

Life of a Curator

Christy Davis, Canton Museum of Art

Wednesday, March 20, 2024

6:00 PM at Canton Museum of Art.

Encaustic Demo

Therese Cook, Canton Museum of Art

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

6:00 PM at Canton Museum of Art. (room 102)

(Encaustic: decorated by burning in colors as an inlay, especially using colored clays or pigments mixed with hot wax.)

CAL at Cyrus Gallery

April 26—June 16, 2024

Reception: Friday, April 26, 2024

2645 Cleveland Ave NW, Canton, OH 44720

Deadline to send artwork info is March 10.

(Details on page 6)

CAL Bus Trip to Zainsville Museum of Art

July 5, 2024

After March 10, other CMA affiliates will be invited so make your Reservations early before the bus fills up.

(Details on page 7)

CAL at the Foltz Community Center

224 N Wood St, East Canton, OH 44730

June 1 - 30, 2024

Reception: Friday, June 7, 2024



Check the Calendar Page for 2024 Exhibits

Cyrus Gallery, Foltz Center, Art and History Gallery, Canton Museum of Art

ARTIST OPPORTUNITIES - The Ahh Gallery in Louisville is currently is looking for artists to teach classes and workshops, all media. There is flexibility from single session to ongoing classes. If you are interested in teaching a class, please contact Lori Perry at arteacher48@gmail.com.

To learn more about CAL, visit us at.... Website: <https://cantonartistleague.org>
Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/CantonArtistsLeague>
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CAL News is published every other month

We want to hear about your art successes—exhibits, awards, etc. Send your news to tobias@artistirene.com

Deadline for submissions is on the 1st of Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep, Nov.

League News

Tom Kilpatrick - An oil class with Doreen St. John helped me overcome my impatience with that medium and allowed me to loosen up a bit. Consequently 5 of my last 6 paintings have been oils. "Bass Harbor Head" in Acadia N.P. Maine is my latest.



Irene Tobias Rodriguez - My trip to Hawaii a year ago inspired these recent paintings.

Water falls on these mountains only when it rains. It was a rainy day when we visited the botanical garden. (We left the park with muddy shoes.)



Suni Lope-Ortiz - I signed up for a 6 month online course with watercolorist Rae Andrews. 2 tutorials per month and a critique. Here are some of the tutorials. Now onto creating my own art using the techniques I've learnt!

Happy Painting everyone!



This scene is from another botanical garden.

An update on our youngest member, and probably our only member attending college: **Grace Sherry** is attending her second semester at Stark State College and is doing so well she made the Dean's list. She's studying a variety of topics related to graphic arts and animation. Keep up the good work, Grace!

Yvonne Walter is the featured artist at the AHH gallery for March

Julie Schuster is the featured artist at the AHH gallery for April

[CAL Website, Members Art page](#)

If you wish to have your art displayed on this page, send pictures of your artwork, up to 3, to Diane Anderson at diane@dianeandersonart.com

She will prepare the pictures with a watermark and send them to Irene for inclusion on the website.



First signs of spring.





Shadowbox Critique
with Doreen St. John



February 21



STARK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL ART EXHIBIT

MARCH 15-30, 2024

The Stark County High School Art Exhibition features original two- and three-dimensional works by students, created as part of their school curriculums and chosen by their school's art instructor. Each school is limited to a total of ten entries with no more than two entries per artist. Student works are judged on the basis of both originality and technical ability. Over 100 works in various media will be on display by students from around 18 Stark County high schools.

Coming Soon: April 23 - July 28, 2024

GINNY RUFFNER: REFORESTATION OF THE IMAGINATION

Ruffner creates a seemingly bleak environment that suddenly evolves into a thriving floral oasis by combining traditional sculpture with augmented reality (AR) technology. In collaboration with animator and media artist Grant Kirkpatrick, Ruffner brings to life a colorful world where glass stumps suddenly sprout mythical flora that have adapted to their surrounding conditions in unexpected, beautiful and optimistic ways. By transforming the CMA lower galleries into a multidimensional experience, *Ginny Ruffner: Reforestation of the Imagination* calls into question the very notions of reality and fantasy, of concrete and abstract, and of desolation and hope.



A MATERIAL WORLD: JANICE JAKIELSKI'S IMPOSSIBLE OBJECTS

By inventing new ways of casting and manipulating ultra-thin porcelain sheets she can create impossible objects of curiosity, beautiful objects to provide focus, retreat and pause in an overwhelming world.



