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FROM THE DRAWING BOARD

The start of a New Year! We are so looking forward to new happenings for our organization!

On the list are

- New educational offerings
- Continued member shows, exhibits, and sales events
- More involvement in the art community in Peoria and surrounding regional areas
- Expanded focus on the monthly workgroups
- Continuation of our Newsletter
- Refinement of our social media pages and sites
- Growth and nurturing of our Volunteer base
- Expanded member surveys to better understand our vision for the IAL's future

Whew! That's a lot of energy! The truth is that there is already a lot happening in these areas.

Our goal is to improve all of them in 2019. The Illinois Art League has attracted many new members. As your new co-presidents, we are dedicated to enhancing these and other benefits to all our members. Please join us in accomplishing these goals. We can only achieve this with your support as engaged members and volunteers. Happy New Year!

Much more to come,

Judy & Barbie

MEMBER EXHIBIT

The December exhibiting artists at the Peoria Heights Library are Mary Hildebrand and Bev Pullen. Mary's work is mainly oil but also colored pencil.

Bev's works are colored pencil and ink.

Exhibitors in January will be Judy Ritchie and Debra Mielce.

There are still spaces available to exhibit at the gallery in 2019!



Mary Hildebrand



Bev Pullen

For more details contact: Roberta Schwandner,
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Art Groups

Plein Air

Tuesdays 1-3 p.m.,
Luthy Botanical Garden
Must call ahead.
Contact: Leslie Walsh
309-240-8363
booklady2404@yahoo.com

Colored Pencil Workgroup

The first 3 Wednesdays of each month,
2-4 p.m.

No meeting in December, next meeting
January 2, 2019

Peoria North Branch Library
Bring a project to work on.
Contact: Karen Bueneke
309-681-0168

Colored Pencil Expressions

Thursday, December 6, 11:30 a.m.
Avanti's North, 8517 N. Knoxville Ave.
Peoria
Hostess: Janet Ann Hak and Bonnie
DePalma
Theme: Crystals or Gems

Acrylic Painters

Monday, December 10, January 14, 2019
9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Peoria Heights Library.
Open Studio
Contact: Melanie Picl
melpic153@gmail.com

Prairieland Watermedia Society

No meeting in December

Thursday, January 17, 2019

1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Peoria Heights Library
Hostess: Lori Lee Sampson and
Holly Schuh

Learn how to display watercolor paintings
without glass. The Cold Wax Method, step-
by-step demonstration, handout with supply
list and instructions provided.

All Artists (except Oil)

Monday, December 17, 1-3 p.m.,

January 21, 2019, 1-3 p.m.,

Humana Building
Westlake Shopping Center

Contact: Cindy Wamack
309-691-1677
cwamack@humana.com

ART SHOWS & OPPORTUNITIES

Foster Gallery

Pray for Peace, Work for Justice
Interactive exhibit featuring Rolan Johnson Prints and crèches from around the world.

December 2, 2018-January 6, 2019
fumpcpeoria.org/about-us/foster-gallery

Time Gallery

Overflow

Noah Otten

The show encompasses a large body of work taking up 2 floors in the gallery. Using most mediums, painting as well as fabric arts and quilting.

November 3--December 31.

Gallery open during banking hours

Time Gallery looking for Artists

Here's a great opportunity for artists to exhibit their work. Time Gallery is a beautiful gallery in East Peoria's Levee District. There is no charge for the use of the gallery, and you can have a solo or group show.

All shows are 2 months.

Contact: Dawn Maloney, Times Gallery Curator, 309-472-6067, maloney.dawn@gmail.com

Exhibit A

Chocolate Walk and Trunk Show
December 8, 11a.m.-4p.m.

Stop by and support our members!

Peoria's Riverfront Museum

Rodin: Cast in Bronze- The Work of Many Hands

October 20- January 13.

Contemporary Art Center

5th Annual Small Wonder Gift Shop
Gallery 3R

November 9-December 21,

Glen C. Davies: Babel

Preston Jackson Gallery

Glen Davies continues to attempt resolving the infinite mysteries of time and space.

November 9-December 21.

McLean County Art Center

Holiday Treasure's Exhibition

November 2-December 31.

Many of our IAL members are exhibiting in this show.

Gallery 336B,

Academic Building, East Peoria Campus

Installation by Yun Jeong Hong,

October 15-November 9.

Painting Exhibit by Jan Brandt,

November 14-January 11.

For more information on dates and times:

<https://icc.edu/edu/arts>

Hartmann Center Gallery

Bradley University

Surface Tension-Nicholas Nyland

Dues Renewal
Sign up with the 2018 rates before December 30th.
mail checks to:
IAL, P.O. Box 3532,
Peoria, IL 61612-3532

ART MARKET



Our next Art Market will be
November 2, 2019, 9:00a.m.-4:00p.m.
at our new venue
"The Warehouse"
Mark your calendars!

CLASSES

Painting and Drawing

Pam Miller, Thursdays

at Michaels.

Check pam-paints.com for schedule of classes. www.michaels.com

Miller Center

Dale Kuntz

Tuesdays 9:30a.m.- 10:30a.m.

Bring your sketch pad, pencil, or paints.

ARTBYTES

New Members

Marty Chenoweth,

Jane Coultas, Alice Wilkinson,

Cari Lepper, Susan Carson,

Maryanne Miller, Beau Walker

Sad News

Linda Cherry's daughter passed away early in November.

Newsletter

If you have any art related events, awards, classes or items you feel might enhance our membership email me at sburritt.art@gmail.com I will do my best to add them to the newsletter, facebook and/or instagram.

Sherri Burritt

PASTEL WORKSHOP

