.rr.com.**
- **WACG Art In The Park:** Dates for the 2010 Art In the Park shows at Chapin Park in Myrtle Beach are: April 17-18, June 19-20, October 9-10, November 6-7. Two additional shows will be at Valor Park 4017 Deville St., Market Common: April 24-25 and November 13-14. **Contact JoAnne Utterback: 843-448-7690.** Downloadable applications are available at www.artsyparksy.com
- **Mother Duck Art** has opened an art gallery in the B&B Antiques Mall in North Myrtle Beach. **Contact Kristin at: 417-1300, ext. 1040 if you are interested in participating.**
- **Pop's Glass in Conway:** To catch up on all the current offerings from Ed and Barbara Streeter at Pop's Glass, visit their web site at www.popsglass.com. They are located at 911-A Norman Alley, Conway, SC 29526. **Phone: 843-248-4527 or Email: popsglass@aol.com**
- **Carolina Improv Company: Gina Trimarco invites you to add more laughter to your new year. Go to the web site at: [Carolina Improv Company](http://CarolinaImprovCompany.com) Phone: (843) 272-HaHa (4242) or Email: Gina@carolinainprov.com**
- **Waterway Woodcarvers** meet Tuesday mornings from 9am to 12pm at the A.C. Moore store in Myrtle Beach. For information call **Richard McGrath at 843-903-3238.**
- **WACG Web Site Updated.** www.wacg.org has a new look. It has a calendar of events, past issues of the newsletter, entry and membership forms, workshop info and artist information. If you want to be listed as an active member and your membership is up-to-date. send an email with your name, contact info, a link to your web site or blog, teaching info (if you teach) and a good photo of one of your creations. Send it to wacg.mbsc@gmail.com. If you are not on the internet you can still be listed with your name, contact & teaching info and a photo. **Send it to the Guild's PO Box to the attention of Jackie Stacharowski.**

December Board Meeting

In December, the Guild Board of Directors held the annual business meeting which included election of officers for 2010. All officers were reelected for another year's term. The Guild extends their thanks to all the Board Members who have served and are still serving WACG. Walter Allen has completed two terms of service to WACG. Thank you, Walter. Two new members, Judy Churchfield and Bill Doughty were unanimously elected to the board for 2010.

WACG Web Site: Go to artsyparksy.com for Art In The Park info and applications and to www.wacg.org for membership applications, newsletters, show postings and general information about WACG.