

The Newsletter of the Calvert Artists' Guild P. O. Box 602
Prince Frederick, MD 20678

June 2007

President's Note

By the time you read this newsletter, the May 5-6 show at Annmarie Garden has happened and the judge, Carolyn Egeli, has made her awards.

The May show was great fun with the artist participation and the awards. There were 18 exhibitors in the show and I am so pleased with the Guild support: Shirley Arnheim, Rose Beitzell, Dianne Dickey, Phyllis Doughty, Maria Fleming, Rachel Hummel, Joan Humphreys, Bev Jackson, Kennedi Milan, Rex Miller, Anne Oman, Mary Ida Rolape, Mary Sokol, Sue Stevenson, Marietta VanNatta, Tammy Vitale, Gerry Wood, and Joseph Wengloski (Scholarship Winner). The judging and awards brought camaraderie among the artists and created excitement and enthusiasm. I feel that this once a year presentation of awards to artists adds motivation to create exceptional artwork and to enter in the shows. I am sorry not everyone participated as they missed a grand opportunity.

The highlights of the reception on Saturday was the awarding of a \$500.00 scholarship to Joseph Wengloski, a graduating student of Patuxent High School and the awards to artists presented by Carolyn Egeli, who judged the show. See the list of winners in following column.

All in all it was a fun weekend. Thanks to all who made it so successful. Let's do it again NEXT MAY! Now, I look forward to the June Art Workshop, the Plein-air paint-outs, and the July Gazebo/Pavilion Show.

Gerry Wood

CONGRATULATIONS & KUDOS

May 5-6, 2007 Show, Annmarie Garden

BEST IN SHOW: "Gold Among the Lilies" - Mary Sokol

MOST POPULAR CHOICE AWARD: "Pan Fish" – Dianne Dickey

AWARD WINNERS:

Watercolors/Watermedia:

1 – "Fence Row Poppies" – Gerry Wood

2 – "Winter Branches" – Gerry Wood

3 – "Adirondak Chairs" – Phyllis Doughty;

2ndThird – "Girl In Red" – Joan Humphreys

Honorable Mention: "Reeds At Sunrise" – Dianne Dickey Honorable Mention: "Spring House" – Shirley Arnheim

Oils/Acrylics:

1 – "Days End" – Rex Miller

2 - "Poppies" - Rose Beitzell

3 – "Maggie In the Afternoon" - Tammy Vitale Honorable Mention: "Inbound to Ewall" – Rex Miller Honorable Mention: "Tea Anyone?" – Maria Fleming

Other 2-D/Mixed

Media/Collage/Pyrography/Pencil/Charcoal:

1 – "The Red Coral" – Gerry Wood

2 – "Abandoned Light House" – Phyllis Doughty

3 – "Golden Field With Barn – Shirley Arnheim

Honorable Mention: "Wave Action" – Joan Humphreys Honorable Mention: "Grapes & Wine" – Joan Humphreys

Photography:

1 - "Beach-Combing" - Rachel Hummel

2 – "Under the Dock" – Bev Jackson

3 - "Out On a Calm Day" - Rachel Hummel

Honorable Mention: "Tilted Tower" – Rachel Hummel Honorable Mention: "Sunrise On Chesapeake Bay" – Joan Humphreys

3-D/Sculpture/Ceramics/Clay/Glass:

1- "Hope Is the Thing With Feathers" – Tammy Vitale

2 – "Fish" – Tammy Vitale

3 – "Torso" – Tammy Vitale

Honorable Mention: "Isig Rising" – Tammy Vitale Honorable Mention: "Raku Vase" – Tammy Vitale

3-D/Sculpture/Wood/Bronze/Other:

1 – "Heron" – Mary Ida Rolape

2- "Eagle" - Mary Ida Rolape

3 - N/A

BIS - "Gold Among the Lilies" - Mary Sokol



New Directory

Your new, 2007, Directory/ Roster will be out soon. If you or someone you know has changed their phone number, address, or email, please let Gerry Wood know, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.net or Maria Fleming, 301-737-2365; flemingmp@verizon.net.

