

Aa Newsletter



The President's Message

Hi Everyone!

My last meeting as President is May 8, 2019. Would love to see you all at this meeting. I have chosen not to run as I desire full retirement now. However, I will stay on as membership chairman. My terms were from June 1, 2014 through May 8, 2019 and I feel happy in all that was accomplished!!!

We will be voting for a new President at the May 8th meeting. Bring a finger food to share for this meeting!

Monthly meetings are the 2nd Wednesdays

Here is a list of the Demonstrators 2019-2020

Jan 9: Terri Gammalo: waterbed oils
 Feb 13: Nohad Sabbagh: sculpture
 Mar 13: J. Magoo Valencia: watercolor
April: NO Meeting
 May 8: Toni Danchik: oil
 Jun & Jul: NO Meetings
 Sep 11: Leah Street: acrylic pour
 Oct 9: Armando Cepada: watercolor
 Nov 13 & Dec 11: to come
 Jan 8, 2020: Nancy Anderson, acrylic

May's Visiting Artist

Toni Danchik • Painter

Toni always has her eyes open and camera ready to capture special moments when they occur. It could be a certain lighting on a child at play, someone walking their dogs, the interaction between seagulls on the beach, some fruit lying on a counter top or simply a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Part of what attracts her is the "story" behind every image.

Toni says she looks for good design, the interaction of shapes, colors and the effects of light on a subject. She tries to stay true to her first feeling and heartfelt response to her subject and she is always mindful of how she applies paint to the canvas by using expressive brush strokes to keep her work rich and engaging.

Being born and raised in South Africa has given her some insight into the plight of women and children living in the shanty towns and rural villages with their lack of clean running water and the absence of the most basic facilities.

Contrasted against the bleakness of poverty, Toni finds that the beautiful textures and colors of their garments, their creativity in how they decorate their homes, their beautiful smiles and warm hearts are inspiring and draws her attention. Toni's interest in art was ignited at a very young age when she did craft projects with her mother. After leaving high school, she studied printmaking at the Johannesburg Technical College, but ended up pursuing a career as an in-house graphic designer for a non-profit organization for 10 years. The artist's spirit in her was rekindled after she moved to the U.S. and was introduced to the early California Impressionist, the local plain air painters and the inspiring art of the Russian Impressionist that graced the walls of galleries and museums she visited.

Advanced

- 1st Place: Kathy Lin
- 2nd Place: Tony Podue
- 3rd Place: Michael Dawson



Intermediate

- 1st Place: Phyllis Russell
- 2nd Place: Fletcher Dice
- 3rd Place: Deanne
McLandsborough
- Honorable Mention:
Sandy Wessel



Anaheim Art Association's 56th Annual Juried Exhibition. Take-In: Friday, August 16 & Sunday, August 17, 2019 at MuzeO's Carnegie Building.

Dues: Our Fiscal year is June 1 through May 31st. Please send your checks to Anaheim Art Association, P.O. Box 18226, Anaheim 92817. If you have a website and are a member in good standing we can put your link on AAA Website.

Paint with Other Artists on Tuesdays at the Anaheim Downtown Community Center from noon to 3:30 p.m. You do not have to be a member of the AAA to paint here in this beautifully lighted room.. The 3rd Tuesday have been used for workshops, however, until we have a volunteer to run workshop it is open for artists to meet and paint together along with other Tuesdays of the month.

Popular Vote

Phyllis Russell and
Sandy Wessel



President - Karen Neal
1st VP - Tony Podue
2nd VP - Rich Hall
3rd VP - Allan Garofalow
4th VP - Michael Dawson
Treasurer - Rick Neal
Secretary - Mary Ann Cosgrove
Member at Large - Fletcher Dice

Next Meeting Date:

March 18, 2019

Always the 2nd Wednesday of the month:
September, October, November, January,
February and May (No April Meeting)

ADVANCED POINTS

Al Garofalow 29
Carol Mar 18
Tony Podue 18
Mike Dawson 17
Kathy Lin 17
Karen Neal 13
Amy Lin 10
Jim Everett 6
Mary Hinshaw 4
Amy Finger 2
Lanell O'Neill 1

INTERMEDIATE POINTS

Mary Ann Cosgrove 26
Rich Hall 22
Sandy Wessel 21
Fletcher Dice 14
April Albright 12
Phyllis Russell 12
Dee Palombo 5
Brett Hollerman 3
Deanne McLandsborough 3
Barbee Andrina 2
George Lyon 2



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