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From *Arizona Art Supply*:
Jaxine Cummins ~ \$25 Gift Certificate

From *Donna Levine*:
Freddie Lieberman ~ 2 tickets to EXPO

From *Hal Stewart*:
Geri Hall ~ 2 tickets to EXPO

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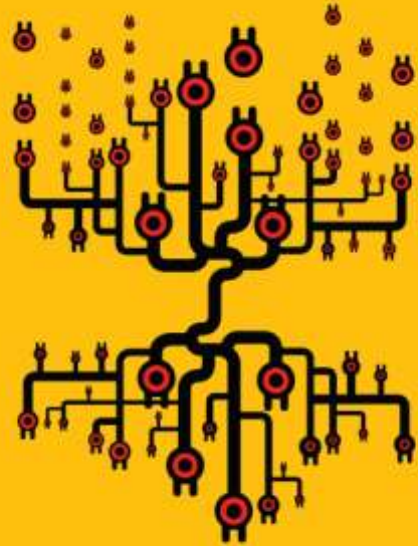
50/50 Drawing
Won by *Irene Donato* \$30.00

Remember, 50/50 helps with the cost of refreshments

*Tickets are drawn from members who
have paid their dues, signed in and
received raffle tickets*

March 1st

Guest Presenter



It's a mystery – come and check it out.

~ Donna Levine, Program Chairman

Send Art Beat items to: karen_m_lockhart@cox.net
Please email by **March 4th** for April issue. *Thank you.*

Member CRITIQUE

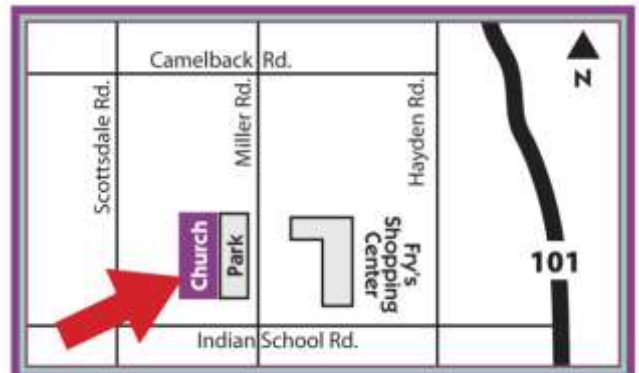
Debra Jones is leading our critique for **March 1st**

Critique is held promptly at 5:30 pm to 6:45 pm prior to the
General meeting. Paintings and drawings do not need to be
framed. Unfinished pieces are welcome for suggestions to finish
them.

Those members arriving with work after 6:30 risk not having their
work critiqued depending on volume of work brought in earlier.
Please, only 1 painting per person.

~ Jim Garrison, Critique Master

First Tuesday of each month
Where: Scottsdale United Methodist Church
4140 N Miller Rd., Scottsdale, Arizona
Time: Promptly at 7:00 pm Come early to **sign in!**



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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Dear Sal Members,

What a great meeting! We really enjoyed the charcoal portrait demonstration by Bill Lundquist, and he deserves a heartfelt thank-you. Thanks, Bill!



The Desert Botanical Garden Paint-Out is coming up soon. Even if you are not participating, you should plan to attend. Thank-you to Harold Nelson, Rita Goldner, Ericka Cero Wood, Mona Houle, and Wil Coe for managing all the pesky details! And thanks in advance to all the volunteers who will help make it work. Don't forget that help is needed to spiff up the panels before the show!

Another 'thank you' to everyone who donated money: This enabled Donna Levine to buy supplies for the veterans attending the free classes at the Expo. What an awesome group we have! Be sure to attend the Expo, by the way. You'll have a great time seeing the artists that you do know and meeting the ones that you don't. ~Barbara Clark, President

Artwork of the Month Rules

1. You must have attended 3 meetings as a dues paid member in the last 12 calendar months.
2. A two dimensional art must be framed or on gallery wrapped canvas must be 1 ½ "minimum.
3. If you have had your art critiqued at that meeting, you may not also enter it in "Artwork of the Month."
4. If you are a first, second, or third place winner, please remain after the meeting to be photographed for the Art Beat.
5. Each artist may win first place only once a year (January to November).
6. All monthly first place winners will bring a piece of artwork to the December meeting to vie for "Artist of the Year." Monthly winners may enter any piece of work they wish in the December "Artist of the Year" contest. This allows sales and gives artists the freedom to exhibit what they feel is their best effort.