CALL FOR ARTISTS SOLOMONS GAZEBO/PAVILION BOARDWALK, JULY 21, 2007

The Calvert Artists' Guild will hold its SEVENTH **ANNUAL** art exhibit at the Solomons Gazebo/Boardwalk on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>July 21</u>, <u>2007</u>.

Set-up: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon **Show Time:** 12:00 Noon to 6:00 p.m.

Fees: \$25.00 payable to the Calvert Artists'

Guild, Inc. (To cover cost of newspaper

publicity ad)

\$35.00 per non-guild member

Point of Contacts: Rex Miller (410-326-2604)

Gerry Wood (301-863-9663)

Registration Date: Due to limited space, only 15

registrations will be accepted in date order with the earliest postmark taken first. No registrations accepted later

than July 20, 2007.

Each exhibitor (or their representative) must be present for the entire show to monitor their artworks and sales. This is an outdoor show UNDER COVER and security will be problematic. Each participant will furnish their own screens and hang his/her artworks and maintain his/her sales. (If you do not own screens, contact Gerry Wood regarding screen loans). Space allocations are based on each artist using 2 screens (both sides). The Calvert Artists' Guild will not be responsible for sales or receipts. It is suggested that in the event of inclement weather, participants bring waterproof coverings for their artwork as well as an umbrella or other personal rain protection. Exhibitors should be cognizant of wind effects on their display. The 2-dimensional works will be on screens and 3-dimensional works will be on tables/pedestals on the sidewalk area.

ART TIDBITS -Ask Anita

The purpose of this column is to share information and resources. If you have information to share in this column please let us know. Contact Erin Groom at erinmcsorley@hotmail.com to get yours posted in the next newsletter.

Welcome New Members

Carl Wood
Candace Cummings
Tracy Santangelo
Michael & Patricia Nemchick
Nancy Ellen Thompson
Marietta Van Natta

Thanks for joining!!!

A Wonderful May Award Winning Show May 5-6, 2007

CAG EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION

SOLOMONS GAZEBO/BOARDWALK

SHOW

SATURDAY, JULY 21, 2007

Again, thanks to all the helpers that made the show a success. Eighteen artists including the scholarship winner participated in this show displaying a wonderfully diversified and vivid presentation. The judge was challenged to pick winners from such fine competition. Many awards were given in 6 categories as well as Best In Show and Most Popular Choice. The popular choice ballot was offered to the people visiting the show to allow each visitor to vote for their favorite artwork. This voting was established to encourage the public to really look at each work. Dianne Dickey's painting "Pan Fish" was voted as the most popular artwork. The other winners are listed a separate section. All the exhibitors enjoyed talking with each other and seeing who won awards and supporting one another. Congratulations to all winners and participants. Thanks to all. We had a great show and plan to make every May Show an awards show!

GUILD HAS A WEB SITE!

Click on www.calvertartistsguild.org and mark it as one of your *Favorites* AND our webmaster!! Lara Rupinski

Turn in your digital artwork and website link to Lara Rupinski, webmaster, so she can upload to the Web Site. Email: LARA.Rupinski@comcast.net

Scholarship Winner

The Guild for many years has sponsored a scholarship for a High School Senior. Thanks to Maria Fleming, Scholarship Chairperson, for her hard work in mailing letters, getting applications, and collecting the artwork. Due to her efforts, we are pleased to announce that this year's scholarship of \$500.00 was awarded to Joseph (Joe) Wengloski, a graduate of Patuxent High School in Calvert County. Joe's work of charcoal drawings of "Man's Best Friend", "Portrait of Father", and others were chosen the best of all of the applicants. His work shows a tremendous amount of talent and we wish him well in his Art Design Career. Congratulations and good luck to Joe! And thanks again, Maria!

