

## President's Message–SFC

The Slate of Officers for the Executive Board for 2012 are:

**Doris Guzman, President**  
**Sherry Vockel, 1st VP**  
**Jeanne Nordness, 2nd VP**  
**Carolyn Jones, Secretary**  
**Diana Jaye, Treasurer**

Any other nominations can be made at the January General Meeting.

Please reflect on what YOU can do as a volunteer to help SWA thrive! Volunteering on any level is of the utmost importance to the continued success of your artists' community. If you consider yourself a creative artist and want to exhibit your paintings in a gallery, this is your opportunity! SWA provides you with the possibilities to enhance your art and grow through education—workshops, demonstrations, critiques, and juried exhibits.

Do you enjoy being with your fellow artists? Being creative is infectious and just like the importance of "relationship" in paintings, so too are all of our relationships with each other.

Most gratefully in advance for YOUR participation in this wonderful community of artists,

**Moira McShane Lukas, SWA**

*Welcome to New and Returning Members Tomiko Bailey, Larry Griggs, Cynthia Hamilton, Jen Manks, Lana Rak, Jackie Schiedeck, Lesley Underwood, Akiyo Walker, Richard Beprestis, James Little and Linda Persson.*

*The SWA gallery can be rented for meetings and workshops for \$100 per day or \$50 per half-day. Check with Gallery Coordinator Alisan Andrews (650-400-8623) for availability.*

## **General Meeting and Demo** **Saturday, November 19, 1 p.m.** **SWA Gallery, Redwood City**

### **Joyce Barron Leopardo**

Joyce Barron Leopardo will be doing a watercolor demo, using just three colors to create a painting on November 19 at the SWA Gallery.

Joyce is an award-winning watercolorist, juror, teacher, and current president of the SWA Board of Trustees. Her paintings are in many public and private collections, and her bold use of color makes her work exciting.

## **Summer Theme for December/January Exhibit**

I would like to remind everyone that the December/January Exhibit has a summer theme. We hope to brighten up the gallery during the winter season. If anyone is interested in chairing this show, please contact me at 650-692-8998 or [ccdriiling@hotmail.com](mailto:ccdriiling@hotmail.com). It was decided at the last Board Meeting that we would increase the entry fees for regular exhibits in 2012. Starting with the February/March 2012 Exhibit, the first painting will be \$15, 2 entries will be \$25, 3 entries \$40 and 4 entries will be \$50.

Thank you,

**Carrie Drilling**

## **October/November 2011** **SWA Gallery Exhibit**

Congratulations to Award Winners:

1st Place	Evelyn Nitzberg	Persimmon
2nd Place	Will Maller	Merced River–Yosemite
3rd Place	Edna Acri	Hello Spring

### President’s Message–SJVC

Greetings from your SJVC president. Fall is here and we had our 50th Fall annual membership show. The board decided in June to move the show opening date to September 10, because the original date was over Labor Day weekend. It was a beautiful show.

We will be having a paint-out at Lost Lake on October 22. Please bring a lunch. Plan on meeting around 9:30 at the toll booth, and an optional critique will held after lunch. It should be very pleasant out at the Lake, and a fun day of painting.

Our November 19th meeting will be held at The Door Gallery, 3073 W. Bullard Avenue, Fresno. Our demonstrator will be the fabulous Lola Nelson SWA, WAOW. Lola is a member of Wood Carving association, and has won many awards in many National and International juried shows. Please come see Lola demonstrate wood carving. It should be a very interesting meeting.

The December meeting will be held on the 3rd, and will be a potluck with critique. So please bring your favorite dish and a recent piece of your artwork for critique. It will be a delicious meeting. See you there.

Warmest personal regards,  
**Sally Moss, SJVC President**

<b>50th Fall Annual Membership Show</b>		
<b>Best of Show</b>	<b>Dean Dallin</b>	<b>Perry H</b>
<b>OILS</b>		
<b>1st Award</b>	<b>Antoinette Magyar</b>	<b>New Member of the Family</b>
<b>2nd Award</b>	<b>Maxine Fargason</b>	<b>Winter Desert</b>
<b>3rd Award</b>	<b>Linda Lamb</b>	<b>Fall Color</b>
<b>1st HM</b>	<b>Ottile Moore</b>	<b>Flowers I</b>
<b>2nd HM</b>	<b>Dennis Lewis</b>	<b>Copper Pot</b>
<b>WATERCOLORS</b>		
<b>1st Award</b>	<b>John Wiens</b>	<b>Sun Valley</b>
<b>2nd Award</b>	<b>Stephen Austin</b>	<b>Hold Still</b>
<b>3rd Award</b>	<b>Marilyn Torchin</b>	<b>Hidden Lake</b>
<b>1st HM</b>	<b>Bea Prince</b>	<b>Persimmons II</b>
<b>PASTEL/MIXED MEDIA</b>		
<b>1st Award</b>	<b>Denise McGill</b>	<b>Carrie</b>
<b>3rd Award</b>	<b>Kikuko Young</b>	<b>Park in Autumn</b>

<b>SWA CONTACTS</b>		
Gallery Coordinator	Alisan Andrews	650-400-8623
Workshops	Sherry Voekel	650-873-0118
Demonstrations	Jeanne Nordness	650-364-5709
Director of Exhibits	Carrie Drilling	650-692-8998
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Hospitality	Betty Olson	650-593-8796
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<b>SCHEDULE OF EVENTS</b>	
<b>November</b>	
19	Board Meeting
17	Joyce Leopardo Watercolor Demo
<b>SWA Deember/January 2012 Exhibit</b>	
12/7–1/27 Receiving 12/3	
(Summer Theme)	
Gallery Hours: 10 a.m.–3 p.m., Wednesday–Saturday	

### Gallery Annex Exhibit Opens

Gallery Annex will be opening their new exhibit on the evening of October 22. There will be a reception open to all on November 5 from 6 to 9 p.m., at 801 Middlefield Road, at the corner of Broadway and Theater Way in Redwood City.

