CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September Signature Members Fall Show Dates: September 10, 11, 12, 18, 19, 2010. Friday, Sept. 10, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. Opening Reception. Additional Viewing Hours: Sat., Sun., Sept. 11, 12, 18, 19, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

September 17 Dinner Meeting
6:00 p.m. Social Hour
6:45 p.m. Dinner
8:00 p.m. Guest Speaker: Tom Bluemline

Dinner Meetings are the 3rd Friday of each month. 6:00 p.m. Social Hour 6:45 p.m. Dinner 8:00 p.m. Program

Sketch Groups are on Mondays, 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. and on Thursdays, 7:30 - 10:00 p.m. Facilitator: Paul Fisher

Critique Sessions are the first Tuesday of each month, 7:00 - 9:30 p.m. Bring a piece of your work to be critiqued as we all learn and grow together.

Associates Member Critiques are held on the third Tuesday of each month. This group was started primarily for Associate members who wish to work on achieving Signature status within the club. Both sessions are open to all members. For information contact Mike McGuire at (859) 491-3005.

Signature Members Status Review
Saturday, October 9, 2010: 8:45 - 9:15 a.m. Drop off paintings for Signature Members Status Review. Note: Paintings that do not carry the name, address and contact information of the artist on the back will not be reviewed. Paintings may be dropped off during sketch group hours the week before this date and may be picked up at sketch group the week after the review date. See Signature Status Review Dates on the web site for additional information.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

"I never knew my home town until I stayed away too long." From a song by Tom Waites. I did not completely understand those words until Jonna and I sold our house and studio and moved away to Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Even with the overwhelming beauty and the vibrant art market I discovered a few things about the area and myself that were a disappointment. The harshness of the weather, the altitude, the winds and those pesky coyotes trying to eat my dog, Lucy. The most disappointment though was that there was no art club. Even though I was represented by a gallery right away and was very busy working with them, Jonna and I found ourselves homesick. I knew that when we returned I would have a deep appreciation for what I left behind: friends, family, and the camaraderie and heritage of the Cincinnati Art Club.

I could not say no when I was approached to run for the board and be President of the club. This is my chance to contribute to an ongoing legacy of the club and of myself. I intend to get the word out to the city and share with the board some ideas and continue the spirit with which the club was founded. I thank all who will support me with this honor and will work hard for our club.

Sincerely, Tom Bluemlein

2010-2011 CAC BOARD MEMBERS

Seated: President Tom Bluemlein. First Row, L to R: Donnita Geary, Judy Clubb, Deb Ward, Sharon Saluga, Judy Barton, Barbara Kuntz. Second Row: Todd Channer, Bill Powell, Clark Stevens, Paul Fisher, George Hageman. Not Present: Steve Nassano.

The Roebling Murals at the Covington Riverfront "Artists in Residence" By Robbert Dafford.

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Deadline for submissions is the 5th of the month prior to the month in which it is to run. All materials should be timely and will be subject to editing for clarity and space.

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MEET YOUR NEW CAC BOARD MEMBERS

Tom Bluemlein

Education ..... Central Academy of Commercial Art
CAC Member Since 1975
Board Member Since 2010
Favorite Artist ..... John Singer Sargent
Favorite Museum ..... Cincinnati Art Museum
Memberships ..... Oil Painters of America (Signature Member), Indiana Plein Air Painters, Ohio Watercolor Society and Past President of The American Impressionist Society

George Hageman

Education ..... The Ohio State University, MFA
CAC Member Since 1998
Board Member Since 2008
Favorite Artist ..... Titian
Favorite Museum ..... National Gallery London, National Gallery Washington, Metropolitan New York
Memberships ..... Cincinnati Art Museum, MacDowell Society, Dayton Society of Painters and Sculptors (past President), Portrait Society of America, Asian Society

Clark Stevens

Education ..... Southern Oregon State College
CAC Member Since 2004
Board Member Since 2010
Favorite Artist ..... Those privileged enough to study with in workshops
Favorite Museum ..... Corcoran Gallery of Art, The Norton Simon Museum
Memberships ..... Numerous small groups

Donnita Geary

Education ..... Workshops /Classes Currently Studying with Jan Boone
CAC Member Since 2007
Board Member Since 2008
Favorite Artist ..... Vincent Van Gogh
Favorite Museum ..... The Hermitage - St. Petersburg, Russia
Memberships ..... Cincinnati Art Club, Woman's Art Club of Cincinnati

Barbara Kuntz

Education ..... Xavier University
CAC Member Since 1992
Board Member Since 2009
Favorite Artist ..... John Singer Sargent
Favorite Museum ..... The Chicago Art Institute
Memberships ..... Cincinnati Art Club, Southwest Ohio Plein Air Painters

Judy Clubb

Education ..... Workshops and Classes
CAC Member Since 1994
Board Member Since 2010
Favorite Artist ..... Judith Clubb
Favorite Museum ..... Amsterdam Museum of Art
Memberships ..... Cincinnati Art Club

. . . "Imagination is more important than knowledge" Albert Einstein

Stephen Joseph Nassano

Education ..... B.A. Wilberforce University
CAC Member Since 2005
Board Member Since 2007
Favorite Artist ..... Jackson Pollack, Frank Duveneck, Andrew Wyeth
Favorite Museum ..... Union Terminal, Cincinnati Art Museum
Memberships ..... American Correctional Association, Veterans of Foreign Wars (V.F.W.), Department of Veterans Affairs, U.S.A.R. (United States Army Reserve), United States Chito-Ryu Karata Federation