Scholarship Winner



Joseph (Joe) Wengloski with his artworks display

P.R.A.D Show Patuxent River Appreciation Days October 6-7, 2007

This is advance notice for the annual PRAD show to be held in the field south of the Solomons' bridge, October 6-7, 2007. In conjunction with the PRAD show the Calvert Artists' Guild will host their show in multiple 10 x 10 tents. THERE WILL NOT BE A LARGE TENT AGAIN THIS YEAR. If you wish to only show/sell up to 5 artworks + bin pieces & note cards, you may enter the Guild Show. If you wish to rent separate booth space for multiple items, crafts, etc. then you will need to apply for a PRAD Booth Space with the General Letter and Application. Contact Les & Dianne Dickey, 301-855-1919, bayside6@comcast.net, for copies of the PRAD application and information, contact Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.net. for the Guild application. The Guild show application will be available in the August ColorSpots newsletter. CAG members that are willing to loan their 10 x 10 tent for the show please notify Dianne Dickey or Gerry Wood. Also CAG volunteers are needed for publicity, set-up, takedown, registration, gallery sitting, and jurying for the best Arts/Crafts booth at PRAD.

AUGUST ANNUAL POT-LUCK PICNIC MEETING

at the Asbury-Solomons Clubhouse 11740 Asbury Circle, Solomons, MD

Sunday, August 19, 2007 at 2:00 pm
Bring a dish to share

Program: "Visions of Italy" Bob Tinari



Mary Alice Braukman's Lotus

Plein Aire Paint-Outs (5)

By members request we have arranged for plein aire paint-outs to be held at different locations over the summer months. Bring your paints, easel, water & lunch, and join other artists for a fun day outside painting or just bring your camera & take photos to paint from!

<u>June 9, 2007 – Saturday</u> – Plein Air Paintout – Flag Ponds Park, St. Leonard, MD – paint and photograph the irises (flags!), Suggestion to car pool as there is a \$4.00 fee per CAR. (Calvert Residents), \$6.00 fee Non-Calvert Residents.

<u>July 14, 2007 – Saturday</u> – Plein Air Paintout – Greenwell State Park, Steerhorn Neck Road, Hollywood, MD (St. Mary's County), 10:00-2:00. There is handicapped accessibility, ramps, walkways, beach, barns, lodge & picnic area. Admission is Free.

August 11, 2007 – Saturday – Plein Air Paintout – Warrior's Rest Sanctuary, (The American Chestnut Land Trust area), Port Republic, MD, 10:00a.m.-2:00p.m., You may paint the beach, cliffs, landscape, etc. Directions: From Rt. 4 go onto Parkers Creek Road. Turn right on Scientists' Cliffs Road. Go to the end of this road. You will come to Warrior's Rest Sanctuary-go through the gate with the white columns on either side—drive past the house, down the hill to a boat launch site. There is a rest room (portable toilet) on the property.

<u>September 22, 2007 - Saturday</u> – Plein Air Paintout – Jefferson Parkerson Park, 10:00-2:00,

October 20, 2007 - Saturday - Plein Air Paintout - Battle Creek Cypress Swamp, Pr. Frederick, 10:00-2:00

Note: For all of these paintouts, I have stated that artists appreciate the beauty of nature and our natural resources and attempt to portray that beauty in our paintings, and enjoy beautiful places to paint on location. No one will damage the plants or wildlife and will protect your Sanctuary. We will "take only photographs and leave only footprints". We have been given permission through application, to trespass these private areas because we are responsible adults and will respect the properties! Please hold up our reputation! Thank you.

CALVERT ARTISTS' GUILD, INC. POTLUCK MEETING & PROGRAM SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 2007; 2:00 p.m.

