



# Euclid Art Association

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## NOVEMBER MEETING

The Euclid Art Association's next monthly meeting is **Monday, November 7**, starting at 7:00pm. The meeting is held in Fellowship Hall 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. There is an elevator to reach the lower level and Fellowship Hall. 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.** Call Lee if you forgot it.

Refreshments will be served after the meeting. The hosts for November are Ellen Howard and Sandi Richards.

Sandi still needs two people to **VOLUNTEER to host our January 9, 2017, meeting.** We thank Juanita Sweet for volunteering, but she is new and would like to work with two seasoned members. Email Sandi at [sandir@att.net](mailto:sandir@att.net).

Weekly **Board Meetings** are held on Tuesdays from 10:00am to 12:30pm in the North Street Gallery on the 2nd floor of the Euclid History Museum, 21129 North St. in Euclid. Come, participate and join us for lunch afterwards!

## PROGRAM

We have a very special program scheduled for the evening. **Michael W. Vary**, an attorney specializing in patents, copyrights and trademark litigation, will give a presentation on "**Protecting Your Artwork, Patents, Copyright & Trademarks**". Michael's focus is Intellectual Property protection and counseling. He has lectured and taught intellectual property law as an adjunct professor at Case Western Reserve University School of Law. Many members have asked, "How do I protect my artwork, should I copyright it, can I use someone else's photo for my artwork, what should I be aware of when painting famous people like LeBron James?" Michael is the one to answer these questions for us.

## THANKS TO ALL

Thanks to **Glenn Kraly**, Color Specialist, from Euclid Blue Copy and Graphics Center for his presentation at our October meeting. Glenn talked to us about "Printing and Digital Options for your Artwork and Photo's". Glenn stated that he was not a public speaker, could not draw a stick figure to save his life (sounds like someone else we know) and he is not a photographer. However, he does know about color and the use of large plotters and scanners to enlarge and create pictures. Our refreshment hosts for the evening, **Elizabeth Edwards** and **Nancy Daly**, set out many tasty treats for us to enjoy....great job and thank you, too! Check out the [Demonstrations page](#) on our website for more info and pictures.

We thank **David Rankin** for a fantastic weekend workshop...."Mastering Middle Values in Watercolor". One of our out-of-town guests, who is now an EAA member, said "David's workshop was one of the best I've taken". The [pictures on our website's Workshops page](#) and posted on Facebook tell the story of the weekend event. Check them out!

## BRECKENRIDGE VILLAGE WINTER ART SHOW, NOVEMBER 15, 2016 - JANUARY 4, 2017

The deadline for entries is over. But, don't forget to **drop off your pictures on November 15 between 11:00am and 12 noon** at the Mahan Cultural Center, 36851 Ridge Rd, Willoughby. Be sure to stop in and see the show.

## GETTING READY FOR OUR CHRISTMAS PARTY & CHINESE AUCTION

IT'LL BE HERE BEFORE YOU KNOW IT – In just a little over four weeks, on **December 5<sup>th</sup>**, our Christmas Holiday Party and Chinese Auction Fundraiser will be held at the **Henn Mansion**. As we are paying \$400 to rent the Mansion, there will be a **small additional charge of \$5 per person** to cover our costs. **Tickets will be sold at our November meeting and at the door on the night of the party.** Thanks to a suggestion by Margaret Carlson, everyone will get their own EAA bookmark as a party favor!

**Time to think about what you might bring for the Chinese Auction.** Suggested items - gift cards, certificates from local merchants, restaurants, movie theaters, collectibles, gift baskets, candy, wine, artwork, art books. Use your imagination! At the November meeting, Lee will have copies of a signed letter of introduction that you can use to approach local businesses for a contribution.

