



Newton Art Association Newsletter

December 2010



Knitting by Adrienne Sloane

New Member Show, January - February 2011 SIGN - UP NOW !

You are invited to be in our New Member's Show. The Newton Art Association is exhibiting the work of New Members at the Scandinavian Living Center January 3 - February 13, 2011. This show is open to all NAA members in good standing who have joined in the last two years, since June 2008.

There will be a juror after the work is hung and NAA awards will be presented at the reception on Wednesday January 12, 2011 at 7:00 - 8:30 pm.

PLEASE SEE PAGE 5 FOR THE APPLICATION

Contact **Eileen Kurkoski**, eileenfoto@verizon.net
617.928.0958 for more information.

December 9th Demonstration

Adrienne Sloane

Adrienne Sloane's Artist Statement:
"Knitting shapes have long been defined by the human form. By moving the context of knitting from clothing geometry to sculpture, knitting becomes a medium with a link to a rich and complex fiber tradition that has the power of history behind it. To be able to turn a single strand of yarn into fiber building blocks with form and function, texture and color is also energizingly low tech.



Working in what has long been considered a traditional woman's medium, I aim

to an artistic aesthetic informed by traditional craft, art and politics. My work aspires to dissolve the boundaries between craft and art, mindful of the historical context of the medium.

I knit to rejoin the frayed and unraveled places around me."

Website:

<http://www.adriennesloane.com>

Blog:

<http://adriennesloane.blogspot.com/>



NAA Calendar

Thursday Dec 2	Board meeting 7:30 pm, Paul Alie's home
Thursday Dec 9	<u>NAA meeting and demo</u> 7:30 - 9:00 pm
Wednesday Dec 15	Application due for New Member Show
Sunday Jan 2, 2011	New Member Show drop off 3:00 - 6:00 pm
Thursday Jan 6	No Board meeting for January
Wednesday Jan 12	New Member Show Reception 7:00 pm
Thursday Jan 13	<u>NAA meeting and demo</u> 7:30 - 9:00 pm
Sunday Feb 13	New Member Show take down 3 - 6:00 pm

NAA Demonstrations are held monthly on the second Thursday (September through May) at the Newton Senior Center, 345 Walnut Street in Newtonville. Doors open at 7:00 pm for coffee and discussion. Announcements start at 7:30 followed immediately by the demonstration.

Welcome to New Members

Daisy Brand

Allie (Allison) Greenberg

Beverly Waite

Aaron Palowitch

SHOW: Cheryl O'Neil

will be exhibiting pastels and photography at:

- Trident Booksellers & Cafe
- 338 Newbury Street, Boston
- From January 19 through March 12, 2011
- www.cheryloneil.com



LOCAL DISPLAY:

John Borchard has a photograph on display at the Bread and Chocolate Café in Newton Highlands. johnborchard.com



"Mirage" - by John Borchard foggy Maine island, 29" x 29"

NAA Members News

NEWS: Ann Salk Rosenberg has been elected to the Copley Society of Art. www.copleysociety.org She has five pieces in the Copley Society of Art's show titled *Holiday Small Works 2010 Exhibition*. Open until Dec 23.

www.copleysociety.org/exhibitions/current/upper.html



Green Tea
By Ann Salk Rosenberg
monoprint collage

SHOWS:

Anthony Lobosco

is exhibiting in two shows:



Provencal Patchwork by Anthony Lobosco
acrylic 20" x 40"

- With six other artists at *Zullo Gallery*, 456A Main St., Medfield, in "7 Views". Zullo Gallery is open 12 to 5:00, Saturday and Sunday. Reception Saturday, December 11th 5:00 - 7:00 pm www.zullogallery.org
- "Boston Latin School on a Winter's Day; a Photo Exhibit" at Brookline Bank, 1808 Centre St., West Roxbury, December 2010 and January 2011

LOCAL SHOW: Carole

Slattery is showing 11 paintings of local Newton scenes at the Newtonville branch of Brookline Bank on Walnut Street.

Painting by Carole Slattery



SHOW: Irwin Thompson

Artistic Allegories

Irwin Thompson continues a solo exhibit of 20 recent paintings at the Morse Institute Library. The show runs from November 2 through December 29.

The library is located at 14 East Central St, Natick 508.647.6520. irwinthompsonart.com

ART SHOWS THIS LAST MONTH

Below is a collection of photos from some recent art shows.

Also congratulations to Marion Dioguardi who was featured in the Boston Globe's G Section:



Below are 2 photos from Regina Ramsey and Anthony Lobosco's show:



Art Show featured members Lynn Holbein, Bev Droz, Eileen Kurkoski, David Hawkins and Linda Rinearson:



JB, John Borchard at the Paradise City Arts Festival in Marlborough MA.



VENUES AND ART SHOWS

Scandinavian Living Center

Contact **Eileen Kurkoski** if you are interested in having a Solo Show or a Group Show at the Scandinavian Living Center. eileenfoto@verizon.net 617.928.0958

Current display through December is "Treasures of the Season" featuring artwork from **Regina Eliot-Ramsey**



and **Anthony Lobosco**.



