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NEWSLETTER

September/October 2011

El Camino Art Association
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President's Message

Franczeska Bobi Angel (Swindell)

I keep repeating a thank you for all you hard working members and even a couple of non members out there. Thank you and thanks again, your work is really appreciated and you are making it happen.

Our summer is at last here on the Central Coast and that helps our showings. Hope you are all doing well at Farmers Market and Avila.

My big project just now is our 50th Anniversary Show coming up in November. Marc and Julie London and staff at SLO Down Pub, 1200 East Grand Avenue, Arroyo Grande, at the corner of Brisco Road and Grand, have been gracious enough to give us room, not only for our celebration on November 4th, but to hang our art there throughout November and December. Lighting is good during day time, and alright at night. The music there is great and the food is good too. Ellie's Cafe, next door, will provide the food for the reception, and will be displaying our scholarship winners' artwork. There is a 35% commission to be paid to SLO Down Pub, but the good news is that 20 % is going to our scholarship fund.

Here's the scoop; We are not charging to exhibit, just the 35 % of sold work and at least two hours of your time. We have 30 artists already signed up and all have agree to work at least two hours. Each artist will be allowed up to two hanging pieces. We will hang on November 1 starting at 4 pm until 6 pm. It will be an enjoyable get together as well as getting the work done. We will have publicity flyers to give everyone to distribute to encourage others to attend the reception and/or the exhibit. I will need your help with publicity, hanging posters and distributing the flyers. Working together we will make this show a success. Even if you are not showing and want to help, please. Any questions, please do not hesitate in calling me, (805) 489-4035 or e mail: artwithangel@aol.com

Franczeska Angel

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By Janet Payne



By Carol Smith

Members' News & Events

Lorri Trogdon at Talley Vineyards

During the months of September and October Lorri Trogdon will be the guest artist at **Talley Vineyards**. The reception was previous to this newsletter's publication. Also on November 29th you can see Lorri demo at the **Central Coast Watercolor Society** meeting. See www.ccwsart.com for info. In addition, look for Lorri's work at **The Gallery at the Network** and **Art Central** in SLO.

Open Studios Art Tour

This year's ARTS Obispo's Open Studios will feature several ECAA artists, including Donna Shook and Lorri Trogdon. The Tour is October 15-16 for South County, October 22-23 for North County, and October 29-30 for the Encore Weekend. Not all participating artists will be open the encore weekend. Check with your favorite artists as to which weekend(s) they will be open. Again this year the tour maps are FREE. Get your free map at www.sloartscouncil.com.

****MEETING REMINDERS ****

**The September *ECAA General Meeting* is Monday, September 26th @ 2:00 P.M.
A special organizational meeting will be held at 12:45 on this date to address the 50th Anniversary Show.**

The October *ECAA General Meeting* is Monday, October 24th @ 2:00 P.M.

**The Board Meeting is always @ 1:00 just prior to the General Meeting.
Meetings are held at the Ramona Garden Center in Grover Beach.**

2011 Demo Artist Schedule

<u>Month</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Medium</u>
September 26	Rosanne Seitz	Watercolor
October 24	Flo Bartell	Encaustic
November 28	OPEN	
December TBD	Christmas Party	

50th Anniversary Celebration Show

Plans are well under way for our big celebration at the SLO Down Pub in AG. Many of you have already committed to show your work and to assist. There is plenty of wall space, so be sure to sign up to include your best work (up to 2 pieces).

There is no fee to participate; each of us will need to donate at least 2 hours toward the event in lieu of an entry fee. At this time, inquiries should be directed to **Franczeska at 805-489-4035**, artwithangel@aol.com

A commission of 35% will be subtracted from any sales, with 20% going to the Student Scholarship Fund, and 15% going to the SLO Down Pub.

Art take-in is scheduled for Tuesday, November 1, 4-6 pm. The show will run through December. An end-of-show pick-up date has not been announced. Art must remain on display for the entire show.

The reception is scheduled for Friday November 4, 5-7 pm.

All participating artists are encouraged to attend the **Anniversary Show organizational meeting scheduled for 12:45 Monday, September 26**, before our General Meeting. Responsibilities will be assigned for all participants at that time.

It is time to nominate our 2012 board members

A board nominating committee is now being formed. This is your opportunity to help shape your Art Association for the next year and for El Camino Art Association's second 50 years.

Questions / Info: Janet Payne 805-617-9984, janet@janetpayne.com

Shell Beach ArtWalk

Saturday, October 1, the Shell Beach Improvement Group (SBIG) will hold **ArtWalk3**, bringing local artists, businesses, and the community together for an afternoon of art viewing, refreshments, and fellowship. Artists will be assigned a host business where they will be able to display and sell their work as part of a community-wide event.

Artists will display from 11:00 am until 4:00 pm. The participation fee is \$25, \$15 for SBIG members.

Proceeds will be donated to the El Camino Art Association Student Scholarship Fund to benefit artistic high school seniors in the Lucia Mar School District.

