



Newton Art Association Newsletter

CALLING ALL NEW MEMBERS SIGN - UP NOW !

All new members who have joined the NAA in the last two years, since January 2010 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 May 6 - June 30, 2012.

There will be a juror after the work is hung and awards will be presented at the **Annual Soiree and Banquet June 2nd at 6:00 pm.**

PLEASE SEE PAGE 6 FOR THE APPLICATION

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

April 2012



Flamenco Recital II
Watercolor by Carolyn Latanision

April 12, 2012 Demonstration

Carolyn Latanision has been distinguished with invitational memberships to national societies including The *National Watercolor Society*, *Hudson Valley Art Association*, and *National Association of Women Artists*. The *Pennsylvania Watercolor society* has honored her with inclusion in their *Sylvan Grouse Guild*. She has been awarded three times the *Medal of Honor for Watercolor* at the *NYC National Arts Club*. She is a *Copley Master* in the *Copley Society of Art*, Boston, and a member of *Rockport Art Association*. She has also exhibited with The *American Watercolor Society*.

Her awards are numerous, and her work is included in more than 30 corporate collections. People and architecture figure prominently in Latanision's work and in both cases urban scenes are frequently depicted. In 2011, her work was featured in 100 Artists of New England.

Watercolor is her favored medium because of the many ongoing and interesting challenges it presents, although she also works with oil, casein, and acrylic.

Carolyn's website www.carolynlatanision.com



NAA Calendar - 2012

Thursday April 5	Board meeting 7:30 pm, Paul Alie's
Thursday April 12	NAA meeting and demo 7:30 - 9:30 pm Watercolor demo by Carolyn Latanision
Thursday May 3	Board meeting 7:30 pm, Linda Rinearson's
Thursday May 10	NAA meeting and demo 7:30 - 9:30 pm Pastel demo by Donna Rossetti Bailey
May 19 & 20	Newton Open Studios 11:00 - 5:00 pm
Saturday June 2	Annual NAA Soiree and Dinner 6:00 - 9:00 pm



ANNUAL SOIREE

IT'S PARTY TIME !!

Save the Date

Sunday, June 2nd for our Annual Banquet

6:00 - 9:00 PM

Invitations & Details to Follow

NAA Members News



CONGRATULATIONS: Mitch Lyons

One of Mitch Lyon's photographs was chosen as "Picture of the Week" for *Nature's Best Photography* magazine & website. See www.naturesbestphotography.com

A Sicilian Wonder
Photograph by Mitch Lyons

DISPLAY: Eliezer Velez Now through early April, Eliezer Velez's art is on display at the Keyes Pharmacy.

SHOW: Mayor's Office Show

Sarah Kahn, Amy Kaufman, Alla Lazebnic & Coleman Rogers are in an exhibit at the Mayor of Newton's office in City Hall - second floor. The *Monochrome and Minimalist* show continues through May 15th.

SHOW: AnnMarie O'Dowd is currently showing in Needham at Avery Crossings.



Reception Tuesday, April 17, from 4:00 to 5:00pm.
Avery Crossings, 110 West Street, Needham

Note: entrance is opposite the gazebo, gallery is on the 3rd floor.

Painting by AnnMarie O'Dowd

SHOW: Sarah Kahn - Mixed-Media Collage

This is an exhibit of Sarah's current and past works "Awake In The Middle Of The Night"

- Friday, March 16th - April 24th, 2012
- The Mary Jo Rines Gallery
- THE FIRST PARISH CHURCH
- 349 Boston Post Road, Weston, MA.
- (781)-893-7798

www.firstparishweston.org/calendar.html



The Same Garden
by Annmarie O'Dowd

DISPLAY: Fran Grossman

From early April to mid-May Fran Grossman is exhibiting at the Keyes Pharmacy in Auburndale. Oil Painting below titled "Rangeley"



SHOW: Alla Lazebnic

Alla Lazebnic's Masters in Fine Arts thesis show is at the *808 Gallery* at Boston University from April 13th to 29th.

