

News from LAA

August 2016

Address: PO BOX 852, Louisville, CO 80027

General Meeting: Thursday, August 11th at the Louisville Center for the Arts

Times: Social & Networking 6:30 to 7:00 PM
Business Meeting 7:00 to 7:30 PM
Demonstration 7:30 to 8:30 PM **Joshua Fallik**

Location: Louisville Center for the Arts, 801 Grant Ave., Louisville

Board Meeting: August 25th

Time: 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm
Location: Louisville Library, Board Room

Members are welcomed to attend. Contact Emilie Parker 303-317-4558 to let her know.

Portrait Saturday: August 13th

All artists interested in drawing/painting/photographing a clothed figure are welcome.

Time/Location: 9:00 am - 12 Noon, Louisville Center for the Arts, 801 Grant Ave., Louisville

Contact: Nedra Newson, 303-494-1816 or Email - nedranew@comcast.net

Fee: LAA Members Free + tip; \$7 for non-members + tip

AIPP Art in Public Places program supports LAA member artists who choose to show and sell their work. [Website Link](#) for list of venues, schedule and ID tags. Please use LAA ID tags.

Contact: To sign up, contact Cheryl Whitehall at cheryl@cherylwhitehall.com

August Demo

Joshua Fallik

Figure Drawing

Joshua will be doing a 1/2 hour Lecture presentation and 1/2 hour drawing portrait demonstration.

The lecture:

Does my brain and my eyes "see" the same thing: The anatomy of sight. How do we make out what is "real" if we cannot touch hear smell or taste? Can we trust our eyes to perceive the "real" world around us and why it is so important for us artist to understand what make us see.



LAA National Fine Art Show

The 31st LAA National Fine Art Show is ramping up!

We had over 400 entries! The dates are September 3 - 11th. We will have various events throughout the show including artist demos, an afternoon tea and of course the awards reception September 3rd from 6pm to 9pm. We are in need of many hands to make this show happen.

Please go to the LAA website and sign up on Volunteer Spot to help. We need you! We have over 100 jobs for volunteers, so please sign up for two jobs if you can. Go to the website www.louisvilleart.com and click the volunteer spot link on the bottom left. Or to sign up in person just call Lynn Berggren, 303-665-9011, and she will find a spot for you. Lyn's email is lbadmath@gmail.com

From the President



August is here. July has been busy and full of twists and turns -- lots of sticky things to figure out in keeping LAA shows on track. I'm enjoying working with Nickie Barbee and Bev Abbott on the National Fine Arts Show and Kim Roller and Delly Paris on the Fall Member Show. They are all amazingly dedicated to getting the details right. The shows are coming together wonderfully.

I've been thrilled to have my piece about my grandmother's adventurous trip to America from Ireland when she was little more than a teenager in the Library Theme Show. It was part of a stunning set of art works in that show, each with a very personal story for the artist. Thanks so much to our entire group who entered and for all the creative foresight and contributions of Barb McKee, Jean Riordan and many others who made it all go so smoothly.

For LAA president's message this month, I chose a quote for myself and for all of us: *Energy and persistence conquer all things - Benjamin Franklin*. My wish in August is for each of us to have the energy to push forward to create art. That feeling of being energized to do art is a gift for every day. August is another perfect time for getting into that flow. Find art you love and let yourself be inspired.

Whatever art you are creating these hot days of August; consider bringing it to the August 11th meeting and entering it in the Mini-show. And don't forget to share your art-wins with all of us. I'm looking forward to that.

Mini Show Winner

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Mary Lane and Suzie Wheeler

Mary Lane is a brand new LAA member, who began painting in acrylics in the 70's but moved very successfully to watercolors, as evidenced in her winning piece.



2016 Library Theme Show

"From Whence We Come" Exhibit - July 2016

"From Whence We Come" theme show at the Louisville Library was a big success this year. Thanks so much to all our members who participated and created original art for the theme. People's choice awards will be announced at the August general meeting.



Labor Day Festival Booths Available

Fall Festival Booths Now Available

Louisville's Sept. 5th Labor Day festival in Memory Square Park is a great opportunity for LAA members to have a booth. The city is giving free 10x10 booth spaces to LAA members. Get your application to Emilie (303-317-4558, emilie.v.parker@gmail.com) before August 12. The application (click [here](http://www.louisvilleco.gov/visitors/special-events/fall-festival)) is available for download online at: <http://www.louisvilleco.gov/visitors/special-events/fall-festival>. Fill in the application but do not submit it to the City and pay \$100. To get your 10x10 booth for free send your application to Emilie Parker: 541 Jefferson Ave., Louisville, CO 80027 by 4pm on August 12th.

