



Newton Art Association Newsletter

Did you know??? As an artist you can get discounts for membership to many museums including the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston. You need something to ID yourself as an artist such as a business card or show notice.

NEW - OIL PAINTER'S CRITIQUE GROUP

Fran Grossman is interested in beginning an ongoing art critique group, for artists using oils. She envisions the group as having between 4 to 8 members, meeting once a month at different people's houses - or at her home if people prefer. If you might be interested, please contact Fran at:

Fran Grossman
frang@bu.edu or
call 617.527.6354



THE NAA NEEDS HELP !

Our talented treasurer, Bernice Auslander, is moving out of the state next year. Are you interested in being our treasurer? Let us know! We also need help getting word out about the NAA. Any interest in media?

NAA Calendar - 2011

- Thursday Nov 3** Board meeting 7:30 pm, Linda Rinearson's
- Thursday Nov 10** NAA meeting and demo 7:30 - 9:30 pm
Watercolor demo by Frank Costantino
- Thursday Dec 1** Board meeting 7:30 pm, Linda Rinearson's
- Thursday Dec 8** NAA meeting and demo 7:30 - 9:30 pm
Oil Sticks demo by Nan Feldman

NAA Demonstrations are held monthly on the second Thursday (September through May) at the 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.

November 2011

November 10, 2011 Demonstration

Frank Costantino is an award-winning watercolor painter and architectural illustrator. Not only does he provide his national clientele of architects and developers with striking illustrations of projects around the world, but he also paints his own vision of Boston's urban scenes, New England locales, seascapes, birds, animals, and portraits.



His watercolor work has been exhibited throughout the Northeast, as well as West Coast venues in juried, group or solo shows. He has an association with Boston's Charles River Conservancy (CRC), and paints scenes along the river to promote CRC's conservation programs.

Frank is continually inspired by the masterful works of watercolorists from many eras and cultures, particularly Sargent, Homer, Turner, Prendergast, Wyeth, Hiroshi, Zorn and Winthrop native John Whorf.



Watercolor by Frank Costantino

He enjoys the fluid challenge of the watercolor medium and the rich, luminous qualities that can be achieved in a successful piece. He is represented in various galleries and retail locations, featuring limited edition prints and cards. Frank also conducts watercolor workshops at all skill levels in different Northeast venues.

www.fmcostantino.com

NAA Members News

SHOW: Myra Abelson and Anne Black are exhibiting at the Scandinavian Living Center's Nordic Hall beginning on November 3rd and running through December.



Counterpoint, 2000
Traverse City, MI
Anne Black

Coupling
Oil painting
Myra Abelson



DISPLAY: Linda Rinearson

is exhibiting watercolors at the Keyes Pharmacy on Commonwealth Avenue in Auburndale. Her art will be shown through November.

SHOW: Barbara duMoulin, Jeanne Gugino, and Gary Tucker

Annual Exhibition: "A Spot of Beauty - Boston" highlights works by Mr. Kaji Aso and 18 artists.

- Prudential Center:
Huntington Arcade, Winter Garden
- November 4th – 19th, 2011
- Opening Reception - Saturday Nov 5th, 5 - 7:00 pm



Jeanne Gugino



Barbara duMoulin



Abel's Hill
Watercolor by Linda Rinearson



Compost Cabbage
Anne Palms Chalmers



Gary Tucker

CONGRATULATIONS: Sara Dickman who was featured in the Newton Tab as "Newton Person of the Week". Sara is a painter at the New Art Center and does art therapist. Read more: [Newton Person of the Week](#) 9-30-2011 by Chloe Gotsis.



Sara Dickman

SHOW: Anne Palms Chalmers Congratulations to Anne Palms Chalmers who also exhibited in the *New England Watercolor Society Regional* juried show along with **Paul Alie, Winifred Breines and Michael Milburn**. The show is at Westfield State University through November 12. More at: newenglandwatercolorssociety.org

Welcome to New Members

- Marcy Stuart
- Ellen Porter Honnet
- Gheysari, Susan
- McKinnon, Roxan
- Tripti Thomas



At the Newton Cultural Center
225 Nevada St.
Newton, ma.

