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NOVEMBER MEETING

The Euclid Art Association's next monthly meeting is **Monday, November 2**, starting at 7:00pm. **For this meeting, we will again meet in the 2nd floor parlor** of East Shore United Methodist Church, 23002 Lakeshore Blvd., Euclid. Parking is behind the church or across from Marc's Pharmacy door. The entrance is through the back door of the church. The elevator will take you to the second floor. The doors of the church open at 6:00pm. The meeting is open to the public. A \$3.00 donation is suggested for guests. **Remember the Church's door code to enter the building.** If you forgot what it is, just give Lee a call at 216-531-6349.

Refreshments will be served after the meeting. The hosts for November are Sandy Johnson and Elizabeth Edwards.

The next **Board Meeting is Tuesday, November 3 at 10:00am** in the North Street Gallery on the 2nd floor of the Euclid History Museum, 21129 North St. in Euclid. The Board meets every Tuesday from 10:00am to 12:30pm. Chairpersons of committees are asked to be present and all members are invited. Please join us. Your comments, suggestions and help are always welcomed.

PROGRAM

We are fortunate to have the judge of our Lake Farmpark show, **Eileen Dorsey**, as our demonstrator for November. Painting mainly in oils with some acrylics, Eileen's demonstration will feature **acrylic painting**. She is a Cleveland native who graduated from Kent State University with a Bachelors in Fine Arts in 2006. Eileen's rich color palette and robust surfaces have been sought out by not only private, but public commissions as well. She has won multiple awards and has been in exhibits throughout the Cleveland/Akron area, as well as out of state. Her expressive landscape paintings can be seen during the 78th Street Studios monthly "Third Friday" art walks. Her studio is located on the first floor in Suite 105. To quote Eileen..."Landscapes are my vehicle for expressing texture and color, punctuated with aggressive and expressive painting techniques. With a palette that changes for each painting, I make a point to challenge myself with color combinations." In addition to her love of art, she also loves beer, music and hanging out with friends and family, and getting into shenanigans! So, join us at our November meeting and let's see what Eileen has in store for us....

THANKS TO ALL

So You Think You Want to be a Cartoonist! was the topic of our October meeting. We thank our demonstrator, cartoonist Len Thomas, aka Aloysius, for entertaining 35 members and guests with his interesting power point presentation followed by drawing one of his cartoons for us. Len was surprised that so many of us were interested in cartoons! As he later explained, "there is a gold mine here if you want to do it". Visit the [Demonstrations page](#) on our website for more.....

Many thanks to our hosts for October, Helen Karpoff, Dottie Geisert and Joan Milligan, who set a *spooktacular* goodie table. We were *treated not tricked* by these three lovely Halloween Witches to delicious treats and a bizarre brew! Be sure to take a good look at the picture at the end of this newsletter...what do you see in that punchbowl of cider?

LAKE FARM PARK PICKUP DATE

Reminder to all artists in our very successful Lake Farmpark Art Show....PICK UP your artwork on Monday, November 2, 2015 from 10:00am to 11:00am ONLY! The Euclid Art Association and Lake Farmpark will not be responsible for any artwork left after that time.

BRECKENRIDGE VILLAGE WINTER ART SHOW 2015-2016

As one show ends, another one starts.....our next show at Breckenridge Village runs from December 1, 2015 to February 1, 2016. We have included applications with this mailing.....the forms are also available on our website www.EuclidArt.com under Art Shows. All entries **must be received by Thursday, November 19**. Please note that restrictions on frame size determines the number of entries per member, either one or two. There will be no awards, just the possibility of selling. **DROP OFF is Tuesday, December 1, 2015 between 11:00 am and 12 noon.**

LOOKING AHEAD

Mark your calendars for **Monday, December 7....our Christmas party** and Chinese Auction Fundraiser is approaching too fast! In the last few years, we have noticed that we are *long on desserts and short on entrees*, as more folks are bringing deserts rather than main dishes. We would appreciate a few more entrees at this year's party, i.e., *less sweets & more meats...veggies, too!*

INGENUITY FEST 2015

IngenuityFest coincided with some frosty weather for the beginning of October...breezy, raw and one nice day. Lee found himself turning into a *Leecicle* on Saturday, but he still had a great deal of fun. During the course of the event, Lee estimates that he talked to around three hundred or so people, letting them know about Euclid Art. Thanks to Ellen Howard, Linda McGreevy and Elizabeth Edwards for helping out, as well as to the folks from IngenuityFest and all the people who stopped by our display.

CITY HALL EXCHANGE

Our last city hall exchange was pretty much a non-event. Only two EAA members showed up, along with Lee and our exchange chairman, Linda M. On the other hand, only one office at City Hall participated. It seems that many of the offices now have Fridays off. With the election of a new mayor, it is time to revamp this program. One possibility would be to approach the lobby display like the Euclid Library art hallway and feature the work of one or two artists, with the arrangements made between the artists and City Hall. Lee will present the new administration with some ideas and will report to EAA in the near future.

WORKSHOPS

By the time you get this newsletter, we will have had another successful and fun workshop, *Perspective in Art* by architect and artist, Thomas Woodman. Don't forget that we have two more workshops scheduled in 2016: *Zentangle & The Art of Nature* by certified Zentangle Teachers, Launie McDevitt, and Lisa Ruschman and *Painting Flowers in Watercolor* by world-renowned watercolor artist David Rankin. These promise to be very popular. Details can be found on our website www.EuclidArt.com on the [Workshops page](#). Sign up now.....contact Sue Herrle on 216-481-5105 or email suetom.herrle@sbcglobal.net.

MEMBER NEWS

Congratulations to Mary Williams! She had her painting titled *Concita* accepted by the Ohio Watercolor Society and it will be among a select few pictures slated to tour the state for a whole year.

Our members, Beverly Kruger (aka Noah's Child) and Mary Williams are in the next Willoughby Hills Community Center Art Gallery Show. Exhibit opens on November 6, 2015 and closes on January 5, 2016. Bev and Mary are two of *The Paint Company* artists in the show. Treat yourself to a lovely evening and come to the opening of this exhibit on Friday, November 6, 2015 from 7 to 9 P.M. There will be art, food, drinks and great people.

Linda McGreevy has a "Show of Thanksgiving" at the Lakeshore Coffee House, 22032 Lakeshore Blvd. Euclid for the month of November with an artist's reception Sunday, November 1, 2015 from 3:00pm to 6:00pm.

Linda McGreevy is also offering "Art Socials" featuring private instruction in clay, watercolor and oil pastel for groups of 4 to 6 people at various venues around Euclid. For information, call 216-801-2059 or email risingup888@gmail.com.

WEBSITE

EAA members are encouraged to have their own personal Members Art page on our website, www.EuclidArt.com. If you are interested, go to our [Members Art page](#) and click on the link at the top of the page to get started.

NEWS WANTED!

Any news? Call 216-531-6349 or email info@EuclidArt.com. Include EAA in the "Subject" line of the message header.

CLOSING THOUGHT

"Autumn is a second spring when every leaf is a flower." ~ Albert Camus

