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Art Center & Sales Gallery

215 East State Street
Redlands, CA 92373

909-792-8435

www.redlands-art.org

Newsletter submissions are due
the 25th of every month for inclusion
in the next month's newsletter.

Please email submissions to:
newsletter@RedlandsArtAssociation.org
or use the form on our website at:
[http://redlands-art.org/newsletter/
newsletter-submissions/](http://redlands-art.org/newsletter/newsletter-submissions/)

**MAY
2019**

2019 Take-In Dates & Themes

May 31	Faces and Places
July 5	Cool Waters
Aug 16	"Hot August..."
Sept 27	Route 66: The Mother Road

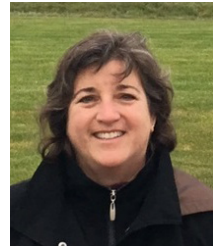
*Themes are suggestions only.
All take-in dates are on a Friday,
9am-6:15pm*



SPRING IS RAA'S TIME TO SHINE!

◆ FROM YOUR PRESIDENT, KRIS BUSSARD

Well, here we are at the penultimate month of our Fiscal Year. I'd begun to draft a review about what your Association has offered and accomplished this year, when I realized we still have many things to look forward to in these last two months. Let's start at the beginning of May.



The pieces from the Plein Air Competition, which actually took place last Sunday, will be exhibited until May 17. Our current show, "Moms and Mums" will run throughout the month. Come out to Smiley Park, Memorial Day weekend and support the local artists at Art in the Park which will again be held in conjunction with the Redlands Festival of the Arts. Did you know Art in the Park has been running for over thirty years? Over 100 artists will be selling jewelry, pottery, paintings, glasswork, wood work, photography, metalwork and more.

Additionally, for the first time, RAA's Margaret Clark Education Enrichment Fund (MCAEEF) is hosting a Youth Art Expo. MCAEEF is the primary fund raising arm of the Redlands Art Association. Through its foreign film series, which is held semi-annually at Studio Movie Grill, MCAEEF raises funds that are donated as grants to local area schools and organizations to support their visual arts programs. This year, we will be celebrating and exhibiting some of the amazing art created by our emerging young artists in Redlands schools and at RAA.

Looking to the end of our fiscal year, we have one more Take-In "Faces and Places" on Friday, May 31. During the first week of June we will be hosting a special Guest Artist Show for the Veteran's Hospital Art Group. Come along to the combined Opening Reception on Sunday, June 2, from 2-4 pm and meet some of the artists. Finally, our Annual Meeting and Potluck will be held on Wednesday, June 5 from 6-8 pm at Redlands United Church of Christ, 168 Bellevue Avenue, Redlands CA 92373. We hope to see you all there!

MUSEUM SEEKS WORK FROM LOCAL ARTISTS

The San Bernardino County Museum wants to partner with local artists to sell work through its newly remodeled, and soon to reopen, gift shop.

They are specifically interested in the following:

- Visual artists who are interested in licensing their work for resell
- Local crafts people who want to sell their work

Additionally, in a couple of months, they will have a citrus exhibition, so citrus themed or practical citrus-related crafts will be welcomed.

If you are interested, please contact Melissa Russo, Executive Director, at Melissa.Russo@sbcm.sbcounty.gov

Redlands Art Association is a non-profit organization founded to support and encourage the visual arts through education and example.

NEWS FROM THE GALLERY

Art-in-the-Park & Redlands Festival of Arts!

Memorial Day weekend! T-shirts and shorts, BBQ and tall iced teas, and browsing Art-in-the-Park in Smiley Park! The Redlands Art Association artists will be hanging their masterpieces on pegboards, A-frames and trellises. Easy-Ups, umbrellas and canopies will add color and shade. Artists booths will be between the Redlands Bowl and Eureka Street (Mission Gables side) again this year. Glassware, pottery, paintings, photography, woodcrafts and jewelry will be set out for your shopping pleasure. This is THE event to add to your art collection!

The Redlands Festival of Arts will be on the other side of Eureka Street. This will make our Art-in-the-Park and the Festival of Arts one big event. Visit the Redlands Festival of Arts for the food vendors, wine & beer garden, juried artists with unique art for sale, and the Kids Zone for family fun.