BEYOND WORLDS: PAINTINGS BY LAINE BACHMAN

“Suspended in the ether of some surreal galaxy, the worlds I create give a glimpse into flora and fauna that exist in a hidden interplanetary realm. Each is a themed bouquet where I explore and study different species that exist in our own world. I relish the details of their structures and include many forms of life I find fascinating. I approach each piece as a puzzle with parts that can coexist, painting a picture of a precious ecosystem that becomes more complex as the work evolves. One may find a frog nestled below a fern or a mole napping under a toadstool.”



IMMERSIVE SPACES FROM THE CMA COLLECTION

Have you ever wished you could step inside a work of art? Art pulls us in by utilizing and activating our senses, and resonates with us based on our personal memories and experiences. In Immersive Spaces, learn how artists, through their imaginations and unique artistic processes, create art that envelops the senses.



CANTON ARTISTS LEAGUE

At Cyrus Gallery

April 26 – June 16, 2024

ELIGIBILITY –all Canton Artists League members whose dues are paid up to date.

SIGN UP - by emailing Irene Rodriguez at tobias@artistirene.com by **March 10, 2024**. Send the information regarding the artwork (**Title, Media, Framed Size, Price or NFS, one or two sentences about your artwork, Contact information**) No need to send photos of artwork. Also send the **last date you paid your CMA dues**.

Each artist needs to provide the artist league (Irene) with a 1-2 sentence statement about their art for us to use in email and FB marketing. Once marketing materials are created, please do your part and share and promote with your customers/followers/friends/family through FB and email. Ashley Hartwell may need to reach out to one or more of you for additional quotes/information as needed.

ENTRY FEES – none

DELIVERY – works will be received on **April 15, 12 pm - 6 pm, April 16, 10 am - 3 pm, and April 17, 2 pm – 6 pm**. If you are unable to deliver work at that time, please ask someone to deliver it for you.

PRESENTATION – Artwork needs to have **wire for hanging**. (No Saw teeth) If it is not framed, it should be completely ready to display with a professional display method.

NUMBER OF ARTWORKS – Each artist may bring 2 pieces. Cyrus retains the right not to use all pieces dropped off, based on show layout and other factors. If you drop off more than 1 piece, it would be helpful if you label each with your preferred 1st and 2nd choice.

ARTWORK CONTENT – Artwork must be original by the artist, not a copy from another artist’s work. Recent artwork (created within the last few years) is recommended.

SALES – For art that is available for purchase, 30% of the proceeds will go to Cyrus Gallery

RECEPTION – Date: **Friday, April 26, 2024**. Details on how CAL can help with refreshments will be provided closer to the opening date.

PICK UP ART TBD. If you are unable to pick up work at that time, please ask someone to Pick up for you. (With a note of permission.)

Attach label to the back of the artwork (labels for the front will be provided.)

Name _____	Name _____
Address _____	Address _____
Primary Phone _____	Primary Phone _____
Email _____	Email _____
Title _____	Title _____
Media _____ Price \$ _____	Media _____ Price \$ _____

Bus trip details and registration

2 GALS AND A BUS

** One Day Fun Days **



Friday, JULY 5, 2024

COME ALONG WITH YOUR CANTON ARTISTS LEAGUE MEMBERS

**** A HEART FOR ART ****

Join your fellow Artist League members as we have a fun day away experiencing art in various forms.

We are heading to the Zanesville Museum of Art for the 78th Ohio Annual Exhibition. Then on to lunch at a unique local venue before we have a fascinating visit to the Alan Cottrill Sculpture Studio. Of course, while in Zanesville, we have to visit a pottery so we will experience the family owned Hartstone Ohio Stoneware Factory and finish our day with ice cream at the iconic Tom's Ice Cream Bowl.

Our motor coach will load at St. Michael's Catholic Church at 8:15 AM and leave Canton at 8:30 am. We should return back by 6:15 pm. As always, there will be fun, games, and prizes on the bus with time to visit with friends. A great day away!

Price per person is \$126.00/pp which is all-inclusive (except for your shopping!!) so venue entrances, snacks, lunch, taxes, tips, gratuities, and fun in one price!