LAA National Photo Show Accolades

We are proud to congratulate the 4 LAA photographers who were juried into the National Photo Show. Members are: **Richard Saxon, Michael Broughton, Peter Bandurian, Gerry Morrell, Gary Clendening** (who received an Artistic Achievement Award), and **Kirk Fry**, who received the Best of Show award.

Suzie Wheeler started a group of water-colorists, which has grown to 25 members, one of whom is her friend Mary, also a winner this month.



About Our Members

New Members

M. J. (Mary Jo) McCafferty
Mary Lane
Robin Enright Salcido
Doug Cole
Constance Frank
Jane Henry
Susan Swihart
Kelcey Dodds Seefeldt
Patricia Rippy
Michael Ulm

Member Interview

Bonnie Heidbrak

Bonnie Heidbrak and her cameras seem to see things as shadows, patterns, and textures almost before identifying the subject itself. This means that a monastery in Greece may register first as a stone wall, rough wood, and lace curtains, and only later as a room. Or the shadow of a fence across a scattering of gravel is noticed before the fence itself. A visit to her web site,



lucidphotoart.com, will let you explore her eclectic imagery further.

Bonnie travels. So do her cameras. She's been in all 50 states (lastly Arkansas) and places as disparate as Egypt, Thailand, Italy, and Costa Rica. The photos that develop from these adventures range from sharply defined mechanisms to vast spaces filled with reflections or patterns. Currently she has juried into a photo show in Ouray, and will be a featured artist at the September Art Walk in Telluride in September.

She got serious about photography 10 or 15 years ago.. It's all a departure from the first portion of her life, which was lived largely in the corporate world. Bonnie's first degree was in pharmacy, followed by an MBA in business. She worked for such companies as Kroger, Searle Pharmaceutical and Merck & Co, holding the positions of Director and Vice President.

Yet, after all that "pharma" exposure, her present vocation is homeopathy, which she has studied with several master homeopaths around the world. "Both conventional medicine and homeopathy have a place in the world," she says, "but homeopathy addresses more the root causes, and conventional medicine mainly addresses the symptoms." Her work begins with a two-hour consultation and follows with visits or email as the client wishes.

This Colorado native also designs and makes jewelry, and she

Volunteers Needed

2016 Volunteers Needed

Please choose a job and sign up.

Facebook Admin

Our Facebook Admin, Maria, is moving, and we need someone to volunteer for this very worthwhile job! **If you are interested, PLEASE CONTACT JANE EVANS AT 303-665-6093.**

Member Meeting Crews

LAA would like people to help with the set-up of tables and chairs beginning at 6pm and then people to help put it all away (after the demo). You don't need to do each meeting, but can you help with one or two? What month can you help? Please contact **Patti Harrison** to sign up for a meeting (or 2) at mspharrison@yahoo.com.

Art Shipping Team

LAA is looking for team of individuals that will learn how to unpack/repack the art that is shipped for our national shows. When the art arrives (1 week before the show) we can call upon these individuals to see if they are available to help with the unpacking, etc. By signing up it doesn't mean you have to do each show, but only when you are available. **PLEASE CONTACT JANE EVANS AT 303-665-6093.**

Thank you **Ann Christopher** for becoming the new **LAA Secretary!**

Facebook Power!!!

Our Facebook page is getting a lot of attention- YAHOO! If

you have an event that you would like us to highlight, please let us know.

Maria Joslin is our Facebook manager. Have you seen the great quotes she has put on? We also highlight our events, which is free marketing for us and brings in people from the community to attend. It would be WONDERFUL if you would go to our Facebook page, like it, and then share it with your friends. This way we can reach more people. Our address is <https://www.facebook.com/Louisville-Art-Association-274499419325606/>. Help us get over 500 likes!!!!!!



Calls For Entry

Art Show opportunity at Wings Over the Rockies on

August 27th. Each artist will be given a 12' x 12' space. To sign up and learn more, click below.