New this year is the Youth Art Expo! Students art will be on display, showcasing the creativity of students in our community from kindergarten through twelfth grade. All students of Redlands Schools and the Redlands Art Association are encouraged to participate. Entry forms are available on RAA's website (www.redlands-art.org) and at the Gallery.

Mark your calendar for an artsy weekend, May 25-26, 2019, 10 am to 5 pm.

For more information, call the Gallery, 909-792-8435



EVENTS AT-A-GLANCE

MAY 18–JUNE 7

Featured Artists: Martha Cowan Oil Class

Martha Cowan and students from her advanced oil painting class will be featured artists. Opening Reception: Saturday, May 18, 3–5pm

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, MAY 25–26

Art-in-the-Park & Redlands Festival of Arts

Join 70 Southland artists Memorial Day Weekend as the exhibit and sell their work in downtown's Redland's Smiley Park,

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, MAY 25–26

First Annual Youth Art Expo

In conjunction with Art in the Park, RAA will be showing a collection of imaginative art created by artists 18 and under!

TUESDAY, MAY 28, 7–9PM

Monthly Program: Tips and Tricks for Budding Photographers

Take your photography to the next level using techniques you'll learn from Bruce Herwig, *About Redlands* "2017 Artist of the Year."

FRIDAY, MAY 31, 9AM–6:15PM

Faces & Places Gallery Show Take-In

Nothing captures our world like the two most studied subjects in the physical arts: portraits and landscapes!

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 6–8PM

Annual Potluck Dinner

Celebrate RAA's artists, volunteers, staff and leadership at the Redlands United Church of Christ, 168 Bellevue Avenue, Redlands!

JUNE 2–8

Show in a Show: Veteran's Hospital Art Show

Opening Reception: Sunday 2nd June 2–4pm in conjunction with RAA's Faces & Places Opening Reception!

JUNE 8–28

Featured Artist: Brad Willason

Don't miss Brad's unique, plasma metal cutting artistry. Opening Reception: Saturday, June 8, 3–5pm

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 9AM–6:15PM

Cool Waters Gallery Show Take-In

Beat the summer heat with this show highlighting refreshing, reflections on water!



YOUTH ART EXPO

We are excited to announce that plans are underway for a YOUTH ART EXPO (YAE) showcasing the creativity of students in our community from kindergarten through twelfth grade. This Expo will be held on Memorial Day weekend May 25th & 26th in conjunction with Art in the Park and the Redlands Festival of Arts. All students of Redlands Schools and the Redlands Art Association are encouraged to participate. Entry forms are available on the RAA website and at the Gallery. Submitted artwork will be juried by Artists/Teachers and winning art work will be displayed in a special Youth Art Tent. In an adjacent tent, "hands on" art activities will be open to all youth who wish to experiment in different art media. We welcome volunteers to assist with these fun activities.

All entries will be accepted on May 20–22 at the Redlands Art Association Gallery, 215 E State St. Redlands between the hours of 11 am–4 pm and on May 23 Noon – 5 pm at The Redlands Contemporary Club 173 S Eureka St, Redlands.

Awards/ Prizes will be granted in age groups K-2, 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12. All participating students will receive a certificate.

The Margaret Clark Art Education Enrichment Fund (MCAEEF) is happy to present this YOUTH ART EXPO as we celebrate decades of funding Art Education and scholarships to students in our schools.

IN THE GALLERY

Featured Artists: Plein Air Group

April 28 to May 17

April 28 was the Annual Plein Air Competition held in Prospect Park. Twenty-three artists met at 8 am and chose their locations to paint in the park. By 2:30 pm they had finished their painting, framed it and delivered it to the RAA gallery ready to be judged by Chick Curtis.

Chick said everyone was a winner. They had all gone out to paint Plein Air, which is hard. While the air was heady with citrus blossom and the fragrance of the roses and other flowers, the light varied from hazy and overcast to sunny with shadows. As if the lighting wasn't hard enough to capture, there were the walkers and visitors to the park, all curious as to what the painters were painting; not to mention the sunburn, aches, cricks in the neck or back from sitting or standing at just the "right" angle to capture the images and the light for a long time.

