



Doylestown Art League

WINTER 2009 NEWSLETTER

On the Web: www.doylestownartleague.com

Winter Speakers

January 8 • Neil Kosh • Portrait Demonstration

Neil Kosh has been Professor at Tyler School of Art at Temple University for 46 years. Neil had judged at our 2008 DAL 49th Annual Members Show.

February 5 • Joanna Krasnansky • Watercolor Demo

Joanna Krasnansky resides in Bucks County, Pennsylvania and it is there that she owns an art studio and gallery. She has been working in the art world for almost 40 years.

As a professional artist she exhibits her work in art competitions, "one man shows," galleries and public exhibitions in the tri-state area. She has won numerous awards and honors over the years. Joanna also teaches art students her techniques in watercolor workshops.

Her exhibitions include both original and Limited Edition reproductions of her watercolors.

A true love of detail and color is evident in her renderings of architectural subjects. She has a deep interest in historical buildings, barns, covered bridges and loves to paint subjects in the winter season. Joanna prefers to paint her subjects on site as opposed to taking photographs and producing her work indoors. Although her watercolors are produced mainly for the public, she has accepted commissions for both individuals and corporations.

March 4 • Marge Chavooshian AWS, NWS • Watercolor Demo

Watercolorist, Marge Chavooshian, was born in New York City and studied at the Art Students League with Reginald Marsh and Mario Cooper. She is primarily a plein air painter, drawn to street scenes and ornate facades. The geometric shapes created by sunlight and shadows motivate much of her work. She has painted extensively in this country and abroad.

She has received over 150 regional, national and international awards, and is in over 500 private collections all over the world

Marge will do a Demonstration for us at our March meeting

Meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at the James Lorah Memorial Home, Broad & Main Streets, Doylestown at 7:30 PM except for the Seasonal Celebration Covered Dish Dinner which is held at 6:30 PM.

WOMENS' EDUCATION FUND

Funds realized from the auction of the Luitweiler collection of Art By Bucks County Women on July 1, 1999 have been earmarked for the establishment of a D.A.L. Women's Educational Fund. It is intended for use by women who wish to pursue studies in the Visual Arts who are in need of financial assistance. Anyone interested in applying for a grant should contact Henry Holkey at 215-348-4065.

James and Erika Luitweiler Women's Art Education Fund

Doylestown Art League was the recipient of proceeds from the sale of the Luitweiler's collection of ART by Bucks County Women. The James and Erika Luitweiler Women's Art Education Fund was established in September of 1999 using these proceeds.

The purpose of the Fund is to encourage adult women to seek opportunities for developing art skills as a source of enrichment and self-expression. It was the Luitweiler's hope that women who want to make art a part of their lives, or continue to develop their art skills, will find a source of support in the Fund. To ensure a perpetual source of funds, grants will be limited to a total of \$300 per year. This amount

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Fall 2008 Day Classes

Please make checks payable to Doylestown Art League, Inc. and mail to:

R. LOUISA WISMER
P.O. BOX 225
SILVERDALE, PA 18962

•Students: Please write separate checks for each class offered.

This saves DAL money in case a class is cancelled due to lack of enrollment.

• If a Student decides to cancel a class, a \$5.00 administrative fee will be subtracted from their refund.

• For a supply list for the class or workshop in which you are enrolling, please check the art leagues' website at www.doylestownartleague.com

SEND CLASS MONIES ONLY TO:
LOUISA WISMER, P.O. BOX 225, SILVERDALE,
PA 18962

**SEND MEMBERSHIP MONIES ONLY
TO: SHEILA BEINSTEIN, 309 ROCKY COURT
WEST, CHALFONT, PA 18914**

Watercolor Class – All Levels with Instructor Marilyn Williams

Tuesdays 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

2 Six week Sessions

Session 1: January 13, 20, 27, February 3,10,17, 2009

Session 2: February 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 2009

Instructor: Marilyn Williams

Location: Lenape Valley Presbyterian Church, Rt. 202 and Ute Road, New Britain, PA.

Price:\$70.00 for members, \$95.00 for non-members

Classes are designed to enhance your enjoyment of and confidence in the painting experience. An artist's approach to understanding values, effectively combining and using pigments, and refining brushwork will be emphasized. there will be "hands on" demos.