The exhibit will include the works of:

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| <b>Anne Oseberg,</b>            | <b>Laurie Jonson</b> |
| <b>Carolina Mueller</b>         | <b>Sharon Hogan</b>  |
| <b>Catherine Delf</b>           | <b>Terry Rico</b>    |
| <b>Edna Acri</b>                | <b>Wood Miller</b>   |
| <b>Elfi Altendorfer-Jewelry</b> |                      |
| <b>Ellen Howard</b>             |                      |
| <b>Hildy Charboneau</b>         |                      |
| <b>Ken Maker</b>                |                      |
| <b>Linda Salter</b>             |                      |

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**Advertise your workshops, classes, etc.**

Rates: \$10 per ad per newsletter—50 word maximum; \$20 per ad over 50 words. Make checks payable to SWA.  
 Deadlines for ads and news is the 5th of Dec (Jan/Feb), Feb (Mar/Apr), Apr (May/Jun) Jun (Jul/Aug), Aug (Sep/Oct), Oct (Nov/Dec).  
 No brochures or printed matter accepted. Please type your ad and send with your check to: Laura Johnson, 3408 Beresford Ave., Belmont, CA 94002. You may send info to dollsinmin@sbcglobal.net. Check must be received before your ad can be published.

## 2011 SWA Gallery Exhibition and Workshop Schedule

SWA December 2010/January Exhibit	December 6 – January 28
SWA February/March Exhibit	February 2 – March 25; Receiving January 29
SWA April/May Exhibit	March 30 – May 13; Receiving March 26
<i>Dale Laitinen Watercolor Workshop</i>	April 2 & 3
Open Studios	May 7 & 8
Sequoia High School Exhibit	May 14 – May 26; Receiving May 15
2011 Annual	June 1 – Aug 14 (Reception); Receiving May 28
<i>Karen Frey Watercolor Workshop</i>	June 4 & 5
<i>Sonja Hamilton Watercolor Workshop</i>	July 16 & 17
<i>Randy Sexton Plein Air Oil Workshop</i>	August 5, 6 & 7
SWA Signature Member/Board Exhibit	August 17 – September 30; Receiving August 15
<i>Linda Harris Oil/Pastel Portriature Workshop</i>	September 23, 24 & 25
SWA October/November Exhibit	October 5 – December 2; Receiving October 1
<i>Jim Gleeson Oil Impasto Workshop</i>	October 8 & 9
<i>Doug Dawson Oi/Pastel Landscape Workshop</i>	October 21, 22 & 23
SWA December/January 2012 Exhibit (Summer Theme)*	December 7 – January 27; Receiving December 3

\*We will have one theme exhibit each year. Paintings that do not fit with the theme will not be accepted.

## Demonstrations 2011

January 15	Kim Lordier	Pastel
February 19	Diana Jaye	Painting Critique ( <u>Bring two of your own paintings</u> )
March 19	Dale Laitinen	Watercolor
April 16	Sonja Hamilton	Watercolor
May 21	Michael Rodman	Oil
June 18	Linda Harris	Pastel
September 17	James Gleeson	Oil
October 15	Duke Collins	Oil
November 19	Joyce Leopardo	Watercolor

**Directions: From 101:** Take the Whipple Avenue exit. Go west on Whipple and turn left on El Camino Real. Turn left on Broadway. **From South 280:** Take the Woodside Road exit. Go east on Woodside to El Camino Real. Go north on El Camino. Turn right on Broadway. **From North 280:** Take the Edgewood exit east. At Alameda de las Pulgus turn right. At Whipple turn left. Take Whipple to El Camino and turn right. Left on Broadway. 2625 is on the RIGHT side.

**SWA DEMONSTRATIONS — 2012**

Jan. 21	JERRY STITT	Watercolor landscapes as featured in <i>Watercolor</i> magazine
Feb. 18	Myrna Wacknov	Watercolor portraits
Mar. 17	Ference Besze	Watercolor landscapes
Apr. 21	Carolyn Jones	Oil landscapes
May 19	Jerry Miura	Oil
Jun. 16	Claire Verbiest	Watercolor
Sep. 15	Amy Da Peng King	Watercolor
Oct. 20	Gerald Boyd	Pastel
Nov. 17	Kay Carnie	Watercolor

**SWA WORKSHOPS — 2012**

SWA is pleased to announce our workshops for 2012:

**JERRY STITT** – Watercolor, March 10-11

Jerry will be giving a demonstration at the SWA Gallery on Saturday, January 21 at 1:00 p.m. Jerry's work can be viewed on his website at: [www.jerrystittaws.com](http://www.jerrystittaws.com)

**SEAN DYE** – Oil/Pastel/Acrylic, July 6-8

Sean's work can be viewed on his website at: [www.seandyestudio.com](http://www.seandyestudio.com)

**CLAIRE VERBIEST** – Watercolor, August 4-5

Claire will be giving a demonstration at the SWA Gallery on Saturday, June 16 at 1:00 p.m. Claire's work can be viewed at her website at: [www.claireverbiest.com](http://www.claireverbiest.com)

**TERRY MIURA** – Plein Air Oil, September 29-30

Terry will give a demonstration at the SWA Gallery on Saturday, May 19 at 1:00 p.m. Terry's work can be seen on his website at: <http://www.terrymiura.com>

**For information, please contact Sherry Vockel  
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