As you walk into the gallery you will see these amazing paintings on the Featured Artist board and in the Featured Artist corner.

Top Awards

- a) 1st Place: Liliana Simanton "Sunny Day at Prospect Park" oil
- b) 2nd Place: John Dougan "Jogging Prospect Park" watercolor
- c) 3rd Place: Geeta Pattanaik "Talking Heads" oil

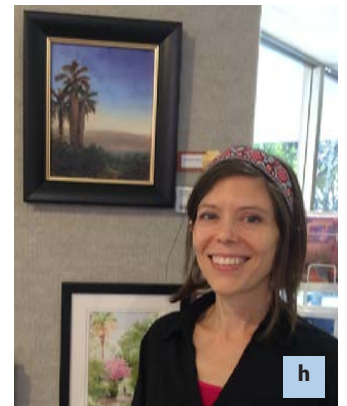
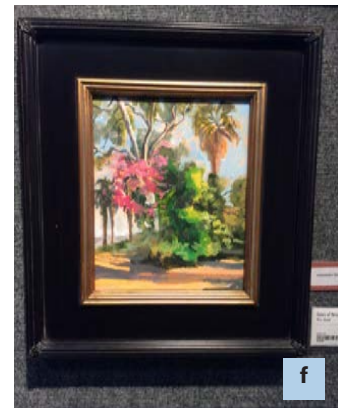
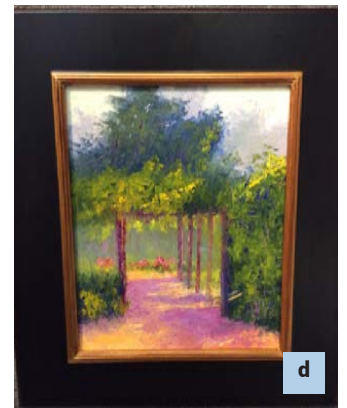
Honorable Mentions

- d) Terry Chacon "Arbor" oil
- e) Patricia Rose Ford "Pretty in Pink" Pastel
- f) Nita Harper "Colors of the Morning" oil
- g) Michelle Myers "Wandering in the Garden" watercolor

Purchase Award

- h) Christine White "Late April, Prospect Park" oil

Thank you to everyone who participated in the competition. We also thank Linda Richards and her husband, Tom, for organizing of the competition. And a special thank you to Prospect Park for allowing the Plein Air Competition to be held there as well as all the volunteers who organized the refreshments for the reception.

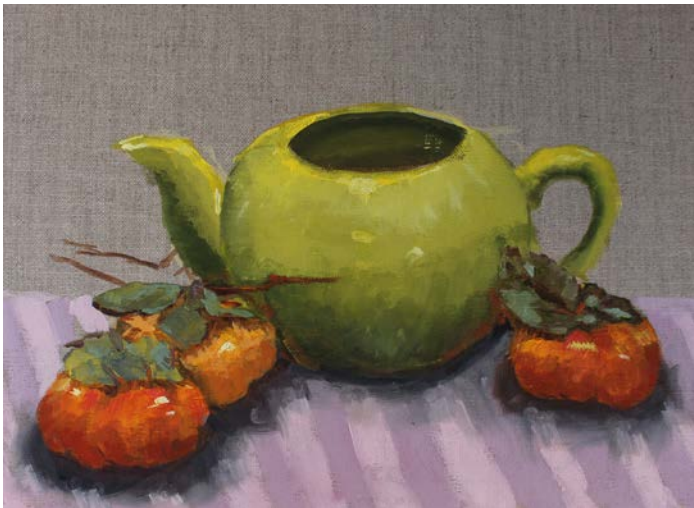


IN THE GALLERY

Featured Artists: Martha Cowan's Advanced Oil Painting Class Members

May 18–June 7 | Reception: Saturday May 18, 3–5pm

The next featured artist exhibit will showcase the work of the Advanced Oil Painting class, taught by Martha Cowan. Martha has been teaching this class for several years now, and some of the students have been in the class



continuously. Martha spends time teaching advanced ideas in art and painting, along with discussing works as she takes the class on gallery tours. She demonstrates techniques



for the class, so they can see how to apply these ideas to their own art. Students work individually on their own paintings, and Martha encourages and helps everyone. The featured artist show is a collection of just a few of the best paintings this class has completed!