[Wings Over the Rockies Art Show](#)

Arts on the River

Deadline for submissions is Aug 1st. Arts on the River is a fundraiser for BCAA and the Lyons Arts and Humanities Commission, held along the North Saint Vrain Creek in Lyons at River Bend. For 2016 we are excited to announce that this event will be held in conjunction with Sounds of Lyons. The date for the event is Sunday, August 28, 2016 from 2-6 pm. Click [here](#) for entry form.

and LAA's Lynn Turner have been exploring encaustics. There are also three children's books in the works. It appears that not a lot of "moss-gathering" is rolling along in Bonnie's world.

Barb McKee

Open Studio Mondays

LAA will host open studio time for artists who would like to paint, etc. from 9 to 12 noon at the art center. **The next meetings are August 15, 22 and 29.** No fee for members. Contact Barb McGehan at barbaramcgehan@aol.com.

[Click for Open Studio Dates](#)

Plein Janes Schedule

PJ's (Plein Janes/Joes) Plein Air Painters' August 2016 Schedule

We gather Friday mornings from about 9 to around noon, providing an opportunity to work at an outdoor site with other artists. Open to all LAA members and friends, PJ's is free and suitable for all levels of experience. Usually the group will be spread out around the location, in small groups, or off solo. Most stay till around noon, but the loose structure allows for abbreviated and extended sessions. It is up to you to come and go as you wish! In case of inclement weather, artists should make their own decisions about attending.

Here is the August Schedule:

- August 5: East Boulder Community Center
- August 12: 75th at Boulder Creek
- August 19: Diane's Garden
- August 26: Dushanbe Tea House

For more details, click [here](#).

Workshop Details

August 17th - 1 day workshop- Aimee Deneweth. This workshop is currently full. Contact Susannah if you want to be added to the wait list. susannahvandyke@comcast.net

September 22, 23 and 24th - 3 day workshop with Dennis Pendleton. www.DennisPendletonstudio.com

Watercolor - This will be a still life workshop and I will demo the first morning. I will discuss setup and lighting, value strokes, contour drawing and the different stages of the painting. After the demo I will work with the students the rest of the day. On the second and third day I will a shorter demo and with work with the students for the rest of the time. There are still spaces available. Contact Susannah if you are interested. susannahvandyke@comcast.net

October 2nd - 1 day workshop with Sandy Baine. www.tiletango.com

In this workshop, we will select pieces of tiles, broken plates, mirror, found objects (keys, earrings, rocks, coins, marbles) and create a design that will be glued, dried with hairdryers and then grouted onto a board or a wooden box as a unique keepsake. Small boards and boxes will be available to choose from, but you are welcome to bring your own small wooden box, or tray, or anything that needs a little decoration added to it. Also, you are encouraged to bring your

2016 Outdoor Creations - A Boulder County Juried Art Show

Artists are invited to visit Boulder County Parks and Open Space properties (click [here](#) for a map of locations) from May 1 through August 11 to create artwork for submission using oil, watercolor, acrylic, ink, pastel, pencil, or 3-D mediums such as cloth, wood, or clay. Photographs are not eligible.

Throughout the summer, artist-led group painting sessions will be held on Boulder County Parks and Open Space properties, including some sunrise and sunset sessions as well as on properties usually closed to the public.. Chosen artwork will be exhibited at The Great Frame Up in Longmont from October 14 through November 4. Prizes will be awarded at the exhibit. **The deadline for submissions is August 11.** For more information or contact Karen Imbierowicz at 303-678-6268 or kimbierowicz@bouldercounty.org.

General Meeting Demonstrations for 2016

Month	Artist/Topic
Aug	Joshua Fallik Figure Drawing
Sept	Randy Hale Watercolor
Oct	Photography J.R. Schnelzer
Nov	Fall Member show gallery walk
Dec	Holiday Party

2016 Dabblers Workshop Schedule

Date(s)	Artist/Topic
August 20	Marilyn Kaminski Fused Glass
November 19	Marianne Mitchell Abstract Composition

For Dabblers information click [here](#)

2016 LAA 1 & 3 Day Workshop Schedule

We've got a great line up for our 2016 workshops.

For Workshop information click [here](#).

August 17 9 -3pm	Daily Painting. By artist Amiee Deneweth
October 2 9 -3pm	Mosaics By artist Sandy Baine

own special found objects. There are still spaces available. Contact Susannah if you are interested. susannahvandyke@comcast.net

Classes/Workshops given by Members:

MARQUETRY (Wood Inlay)

FREE! Come by and see how this is done. **Next workshop, Saturday, August 6th from 8:30am-12pm.** For more information email Ellen Kisker EEKISKER@gmail.com

Reminders

Someone Needs A Ride-Can you Help?

