CALENDAR OF EVENTS

December 4 Signature Members Holiday Sale
12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Continues December 4, 5, 11, 12, 18, 19

December 10 Holiday Party
See page three for details.

January 21 Dinner Meeting*
Guest Speaker: Brian Burt

February 11 Signature Winter Show Opening
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Continues February 12, 13, 19, 20

March 11 Associate Show Opening
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Continues March 12, 13, 19, 20

April 15 Dinner Meeting* / Sketch Group Show, Continues April 16, 17

April 22 Butterfly Show Opening
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
More Details to follow.

May 13 Signature Spring Show Opening
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Continues May 14, 15, 21, 22

* Dinner Meetings are the 3rd Friday of the month. 6:00 p.m Social Hour, 6:45 p.m. Dinner, 8:00 p.m. Program. No Dinner Meeting in December.

Advance Your Art:

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

Associate 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 Member Review will be Saturday January 8, 2011, and Saturday May 7, 2011. Requirements may be found on the web site. Please take the time to familiarize yourself with them. For further information please contact Roger Heuck (513) 681-8961.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Peace and goodwill to all Associate, Signature men and women of the Cincinnati Art Club and on Earth. As we enter this holiday season, I am filled with more joy and optimism than I have had for a long time. There are so many wonderful opportunities available to us. So much can be achieved and enjoyed if we embrace a common cause. My dream is to reach for the stars! Everyday I focus on creating great art and when I lift my brush I think this could be my masterpiece day! That is what drives me. During this Holiday season it is my desire and dream that all of us and the world work toward their own masterpiece. It is good to work with purpose and hope. I know that there are no two people alike and that applies also to artwork. Let us all embrace this gift of art that holds us all together. This club is a bright star for all to see. So with that, I wish all my associates goodwill and masterpieces on earth!

Sincerely, Elf Bluemlein

2010 VIEWPOINT AWARDS PRESENTED

First Place (Right)
Laurie Goldstein-Warren - Buckhannon, WV

Second Place (Bottom Left)
Shalmah Prince - Cincinnati, OH

Third Place (Bottom Right)
Christopher Walden - West Elkton, OH

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Deadline for submissions is the 10th 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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NEWS, EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

Monica Anne Achberger

Received a Judges Recognition Award at the Destin Festival of the Arts in Destin, Florida, the Greater Loveland Historical Society Museum's Art Exhibition Award of Merit for "Winter Wonder", and at the Ohio State Fair she won the Hazen Taft Award and Bruce Storts Purchase Award for her painting titled "Peonies in Vase".

Mark Downey

Was presented the President's Award at the Irving Art Association's 2nd annual Wildlife Art Show in Texas with his oil painting "Deer Respite".

John Leon

Spent two weeks at the Vandalia, Ohio Stone Carving Symposium creating a sculpture for that city from an eleven thousand pound block of limestone. He also sculpted the "David Belew Legacy Award" for the Hamilton Community Foundation. His bronze sculpture, "The Awakening", for Sensus, a Hamilton, Ohio company, will be unveiled on November, 16, 2010. Also this summer, he completed bas-relief sculptures for the Reds Hall of Fame, the City of Montgomery, the Alabama Military Hall of Fame, the Steel Guitar Hall of Fame, and the ATP.

John Leon offers classes in stone and wood carving, clay sculpting, and clay sculpting from a model. Contact JLSculptor@gmail.com or call (513) 777-1862 for details.

Mildred Null

Won 2nd place for an oil painting titled "This Old House-October" in the Miami University VOA show in November.

Daryl Urig

Will be giving two, two-day workshops the first being Saturday, February 12, 2011: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (Includes 1-hour lunch.), and the second being: Sunday, February 13, 2011: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (Includes 1-hour lunch.) Location: Evendale Cultural Arts Center, 10500 Reading Rd, Evendale, OH 45241. Cost: $185. Class sizes are limited so please sign up early. Please include your name, address, phone and email address in the application. To reserve your spot: Pay by Mail: (please mail check to) The Paintings of Daryl Urig, 654 Ridgeview Drive, Harrison OH 45030, or Pay Online: http://www.darylurig.com/workshops-and-learning.aspx Students must bring their own art supplies, pallet knives, photographs to paint from, easels and lunch. Visit: www.DarylUrig.com for more information or e-mail questions to Contact@DarylUrig.com

Tom Bluemlein

Will be giving a plein-air workshop in Tuscany, Italy on September 22-29, 2011. All details may be found at www.ilchiostro.com under workshops.