The opening reception will be on

- Friday April 13th
- 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm
- 808 Gallery at Boston University.

If you cannot attend the reception, feel free to let Alla know when you want to come and she will plan to show you around. 617-650-8518

VIDEO & Open Studios: Ann Rosenberg

See details of five of Ann's new paintings set to Mozart's *Eine Kleine Nachtmusik (A Little Night Music)*. She'd love to hear what you think. youtu.be/-fjxF5_scFA

Open Studios May 18, 19 & 20

Join Ann for a lite meal & conversation at "Art at the Painted Lady" 153 Lincoln Street, Newton. Her newest painting, "Good Night Moon Good Morning Sunshine" will be made available as a Limited Edition Serigraph.

SHOW: Nancy Solowsky

Four of Nance's watercolors are on display at the Oak Hill Park Cleaner in Oak Hill Park. This is in Newton Centre off Dedham St.

SHOW: Monica Reuman & Eliezer Velez

Monica Reuman and Eliezer Velez are exhibiting at the Scandinavian Living Center through April.



My Half by Eliezer Velez

Water-soluable oil by Monica Reuman



Welcome to New Members

Eric Herot,
Sydney Hardin,
Susan LeBlanc Brum

More Members News

GROUP SHOW: Arlene Bandes, Lynda Goldberg, Beth Maisel, Amy McGregor-Radin & Gayle Smalley
Shared Benefits at L'Arora Café, West Newton

Reception: Sunday April 22, 3:00 - 5:00 pm

L'Arora Café, 15 Spencer St West Newton
(behind the movie theatre)

CALL FOR ARTISTS Newton Free Library



The Newton Free Library is a state-of-the-art facility which over 15,000 people visit weekly. Library patrons are very enthusiastic about the art exhibits and many artists successfully sell their work. There is extensive media outreach for exhibits with listings in Art New England, local papers and other related media outlets.

The library is currently seeking submissions for art exhibits for **January-June 2013**.

Interested artists should submit a packet for consideration by the Library's art committee which will meet this spring. Applicants will be notified of the results by mid-July 2012. Exhibiting procedures are posted on the library's web site

<http://www.newtonfreelibrary.net/?sec=programs&doc=procedures>

**Deadline for submission is
Friday, May 25, 2012 at 12 noon**

Shared Benefits

at L'Arora Cafe, 15 Spencer St, West Newton

Bandes/Goldberg/Maisel/McGregor-Radin/Smalley



March 2 - April 29

Monday-Friday, 7 am-6 pm Saturday and Sunday, 9 am - 6 pm

Meet the Artists! Sunday, April 22, 3-5

ONE PERSON SHOW: Daisy Brand

In May at the Newton Free Library

Daisy Brand Ceramic Wall Sculptures



330 Homer Street
Newton Centre, MA 02459
617-796-1360
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

May 2 – May 30, 2012

Opening Reception:
Thursday, May 3, 7- 8:30pm

Contact: dbrand71@verizon.net

Website: <http://web.me.com/daisybrand>



TEMPLE, ceramic & wood, 27"x20"x3"

ART CLASSES



New Art Center

61 Washington Park
Newtonville, MA 617.964.3424

www.newartcenter.org/attachments/NewArtCenterSpringCatalog.pdf

The following NAA members are teaching this spring:

Paul Alie

Beginning Watercolor, Mondays 9:30 - 12:30

Jeanne Gugino

Experimental Pastels, Wednesday 1:00 - 3:00

Saturday Experimental Pastels, Sat 9:30 - 12:00

Summer Watercolors, Monday 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Mike Milburn

Intermediate and Advance Watercolor

Mondays 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Jane Sarah Staffier

Brookline Adult Education

Drawing From The Masters At The M.F.A.

