

## JUNE 2012 GRAPEVINE

**UPCOMING MEETINGS: All meetings held at the Windsor Park Pavilion in Oak Bay, 7-9pm on Thursday evenings, usually the third Thursday of the month**

- **Sept. 20: Critique, critiquer yet to be determined. Bring one or two paintings** if you want to participate, or just come and watch, listen and learn.

### **SPRING WORKSHOP: Mike Svob SFCA**

- **June 2, 3rd at the Saanich Fairgrounds. We had 16 participants and made some money for the chapter, which we really needed.** Everyone had a good time and learned a lot; results are visible from the amazing works people are posting on Facebook, after imbibing Mike's knowledge and inspiration.

### **EXHIBITIONS:**

- **Our Fall Show will be at Morris Gallery, 428 Burnside Rd. East, off Alpha, October 2-27. We sold 13 paintings at this venue last October, so be sure to have your best work framed and ready for jurying!**
- **Drop-off paintings Friday Sept. 28, noon-4pm at Morris Gallery**
- **Pickup of Declined Paintings, Sunday Sept. 30, 1-3pm.**
- **Opening Reception Friday Oct. 5, 7-9pm.**
- **Pick-up of paintings at end of show: Sunday Oct. 28, 1-3pm.**

**Our Spring Show will be at Coast Collective Art Centre, 3221 Heatherbell Rd., March 6-16<sup>th</sup>. [www.coastcollective.ca](http://www.coastcollective.ca) Hours are Wednesday-Sunday, noon-5pm.**

- **Drop-off at the Gallery, Monday March 4, 10am-1pm**
- **Pick-up of declined paintings Wednesday March 6, noon-3pm**
- **Opening Reception, Sunday March 9, 2-4pm.**
- **Pick-up at end of Show: Sunday March 17, 1-3pm**

### **MAJOR UPCOMING VICTORIA EXHIBITIONS and EVENTS**

- **Sooke Fine Arts Show. Preview night for artists, Friday July 27; Show runs July 28-Aug. 7.** The list of accepted artists is now on their website: [www.sookefinearts.com](http://www.sookefinearts.com) **Congratulations to the following chapter members whose work was accepted to this year's show:**  
**Ed Araquel, Michael Beseau, Kristina Boardman AFCA, Barbara Burns, Marlene Howell, Tara Juneau, Clement Kwan SFCA, Mary Ann Laing AFCA, Shawn Maynard, Jennifer Olson, Lisa Riehl AFCA, Sandhu Singh AFCA, Sharlene Stushnov-Lee and Sharon Wareing.**
- **Sidney Fine Art Show. Jury deadline July 13 or first 1250 entries. See [www.SidneyFineArtShow.com](http://www.SidneyFineArtShow.com)**

- **Moss Street Paint-In: Saturday July 21, 11am-4:30 pm. This is the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Paint-In** and a lot of our FCA members are involved. **Maps** have been mailed out to participants and **should be up soon** at [www.aggv.ca](http://www.aggv.ca) if you want to see where the artists are located. **Congratulations to the following artists:** **Kristi Bridgeman, Kathy Cameron, Claire Christinel, June Haynes, Anne Hudec SFCA, Keith Levang, Victor Lotto, Jim McFarland AFCA, Catherine Moffat SFCA, Dorset Norwich-Young AFCA, Jennifer Olson, Lisa Riehl AFCA, Dawn Joy Ritchie, Sandhu Singh AFCA, Sharon Stone, Sandy Terry and Marney Ward SFCA.**

## **FEDERATION GALLERY UPCOMING SHOWS**

- **Drawing Exhibition, June 12-24**
- **Summer Gallery, June 26- August 12.**
- **Painting on the Edge (POTE), Jury deadline June 14; Show August 14-Sept. 2.**

## **ART AVENUE DEADLINES**

- Send info about your own shows and major events, including an image if appropriate, to [artavenue@artists.ca](mailto:artavenue@artists.ca) Cara is the new editor.
- Marney is the liason for chapter news for Art Avenue: [marneyward@shaw.ca](mailto:marneyward@shaw.ca)

## **WEBSITE AND GRAPEVINE**

- Send info for website to **Michael Beseau, [m-beseau@shaw.ca](mailto:m-beseau@shaw.ca)**
- Send info for the Grapevine to Marney, [marneyward@shaw.ca](mailto:marneyward@shaw.ca)

**PREVIOUS MEETINGS: April: AGM and Election of Officers: see the new slate of officers for 2012 below. This was followed by a slide show of all 2011 new signature members plus the four new 2012 signature members from our chapter, prepared with commentary by Anne Hudec SFCA.** Thanks Anne, this took a lot of preparation but was really enlightening to see, and so important for anyone considering trying for their AFCA in the near future.

## **MEMBER SHOWS and OTHER NEWS**

- **Sandy Terry** is having a **solo exhibition, Sensate Florals, at Sooke Harbour House** for the month of **June. Opening Reception June 3, 1-3pm.**
- **Claire Christinel** will be having a **solo show** at the **Oak Bay Marina Coffee House** for the month of **June**, she will also be in the **Plein Air Artishow** event on the lawn of the **Empress** for some of their Saturday events during the summer.
- **Doreen Green** had a painting accepted in the **Drawing Exhibition at Federation Gallery, June 12-24**

- **AGGV Centennial Square Paint-In. Dawn Joy Ritchie will be participating in the AGGV Centennial Square Paint-In July 16 and Victor Lotto will be participating July 17**
- **Bowker Creek Brush-Up, August 12. Victor Lotto will be participating**

## 2012-2013 Slate of Officers

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