ARTIST

OF THE Month

1st Place Marylouise Widmaier
"Charlie"



2nd Place Donna Leonard
"End of Trail"



3rd Place Alex Pekala
'Cambria'





Is your advertising reaching the right market?

Scottsdale Artists League is providing advertising space in their monthly newsletter and their annual membership directory at a very reasonable rate. Our newsletter and directory reach serious artists with the need for artist supplies and materials. **Let them know that you support them with your ad.**

Circulation

Our Newsletter has a direct mailing of 150+ members. In addition, it is sent to all the other art leagues and guilds in the valley which makes your ad available to numerous readers and serious artists throughout the entire Phoenix area. The newsletter is posted to our website and archived for up to a year adding even more value and longevity to your advertising dollar!

The Annual Directory is a tool often picked up throughout the year by other members and organizations for the purpose of contacting artists to inform them of upcoming events and exhibitions. This provides an excellent opportunity for exposure to your business or service.

Rates, Deadlines, and Ad Sizes/Formats

Monthly Newsletter

1/8 page: \$10.00
Size: 3.75" wide by 2" tall
1/4 page: \$18.00
Size: 3.75" wide by 4.75" tall
1/2 Page: \$35.00
Size: 7.5" wide by 4.75" tall
Full Page: \$70.00
Size: 7.5" wide by 10" tall

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Printed newsletter is black and white,
with the digital version in full color.
File formats accepted:
PDF, JPG at 300DPI, or TIFF at 300DPI
Ads due by the first Friday of each month.

Annual Membership Directory

1/2 Page: \$200.00
Size: 4.5" wide by 3.75" tall
Inside front, inside back or back cover:
\$350.00 Size: 4.5" wide by 7.5" tall

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black and white ad preferred.
File formats accepted:
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Ads due by the first Friday in July

For more information contact
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For **ART BEAT** ads contact
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Membership Application for Scottsdale Artists League

Please print and complete all areas that apply



Fiscal year July 1 to June 30
Minimum Age: 18 Years
Date: _____

Please Check One:
 New Renewal

Annual Donation:
 \$36 year - Individual
 \$42 year - Family
 \$50 or more year - Patron

Name: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Fax: _____

E-Mail: _____

Would you like the monthly newsletter Art Beat sent to you: E-mail US mail
(You will be notified by e-mail each month with a URL to the website location)

Art Media Used: _____

Introduced by, or how you learned about the League? (not a requirement for membership)

Send Application To:

Scottsdale Artists League, P.O. Box 1071,
Scottsdale, AZ 85252-1071,
Attn: Membership Chairperson

Please check how you will be willing to help the League:

- Assist with shows
- Assist with exhibitions
- Hang and take down shows
- Work on a committee
- Help with membership
- Scholarship Committee
- Accept a Board position
- Telephone Committee
- Assist with Ways and Means
- Sell advertising space
- Publicity
- Other: _____
- Plan Workshops
- Teach a Workshop
- Demonstrate at meetings
- Help with refreshments
- Newsletter circulation

NEXT SAL BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, February 22nd at 7:00 p.m. Coco's Restaurant, 4700 N. Scottsdale Rd.
(2nd signal north of Camelback) *Those who wish, may join us for a "no host"
dinner at 6:00 p.m. prior to the 7:00 p.m. meeting* ALL SAL MEMBERS ARE
INVITED on the 4th Tuesday EACH MONTH
~ Come join us! ~

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LAST MEETING WITH BILL LUNDQUIST



Donna Levine graciously sat still



What a delight to
have a rapt audience



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AZ Art Alliance Gallery
Scottsdale Pavilions – Indian Bend Rd. & the 101
(just east of Sports Authority)
Open Wednesday- Sunday, 10:00AM – 5:00PM

Now Showing: Cycle 4 – January 5-February 27, 2011
Come view the art at the Gallery! We also have a great Gift Shop area!

*****AZ Art Alliance Spring Show – March 3-April 3, 2011*****

Come view the work of AZ Art Alliance Juried Artists...paintings, drawings, photography, sculpture, jewelry, etc....and, of course, our great Gift Shop area!