Anyone who would be willing to pick up a member for a meeting, please call Celeste at 303-466-5802.

NOTE FROM OUR TREASURERS:

FOR ALL FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENCE WITH LAA, PLEASE SEND TO LAA, PO Box 852, Louisville, CO 80027

November 15 9 -3pm *Figure Drawing*
By artist Joshua Fallik

September 22, 23, 24 9 -3pm *Watercolor*
By artist Dennis Pendleton

Announcements

Suggestions for Demos and Workshops Needed

The team responsible for setting up the Member Meeting Demos and the 1 and 3 day workshops for 2017 is looking for suggestions. Please let Bonnie Heidbrak (bonnie@lucidphotoart.com) know if there a subject or particular artist you would like. We need to know by the end of August.

Diane Wood

Diane Wood has 13 pieces on display at **Rocky Ridge Music Academy & RRMC Main Office** (3970 Broadway St., Unit 201E, Boulder) through the end of **August**.

Italy Workshop 2016

Painting workshop in Tuscany, Italy. September 12 -22. Click [here](#) for more details.

Elena's poetry group needs a few good women! Meets the first and third Monday of the month, 6:00 to 8:00pm. Call Elena at 303-444-6378 or e-mail hoffrichter@comcast.net to find out more.

Jan Sitts 3-Day Abstract Acrylic Workshop - "Texture - Color - Feeling"

Sponsored by Montrose Center for the Arts. Class runs from **Aug 3 - 5**. Please click [here](#) for more information and click [here](#) for the registration form.

Artist Studio Spaces are now available within an established Fine Art Gallery
Downtown Pearl Street address!
Vilona Studio Gallery
[Click here to see flyer](#)

Members' New Artwork



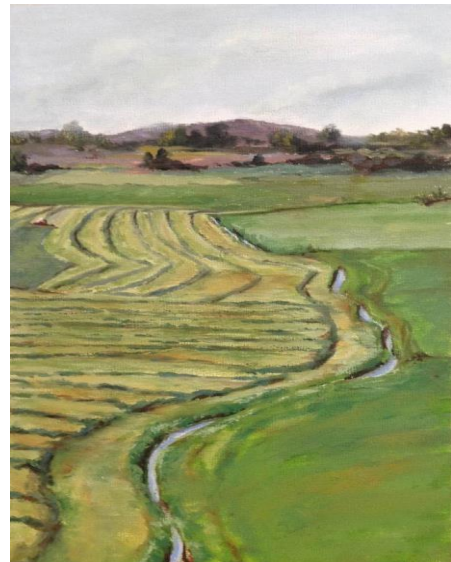
Looking Back - Pastel
Lydia Pottoff
www.lydiapottoffineart.com



Hidden Places - Oil
Carol Corsell
ccorsell@mac.com



Botanic Beauty - Acrylic
Beverly Abbott
beverly.art.paint@gmail.com



Making Hay - Oil on Panel
Nickie Barbee
barbee4660@gmail.com

If you'd like your work to be featured in this section, please send your new artwork photo and information, including website or email, to **Maureen Riesco** at maureen.r@comcast.net. Thank you for your participation!

Meeting Minutes

Louisville Art Association General Meeting Minutes, June 9, 2016



Meeting called to order: Emilie Parker, President
Type of meeting: Members General Meeting
Secretary: Donna Flebbe
Minutes Taker: Maureen Riesco

Call to Order

Welcome Members and Guests

Approve Minutes from previous meeting. The minutes are in the monthly newsletter. Motion to approve the minutes made by Jane Evans. Seconded by Bonnie Heidbrack.

Treasurers Report. No report

Celebrations ---- We love to hear about your success with your art. Please share ☺

Board Report - The board did not meet in May.

Shows and Upcoming Events

National Photo Show - Ongoing through Sunday, June 12th. Need a few volunteers to sign up. Wine And Cheese reception tomorrow night, Friday, 6/10, from 4-8 PM. We will announce the People's Choice Award. Thank you to Jane Evans, who has taken a strong management role the Board Liaison for the show working with our co-chairs are Sarah Paz Hyde, sphyde@gmail.com and Michael Broughton, m_broughton@mac.com helping guiding them make this show great. 5 members of LAA were accepted into show. Thank you to all who volunteered for the show! People's Choice Award to be announced at the Wine and Cheese Reception on Friday.

