



Fairfield-Suisun City Visual Arts Association

Artifacts

January 2024

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

Solano Town Center Gallery

1350 Travis Blvd, Suite D-8, Fairfield, CA

60th Annual Nor-Cal Regional Juried Art Show

November 17 thru January 7

Jurors Talk: Sunday, Jan 7, 1-3pm

Solano Town Center Gift Shop

**All Giftshop items will be on sale
10% off thru January 7**

Village 360 Gallery

4949 Suisun Valley Road, Fairfield

Hours:

Fri, 11am—7pm

Sat & Sun, 11am—4pm

(Hours Subject to Change)

Salon Collective GV Art Gallery

4171 Suisun Valley Road, Fairfield

Hours:

Tues-Fri, 8:30am—4pm

Sat, 9am—2pm

(Hours Subject to Change)

Membership Renewal

Renewals are due by January 1, 2024.

New members will be notified with a prorated rate. Existing members have until January 31 to renew.

Art by the Bay

First Committee Meeting: Saturday, Jan 6, 1pm
Harbor Plaza, Main Street, Suisun City

FSVAA Committees

Committees are Changing!

Some committees are combining, others are splitting, new committees are being created. Everyone needs to find a committee that works for them and helps the Association survive and prosper. Below is a list of the new committees.

Please select one that will work for you.

Everyone must be on a committee and every member will be contacted.

You can sign up at

[Committee Signup | fsvaa \(fvaa-arts.org\)](https://www.fsvaa.org/committee-signup)

Art by the Bay Committee

Art on the Vine Committee

Black Friday Committee

Children's Art Show Committee

High School Art Show Committee

Intake Committee

Marketing Committee

Membership Care Committee (*Appointed*)
Nor-Cal Regional Juried Art Show Committee
Reception Committee
Special Events Committee
The Crush Committee
Workshops/Education Committee

New Members



Manuel Lantin
Oscar Fredis Monge
Mana Torkildson

General Membership Meeting & Critique Night

Tuesday, Jan 9, 6:30pm
Solano Town Center Gallery

Bring your new artwork in and
let the group discuss it with you.

Subjects to be covered:
Committees
Artist Profiles
Artists Websites

(Date and Time Subject to Change)

Need a Website?

Do you have a website?
Do you use Square for your credit card
processing?
Do you want a free website?

Come to a General Membership/Critique Night
and learn how you can get yours now.

Spotlight & Featured Artists

We are looking for Spotlight Artists
and Featured Artists for next year's shows.

The Spotlight Artist will have their artwork
displayed in the front room.

Featured Artists will have their artwork
displayed in one of the backrooms, with an
option to display up to 15 pieces of artwork.

As always during the Reception, the Gallery
will be responsible for the food and beverages.

The Gallery will procure all permits and wine.

Please contact Dennis Ariza
to schedule your show.

FSVAA Grants

The FSVAA will be awarding ten \$500 grants to
ten members. Grants are non-restrictive.
Qualifying applicants are members in good
standing. Application can be mailed to the
Solano Town Center Gallery or scanned and
emailed to FSVAAPresident@gmail.com

Application deadline is 5pm on Wed, Jan 17.
Qualified members will receive a separate
email with additional information.

Fairfield Community Services Foundation

FSVAA members donated artwork to the
Fairfield Community Foundation 'Vine to Table.'
The Foundation was able to auction them and
raise almost \$600.

A special thanks to the artists:
Dennis Ariza, Janet Barnes,
Laura Klein, and Steve Hartley.

Art Classes

Adult Art Classes Elements of Design

These lessons are focused on the process of creating art using the elements of design. Each session focuses on a different element using artist examples and exercises to increase awareness/use on that particular element.

Line-Shape-Color-Texture-Form-Space-Value

Monthly Sessions: 10am to Noon
Mangles Tasting Room-Outside Area
4529 Suisun Valley Road

\$40 per Session
Materials Included

Laura Klein-Instructor
lauraklein1228@gmail.com
Text to (707) 208-6466

Art in the Community

Art Classes at Journey Coffee
370 Chadbourne Road, Fairfield

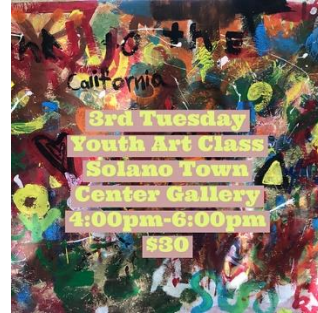
This is a free art class open to all ages and skill levels. Make art with coffee. Space is limited, and registration is required.