(Participating Artists: Come on March 1 between 10AM and 6PM to hang your artwork on your panel. Please bring completed & signed Hold Harmless/Inventory and be prepared to fill out the work schedule.)

Celebrating 250 Years of Veterinary Medicine – Veterinary Art Competition

This "Show within a Show" will feature the work of AZ artists and will coincide with our Spring Show March 3-April 3. This competition is being hosted by the AZ Art Alliance and the AZ Veterinary Medical Association to commemorate World Veterinary Year.

****Spring Show/Veterinary Art Show Reception Saturday March 5, 5:00-8:00PM****

You are cordially invited to this Special Event at the AZ Art Alliance Gallery!

Check the Art Alliance website www.azartalliance.com for more information regarding the Spring Show, as well as other information about our Outreach Programs, Workshops, Newsletters, video from our Holiday Show reception, etc. The AZ Art Alliance is proud of our Community Outreach Programs, which really set us apart from other Galleries/Art Studios.

A very special "Thank You" to those of our members who volunteer their time to work in our Outreach Programs.

If you are interested in seeing how you might help, please contact
Director of Outreach Mike Brady at mkyfin@cox.net.

To be a Participating Artist in AZ Art Alliance Shows, you must belong to an Art Alliance member league (such as SAL), and be juried into the AZ Art Alliance. You can get a jury application from the Art Alliance website, as above, or through Alliance Rep Judy Delmonico-Roll at jdelmonico-roll@cox.net.

CALL TO ARTIST VOLUNTEERS:

The Arizona Art Alliance desperately needs 4 to 6 artist volunteers. Volunteers will mentor senior citizens suffering from various ailments affecting older people. Presently Vince Valicenti is pretty much doing this himself. We need artists to assist him in teaching art to these people in need. These art projects provide much needed support to these seniors and their families.

This has been an ongoing project for many years headed up by Vince. Over the years his supporting volunteer artists have gone by the wayside, and we need to make a renewed commitment to this great project. Volunteers are needed that will teach with Vince twice a month at the assisted living facility, Life Care of Paradise Valley in Phoenix, where the program takes place. We need at least two volunteers to assist Vince per class. So if we have 4 to 6 new people, no one will work more than once a month for a

couple of hours. This is a challenging and worthwhile project, and we need your help. Contact Mike Brady, mkyfin@cox.net or Vince Valicenti, valvince@aol.com

AAA PAVILIONS GALLERY WORKSHOPS

Sculptor Hal Stewart will be conducting a sculpting class at the Arizona Art Alliance Gallery every Tuesday in February, 2011 from 9AM till Noon. Class is for anyone from beginners to professional. Contact Hal for additional information stewartphx18j@cox.net 480-659-2321

Desert Botanical Garden Paint-out and Sale

Sign up for the Paint-out by February 14th!

Celebrating Our Sweet 16 Years at the Garden! Join us for a fabulous time! Paint-outs will be held each Saturday in March 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Show and sale days are April 1, 2, 3: Friday, April 1 from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM with an artist's meet and greet from 4-6 PM, Saturday April 2 from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, and Sunday April 3 from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

This is a great annual event and there is only room for 50 artists, we have only a few spots left so sign up today! Questions? Email or call Harold Nelson 480-483-8072 or nelsonart@cox.net.

ATTENTION! **EARLY MEETING**

If you have ever thought about sketching and/or painting on location, but have not given it a shot.... consider joining us in the Botanical Garden. If you have a lot of questions, bring them along with yourself to the March 1 SAL meeting.

Be there at 5:45p and we will answer them all. We will review the rules, what kind of stuff to bring, subjects, sizes, pricing, etc. JOIN US.

Harold Nelson 480.483.8072 nelsonart@cox.net

This meeting is for everyone who has signed up...make sure you pick up your shirt to wear on Saturday. See you!

Please Remember

Come visit us at the Arizona Fine Art EXPO

Corner of Scottsdale Rd & Jomax

Beginning January 20, daily through April 3

- Art, Artists, Food & Classes -

-----Beth, Donna, Hal, & Rowell-----

Scottsdale Artists League 50 year Celebration 2011!



