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SEACOAST ARTIST GUILD NEWSLETTER JULY 2011

Hello to all. Hope you are having a "cool" summer ~~ if that's possible. :-)

Even though the Guild is in "summer break" session, the Board members involvement continues by supporting on-going events, reaching out to prospective sponsors, planning for upcoming shows in the Fall, and endorsing the Seacoast Artist Guild throughout the local area. Our Guild continues to grow!

We don't usually produce a **Newsletter** during the summer months, but felt it important to communicate some "happenings" to the Guild members!

TOTAL MEMBERS: 217

WEB-SITE: Check the Web-site (www.seacoartistguild.com) for any updated information, as it becomes available, regarding workshops, events, photos of events, etc. -- and to view the Galleries of fellow artists. You can also be a part of the Gallery -- for details, contact Mike Covington (843) 235-1299 or e-mail: mike.covington@mindspring.com.

PLEASE NOTE:

- Walt Cushman, our valued Treasurer, recently underwent surgery. He is now home, eating well and his sense of humor is returning as is his ability to see dollar signs again. We all continue to wish Walt a speedy recovery!
- Below are **Thank You** notes received regarding the Children's art classes provided by Seacoast to Seaside Elementary School:

NOTE 1:

" I just wanted to thank you for the art classes that were provided at Seaside

Elementary School on Saturday mornings. My son, John loved them. He got sick and missed 2, which he was very upset about, but loved the rest. He did amazing work. I didn't know he had it in him. We have matted and framed a couple of his pieces. Thank you for your time and talent!!!” Marianne Annunziato

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NOTE 2:

*“I wanted to thank the Artist Guild for providing my daughter, Alyssa, with art lessons we otherwise would have not been able to afford. She loved the Saturday classes and looked forward to them all week. It was super generous to donate time as well as the supplies (which I know are costly). Thank you from both of us as well as from Seaside Elementary.” Samatha Hoback*

Outlined below are **Reports** provided by individual Board members. If you have any questions regarding any of these activities, please contact the appropriate Board member whose contact information is listed within their report. These reports are listed alphabetically.

**APPLEWOODS :**

- Applewoods Gallery is currently full. Sales have been constant. Artists wishing to be added to the Applewoods display list should send an e-mail to Ed Delaney - [ed@seacoartistguild.com](mailto:ed@seacoartistguild.com). Any artist already displaying at Applewoods who would like to have a new space should also e-mail Ed at [ed@seacoartistguild.com](mailto:ed@seacoartistguild.com).
- As a reminder to the displaying artist ~~ the next change-out will be November 2011. An e-mail will be sent out in September announcing the dates of the change-out. All participating artists are expect to attend.
- Applewoods Saturday demonstrations ~ there are still available slots for Saturday demonstrations at Applewoods. If anyone is interested in signing up, please email Maria Delaney at [maria@seacoartistguild.com](mailto:maria@seacoartistguild.com).

**HORRY GEORGETOWN TECHNICAL COLLEGE:**

Gallery hours are Tuesday and Thursday 12:00 to 4:00 or by appointment by calling 349-5269. This show will run until mid-August. If you have any questions, contact Millie Doud at 843-497-4294 or email: [MLDMB@aol.com](mailto:MLDMB@aol.com)

### **LAKES AT LITCHFIELD:**

The July 25<sup>th</sup> through August 24<sup>th</sup> event is currently full. If you would like to put your name on the waiting list, please contact Cecelia Campbell who is coordinating this show.

The art exhibition at Lakes at Litchfield is scheduled for July 25<sup>th</sup> through August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2011. A Reception will be held on Wednesday August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2 pm – 3:30 m. Invitations for the Reception will be sent out as soon as a copy is received from the Lakes at Litchfield.

For those you have been confirmed to exhibit, this is a reminder to bring your artworks to the Lakes at Litchfield gallery on Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, between 9 am and noon. If you have questions, contact Cecelia Campbell ~ email:

[ccambellsfineart@yahoo.com](mailto:ccambellsfineart@yahoo.com) and **copy Dottie Covington by email:**

[dottie@seacoartistguild.com](mailto:dottie@seacoartistguild.com) or call Dottie at phone (843) 235-1299.

### **SEACOAST MALL GALLERY:**

The Seacoast Mall Gallery has proven to be a welcomed positive addition to the Inlet Square Mall. Art is being sold! Sixteen pieces have sold in June for a total of 21 pieces sold since the opening last week of May. Foot traffic, at times is heavy. Of course, there are days when the Mall itself is not busy. If you haven't had the opportunity to stop by the Gallery, please do so. The Gallery hours are: Monday-Wednesday 2:30 pm til 8:30 pm, Thursday-Saturday 9:00 am til 9:00 pm, Sunday 12:00 pm til 6:00 pm. The phone number for the Gallery is (843) 947-0668.

The Mall announced the postponement of the Grand Opening for Frank Theaters and the tentative new date is July 29, 30 and 31. Any artist, that is presently hanging in the Gallery, who is willing to demo their work process, please email Maria Delaney at [maria@seacoartistguild.com](mailto:maria@seacoartistguild.com).

Also, an email regarding the second installment payment for Gallery participation and the next schedule for workers will be sent out within the next few weeks. Please check your emails for this time sensitive information.

### **SOCASLEE LIBRARY:**

A date has been set for the next Socastee Library Show which will begin on Saturday, July 30th. Anyone interested in having your artwork on display for the period between July 30th and October 30th (approximate), please email Tom Britton at [tbritton5@sc.rr.com](mailto:tbritton5@sc.rr.com) or call (843) 650-7039. This opportunity is open to all members of the Guild. Remember, framed prints are acceptable. Gallery wrapped canvasses are acceptable if the edges are painted. All proceeds from the sale of artwork go to the artist. It is requested that a 10% donation be made to the library.

Take down of the current show is Friday, July 29th between 10 am and 2 pm. Hanging for the next show is Saturday, July 30th between 10 am and 2 pm.

If anyone is unable to work with this schedule, please call Tom so that an alternate time can be established.

### **SPONSORSHIPS:**

Marcelle Cushman has received a \$300.00 contribution to Seacoast by Dr. Gary Giovagnoli who is a skilled ear, nose and throat specialist in Pawleys Island.

It has been agreed that this donation will be set aside and used for the next Children's Art Program.

### **STORAGE UNITS:**

Any member wishing to rent grids, bins or baskets can contact Maria Delaney at (843) 235-2315 or e-mail [maria@seacoartistguild.com](mailto:maria@seacoartistguild.com)

### **RENTAL FEE:**

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| Grid | \$4.00 per grid per day | Only Charge for 2 days per |
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| Bin     | \$2.50 per day | With a two day maximum charge per week |
| Baskets | \$1.00 per day | With a two day maximum charge per week |

### **SUNSHINE COMMITTEE:**

Anne Dickson coordinates our "Sunshine Committee" by making sure that our members are acknowledged in the event of illness, hospitalization, or a members passing (including family members). Please contact Anne if you have such information to share with her. Phone (843) 651-9867 or email [annedicksonart@sc.rr.com](mailto:annedicksonart@sc.rr.com)

### **IN CLOSING:**

As a reminder, the Guild will resume our General Meetings in September. All members will be notified of the location, date and time of this meeting.

Regards,  
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