To reserve your seat on the bus: Fill out the form below and mail it with your check made out to Canton Artists League for \$126/per person and mail to:

Nancy Shernit
5622 Birmingham Rd NE
Canton 44721

Reservation/Full payment is due by Monday, June 3. All reservations are non-refundable less than 30 days prior to the trip but can be transferred to another traveler.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Number of Reservations: _____ Amount enclosed: _____

Phone: 330.575.9588
galsnfood@gmail.com

The Ohio Watercolor Society Presents
Fluid, Bright & Beautiful
All About Watercolors



Presenters:
Rosemary Burkhart, OWS
Lori Perry, OWS

DATE: Thursday, March 14

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

PLACE: The Ahh Gallery

120 E. Main St, Louisville 44641

RSVP: 330-705-8347

Let your inner artist come out - anything from technical and tight to juicy, runny and flowing color. Explore and play - this exploration may bring you to a more serious look at watercolor as a painting medium! We'll take a look at watercolors in history, learn about materials, and introduce you to some of today's top watercolor artists. Then, it's your turn to try it yourself! All materials included. This presentation is part of an outreach program sponsored by the Ohio Watercolor Society. Please contact the Ahh Gallery by March 9 to reserve your spot.

Some dates and/or times might have changed.



Subject	Date	Start Time	End Time	Description	Location
<i>CAL at Cyrus</i>	3/10/24			Cyrus - Submission Deadline	Send info to Irene Rodriguez
CAL Meeting	3/20/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Life of a Curator—Christy Davis	Canton Museum of Art
<i>CAL at Cyrus</i>	4/15/24	12:00 PM	6:00 PM	Deliver Artwork	Cyrus Gallery
<i>CAL at Cyrus</i>	4/16/24	10:00 AM	3:00 PM	Deliver Artwork	Cyrus Gallery
<i>CAL at Cyrus</i>	4/17/24	2:00 PM	6:00 PM	Deliver Artwork	Cyrus Gallery
CAL Meeting	4/17/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Encaustic Demo - Therese Cook	Canton Museum of Art
<i>CAL at Cyrus</i>	4/26-6/16/2024			Exhibit	Cyrus Gallery
<i>CAL at Cyrus</i>	4/26/24			Reception	Cyrus Gallery
CAL Meeting	5/15/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Critique - Nancy Michel	Canton Museum of Art
<i>CAL at the Center</i>	5/24/24			Foltz Center - Submission Deadline	Send info to Irene Rodriguez
<i>CAL at the Center</i>	5/31/2024	8:00 AM	1:00 PM	Deliver Artwork	Foltz Center
<i>CAL at the Center</i>	6/1-30/2024			Exhibit	Foltz Center
<i>CAL at the Center</i>	6/7/2024	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	Reception	Foltz Center
<i>CAL at Cyrus</i>	TBD			Pick Up Artwork	Cyrus Gallery
CAL Meeting	6/19/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Night at the Movies - "Loving Vincent"	Canton Museum of Art
<i>CAL at AHH</i>	6/20/24			AHH submission deadline	Send info to Irene Rodriguez
<i>CAL at AHH</i>	6/27, 28, 29/2024	12:00 PM	4:00 PM	Deliver Artwork	Art and History Gallery
<i>CAL at the Center</i>	7/1/2024	8:00 AM	1:00 PM	Pick Up Artwork	Foltz Center
<i>CAL at AHH</i>	7/4-8/30/2024			Exhibit	Art and History Gallery
Bus Trip	7/5/24	8:15 AM	6:15 PM	Stops at several art venues	Zanesville Museum of Art
<i>CMA Affiliate Exhibit</i>	7/12/24			Submission Deadline	Canton Museum of art
<i>CAL at AHH</i>	7/12/2024	5:00 PM	8:00 PM	Reception	Art and History Gallery
CAL Meeting	7/17/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Critique - Chris Triner	Canton Museum of Art
<i>CMA Affiliate Exhibit</i>	8/8/24	10:00 AM	8:00 PM	Deliver art	Canton Museum of art
<i>CMA Affiliate Exhibit</i>	8/9/24	10:00 AM	5:00 PM	Deliver art	Canton Museum of art
CAL Picnic	8/17/24	11:30 AM		Picnic, Raffle, Bingo	Price Park
<i>CMA Affiliate Exhibit</i>	8/27 - 10/27/24			Exhibit	Canton Museum of art
CAL Exhibit	8/31/2024	12:00 PM	3:00 PM	Pick Up Artwork	Art and History Gallery
CAL Meeting	9/18/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Still Life Challenge Critique - Sharon Mazgaj	Canton Museum of Art
CAL Meeting	10/16/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Meet the CAL Family	Canton Museum of Art
CAL Meeting	11/20/24	6:00 PM	7:45 PM	Critique - Dino Massaroni	Canton Museum of Art
Christmas Party	12/11/24	5:30 PM		Dinner, gift exchange	TBD