



**Illinois Art League**  
**PO Box 3532**  
**Peoria IL 61612-3532**

**ILLINOIS ART LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2014**

**Membership Year is January 1<sup>st</sup> - December 31<sup>st</sup>.**

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Names (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email : \_\_\_\_\_ WEB: \_\_\_\_\_ **Status:** \_\_\_ New Member \_\_\_ Renewal \_\_\_

Artist \_\_\_ Friend/Patron \_\_\_ Amateur \_\_\_ Semi Professional \_\_\_ Professional \_\_\_

Age: 18-30 \_\_\_ 31-50 \_\_\_ 51 & over \_\_\_ Medium Preferred: \_\_\_\_\_

**Interests/Volunteer:** \_\_\_ Enter my art in shows \_\_\_ Help set up take down shows \_\_\_ Workshops/Seminars \_\_\_ Greeter for Shows

\_\_\_ Classes \_\_\_ Serve on Board \_\_\_ Small Groups \_\_\_ Serve on Committee (s) for: \_\_\_ Shows \_\_\_ Exhibits \_\_\_ workshops \_\_\_ Classes

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete and return with your check payable to **ILLINOIS ART LEAGUE**  
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\_\_\_ **Individual Membership \$30.00 (After February 28, 2014, \$35.00)**

\_\_\_ **Family Membership \$35.00 (After Feb 28, 2014 \$40.00)**

\_\_\_ **Friend/Patron Membership \$50.00**

Do you wish to receive your newsletter via email instead? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_



# ARTNEWS

Over 50 Years of Encouraging Original Fine Art!

Art Shows - Art Workshops - Art News - Keeping You Informed

NOVEMBER 2013

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Dear fellow members,

*We are reminded to count our many blessings, and with that thought in mind, I have reflected over the past year. I am thankful that you have been patient with me as I have journeyed through each event. I have learned much. I am thankful that you were available and willing to work. To you I am indebted. I am thankful for your friendship. I am humbled. Beginning with the Meet & Greet and ending with the Annual Dinner, I hope that you had an opportunity to get acquainted with a fellow artist and can add that to your "thanks-giving".*

*The annual Electoral Meeting was held November 4<sup>th</sup>, at the Annual Dinner. The IAL slate of officers for the year 2014 were approved and voted in by the membership. Included in this newsletter are your new and returning elected officers and board members. I know you will give them and me your support. As part of supporting the league, I want to give a special thank you to those who donated pieces of art and to those who bid during the silent auction at the dinner. Those who donated are: Michael Aldag, Karen Buenneke, Jean Fehl, Linda K. Freeburg, B.K. Pullen, Deborah Schmitt, Sharon Somers, and Pat Withers. A thank you goes to Jean Fehl for the lovely table decorations, Chris Aleshire for the programs, Elijah Sansom for photographing the event, The Pride of Peoria Quartet for entertaining us, and Childers for serving us. Thank you to all for making this a special evening.*

*The Citywide Celebration of Women Artists has been a spring board to appreciating our own history, recognizing the gifts of those who have gone on, to those who are long standing members, and to those who will be guide posts to those of the future. Our celebration will be an event to remember. Thank you ladies! Have a Happy Thanksgiving one and all.  
Bev Pullen*

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS:**

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! NO BOARD MEETING IN DECEMBER

## **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:**

**Jenni Bateman** 2020 E. Jackson St., Bloomington, IL 61701 309-660-3898 jennidesigns@gmail.com www.jennibateman.com

**Penny Wyzlic** 1224 N. Rim Rd, East Peoria, IL 61611  
309-699-2850 flydoggieart@att.com and www.flydoggieart.com

## **MEMBERS IN THE NEWS:**

**Congratulations Michael Aldag-** His painting "Lakehouse" (2012) was awarded First Place in the Artwork Division at this year's Fall Art & Photography Competition & Exhibit held at the Centralia Cultural Society. He received a ribbon and cash prize for the honor.

## **Oil and Acrylic Workgroup -**

Meets at Hobby Lobby in Peoria

Every Friday 9:30-12:30

Contact: Shirley Feather (309) 243-1660 feathr@frontier.com

## **Colored Pencil Expressions-**

**Thurs Dec 5th** at Georgeanne Cassulo's home 12205 Wake Robin Way, Dunlap 243-8891

Bring salad to serve 6 to share for luncheon

Small Art Christmas Gift Exchange

## **The Wednesday Colored Pencil Workgroup- NO MEETINGS IN DECEMBER**

RESUME 2ND WEDNESDAY IN JANUARY. ON THE 8TH 2014

Peoria Public Library North (By Menard's Pioneer Park)

Contact person: Karen Buenneke

309-681-0168 karenbuenneke@yahoo.com

## **Plein Aire Group -**

Days: 2nd & 4th Thursdays

Time: 10 AM - whenever you want to quit. Bring a sack lunch. No reservations necessary. Just come prepared to paint/draw! Please contact Terri Schockency at 309-673-6925 or terrishockency@yahoo.com Or Rose Sullivan, 309-692-7766 or rosenbob@att.net

## **Prairieland Watermedia Society-**

**Thursday Nov 21st** Christmas Gift Exchange

Peoria Heights Library 12:30-3:00

Bring snacks to share

NO DECEMBER MEETING

## **IAL OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS 2014**

Voted in at the Annual Dinner OFFICERS: President: Bev Pullen

Vice-President: Sharon Somers Recording Secretary: Deborah

Schmitt Treasurer: Linda K. Freeburg

BOARD MEMBERS: James Donahue, Brent Harter, Rose Sullivan,

Leslie Walsh, Barbara Unes, Brandon Wickwire, and Wayne Pullen