Great art events, right here in Newton!
Fall Juried Show & Sale: Nov 5 & 6, 2011
11 am to 5 pm, free

Congratulations to the following NAA artists who were juried into this year's Fall Show. Two of our NAA artists (see asterisks) received the "Newton Open Studios Juror Award."

Location information can be found at:
www.newtonopenstudios.org

Interested in displaying your art? See below!!!

LOCAL VENUE OPPORTUNITIES

Opportunities to Display Art in Newton

Keyes Pharmacy

Keyes Pharmacy window in Auburndale on Commonwealth Avenue is available to NAA artists.
See **Gayle Smalley** gaylesmalley@mindspring.com

Scandinavian Living Center

If you are interested in having a solo or group show, the Scandinavian Living Center is available. Space is safe and sales have been made in all seasons.
Contact: **Eileen Kurkoski** eileenfoto@verizon.net

Avery Crossing

Carole Slattery coordinates shows at Avery Crossing in Needham. Avery will run the reception for your show! Contact: carole@slattery.com

Lincoln Street Coffee in Newton Highlands

is beginning a new tradition for artists! Beginning in December, the gourmet coffee house will be doubling as a Community Art Gallery, integrating the work of artists from the Newton area. Their vision is to show support to all artistic efforts in the community by hosting bi-monthly, themed art exhibitions.
Contact: **Julianne Strom**
julianne@lincolnstreetcoffee.com

Judith Austen

David Hawkins

Ruth Katz

**** Alla Lazebnik ****

**** Coleman Rogers ****

Sue Schneps

Irwin Thompson



Hands
Alla Lazebnik



Photograph by
Coleman Rogers

SALONS and CRITIQUES

November Artist Salon

The first Salon of the season will be held at **Bernice Auslander's** home, November 13 Sunday afternoon. The topic to be discussed is

**“Professional Development:
Taking our Work Public”**

This salon is limited to 12 people so PLEASE RSVP to be sure we have room for you.

DATE: Sunday, November 13, 2011
 TIME: 3:00 - 5:00 pm
 LOCATION: 16 Everett Rd, Newton Centre
 617.527.7815
 RSVP: mmyralee@comcast.net
 617.965.5950

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS taught by NAA members

Video: Arlene Bandes & Lynda Goldberg

NewTV is now streaming programs. This includes a recording made of Arlene & Lynda for “Inside the Artist’s Studio” recorded by **Regina Eliot-Ramsey**. To watch the video go to the NewTV website at: <http://www.newtv.org/programming/video-on-demand/>



We also have many talented members of the NAA who are teaching at the following locations. Please check each site for information on the classes.

[Newton Community Education](#)

Jeanne Gugino, Gary Tucker, Dave Wenstrom, Cyrus Whittier

[New Art Center](#)

Paul Alie, Mike Milburn, Jeanne Gugino

[Kaji Aso Studio](#)

Jeanne Gugino

[Jewish Community Center](#)

Cyrus Whittier

[The Decordova Museum School](#)

Cyrus Whittier

[Brookline Adult Education](#)

Cyrus Whittier

NEWTON WATERCOLOR SOCIETY

PLEIN AIR PAINTING & NEW WORKSHOPS

For November, we will watch watercolor videos ... that is, unless we have unexpectedly warm weather!

**Saturday November 12, 2011
10:00 am - noon**

at Community Rowing Inc.

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

www.newtonwatercolorsociety.org

We are also pleased to offer 2 workshops from internationally-known artists Alvaro Castagnet, from Montevideo, Uruguay, and Nicholas Simmons, from Wash DC.