These classes will afford both the novice and more experienced painter a fresh perspective on these important skills. Please contact Marilyn for a supply list at 215-297-5182 or wmsmarilyn@hotmail.com

•••REMINDER TO ALL TAKING CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS.***

PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER USING THE CHURCHES FACILITIES. IT IS VERY IMPORTANT WE LEAVE THE ROOMS NEAT AND CLEAN WITH NO PAINT RESIDUE ON THE TABLES OR SPATTERED PAINT ON THE WALLS. AND THE DOORS TO THE OUTSIDE ARE TO REMAIN LOCKED, NOT PROPPED OPEN WHEN THE SECRETARY GOES TO LUNCH.

THANK YOU, R. LOUISA WISMER

Watercolor Class: Continuing-Intermediate to Advanced with Connie Marino

Wednesdays 9:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.

2 Six Week Sessions

Session 1: January 7, 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11, 2009

Session 2: February 18, 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25, 2009

Instructor: Connie Marino

Location: Lenape Valley Presbyterian Church, Rt. 202 and Ute Road, New Britain, PA 18901

Price:\$70.00 for members, \$95.00 for non-members

Watercolor techniques for expressing texture.

We will use a step by step method of applying paint to paper, with a series of exercises. These techniques can be applied to paintings of your own choice, throughout the session.

I want you to have a good experience when learning new techniques.

Winter-Spring Workshops

All One Day Workshops Schedule

Location: Lenape Valley Presbyterian Church
Rt. 202 and Ute Road
New Britain, PA 18901

Time: 9:30am to 3pm (unless otherwise noted)

Price: \$55.00 members \$80.00 nonmembers

For all Workshops bring a lunch and beverage



Watercolor Workshop

with Jim McFarlane

“Painting Wet-in-Wet Watercolor”

Friday, February 27, 2009

Time: 9:30AM TO 3:00 PM

Focus: Exploring a difficult, traditional and exciting style of painting.

One of the most luscious ways to paint with watercolor is to apply wet paint to wet paper, the traditional wet-in-wet method. Jim, will begin this workshop with a demo and will give you exercises and preparatory steps to follow, but, the majority of the time will be devoted to you painting loose watercolors. It will take time and willingness to experiment, but, with Jim's help, you can master and paint fresh, painterly watercolors based on this exciting technique. Bring lots of photos and all your watercolor supplies.

Bring lunch and a beverage.

*****More Workshops with Jim McFarlane in May and June*****



“Crinkled Paper Workshop” with Kass Morin Freeman

Friday, March 20, 2009

Time: 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM

Bring your recent photos and watercolor supplies and bid a last Hurrah to Winter as Kass demonstrates and you try snow and winter trees on MASA paper. Kass, is confident that all will achieve a successful painting in crinkled paper technique.

Paper and some other materials for this class will be supplied by the instructor at a cost to you of \$1.50.

Also bring,

Tubes of watercolor (you want to have fresh paints)

Muffin type tins-to hold watercolors

Soft flat brushes

Mister or spray bottle

White dish or palette for mixing

Sturdy clean support to hold masa paper

Old absorbent bath towel or piece of felt to protect tables

Learn something NEW, it will be fun

Bring lunch and a beverage.

Women's Education Fund

can be adjusted at the discretion of the Executive Board as circumstances warrant.

Studies in art classes provided by the DAL have primary consideration. The Executive Board of DAL may also find qualified artists for assistance, studies through community adult education, community college, art centers, art museums, art schools, private lessons and classes with established artists. Moneys may cover total or partial cost of either course or materials.

A person applying annually for assistance must meet the following requirements:

1. Be a current member of the Doylestown Art League.
2. Submit a written one-paragraph proposal including how they plan to use the assistance. Include photos of your art, if available.
3. The proposal shall include the course, instructor, location, time and dates.
4. Candidates may apply for a grant more than once. It may be possible to receive subsequent assistance depending on the number of applicants.
5. DAL will provide the assistance directly to the institution for the participant. The amount given will be told to the applicant. If a course is canceled, moneys will be returned to the Luitweiler Women's Art Education Fund
6. At the end of the particular course, a critique of the course given and value gained by the participant will be submitted to DAL for evaluation purposes.
7. Participants will sign a contract agreeing to the fund stipulations.

These regulations will exist as long as the Fund remains active. The Executive Board maintains the right to adjust the above policy. It is the Luitweiler's and DAL's wish that this art fund reach as many deserving women as possible for as long as the fund exists.