**A little Henn history.....**The historic Mansion, the jewel of Euclid, is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Designed and built in 1923 by Architect Earl Andrews at a cost of \$120,000.00....current replacement costs are estimated at over \$1.5 million. In 1966, in response the City's plan to demolish this historic mansion, *The Friends of Henn Mansion* acquired a lease for the building. Before the building opened to the public, volunteer teams began cleaning and painting. Professionals were hired to make repairs needed to make the mansion safe again. The Mansion hosts a myriad of events and will now be hosting our EAA Christmas party.

**NOTE:** The December newsletter will be coming out a week early with your party invitation and additional details.

### **CITY HALL EXCHANGE & MAYOR'S ART WALL - UPDATE**

The City Hall Exchange on October 21, coordinated by Linda McGreevy, went quite well. Although it would be nice....if there was a larger turnout by EAA members. The good news is that the new administration is working with us and helped decide where to hang our artwork in the lobby. We appreciate their interest and involvement.

Linda continues to be in contact with the Mayor's office regarding the installation of an art wall hanging system on the wall in the Mayor's private corridor. When ready, Linda will be looking for EAA artists to display their artwork there.

### **WORKSHOPS**

Lee Peters, *Photoshop Elements - The Basics for Photographers and Artists*, April 1, 2017. Photographers, learn to make your images better. Artists, learn how to take your images and breakdown the value structure. [Details can be found on the Workshops page.](#)

Launie McDevitt and Lisa Ruschman, *Zendalas - Tangling in Sacred Circles*, May 6, 2017. Mandala meets Zentangle in this journey to discover Sacred Circles. [Details can be found on the Workshops page.](#)

Just to let you know....we have 'penciled' in David Rankin for June 3, 2017 for a one-day workshop on *Basic Skills in Watercolor*, like beaded washes, kissed edge blends, brush skills, etc.....developing. Even established watercolor artists can benefit from a refresher on these skills.

**SIGN UP NOW** for these workshops and pay later, contact Sue Herrle on 216-481-5105 or [suetom.herrle@sbcglobal.net](mailto:suetom.herrle@sbcglobal.net).

### **MEMBERS ART PAGE ON OUR WEBSITE - DO YOU HAVE YOURS YET?**

We encourage members to sign up for their own [Members Art page](#)...right here on [EuclidArt.com](#). It's only \$15 per year for 10 images and you can change your images up to 3X per year without additional cost. Plus, as an added bonus...we will feature a Members Art page on our Facebook site. Did you see the last FB posting for artist, Bev Krueger?

### **MEMBER NEWS**

**Lee Peters** will be presenting an illustrated talk about "Artistic Neural Nets" at the EAA Gallery Saturday, November 12 from 10:00am to 12:30pm. If interested, contact Lee at 216-531-6349. Guaranteed to make you go WOW!

Congratulations to **Juanita Sweet!** Her watercolor, "Embracing Winter's Grip", won 3rd place and her watercolor, "Still Life", won Honorable Mention in the 3rd Annual Mayfield Art Show, October 9 - 16, 2016. The Mayfield Show also included entries from other Euclid Art members - Suzette Cohen, Dan Driscoll, Stan Klak and Noah's Child.

**Linda McGreevy and Deb Kramarz** introduced the art at the 2016 Art Auction at the Mary Mavec Opportunity School on October 20<sup>th</sup>....15 pieces of art were auctioned and the school raised over \$4000.

**Launie McDevitt & Lisa Ruschman** have artwork in the "Dreams & Visions" show at Lakeland Gallery....ends Nov 4th.

**Baseball fans!** Mark your calendar for Saturday, December 3rd....member, **Thomas Woodman's** artwork will be featured in an exhibit at the The Baseball Heritage Museum, located at 6601 Lexington Avenue. Tom will also be doing a presentation on that day. Watch for more info on the website and Facebook....

### **ABOUT TOWN**

East Shore's Fine Art Show & Sale is November 12 & 13, Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday 1pm-5pm. [www.eastshore.org](http://www.eastshore.org).

**CLOSING THOUGHT** - *Pitching, Pitching, Pitching - GO TRIBE !!! Have a HAPPY THANKSGIVING....*