Bill Powell

Education ..... University of Cincinnati
CAC Member Since 1995
Board Member Since 2008
Favorite Artist ..... Frank Duveneck
Favorite Museum ..... Cincinnati Art Museum
Memberships ..... Founders Society and Duveneck Association Board member, McDowell Society, American Art Society, Preservation Assoc, CET Visionaries and Underwriter for CET's Kids Creatafest Art Show

Judy Barton

Education ..... Miami University
CAC Member Since 1990
Board Member Since 2010
Favorite Artist ..... I admire many artists from the 19th and 20th centuries
Favorite Museum ..... Renwick Gallery in Washington D.C.
Memberships ..... Women's Art Club, the Ohio Plein Air Society, and The Greater Cincinnati Watercolor Society

Todd Channer

Education ..... Art Academy of Cincinnati, BFA 1985
CAC Member Since 2008
Board Member Since 2010
Favorite Artist ..... Vincent Van Gogh
Favorite Museum ..... Musée d'Orsay, Van Gogh Museum, Cincinnati Art Museum, Smithsonian Museums, Taft Art Museum
Memberships ..... Indiana Plein Air Painters, Ohio Plein Air Society, Oil Painters of America, Portrait Society of America

Paul Fisher

Education ..... Southern State Community College
CAC Member Since 1999
Board Member Since 2008
Favorite Artist ..... Andrew Wyeth, Winslow Homer
Favorite Museum ..... I enjoy them all
Memberships ..... Cincinnati Art Club

Deb Ward

Education ..... Classes, workshops and trial and error!
CAC Member Since 2004
Board Member Since 2009
Favorite Artist ..... Chris Krupinski
Favorite Museum ..... Cincinnati Art Museum, Indianapolis Art Museum Taft Museum,
Memberships ..... Greater Cincinnati Watercolor Society, Queen City Art Club, Kennedy Heights Art Guild, Georgia Watercolor Society, Louisiana Watercolor Society, Transparent Watercolor Society of America

FROM THE EDITOR

First and foremost, I would like to thank those of you who voted for, and elected me, as your new board member. It is a true honor and one I accept with great pride and joy. Second of all, I would like to thank and congratulate Ruth Zacharias (past board member and Dragonfly Editor), for the great job that she has provided over the past few years while producing the Dragonfly newsletter. The Dragonfly was always a welcome sight and it always provided useful information. It is my goal to do the same and as you can see with this first edition under my "dragonfly wing", things have changed a bit and will continue to do so as I settle in as your editor. Many thanks for this great oportunity, I hope you will enjoy!

EXHIBIT UPDATE

The Exhibit Committee would like everyone to join with us this year in being a docent (a person who leads guided tours, especially through a museum or art gallery) at the shows. Please donate an afternoon to help benifit the club.

New members and members who want to help the club put our best foot forward, this is the way to do it. Call for details and times.

Please note, if you have a piece of art in a show, you will be asked to sit the show. Everyone loves to "meet the artist in the show". Contact Judi Clubb (859) 441-2299 or Sharon Saluga (513) 899-7545

. . . "Reserve is strength, overstatement is weakness" John Carlson

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NEWS, EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

Duveneck Pilgrimage

The Club conducted the annual pilgrimage to Duveneck's grave site once again on Memorial Day, May 31, 2010.

Members who attended the memorial ceremony are shown in the photo; from left to right, George Hageman, Tim Carter, Setsuko LeCroix, Mrs. Charles Gillham, Lisa Gillham (wife and daughter of long time member Charles Gillham who is now 90 years old), Dave Klocke (kneeling), Les Miley, Judith Affatato, and Tom Lippert.

Our condolences to the family of Bernice Eckley.

Ora Bernice Denton Eckley, age 92, of Friendship Village, Dayton, Ohio, passed away Monday, July 26, 2010. She was the beloved wife of Thomas Richard Eckley, who preceded her in death in 2007. Both were Signature Members of the Club and will be greatly missed.

Bonnie Rettig's Art Exhibit

"Flowers From My Garden"
Sept. 3-30, 2010. Held at the Civic Garden Center, 2715 Reading Road.
Opening Reception: Sept. 3, from 5:00 -7:30 p.m.

Welcome, New Associate Members

Raymond Burt
Kathlene Wilkins

DINNER MEETING RESERVATIONS

The cost of dinner is $15 per person. To make a reservation call Catering Chair Barbara Kuntz at (859) 442-5623 or send email to: dinner@cincinnatiartclub.com. Reservation deadline is 4:00 p.m. the Wednesday before the meeting, i.e., September 15th. Early reservations are very much appreciated. If you should need to cancel, do so before the Wednesday deadline.

Traditionally the Club requests payment at the door by CHECK only in order to facilitate getting people in quickly and having an accurate record of payment.

PERMANENT LIST

We will start from scratch a new Permannt List for the upcoming season, September 2010 through May 2011. Putting your name on the list means you will attend all eight dinner meetings so you don't have to call every month. If, however, you then cannot attend a dinner, call or email before the Wednesday deadline to cancel so that you won't be charged the $15 cost.

"No Shows" from the monthly list and from the Permanent List can expect a bill to cover the dinners ordered for them.

DINNER MEETING MENU - SEPT. 17, 2010

- Chicken Breast - Roasted, with an Asian Flare
- Rice Pilaf with Mushrooms
- Vegetable Medley
- Tossed Salad
- Iced Tea - Coffee
- Pineapple Upside Down Cake