Donna Townsend and George Hageman

Exhibited 30 Fine Art Paintings and Drawings at the Dayton Convention Center, Dayton, Ohio during the month of October.

2010 VIEWPOINT AWARD WINNERS

Eisele Gallery Representation Award
Debra Joyce Dawson - Pataskala, OH

John Crane Watercolor Award
Mary Helen Wallace - Cincinnati, OH

Great American Art Works Award
Mary Beth Cluxton - Cincinnati, OH

Plaza Art Materials Award
Mary A. Florez - Cincinnati, OH

Parsons Brinckerhoff Award
Linda Wesner - Lewis Center, OH

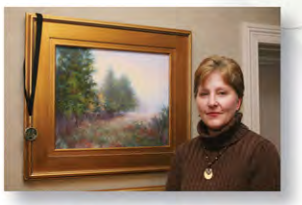
Bowman's Framing and Suder's Art Award
Tom Bluemlein Ft. Mitchell, KY

Parsons Brinckerhoff Award
Donna Shortt - Indianapolis, IN

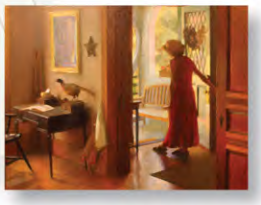
Ray Loos Watercolor Award
Fred Graff - Medina, OH

Winsor Newton Watercolor Award
Fran Mangino - Westerville, OH

Wolfgang Ritschel Memorial Award
Ken Withers - Shepherdsville, KY



Founder's Award
Pamela Newell - Fishers, IN



Cincinnati Art Galleries Award
Carl Samson - Cincinnati, OH

CAC CHRISTMAS/ HOLIDAY PARTY

Fort Mitchell Country Club
250 Ft. Mitchell Avenue
Ft. Mitchell, Kentucky 41011

Friday, December 10, 2010
$45.00 per person (includes tax and tip)
Attire: Holiday Dress.

Social Hour: 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Dinner: 7:30 p.m.

Reservations are a Must:
Call Donnita Geary
(513) 793-8612

Reservation Deadline:
Devember 4, 2010
Make Checks Payable to:
Cincinnati Art Club
Mail Checks to: Donnita Geary
3165 North Whitetree Circle
Amberley Village, OH 45236

Directions:
I-75 to FT. Mitchell Exit 188. Right on Dixie Hwy. to Ft. Mitchell Ave. from the north and Left on Ft. Mitchell Ave. from the south. The Club is at the end of the road.

Please Note: There will be no money transactions at the door the night of the party, no exceptions.

Painting Exchange
If you would like to participate, please bring an 8"x10" or smaller painting example of your best work. Please make sure it is properly framed. These works will be displayed and those present will vote for the "Peoples Choice" Award. Numbers will be drawn at the end of the evening and every artist who brought a painting to exchange will be awarded someone else's!

"Color is my day-long obsession, joy and torment" Claude Monet

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NEXT DINNER MEETING: JANUARY 21, 2011

YOUNG AT ART

Six year old Darby Thurston takes in the art work at this year's ViewPoint Opening at the Wessel Gallery, located in Mt. Adams.

CALL TO ARTISTS

Join us for the Montgomery Woman's Club Antiques & Art Show & Sale on Saturday & Sunday, March 19 & 20, 2011. Set up is Friday, March 18, 2011. The location is Sycamore High School located at 7400 Cornell Road. Booth space is 10'x10' and can be shared. NO commissions are taken and each artist is responsible for their own sales. You may bring your own easels, stands, browser boxes, etc. The entry fee is $50.00 and if you need help moving in or out, there are dollies and porters available for a fee. Walls and tables can also be purchased for a fee. You can hang art on both sides of the walls. Two box dinners will be provided for each booth. For more information visit www.montgomerywomansclub.org and click on Antiques & Art Show, there is a cover letter, application and contract. Questions can be directed to Judi LaFreniere, Chairman at (513) 793-8787 or jgl@fuse.net.

A SPECIAL NOTE

The family of Sharon Saluga would like to express their thanks and appreciation to the Cincinnati Art Club and its members for their support, thoughts and prayers after her passing. It warms our hearts to know that she has touched and inspired so many of you. Her memory will live on in her work of gentle brush strokes and soft colors of pastel. - *The Saluga Family.*