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A QUICK LOOK AHEAD TO 2025 . . . EAA holds its monthly meetings during the winter months of January, February and March on Zoom. . . let's stay inside where it's cozy and warm! This also gives our out-of-town members the opportunity to join us. President Rozenia says, "Invite all your artist friends to Zoom in, too. Share the link with them. It's a good way to introduce them to EAA and maybe they'll become members." January is our **Members Show & Tell**. . . more on that below. In February, **Lydia Steeves** will be zooming from Canada, doing a colored pencil demonstration. For March, we are still searching for someone to do the Zoom demo. . . any suggestions? Contact our program director, Joan Milligan at artsiegirl826@aol.com. We resume in-person meetings at East Shore Church in April with an oil landscape demo by artist, **Laura Rath**. Plus, we will be working out all the details for our **Spring Fine Art Show** at Fairmount in May. And there is so much more!

JANUARY MEETING

Our next monthly meeting is **Monday, January 6, 2025** at 7:00p.m. on Zoom. It's our traditional **Members' Show & Tell Night**. However, this time, there's a twist. . . if you care to accept it! We would like you to **"depict, in some visual form, your New Year's Resolutions"** and share it at the meeting. **EAA's New Year's Resolutions** include converting our website to WordPress and looking for a member to run for the Secretary position in the upcoming May board elections. . . and a few more! We will also be 'kicking off' the **Virtual Winter Show and People's Choice voting**, with a video presentation of the show. Come and enjoy a fun evening of friendship and art. *The Zoom link will be sent a few days before and a reminder on the day of the meeting*

CHRISTMAS PARTY & AUCTION . . . THE WRAP UP!

The **2024 EAA Christmas Party & Auction Fundraiser** was held on December 9 at the **Lithuanian Club** on E. 185th Street. We raised \$454 for the Scholarship Fund from the 66 donated items on the auction tables. The 46 members and guests in attendance enjoyed an evening of fun, delicious food and friendship. . . and all for a good cause. Appreciation and thanks to all our volunteers who helped plan, who set up the auction, sold tickets, and brought auction donations. Pictures of the event, taken by **Dennis McDonnell** (*thank you, Dennis*), can be viewed by [clicking here](#). For the complete write up and more pictures, go to the [Events page](#) on EuclidArt.com.



SPECIAL THANKS TO THESE COMPANIES FOR THEIR DONATIONS . . .

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Special **Thank You** to **Heinen's** for donating \$75 in Heinen's gift cards. Heinen's has donated gift cards to every EAA Christmas auction since 2013! We are so grateful! Let Heinen's know how much you appreciate their contributions to our club over the years by frequenting their establishments.

Thank You also to the following Companies:

- **Blick art materials** donated a \$50 gift coupon. Thanks to Char for requesting it.
- **The Gateway Diner** donated a \$20 gift card. Sandi and her husband go there often and said the food is delicious.
- **Capture On Labs** donated a 16x20 metal print. Kathy and Sarah highly recommend their services for your photographic needs.

One final **GREAT BIG THANK YOU** to Ruta Degutis and her staff at the **Lithuanian Club** for their warm hospitality, excellent food and service. Plus, thank you to Ruta for her donation to the auction, an original Lithuanian artwork containing bits of amber. We highly recommend you visit the Lithuanian Club for a most excellent dining experience.

EAA VIRTUAL WINTER SHOW @EuclidArt.com, January 6 - February 28, 2025

Now ready for viewing, so why not . . . **LET THE VIEWING BEGIN!** Go to the Art Shows page or [click here](#). There's an amazing variety of artworks in the show, 34 pieces of art from 18 talented EAA members. Some of the artworks are for sale. If interested in purchasing art, contact the artist or send request with name of artist and title of work to info@euclidart.com. Our website, EuclidArt.com is the primary show viewing location, but look for the show soon on Facebook and YouTube.

VOTE NOW FOR THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

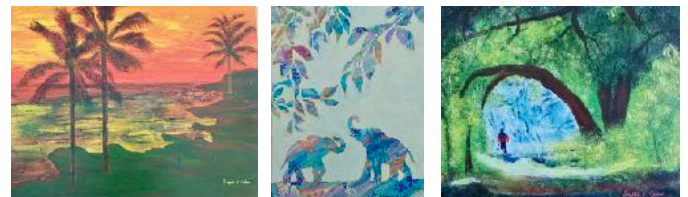
Everyone can vote...through February 28. Vote for one....your most favorite! As you 'walk' through the images in the show, take note of your favorite one. We've made it easy to remember your favorite, just jot down the number below the image. Then email your choice to info@euclidart.com, include EAA - VOTE in the subject line and say "I VOTE FOR #XXX". It's that easy. Winner of the People's Choice award will be announced at the March meeting.

EAA SKETCHERS

The January Sketchers challenge is the ever popular **Art Scramble** with the reveal on Zoom, **Sunday, January 26, 2025** from 1-3p.m. Anyone can participate. Program Director, Joan Milligan randomly picks a subject and an art style. Then, your challenge is to create an image in any medium that best reflects this combination. To receive your selection, contact Joan at artsiegirl826@aol.com.

MEMBERS NEWS

Suzette Cohen had three paintings accepted into Stella's Art Gallery juried show called Peace on Earth and Goodwill Towards All. The show ends January 4, 2025. Congratulations, Suzette!



Cleveland Home Show at the Huntington Convention Center on Jan. 4 & 5, 2025 will feature Lady Artists of Inspiration - **Cynthia Beacham, Alsie Clay, Rozenia Cunningham, Deborah Johnson**. Register for [free passes](#) here or \$10 at door.

CLOSING THOUGHT

"Write it on your heart that every day is the best day in the year." – Ralph Waldo Emerson

