



President's Message

Hello artists. I am happy to report our annual arts and crafts fair, held in August, is behind us. We had a good turnout with many talented vendors displaying their arts and crafts. Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped plan and this event. I would like to offer a special thanks to Lisa Blanks, who chaired this event. Lisa worked tirelessly on organize this event for the past few months. San Clemente Art Association, at its core, has always been about giving back to our community and to the arts in general.

One of the many contributions we make as an organization is to help our local high school students by awarding scholarships, and donating art supplies. In our most recent board meeting we met with the San Clemente High School Parent Teacher Student Association. They presented, and we discussed how SCAA can help with a new student art program called Reflections. This program was developed to inspire students of all grades to express themselves imaginatively in artwork. We have agreed to support this local program in the form of judging the individual student's art, as well as assisting with the cost of art supplies for this program. These are the types of programs that help develop the arts for future generations. As always, anyone who would like to volunteer for this or any one of our other programs, please reach out to me or any of the board members.

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer. Fall is just around the corner! See you in the Gallery!

Kevin Bertrand

Message from the Gallery

Recently, I heard this story that is a bit confusing to read, but it's a story about getting things done. You may have heard it before.

This is a story about 4 people, named everybody, Somebody, Anybody and Nobody. There was an important job to be done and everybody was sure that somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that, because it was everybody's job. Everybody thought Anybody could do it, but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have.

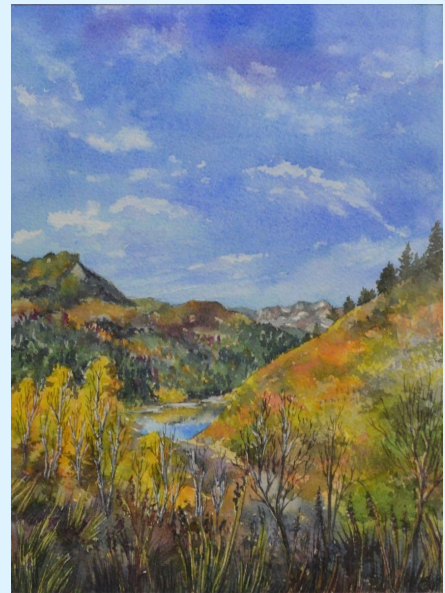
The story may be confusing but the message is clear: no one took responsibility so nothing got accomplished. We need volunteers to step up and take some jobs for our art association. If your first inclination is to refuse, and if everybody did the same, where would our art association be in the next year? Please take some time to think about what you can do for your art association and let me or anyone on the board know what you are willing to do to help.