Special Exhibits

A Message from your Exhibits Chairperson, Becky Reilly
 Welcome artists to the opportunity to exhibit your work to the public . The DAL offers multiple venues to show your work to the public.
 Exhibit your art in local public places as a solo artist (Univest Bank on State street in Doylestown, Third Federal Bank on 611 in Cross Keys, Fulton Bank and St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Main Street in Doylestown, and the Pearl S. Buck International House in Dublin) on a two month rotation schedule. Exhibit your art as part of a group show (1 to 5 pieces) at the Knight House Restaurant (W. State Street in Doylestown) on a six month rotation schedule changing in May and November.

DAL and our local Masons offer a large combined First Friday site at the Masonic Lodge (55 E. State Street in Doylestown) every first Friday on each month. The space can hold up to 10 artists each month. It's a one night show that involves the community in a night out with lots of shops, galleries and restaurants participating and staying open late.

Please contact me via email at Reilly201@aol.com or at our monthly meetings for more information or to sign up.

Changes in Genuardis Donations

Genuardi's Supermarkets continues to donate a percentage of their sales to the Doylestown Art League as a charitable donation. Genuardi's Market has switched over to an entirely electronic method of calculating the amount purchased from which the percentage is calculated . Members should go the Genuardi's customer service desk and fill out a form naming the DAL as the recipient of the charitable donation based on their purchases. Contact Maggie Lieby at 215-918-0739 for more information.

DAL Membership

Individual - \$25.00 – Senior Citizen (Age 65) - \$20.00
 Membership covers our costs in providing monthly meetings and mailings. We continue to offer you an opportunity to make an additional contribution to help cover our growing expenses. Membership runs from September 1 to August 31 of the following year. Please fill out the application below and mail to Membership Chair: Sheila Beinstein, 309 Rocky Court W., Chalfont, PA 18914. Any questions, please call Sheila Beinstein at 215-997-9573
 Please Note: Membership is required for participation in certain DAL events.

DAL MEMBERSHIP FORM

Name _____

 Address _____

 City, State, Zip _____

 Phone _____
 E-mail address _____
 Artistic Medium(s) _____

I am interested in _____ Art show help
 _____ Help with other needs
 _____ Interest in classes

Renewal \$ _____
 New Member \$ _____
 Additional Contribution \$ _____
 Home of Our Own Contrib. Fund \$ _____
 Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Send form to: Sheila Beinstein, 309 Rocky Court West, Chalfont, PA 18914.
 Make check payable to: Doylestown Art League

DAL is now accepting Advertisements in this Newsletter from local busi- nesses

Business Card..... \$30.00
 1/4 page Ad..... \$ 50.00
 1/2 page Ad..... \$ 90.00
 Full Page Ad..... \$150.00
 or insert

Please note: All Ads must be camera ready
 Please send all information to:
 Doylestown Art League
 c/o Sheila Cunningham
 16 Birchwood Circle
 Chalfont, PA 18914
 e-mail: sheilamc123@verizon.net

Class Entry Forms

Please make checks payable to Doylestown Art League, Inc. and mail to:

R. Louisa Wismer
P.O. Box 225
Silverdale, PA 18962
215-257-7190

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DAL Building Fund Donation Form

Name _____

Address _____

Contribution:\$ _____

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Doylestown Art League
c/o Sheila Beinstein
309 Rocky Court W
Chalfont, Pa. 18914



The Doylestown Art League's monthly meetings are held the the first Thursday of each month. All meetings are held at the James Lorah House, 100 Broad Street, Doylestown, PA, corner of Main & Broad Streets at 7:30 PM. The Board meetings are now the 3rd Monday of the month at 7:00 P.M. at the Michener Library.

The Doylestown Art League website: www.doylestownartleague.com

Doylestown Art League, Inc.

Board of Directors

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| President | Henry Holkey |
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| Committee Chairpersons | |
| Brochure | Open |
| Hospitality | Betty Minnucci |

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| Members Annual Show | John Kazary |
| Members' Annual | Henry Holkey |
| Juried Show | |
| Open Juried Show | Open |
| Porcelain Artists | RoseAnn Petrilla |
| Historian | Open |
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Porcelain Artists Meetings

Time: Third Saturday of the month
Place: Studio of Laura Hager
210 Keeley Avenue
New Britain, PA 18901

December 20, 2008 –

Time: 1:00 pm
Holiday Luncheon – Please bring a covered dish. “White Elephant” Gift Exchange

There are no Porcelain Artists meetings in January or February 2009

For more information, call **RoseAnn Petrilla – 215-343-3491**

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