The Calvert Artists Guild, Inc. will hold its August PotLuck Meeting & Program, Sunday, August 19th, at 2:00 p.m., at Asbury/Solomons Clubhouse. Guest photographer, Robert (Bob) Tinari, will present the program on "Visions of Italy"; it will cover Tuscany and the hill towns, but also travels into the Italian Alps including Lake Como. His program on flowers was so well received that he has been invited back to share photographs made on his recent trip to Italy. The meeting will also include a potluck meal. Please bring a potluck dish. Come and enjoy the company of other artist members and friends. Guests are welcome. For further information: please contact: Gerry Wood; at gbwood2@verizon.net; 301-863-9663; or Barbara Fetterhoff, 410-394-3365 at fetterhoff@ameritel.net. Directions to Asbury/Solomons Clubhouse: Take Route 2/4 to Solomons to Patuxent Parkway into Asbury-Solomons Retirement complex, just before you come to the tall 5 story building on Asbury Circle, take the road that goes around behind the building (facing the water) until you come to 11740 number address on the doorway. Parking is at the building entrance area. 11740 Asbury Circle, Solomons, MD: Ph: 410-326-2604 Robert Tinari is a photographer who lives in Chesapeake Beach, Maryland. He is the recipient of numerous art competition awards for his landscape, floral, wildlife and abstract work. His photographs are in juried in competitions to appear in such venues as the ArtsFest at AnnMarie Garden, Solomons, Md., the Torpedo Factory, Alexandria, Va. and, most recently, Robert was chosen for a one-man show at the Arts Club of Washington. Robert's work hangs in numerous private collections throughout the metropolitan DC area and his photographs are featured regularly in calendars and magazines. Robert is a member of the Arts Council of Calvert County and was one of the founding members of the ArtWorks@7th artists' cooperative gallery in North Beach, Md. He is also a founding member of the new CalvART Gallery in Prince Frederick, Md. In addition to his fine art photography, Robert works as a commercial photographer for clients in both Maryland and Virginia and teaches digital photography classes to beginners and advanced photographers.



Mary Alice Braukman Acrylic Workshop Saturday, June 23, 2007

Join artists in the art room at Calvert Pines Senior Center in Prince Frederick for a watercolor workshop with Mary Alice Braukman. The workshop will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2007 from 9:00am – 2:00pm. (A break will be included for lunch at the Center--Lunch is \$2.50). Fee: Calvert Artists' Guild members' \$35.00 \$45.00 non-guild members.

Mary Alice Braukman, (yes, that Mary Alice, you've seen her in all the art magazines) is coming to Calvert Artists' Guild's June workshop! Mary Alice relishes the range and freedom that acrylic paints give her. We can expect to feel that freedom, too. "Acrylic can do everything that watercolor can do and everything that oil can do," she says, "and a lot of other things besides." It will be an all day demo from 9-2 with hands on for all participants. So far, students will only need paper and brushes. Further supply info will be available as the time gets closer.

Just for the fun of it, check out Mary Alice's website and see what she can do at www.braukmanart.com. If you want to get more info, email her at ebraukma@tampabay.rr.com. She loves to chat! The latest article by Braukman is in the summer 2006 issue of Watercolor magazine by American Artist, page 96. Even if you have never painted with acrylics this can be a start of something big!

Contact person: Mary Blumberg, phone 410/394-0626, or marybwatercolor@comcast.net Mark your calendars now! (See registration form below!)

Registration form for Watercolor Workshop, Saturday, June 23rd, 2007 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. with Mary Alice Braukman

Name:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Email:	
\$35.00 enclosed(CAG Member) \$45.00 enclosed(Non-Member)	

Make check payable to: Calvert Artists' Guild, Inc. and mail with this form to:

CAG

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Mary Alice Braukman's Choctawhatchee Bay

Calvert Artísts' Guíld Líbrary Show Lexington Park Library, St. Mary's County 21677 FDR Blvd. Off of Shangri-la Drive May 14 – June 30, 2007

The Guild along with the Lexington Park Library will host an art show from May 14 – June 30, 2007. The show will be held in the Lexington Park Library in Lexington Park, Maryland in their new gallery space. The library is providing the following for us: postcards, advertising, a reception as well as display space. Candy Cummings is in charge of the gallery and will hang the show for us. 2-D and 3-D work can be displayed (No jewelry), The 3-D work will be placed on bookshelves and be "security tagged". The gallery space is across from the librarian's station and will be monitored.