Thank you. Mary Franta

September 2024
Featured Artist
Ekaterina Ashley

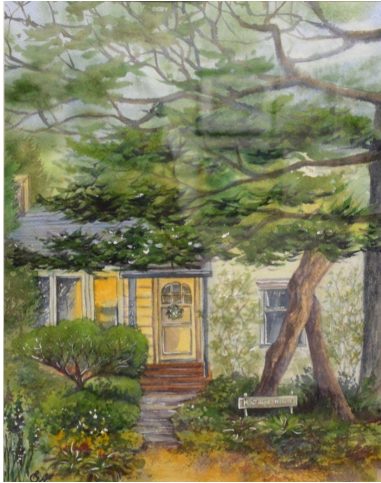


Ekaterina's Works



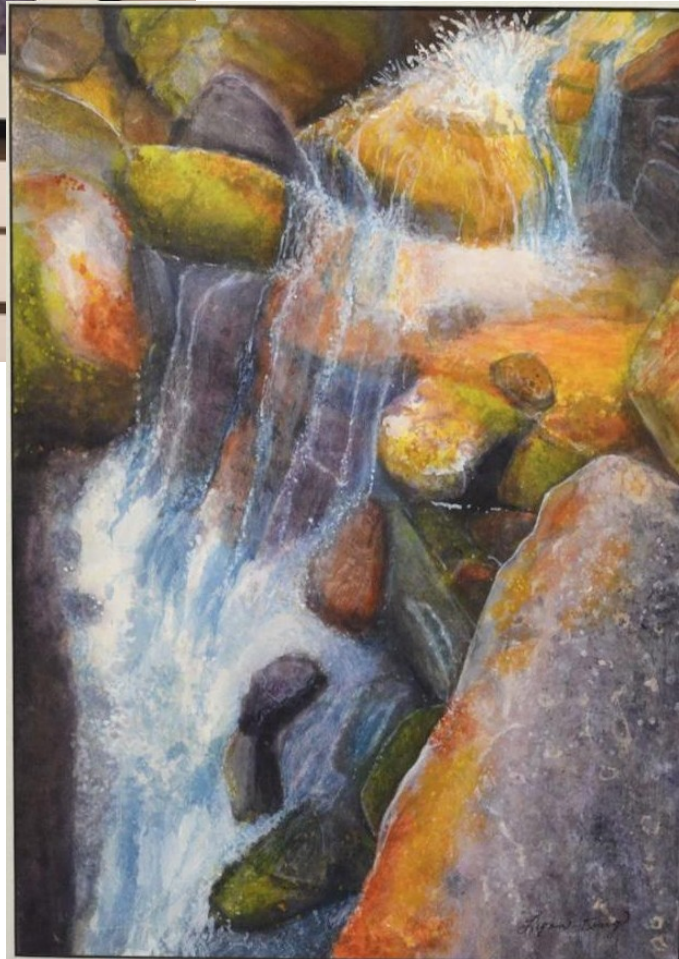


Ekaterina's Works





BEST OF SHOW
Lynn King,
Water on the Rocks





ACRYLIC WINNERS



*1st Place
Patrice White Lyoni
Justice and Equality*



*2nd Place
Amy Alger
Austin Longhorn*



*3rd Place
Jeff Ponce
SC Lifeguard Tower #2 Sunset*



*Honorable Mentions
Jeff Ponce, Kim Van Loon,
Inna Makarichev*

Jewelry Winners



*1st Pl
Rose Walker
On a Wing and a Prayer*



*2nd Pl
Deb Spencer
My Third Eye*

Photography Winners



*1st Pl
Myra Posner
Laughing Peregrine Falcon*



*Honorable Mention
Jackson Maxwell
Galapagos Turtle*



*2nd Pl
Myra Posner
Sulimon*



Oil Winners



*1st Pl
Michael Downey
First Light*



*2nd Pl
Darryl Gober
The Katt in the Hat*



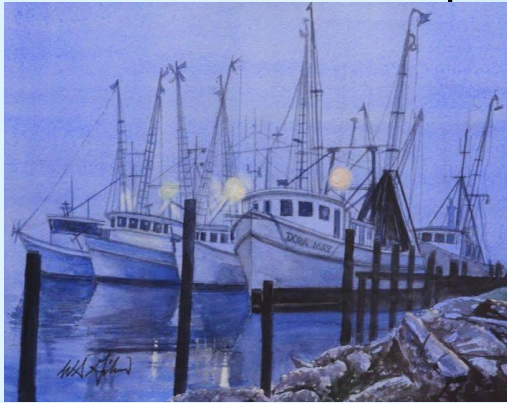
*3rd Pl
Yen Shen Shen
Lilac Waterway*



*Honorable Mentions
Sangeetha Gopalakrishnan
Mary Dunlap
Patrick Howrigan*



Watercolor Winners



*1st Pl
Bill Gibson
Dora May*



*Honorable Mentions
Julie Horne, Bill Gibson*

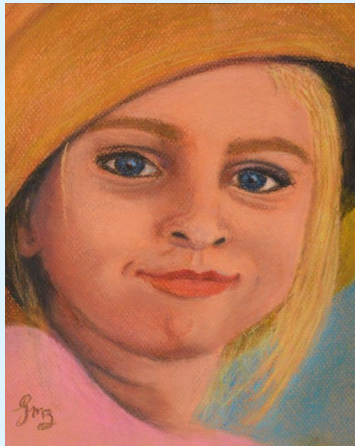


*2nd Pl
Alan Nowell
I'm Cute*

Other Media Winners



*1st Pl
Alan Nowell
Here's Your Coffee*



*2nd Pl
Gina Moritz Bertrand
Frankie*



*3rd Pl
Tracy Keisker
Bouquet with Sun-*



*Honorable Mention
Moy Young, Pop-a-Squat 9*

San Clemente ART ASSOCIATION the Sketchpad 



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