Theme Show - July 1-31: At the Louisville Library. The prospectus for My Heritage Show available online at: <http://www.louisvilleart.org>. Co-chairs: Jean Riordan, jean.riordan@gmail.com, Barb McKee, mckeedb@aol.com. The show is called "From Whence We Come" and we should paint something from our heritage. LAA does not take a commission on the sales at this show.

National Fine Arts Show Sept. 3rd - Sept 11: Update by Nickie Barbee, barbee4660@gmail.com, and Carol Cosell, ccorsell@mac.com, co-chairs. Volunteer spot coordinator is Lynn Berggren, llbadmath@gmail.com. The deadline is coming up. Friday July 8th. Sign up at www.callforentry.org.

Fall Festival City of Louisville 2016, Sept. 2nd - Sept. 5: In Park near Art Center. Booths for LAA artists are available. To sign up for a 10x10 booth before August 12th contact Emilie Parker, Emilie.v.parker@gmail.com for an application. The application will go out in the next newsletter. If you are interested in creating the design for a pie contest apron that will be printed for the festival's Huckleberry pie contest, Rick Newell, newell42rick@gmail.com is the contact. Rick will send out an email in July with entry form. Winning piece will be on display at the Huckleberry and also at the pie contest on Labor Day. Deadline for entry is August 1st.

Taste of Louisville - June 4th: Jane Evans took care of all the details including signing up artists who had booths and orchestrating the event. This turned out to be a good opportunity for LAA members to engage with our community and promote the arts.

Programs and Workshops - One-Day, Two-Day, Three-Day and Dabblers

LAA FaceBook Page: Maria Joslin, our FaceBook Coordinator, encourages all of us to friend Louisville Art Association Page. Please make comments, share LAA posts that show up on your newsfeed and invite your friends to like us. Find us on Facebook by typing Louisville Art Association into the search box. Check out Andy Schwartz's pictures of National Photo Show winners pictures posted.

Portrait Painting: Join us June 11th, 9am to noon. We will have a model in a white dress outside the art center. Bring an umbrella. Contact Nedra at 303-494-1816, nedranew@comcast.net.

Open Studio: Mondays, 9am to noon, June 13th and 27th at Louisville Center for the Arts. This is a time to do your own artwork together with others. For the email date reminders contact Barb McGehan, barbaramcgehan@aol.com or Colleen Tucker, colleentuck@gmail.com to get on the email list.

One-Day-Workshops: Pastels - **Diane Fechenbach**, June 18th, 9am to 12pm at the Center (This workshop is full). Still a couple of workshops open. Contact is **Susannah Vandyke**, Susannahvandyke@comcast.net

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers Needed for:

- **Secretary** to take minutes at the Member Meetings.
- **Vice President for 2017**
- **National Photo Show - a few spots open**
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Announcements

Mini-Show Awards: Janice Buck. 6 entries. Mini-Show winners were **Mary Lane** and **Suzie Wheeler**.

Next meeting is August 11th at the **Art Center**, 801 Grant St., Louisville, CO. Demo will feature Figure Drawing, by Joshua Fallik. Joshua will be doing a 1/2 hour Lecture presentation and 1/2 hour drawing portrait demonstration. Lecture: **The Anatomy of Sight -- Do My Brain and My Eyes See the Same Thing**. Why is it so important for us artist to understand what make us see.

7: 25 - Break: 10 minutes to set up Guest Artist Demo.

7:35 Guest Artist Introduction: Gail Lukens will introduce **Sandy Baine**, www.tiletango.com. She will demo using pieces of CLAY and GLASS to create mosaic works of art.

8:30 Adjourn Motion to adjourn made by **Bonnie Heidbrack** . Seconded by **Gail Smith**.

Mission Statement

The Louisville art Association was formed in 1980 to promote the visual arts and local artists in our area. We are a non-profit corporation with a board of directors and a strong membership participation. We sponsor national shows, annual arts and crafts festivals, and educational meetings and workshops

Membership benefits include a monthly newsletter, monthly meetings featuring professional artists' demonstrations, exhibition opportunities, lower fees at workshops, and a chance to meet and collaborate with other artists and arts supporters.

The Louisville Art Association is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporations, funded locally by a grant from SCFD, LAA members, local businesses, and other generous benefactors.

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If you would like to submit an item for the newsletter, please send it to:

louisvillearts@gmail.com

Submission Deadline: 20th of each month.

Please put [Newsletter Submission](#) in the Subject Line