Keyes Pharmacy Display

The NAA coordinates the Keyes Pharmacy display window in Auburndale. There are openings in the display schedule from March onward. If you are interested in displaying, please contact **Gayle Smalley** at gaylesmalley@mindspring.com or call 617.332.7075.



In December **David Hawkins** will display his photography.

"A Clothesline in Maine" by David Hawkins

WORKSHOPS FOR NAA MEMBERS



NAA members offered workshops at JCC member rates

www.lsjcc.org/home/classes_arts.html

Check out the new winter schedule for workshops that start in January.

To register please call 617.558.6480 and mention the *special NAA rate*

2010 - 2011 DEMONSTRATION Schedule

9 December 2010

[Adrienne Sloane](#)
Sculptural Knitting

13 January 2011

[Dawn Scaltreto](#)
Watercolor

10 February 2011

[Marian Dioguardi](#)
Oil, "Food"

10 March 2011

[Keri Straka](#)
Ceramic Sculpture

14 April 2011

[Dean Nimmer](#)
Watercolor,
"Painting from Intuition"

12 May 2011

[Michael Wilson](#)
Acrylics

This Month on December 9th



"Line of Fire" (detail) by Adrienne Sloane

Next Month on January 13



"The Sun Worshipper" (detail) by Dawn Scaltreto

NEWTON WATERCOLOR SOCIETY

www.newtonwatercolorsociety.org

The Newton Watercolor Society (NWS) holds monthly events on the 2nd Saturday of the month. The next *Plein Air Painting* get-together is Saturday morning December 11th. You can paint outside, otherwise we will be showing a video inside.

Saturday December 11th, 10:00 am - 12:00 noon

Community Rowing, 20 Nonantum Road, Brighton, MA
GPS Directions use 100 Nonantum Road, Watertown
617.779.8267

For more information contact: **Mike Milburn**: 617.527.0463
info@newtonwatercolorsociety.org

NOTE: The **Mel Stabin Watercolor Workshop** is now full.
For the Wait List contact info@newtonwatercolorsociety.org

Marla Greenfield, our featured artist in October, will be teaching a class on Wednesday afternoons from 2:45 to 5:15 in her private studio. The six week class would cost \$300. Dates yet to be determined. If you cannot make the dates, you can pay as you go, and the fee would be \$70 per class. Her website is at www.marlagreenfield.com.

If you are interested please contact Marla at mrgreenf@earthlink.net

NAA Leadership

The Newton Art Association is an organization of around 200 art enthusiasts and artists, representing all branches of the visual arts, from drawing to sculpture to painting. We are run by a cooperative board of volunteers who take on leadership roles in the NAA. These roles include:

- **President**
Linda Rinearson lindarino@rcn.com
- **Program Chair**
Jeanne Gugino j.e.gugino@comcast.net
- **Exhibition & Show Chair**
Carole Slattery carole@slattery.com
Eileen Kurkoski eileenfoto@verizon.net
 - *Keyes Pharmacy Window* Gayle Smalley
gaylesmalley@mindspring.com
 - *Scandinavian Living Center*
Eileen Kurkoski eileenfoto@verizon.net
- **Publicity** **Open Position**
J. Gugino j.e.gugino@comcast.net (temporary)
- **Treasurer**
Bernice Auslander baus@rcn.com
- **Hospitality** **Open Position**
- **Secretary** Rotating
- **Corresponding Secretary**
Jessica Mosher jecmosher@yahoo.com
- **Membership**
Jack Lifszitz jlifszitz@rcn.com
- **Salons & Critiques:**
Charlotte Fine cfine6@verizon.net



Newton Art Association

New Members Exhibit
Scandinavian Living Center
January 2 to February 13, 2011

Registrations for the new member show are due by December 15.

The *New Member Show* is open to NAA members in good standing who have joined in the last two years. Please complete the registration form below and send or email to Eileen Kurkoski, 108 Derby St. Newton, MA 02465. There is no hanging fee for this show. Space will be limited and will be on a first come, first served basis.

Questions contact Eileen Kurkoski at eileenfoto@verizon.net or 617-928-0958

Requirements:

- Membership in NAA must be current
- All 2D work must be neatly presented, framed and ready to hang with wires & screws. Unframed paintings must be finished on the sides.
- Label art with artist name, title and price on the back
- No nudes or standing sculpture
- Must sign a waiver for NAA regarding freedom from liability (see below)
- Work remains in exhibit until pick up time (February 13th)
- NAA receives 20% of sales

The NAA reserves the right to refuse noncompliant entries.

Drop off: Sunday, January 2, 3:00 – 5:00 PM

Reception: Wednesday, January 12, 7:00 – 9:00 PM

Pick Up: Sunday, February 13, 3:00 – 5:00 PM

Send form to: Eileen Kurkoski, 108 Derby St. Newton, MA 02465

REGISTRATION FORM

Name (print) _____

Tel. No. _____ email _____

Title _____ Size _____

Media _____ Price _____

In registering for this show I understand that I shall not hold the Newton Art Association or the Scandinavian Living Center responsible for any loss or damage. Furthermore, I have read the show rules and understand that work that is not compliant with the regulations will not be accepted.

Signed: _____