VERY, VERY SOON IT WILL BE HERE!

Please volunteer and contact:

Donna Levine at 480-967-3694, dalart@earthlink.net or

Betsy Passov passovgolf@aol.com or (480) 515-1339..

Both have volunteered to Co-Chair the 50th Birthday Celebration.

~~~~~ 94 Members ~~~~~ 15 Guests ~~~~~

**NEW MEMBERS**

**RENEWALS**

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## Happenings!

**Sue Hunter** had paintings juried into the following exhibitions, Scottsdale Artists School's Best and Brightest, Tubac Aqueous, Shemer "Negative Spaces," West Valley Arts Council "Mixed Media," Glendale Arts Council, City of Peoria and Mid-Southern Watercolorists.

**Judith Rothenstein-Putzer** was juried into the "Exploration of Negative Space" exhibit at Shemer Art Center and Museum in Phoenix, January 20th- February 16th. Two companion pieces, "Sonoran Fantasy" and "Okateeyo", both Photo Alcohol Transfers with Ink are on exhibit in the show. ~~~ "Andre", ".....Did you just hear what she said?" and "Dressed for the Party", Photo Alcohol Transfers with Ink, were juried into the "AAA Cycle 4" show, January 5th- February 28th. ~~~ In addition, Rothenstein-Putzer's "Charlotte" and "Ice Blue Christmas", Photo Alcohol Transfers with Ink, will be on exhibit at the Fountain Hills Community Center, February 1st- 28<sup>th</sup>.

Town of Gilbert chose 8 pieces of artworks by **Karen Lockhart** and 7 pieces by **Leona Stachura**, for a special 'Mother~Daughter Exhibit in the Gilbert Courthouse February 10<sup>th</sup> – March 30<sup>th</sup>.

Karen Lockhart also had her piece "The Black Strawberry" accepted into the SKYE Restaurant for Cycle 6.

**HOPE FOR WOMEN ARTS ON YOU TUBE** ~ [joyce@joycewhiteafricanjewelry.com](mailto:joyce@joycewhiteafricanjewelry.com)

<http://www.facebook.com/l/b83da8OqQdUG4NXm8Ob892ncDhw>; [www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q8yN4V35lRk](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q8yN4V35lRk)

Grown & Sexy Comedy/R & B Concert Tour will start their tour here in February and end it here in Nov. **One Main St. Mesa, Arizona --February 26, 2011 starts 8:00 pm ~ TICKETS ON SALE NOW. [www.mesaartscenter.com](http://www.mesaartscenter.com)** Phoenix, Arizona--  
**November 27, 2011 I hope to see everyone there to support us.** This tour is sponsoring Hope For Women Arts in all 10 cities. If you have any questions feel free to contact me at [info@hopeforwomenarts.org](mailto:info@hopeforwomenarts.org). If you would like to make a donation, you can do so on the website, [www.hopeforwomenarts.org](http://www.hopeforwomenarts.org) Thanks.

**Sunnyslope Artwalk Call to Artists - please help spread the word.** Applications are currently being accepted for the **April 9th Sunnyslope Artwalk**. The event will run from 5-9 p.m. in various locations along Central Ave. from Dunlap south toward the canal. Application is required for consideration and participation is restricted to artists selected by Sunnyslope 2nd Saturdays committee.

All work must be original and for sale. No dealers or representatives are allowed. **Application deadline is March 4, 2011.** Download the application and conditions of show at [www.sunnyslopecommunity.org](http://www.sunnyslopecommunity.org). Apply **before February 18th to save \$5** on the application fee!

**PLEASE HELP OUR VETERANS**

Dear Members,

Hal and I will both be teaching classes at the EXPO for the American Healing Arts Foundation, a nonprofit organization using art as therapy for veterans both disabled and whole. These classes are free and we will be donating our time. However, we do need materials (especially for my painting class). If you can donate either materials or money (so that we can purchase materials) please contact me at (602) 574-1987, (480) 967-3694, or [dalart@earthlink.net](mailto:dalart@earthlink.net) and we will make arrangements. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for helping this very worthy cause.

Donna Levine



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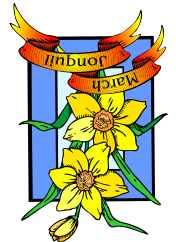
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