Art in the Community

January 20—12-1pm; 1-2pm; or 2-3pm
February 17—12-1pm; 1-2pm; or 2-3pm
March 16—12-1pm; 1-2pm; or 2-3pm

All ages from 12pm-2pm. Free Art Class.
Donations Accepted.

[Community Art Class Registration / fsvaa \(fva-arts.org\)](http://www.fsvaa.org)



One-hour art class taught in the Solano Town Center Gallery

FSVAA on Social Media

Are you on Social Media? Be sure to 'follow' and 'like' the pages of Fairfield-Suisun City Visual Arts Association (FSVAA) on Facebook and Instagram.



<https://www.facebook.com/fairfieldvisualarts>

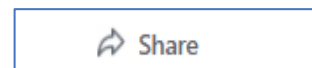


<https://www.instagram.com/fsvaa/>

We need everyone to 'like' our posts /events and after that, 'share' it to your Feed to trigger those algorithms to keep our posts available for viewing.

Help us get the word out on FSVAA Events and Posts on our Facebook Page by **sharing**. No need to make a new post – we have done it for you – Just **SHARE!**

Your 'likes' and 'shares' are invaluable!



If you see our 'Story' posted, go ahead, and click on like, so the algorithms will keep it viewable by more people.

Thank You!

Things To Do - People to See

Vacaville Art Gallery

Laura Klein will be the featured artist at the **Vacaville Art Gallery** for their next show "Kaleidoscope."
The show reception TBA.

Gallery Review

By *Adrienne Emmering*

Located at 307 First St., the Benicia Plein Air Gallery features landscapes, seascapes, urban scenes and florals, mostly by local artists. A featured artist, Iris Sabre, specializes in oils, mostly seascapes and beach scenes.

Another artist, Alexandra Connor, works in watercolor. A fine, vivid piece, 'Blake Garden' is a study in classic blues and greens - a scene of a tranquil garden replete with classic pool and shrubbery. Catherine Fasciato specializes in misty, atmospheric beach scenes, done in oil with a strong emphasis on neutral colors - greys, greens and aquas

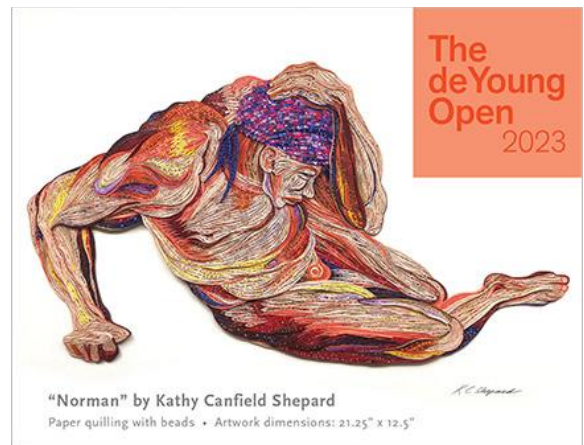
Carol Tarzier has several small oils - seascapes, landscapes, and florals.

Two real standouts: a watercolor, by Stephen Berry "Spring and Chaos." This is a neat small study of exotic palm fronds. Another work "High Sierra Snag" is an abstracted mountain scene, full of fine wet on wet technique and delicately rendered tall trees - best in show.

The whole display, housed in a small, carefully restored Victorian house, makes for a fun, nostalgic, trip through the work of local artists who have chosen on-site painting as

their mode of self-expression. The whole town of Benicia itself, filled with carefully restored Victorian buildings, is a nice trip into a not so distant, but elegant, past.

The DeYoung Open 2023



See my work at
The de Young Open 2023!

A community art exhibition designed to celebrate and support our local arts communities. Come see the creativity of the Bay Area under one roof—you might even find an artwork to make your own! Learn more at famsf.org.

Quilled Paper Treasures
by
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Etsy: [KCShepardArtLetsy.com](https://www.etsy.com/shop/KCShepardArt)

de Young museum

September 30, 2023 –
January 7, 2024

KCShepardArt.com



FSVAA ARTIFACTS

FSVAA Sponsors

Solano

TOWN CENTER

Fairfield, CA

Back Road
VINES

Suisun Valley, Fairfield



Suisun Valley, Fairfield



Solano Town Center, Fairfield



Solano Town Center, Fairfield

Raley's

*North Texas Street, Fairfield
Travis Blvd, Fairfield
Alamo Drive, Vacaville*



E. Main Street, Vacaville



Fairfield, CA



Merchant Street, Vacaville

SAFEWAY

Waterman Blvd., Fairfield



Browns Valley Pkwy, Vacaville

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