For information email: info@newtonwatercolorsociety.org

Alvaro Castagnet Workshop *Passion with Watercolors*



July 17-21, 2012 Tues.-Sat. 9:00 am – 4:00 pm \$500

Nicholas Simmons Workshop *Watercolor Unleashed*



March 24-25, 2012 Sat.-Sun. 10:00 am–4:00 pm \$200

2011 - 2012 DEMONSTRATION Schedule

10 November 2011

[Frank M. Costantino](#)
Watercolor

8 December 2011

[Nan Feldman](#)
Oil Sticks

12 January 2012

[Tracy Spadafora](#)
Encaustics

9 February 2012

[Michael Milburn](#)
Watercolor

8 March 2012

[Abraxis Framing](#)
Framing

12 April 2012

[Carolyn Latanision](#)
Watercolor

10 May 2012

[Donna Rosetti Bailey](#)
Pastel

This Month on November 10:



Hommage de Printemps a Diana
Watercolor by Frank Costantino

Next Month on December 8



The Rooster in the Kitchen
by Nan Feldman

NAA Leadership

The Newton Art Association is an organization of around 200 art enthusiasts and artists. We are run by a cooperative board of volunteers who take on leadership roles in the NAA. These roles include:

- **President** Linda Rinearson linkarino@rcn.com
- **Program Chair**
Jeanne Gugino j.e.gugino@comcast.net
- **Exhibit and Show Co-chairs**
Eileen Kurkoski eileenfoto@verizon.net
Carole Slattery carole@slattery.com
 - *Keyes Pharmacy Window* Gayle Smalley gaylesmalley@mindspring.com
 - *Scandinavian Living Center*
Eileen Kurkoski eileenfoto@verizon.net
- **Publicity** *We need help here!*
J. Gugino j.e.gugino@comcast.net (acting)
- **Treasurer** Bernice Auslander baus@rcn.com
Need a new treasurer after Bernice moves
- **Hospitality** Charlotte Fine cfine6@verizon.net
- **Secretary** Rotating position
- **Corresponding Secretary**
Jessica Mosher jecmosher@yahoo.com
- **Membership** Jack Lifstiz jlifstiz@rcn.com
- **Salons & Critiques:**
Myra Abelson msmyrale@verizon.net



Cool Google Feature for Artists !!

Google just goes on offering us more and more of the world free of charge. One of their latest is the [Art Project](#) that lets us examine in exquisite detail famous paintings from the world's great museums.

You can also tour museums, get information about a specific painting, and zoom in closely on some of the art (when you zoom in on a painting, you may have to wait awhile to get the piece in focus). Can you guess where the above detail comes from?

www.googleartproject.com

In Memoriam

Maria Flintjer We are sad to hear of the passing of longtime NAA member Maria Flintjer. A Memorial Service will be held in the Newton Cemetery Chapel, 791 Walnut St., Newton Center, on Tuesday, November 1 at 11:00 pm.

[Boston Globe Obituary](#)

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newtonartassociation.com

2011 - 2012 Artist Demonstration Schedule

Join us each month for a professional art demonstration All demos are held monthly on the second Thursday evening (September through May) at the Newton Senior Center, 345 Walnut Street in Newtonville. Doors open at 7:00 pm.

Free to all

THE NEWTON
ART
ASSOCIATION

8 September 2011

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Heidi Whitman](#) Watermedia

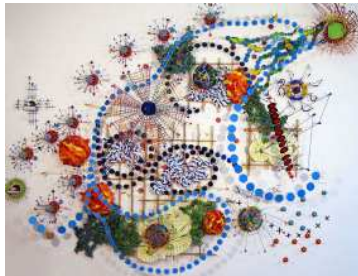


"Off the Grid"

13 October 2011

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Nathalie Miebach](#) Sculpture



"Changing Water - Gulf of Maine "

10 November 2011

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Frank Costantino](#) Watercolor



"Rondo in Rhubarb & Berries)"

8 December 2011

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Nan Feldman](#) - Oil Sticks



"Through My Window "

12 January 2012

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Tracy Spadafora](#) Encaustics



"Tangle"

9 February 2012

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Michael Milburn](#)- Watercolor



"De La Guerra Plaza"

8 March 2012

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Abraxis Framing](#) Framing Art



"How to Frame Your Art"

12 April 2012

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Carolyn Latanision](#) Watercolor



"Flamenco Recital"

10 May 2012

7:30 - 9:00 pm

[Donna Rosetti Bailey](#) Pastel



"Still Waters Run Deep "