Wednesday 5:30 - 7:30

<https://aded.brooklinema.gov/detail.php?id=538052>



Gary Tucker

Basic Drawing
Watercolor Painting

Whittier, Cyrus

The Colored Pencil

Jeanne Gugino

Pastel Painting

LOCAL VENUE OPPORTUNITIES

ARTISTS ARE NEEDED !

Keyes Pharmacy

Keyes Pharmacy window in Auburndale on Commonwealth Avenue is available to NAA artists.

See **Gayle Smalley** gaylesmalley@mindspring.com

Avery Crossings

If you are interested in exhibiting at Avery, who will put on a very nice reception for you, please contact

Carole Slattery, carole@slattery.com Avery is in Needham.

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

Lincoln Street Coffee

The gourmet coffee house will be doubling as a Community Art Gallery, integrating the work of artists from the Newton area. Contact: **Peter Meyer**

peter@lincolnstreetcoffee.com



NAA members offered workshops at JCC membership rate

Newton's Jewish Community Center

located at 333 Nahanton Street, Newton, MA 02459

www.lsjcc.org/home/classes_arts.html

For Information Call: 617.558.6480

Learn Travel Photography in Your Hometown

Warren Green Member: \$90

Mondays 7-9pm April 2-30

Nature Printing Workshop with a Press

Lynda Goldberg Member: \$65

Sunday 10am-4pm April 29

Liz Gribin: A Living Legend

Art seminar Courtesy class

Tuesday 1:30-3pm May 1

A Taste of Looking (with Care)

A Drawing Workshop - Tom Barron

Sunday 10am-3pm April 29

Member: \$55

Watercolor for the Absolute Beginner

Anne Steinman Member: \$110

Sundays 10am-3pm April 29-May 6

Drawing from Life: A Model Class

Cyrus Whittier Member: \$190

Fridays 10am-12:30pm April 27-June 15

A Plein Air Workshop (oil, acrylic)

David Curtis Member: \$95

Monday 9am-2pm May 7

2011 - 2012 DEMONSTRATION Schedule

12 April 2012

[Carolyn Latanision](#)
Watercolor

This Month on April 12
Carolyn Latanision

10 May 2012

[Donna Rossetti Bailey](#)
Pastel



Next Month - May 10
Donna Rossetti Bailey



Wall Street Exodus
Watercolor by Carolyn Latanision



63rd Annual Award Show of the NAA
2012 Library Show will run from September 5 - 27
Sign up information will be in the May Newsletter.

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 lindarino@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
 - *Avery Crossings* Carole Slattery
carole@slattery.com
 - *Keyes Pharmacy Window* Gayle Smalley
gaylesmalley@mindspring.com
 - *Scandinavian Living Center*
Eileen Kurkoski eileenfoto@verizon.net
- **Publicity**
J. Gugino j.e.gugino@comcast.net (acting)
- **Treasurer** Richard James
jamesrich1@verizon.net
- **Hospitality** Charlotte Fine cfine6@verizon.net
- **Secretary** Jinny Sagorin
- **Corresponding Secretary**
Jessica Mosher jecmosher@yahoo.com
- **Membership** Jack Lifszit jlifszit@rcn.com
- **Salons & Critiques:**
Myra Abelson msmyrale@verizon.net



Sophie Danziger

Members of the Newton Art Association were very sad to hear of the death of Sophie Danziger (Newton). Sophie was a long-term, active member of the NAA as was her sister Mollie Schoenberg.

Services were held at the Levine Chapels on Sunday, March 4, at 11:00 am.

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.



Newton Art Association

New Members Exhibit *Scandinavian Living Center*

May 6 to June 30, 2012

Registrations for the new member show are due by May 1.

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 (June 30, 2-5pm)
- NAA receives 20% of sales

The NAA reserves the right to refuse noncompliant entries.

Drop off: Saturday, May 5, 4-6pm

Reception: Annual NAA soiree & dinner, June 2, 6-9pm

Pick Up: Saturday, June 30, 2-5pm

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

REGISTRATION FORM

Name (print) _____ Date _____

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: _____