

FEBRUARY 2011 GRAPEVINE

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Feb. 17. Ken Campbell will demonstrate his glazing techniques in oils

Mar. 17. Victor Arcega critique. Bring one or two paintings each.

Apr. 21. AGM, Elections, multiple demos by 3 chapter members

SPRING WORKSHOP

- **April 1-3, 2011, Saanich Fairgrounds**
- **Cost: \$325 per person (for 3 days)**
- **Instructor: Suzanne Northcott SFCA**
- **Topic: "Loose and Large Acrylics"**
- **Contact Sharlene Lee, 250-595-7350, s.stushnov@shaw.ca for more details**
- **See attachment for pics and more info**

SPRING EXHIBITION

- **Drop-off Thursday Feb. 24, 12:30-5PM.** CAC Gallery in Sussex Place, Douglas between Fort and Broughton
- **Opening Reception Sunday Feb. 27th, 2-4pm**
- Show runs til March 9th and is timed to coincide with Tourist in Your Own Town
- **Jurors:** David Goatley SFCA, Harold Allanson SFCA, Jim McFarland AFCA
- **Please print the attached jurying form, fill it out and mail it to Agnes or bring to the Drop-off Feb. 24.**

FEDERATION GALLERY UPCOMING SHOWS

- **Signature Status Application** and 10 images due Feb. 18th
- **Haiku Inspirations**, Application deadline March 10th
- **Abstract Show**, Application deadline March 31st

ART AVENUE DEADLINES

- Send info about your own shows and major events, including an image if appropriate, to Kelli Kadokawa at artavenue@artists.ca
- Deadline for May/June issue is **March 21st**, 2011

WEBSITE AND GRAPEVINE

- Send info for website to marneyward@shaw.ca
- We will be starting a **new section on the website for members who teach**. Send Marney a two-line description of your classes or workshops and your contact info. We will list by instructor's name so start with your name. For example: *Marney Ward teaches 8-week courses on floral watercolours, 3-hour weekly sessions, 24 hours instruction for \$200. Phone number, email and website.* Then anyone

interested can contact Marney for more details. This is not the place to give detailed lists of all your workshops, just an overview of what you offer.

PREVIOUS MEETINGS

- **DECEMBER:** Thanks to **Josephine Bohemier** for organizing a wonderful **Christmas Party and Pot-luck**, to **Charles Dool** and **Rory Kirby** for organizing the painting exchange, and to **Kerry Fleetwood** for the lovely video presentation. A copy of the tribute to **Les Funk**, who received his Honorary Life Membership in our chapter, is attached and can also be found on the website.
- **January:** **Anne Hudec** and **Jim McFarland** gave a thorough and amusing account of all the minute details of application for signature status, answered questions, and showed us all a digital presentation of the successful candidates from last year. Thanks guys, that was informative and fun.

MEMBER SHOWS and OTHER NEWS

- **Mary Conley and Verna Linney** are showing at Victoria International Airport Galleries for a period of three months, commencing on February 11. This is a group show with six other artists, sponsored by the CACGV and curated by Nancy Slaght.
- **Barbara Callow and Nikki Wilson** have been accepted to the Landscapes show in Vancouver, Feb. 22nd – March 6th.
- **Marney Ward and Desiree Bond** have been invited to participate in an exhibition at the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria during Art in Bloom, March 27th - April 9th.
- **Dr. Mary Conley** won the 2011 Reproductive Health Award from the Federation of Medical Women of Canada for outstanding work and achievements in this field of medicine. The Federation of Medical Women is a national organization committed to the development of women physicians and the well-being of all women.
- We are sad to report that **Kay Davies'** husband Al died recently after a long illness. Kay is a long-time active member who served on our executive for many years and has helped with numerous exhibitions. You are in our thoughts Kay.