



NEWSLETTER

July-August, 2008

Sacramento Fine Arts Center

5330B Gibbons Dr., Carmichael, CA 95608

General Meetings: Held Second Mondays

Odd Months: Days 1:30 PM

Even Months: Evenings 7 PM

Next Meeting:
September '08

Watercolor Artists of Sacramento Horizons, Inc.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Tribute to Marj Long...

I missed her when she went away. She was always there. She wanted the Center for us. She wanted bad enough to do the work. She wanted it bad enough to do the work *at personal sacrifice*.

Marj Long was an example of the the ultimate volunteer. Now she has gone and I will miss her. Sure, she was tough on us sometimes, but she was always there and put our Center first.

SFAC is here for us today. Let us take care of it. It has served me well and helped me grow in art, and It is here for you and for those to come.

We will miss you Marj Long. Thank you for helping make the Sacramento Fine Arts Center. We will honor you by following your example as the ultimate volunteer.

We will continue to volunteer and work to keep the Center there for the community.

Brush it up! David Peterson

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Painter's Thoughts...quotes from "Art Spirit" by Robert Henri, J.B. Lippincott Co. "The great artist has not reproduced nature, but has expressed, by his extract, the most choice sensation it has made upon him."

Annual WASH Open Show entitled:

"GO WITH THE FLOW 08' is Sept. 2nd-27th, 2008. Prospectus to come in the newsletter or download from

www.sacfinearts.org. Receiving dates are Friday and Saturday, August 22nd and 23rd, 11-5 PM. Judging Sunday August 24th and hanging Sunday August 31st.

Judging by : Patricia Tool McHugh. Second Saturday reception and award ceremony on September 13th—5:30-8:30 PM

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Nominating committee is alive and active and are seeking to fill 3 positions on the board for 2009. **Program Chair, Membership Chair and Show Chair will be vacant at the end of this year.** Earnestly consider serving our club and any of these positions when someone calls you...Or, better yet, call if you want more information! See phone numbers on next page for contact information. * * * * *

People's Choice, Late but Great News!:

Too late for the newsletter last month—the Peoples Choice Award was won by Diana Johnson, for her piece entitled, 'PRIDE AND JOY'; and was awarded at the membership award ceremony on April 12th.

About our Juror:

Patricia Tool McHugh received her BFA degree from the University of Denver and an MA from Oberline College in Ohio and taught in the art Department of Sac City College.

Patricia has studied with Henry Hensche, at the School of Art in Provincetown, Ma., with Ottone Rosai at the Accademia Di Belli Arte in Florence, Italy and with colleague and mentor Larry Weldon. She worked in the foreign service at the American Embassy in Lisbon, Portugal because it was an opportunity to travel and to study art. She has taken workshops abroad in Provence, Greece, Tuscany as well as the western US and New Mexico. Her work has been shown at the Artists Contemporary Gallery, the Kondos Gallery and she regularly participates in group shows in Sacramento. Patricia is also a frequent contributor to the KVIE auction. She is represented in private collections throughout Calif., Colorado and New Mexico and in the public collection at the University of Calif., Davis Medical Center.

Meetings & Demonstrations:

September 8th: 1:30 PM

“David Peterson” will present a program at our September meeting on the subject of “Outdoor Painting”. He will show, using different equipment, how to make a compact light weight kit for going outdoors to do your work. He will also demonstrate for you using the same kit he uses outdoors.

Renewing himself with the passion to paint , that he had as a 19-year-old, David finds time to paint hundreds of paintings a year, outdoors.

The artist has paintings in private collections locally, in Southern California and the east coast. Since 2003 the artist has been accepted into dozens of state-wide juried shows and has won over two dozen awards. He is currently President of WASH, Inc., Sacramento’s watercolor club.

David’s work can be seen on the internet, www.aquarellist.com; at Papayas Cafe, 1555 River Park Dr., at the Vacaville Art League, Sacramento Fine Arts Center and out of the trunk of his car! David portrays the familiar scenes of our neighborhood in a humorous and enigmatic way. He shows you California landmarks differently, simply and in a unique manner.

Come and see a demo of things you can do with available affordable supplies to move your studio outdoors.”

*Special thanks to demonstrator **Beverly Fields** for the outstanding workshop! If you missed it , please visit her website at FieldsofArt@inreach.com. for a list of her current exhibits!*

WASH Elected Officials:

- President- David Peterson716-5951
- 1st VP Programs - Doris Bogovich783-7322
- Co -2nd VP Membership -Goldie Delsman...967-8399
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- Newsletter - Lauri Dickinson625-1693
- Treasurer - Barbara Killeen791-4115
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MEMBER NEWS:

Jan Miskulin, water color workshop: private instructions in her home at:
1441 Wenworth Avenue, 95822
For Info. Phone: 452-0051

Art Show at Danielle’s:

Watercolors by **Judy LewLoose and Joann Wilson**. August 17th-Sept. 28th at 3535 Fair Oaks Blvd., Sac 984-4936

The New “Bold Mark Gallery “ at 1200 S St. displayed well-known **Kandi Thompson’s** Watercolors at the Grand Opening. Kandi’s work ,and others will continue to be shown for upcoming 2nd Saturday Art Walks. Visit this new and innovative gallery! For information contact portrait artist, Marsha Killian: 295-4047

Membership Co Chair: Opening available for next year. Consider volunteering for this opportunity in September for the upcoming year. For more info call Goldie: 967-8399.

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- **Newsletter Submittals:** •
- September-October newsletter due August •
- 10th. Please send your information to: •
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- Dickinson at (916) 625-1693. •
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