The Show Reception was Saturday, June 2, 2007 from 2 – 5pm at the Library. For further information contact: Maria Fleming, 301-737-2365, flemingmp@verizon.net or Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.net Library: 301-863-8188 **HOURS:**

Mon-Thurs 9 am-8 pm
Fri-Saturday 9 am – 5 pm
Sunday 1 pm – 5 pm

Please stop by and view the Guild Library Show!



Calvert Artists' Guild, Inc. CALENDAR of EVENTS 2007

(Note: There are EVENTS EACH MONTH - Mark your calendars!)

May 14 - June 30 2007, - Library Art Show, Lexington Park, (St. Mary's Cnty), Contact: María Fleming 301-737-2365; flemingmp@verizon.net; Reception: Saturday, June 2, 2-5pm.

June 9, 2007, Saturday - Paínt-Out Day, Flag Ponds Park, St. Leonard, 10:00-4:00, carpool, \$4.00/car

June 23, 2007, Saturday – Art Workshop, Calvert Pines Center, Pr. Frederick, MD 9:00am-2:00pm, Instructor: Mary Alice Braukman; Contact person: Mary Blumberg, 410-394-0626, or email: marybwatercolor@comcast.net.

July 14, 2007, Saturday - Paínt-Out Day, Greenwell State Park, Hollywood, (St. Mary's), 10:00-2:00; Contact: Les § Díanne Díckey, 301-855-1919; baysíde6@comcast.net

July 21, 2007, Saturday - Solomons Outdoor/Gazebo Show. Noon-6:00 p.m., Solomons Boardwalk, Contact: Rex Miller, 410-326-2604; Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663

August 11, 2007 - Saturday - Paint-Out Day, Warriors Rest Sanctuary, Scientists Cliffs, St. Leonard, 10:00-4:00, Contact persons: Joan Humphreys, 410-586-3516; Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663.

August 19, 2007, Sunday - Annual Pot-luck meeting, Asbury-Solomons Clubhouse, 2pm to 6pm. Bring a potluck dish. Program: "Visions of Italy", Bob Tinari, Contact persons: Barbara Fetterhoff, 410-394-3365; Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663.

September 8, 2007 - Saturday - Workshop (TBD). Calvert Pines Center, Pr. Frederick, MD; Contact person: Mary Blumberg, 410-394-0626, or email: marybwatercolor@comcast.net.

September 15-16, 2007, Saturday and Sunday - Annmarie Garden. ARTSFEST

September 22, 2007 - Saturday - Paint-Out Day, Jefferson Patterson Park, St. Leonard, 10:00-4:00, Contact persons: Joan Humphreys, 410-586-3516; Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663.

October 6-7, 2007, Saturday & Sunday - Annual P.R.A.D. (Patuxent River Appreciation Days) Show, Solomons, MD, 10:00-5:00 daily; Contacts: Les & Dianne Dickey, 301-855-1919; bayside@comcast.net or Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663.

October 20, 2007 - Saturday - Paínt-Out Day, Battle Creek Cypress Swamp, Pr. Frederick, 10:00-4:00, Contact persons: Joan Humphreys, 410-586-3516; Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663.

December 1, 2007 - Saturday, Annual Meeting & Program, 10:00 a.m., Calvert Pines Center, Pr. Frederick, MD; Program: TBD; Contact persons: Joan Humphreys, 410-586-3516; Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663.

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