



Fairfield-Suisun City Visual Arts Association



Artifacts

October 2018

Solano Town Center Gallery

"Faces"

What Are You? Who Are You? In Your Face!

August 29 thru October 7, 2018

Intake: August 26, 2018, Noon to 5pm Artwork Pickup: October 7, 2018 3-6pm





Featured Artists: Barbara Daughter & Chris Cammarata





Next Show

"The Mind at Play" "Think about It?"

Last Members' Show of the Year!

October 10 thru November 4, 2018

Intake: October 7, 2018, Noon to 5pm Reception: October 13, 2018, 3-5pm Artwork Pickup: November 4, 2018, 3-6pm

55th Annual Nor-Cal Regional Juried Art Show

Entry Date: November 10, 2018, 10am to 5pm

Jurors' Selection: November 11, 2018

Show Dates:

November 14 thru January 6, 2019

Gala Reception & Awards:

November 17, 6-8:30pm, Public invited **Jurors' Talk**: Sunday, January 6, 2019,

1-3:00pm, Public invited

Jurors: TBA

Show Themes

We have just renewed The Solano Town
Center lease for two more years. So, to serve
you better we would like your ideas for show
themes. A request was sent out by Dennis
Ariza asking for your theme ideas. These ideas
will be compiled in a list and sent back out to
you for your vote as to your favorites. The
theme with the most votes will be used first. If
there is a tie, it may be voted on again
depending on the type and time of year.

The Gallery is always looking for featured artists. Please contact Dennis Ariza with your request, questions about being a featured artist and send your ideas to:

Dennis Ariza at dariza@pacbell.net.

2nd Annual Art by the Bay

October 6, 2018, 10-5:00pm Suisun City Promenade

Lawler House Gallery

"Out of the Box" (Think Out of the Box)



August 3 thru October 21, 2018

Next Show

"Variations of Abstract"

October 26 thru January 27, 2019 Intake: October 21, 4-6pm Reception: October 27, 3-5pm Art Pickup: January 27, 2019, 4-6pm

Lawler House Gift Shop

New paint, new display cabinets, and new art.

Robin's Nest

Opportunity Knocks!

I will be stepping down as Director of Lawler House Gallery. I have very much enjoyed my involvement with our artists, their artwork and our guest artists. I will continue to exhibit my art and attend the FSVAA Board Meetings. Anyone interested in managing the gallery, please contact: Dennis@DSheilArt.com

FSVAA Updates

Reception times have been changed and are now 3-5pm.

New Members

Steve Cozad

Lawler House Gallery Hours are now back to 12-4pm

Art Classes

EXPERIENCES IN ART

Free Art Class
October 10, 2018---9-12 Noon
Sunprint 2.0
Sandy Medearis
Lawler House Gallery
RSVP to Robin Rossi rbrisme@comcast.net or
Laura Klein lauraklein6016@sbcglobal.net

Things to Do/People to See!

#hashtag Art Show

Mark your calendars. Artist member Cherol Ockrassa is presenting >15 works, concerning more than >10 socially relevant issues, with 2 interactive pieces. The show opens on Friday, October 12th 12-6. With opening and closing receptions (light snacks, music, and beverages available) respectively on Saturdays, October 13, and 27 from 4-9.

If you'd like to visit on other days, either Cherol or guest artist **Doug Cooper**, will be there Thursdays thru Sundays, Noon-6. Please help spread the word. It takes a great

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and find a suitable and willing venue to show such an impactful theme and the pieces which reflect that theme.

If you think you may know of an additional location or venue that would be suitable for such a show, please either share this information, bring the interested representatives to the Show, or contact Cherol with the information.



Location: The Coal Shed
Waterfront Avenue off of Nimitz Avenue
On Mare Island
Vallejo, CA
Oct. 12 through Oct. 27
Open: Wed. thru Sun.
Opening Reception Oct. 13
Closing Reception Oct. 27

Carol Levin will be participating at the following galleries: Feathers and Tails show through October 6 at the Kennedy Gallery, 1931 L St, Sacramento Wed. thru Sat. Noon to 6pm

San Luis Obispo Museum of Art 1010 Broad Street, San Luis Obispo

Arts Guild of Sonoma 140 E Napa St, Sonoma, CA 95476

Rejoice in Art! Fine Arts Fair RejoiceinArt.com

October 13-14, 2018, Redondo Beach, CA

Barbara Smithson is one of thirty artists participating in the **Rejoice in Art! Fine Art Fair** the weekend of **October 13-14**, **2018**. Please go to www.RejoiceinArt.com to view "Exhibiting Artists." And please share with family and friends who live in southern California!

The exhibit is the centerpiece of the annual Rejoice in Art fall festival hosted by Riviera UMC, 375 Palos Verdes Blvd., Redondo Beach. The two-day fair includes free art demonstrations, live musical entertainment, food for purchase, and gift boutique. Admission and parking are free, and the fair is open 11 am - 5 pm both Saturday and Sunday. From 3-5 pm Sunday, enjoy the Artist Awards Reception and a live Opportunity Drawing of donated artwork and art materials. You need not be present to win.

Commissioned Portraits by FSVAA Artists:

Adrienne Emmering is currently offering commissioned portrait work. You can contact Adrienne at: aemmering@sbcglobal.net.

Marci Cervantes is currently offering commissioned portrait work. She can be contacted at: sasha93@aol.com

Vallejo Waterfront Weekend

Plein Air Paint Out

CALL FOR ARTISTS



October 6 & 7, 2018

Hosted by Arts Benicia and the Vallejo Community Arts Foundation in partnership with the Vallejo Waterfront Weekend

Join fellow artists for a plein air paint out and competition at the picturesque Vallejo Waterfront, Mare Island, and the historic downtown Vallejo



https://artsbenicia.org/paint-out/



FSVAA and Social Media

by Lucy Foldhazi FSVAA Board Secretary & Social Media Director

Hashtags # in Social Media

What is a hashtag? Basically, it's a way to join in conversations on Social Media to connect you to others within the same topic and interests that you have.

- You can follow hashtags (#) to stay connected with other artists, associations and interests you care about
- Use hashtags that are relevant to your art or your interests
- Hashtags work best if placed in the description of photos posted on Instagram or Facebook – They are more commonly used in Instagram
- Be sure to place a space between hashtags (otherwise they are useless); each hashtag needs to be separated
- Be sure to use hashtags that are commonly used — do some research; be sure they are in use
- Only 30 hashtags are allowed per photo posted
- Keep a list of your best hashtags on your phone or your computer, so you'll always have them available when you post a photo
- It's a fact "that posts with at least one Instagram hashtag average 12.6% more engagements than posts without a hashtag"

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FSVAA can be found on these Social Media sites:

Follow FSVAA on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/fairfieldvisualarts/

Follow Gallery at Solano Town Center:

www.facebook.com/FSVAAGallery/

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www.instagram.com/fsvaa/

Follow FSVAA on Twitter:

twitter.com/FSVAA1

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