Info: Lani Briceland 805-773-1889, or lanibriceland@gmail.com

September Demo Artist – Rosanne Seitz



In 1983, while on a trip to Yosemite, Rosanne took a watercolor class and got hooked on the medium. Rosanne took more classes after that, but did not take the “big plunge” to painting full time until 1998. Since then, Rosanne has developed her talents and distinguished herself as one of the finest watercolor painters on the Central Coast.

One of Rosanne’s biggest accomplishments is starting a successful gallery (with 3 partners) in San Luis Obispo. **The Gallery at the Network** has grown and developed into a gallery that not only shows an abundance of Rosanne’s originals and prints, but also shows the work of over twenty regional artists.

Rosanne’s passion for painting has only increased over the years. Although busier than ever, she does many projects that support the local art community whenever she can.

Rosanne is a member of the Central Coast Watercolor Society, El Camino Art Association, Morro Bay Art Association and San Luis Outdoor Painters for the Environment. You can reach Rosanne at 805-481-7782, fourseitz@aol.com. (Content courtesy rosanneseitz.com)

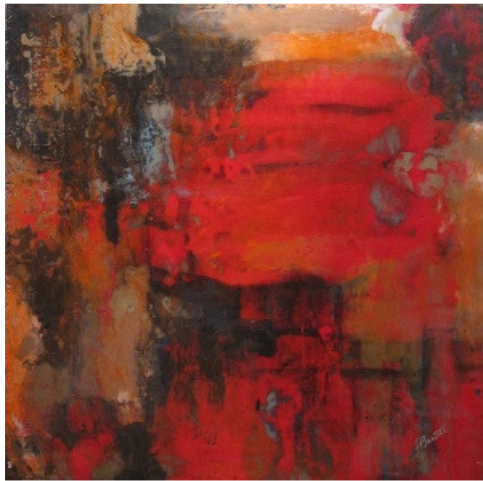


“Summer Grasses”-Rosanne Seitz



“Oak Canyon”-Rosanne Seitz

October Demo Artist - Flo Bartell



"Behind The Shed"-Flo Bartell

Inspired largely by nature and the human form, Flo enjoys expressing her view of the world through the texture and intense colors possible with encaustic - wax medium and pigments.



Her paintings have been accepted into amateur and professional juried exhibits, appeared on magazine covers, and have been adapted for nationally marketed needlepoint designs. Her embroidery designs have been featured in internationally distributed magazines and her many essays have been published by *She Magazine*.



"Worth The Wait"-Flo Bartell

Flo is a member of International Encaustic Artists; San Luis Obispo Museum of Art; Central Coast Watercolor Society; Oil, Pastel, and Acrylic Group; and is a member and president of Morro Bay Art Association at Art Center Morro Bay. You can reach Flo at 805-528-7983 or fbartell@charter.net (Content courtesy artcentermorrobay.com)



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Welcome New Member

Everyone, please welcome:

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Editor's Notes:

Newsletter submission deadlines are generally around the 10th day of the odd-numbered months.

Publication is generally 7-10 days after the deadline.

Be sure to send us your news and events in plenty of time. And, don't be shy-we would like to share more about what is happening in our members' creative lives.

Thanks-Ed

ECAA Marketplace



For Sale:

Ceramic Supplies-Kiln stilts, shelves, posts, plate setter, plate hangers, pyrometric cones, spice bottles to decorate.

Mary Annesley by appointment,
805-489-2344.

Attention Artists! If you have some art and craft supplies lying around that may be worth more to someone else, advertise the items for free in the ECAA Marketplace.

Submissions: Craig
trapstudio@yahoo.com



left-Hearts on display at a Santa Maria Summer Concert Series event.



right-Hearts on display at the Halcyon Store.

Hearts Desire

Scholarship Fundraiser

Update



Thanks to all you Hearts painters, we are able to fully stock our selling locations. All but one of our locations have sold, with Avila being the big performer (Thanks Matt!) notching 16 Hearts sold. As of this date, a total of 26 Hearts have been sold.

I am pleased to learn Hearts will be on display at the 50th Anniversary Show. That means we will need all of those Hearts that remain to be turned in. Please have them turned in by the October General Meeting, on the 24th.

We will likely have another location from which to sell our Hearts. We can't announce yet because it is not finalized, but it looks good.

Thanks again for all your good work. Keep painting Hearts! Remember, 100% of the proceeds go toward the Scholarship Fund. Craig 805-260-1829.

Hearts are currently available for purchase at the following locations:

Arroyo Grande Farmer's Market, in the Village, Sat 12-3

Halcyon Store, 936 S. Halcyon Rd. Halcyon, Mon-Sat 9-5, Sun 10-5

Bill Senna's Insurance Services, 1404 E. Grand Ave. AG, Mon-Fri 8-5

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Our Mission Statement

Our Mission Statement is to promote art and encourage support of the artists in our local communities. Of special interest to the Association is encouraging upcoming young artists to continue to develop their artistic talents.

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(Complete for New or to Renew an existing Membership)

Annual Membership: Individual-- \$30.00 Family--\$35.00

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