Featured Artist: Brad Willason

**June 8–28 | Reception:
Saturday, June 8, 3–5pm**



Brad Willason has lived in California all his life. Raised and attending school in Riverside, he achieved a Bachelor degree in biology and chemistry from the University of California, San Diego.

After spending over 2 decades in medical sales, he has retired from corporate life to "work" in his new endeavor of unique, plasma metal cutting artistry. He is doing something unusual that he feels will be something that others will enjoy now, and for many years in the future. His real wood frames are all different, using weathered, re-purposed pine, fir and redwood.



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May Program: For the Love of Photography: Tips and Tricks for Budding Photographers

Tuesday May 28 | 7–9pm

New to photography or ready to take your photography to the next level? Local photographer and photo enthusiast Bruce Herwig will be sharing his journey and some of his favorite tips and tricks for making and marketing your art.

Bruce has a passion for taking and sharing his photos. You can often find him with his camera around town or out in the desert taking pictures of the stars and the Milky Way. He is an active member of the Redlands Art Association, a coordinator for the Redlands Bowl volunteer photographers and was named *About Redlands* "Artist of the Year" in 2017.

Bruce Herwig

(909) 742-9206

bruceherwig.wordpress.com



Show in A Show: Veteran's Hospital Art Show

June 2–8 | Opening Reception, June 2, 2–4pm

Save the date for this amazing show and its opening reception: Sunday, June 2, 2–4 pm in conjunction with the reception for RAA's Faces & Places show. This is a one-week show for the Veteran's Hospital Art Group. It will be held in RAA's East Gallery. Learn more at the gallery and redlands-art.org.

MEMBER GOOD NEWS

RAA member Brad Willason recently sold a piece of his art to a group that represents our sister cities. The group went to Japan recently and presented Brad's art piece to the mayor of Hino, Japan! Congratulations to Brad on this noteworthy achievement.

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Check our website frequently for NEW & UPDATED information.

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ADULT CLASSES

CLASS/WORKSHOP REGISTRATION: A 72 hour notice to RAA is necessary to receive a refund or transfer to a different class. There will not be a registration confirmation. Students will be notified if the class is cancelled.

Class fees will not be prorated/refunded for missed classes. For more information on these & other classes/workshops or to register, contact the Redlands Art Association at 909-792-8435. **CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS FILL UP FAST! REGISTER EARLY!**



ADVANCED OILS with Martha Cowan

Continue your learning process for oil painting with in-depth discussion and information along with demonstrations. 3 hours per day.

Wednesdays: May 8, 15, 22, 29 | 9:30 am–12:30 pm

Fee: \$110 | RAA Members Fee: \$85

Sundays: June 30, July 7, 14 | 9:30 am–12:30 pm

Fee: \$110 | RAA Members Fee: \$85

WATERCOLORS with Holly Warner

Holly has lots of instructional information and new techniques to share with you, along with demonstrations.

Thursdays: May 16, 23, 30, June 6, 13 | 7–9 pm

Fee: \$105 | RAA Members Fee: \$80

FOCUS GROUP with Martha Cowan

"The Zorn Palette"

Intense, in-depth discussion and demonstration on one specific painting topic. Bring your own supplies and be ready to paint. Bring landscape photos.

Tuesday: May 21 | 6–9 pm

Fee: \$55 | RAA Members Fee: \$40

PASTELS with Natalie Richards

Pastels are a wonderful medium and Natalie is extremely skilled and will help you explore and advance your pastel artwork! Learn new important techniques and styles. Supplies list available

Wednesdays: May 29, June 12, 19, 26 | 7–9 pm

Fee: \$105 | RAA Members Fee: \$80

SMART PHONE PHOTOGRAPHY with Bruce Herwig

Ready to take your smart phone images to another level? This class will be a mix of instruction, photo walks, hands on editing and group critique. You will learn to incorporate the basics of composition, color and style into your cell phone photography. Students bring your own cell phones (iPhones or android) with the ability to download and pay for inexpensive apps - make sure your phone is charged or you have a charger with you!

Wednesdays: June 19, 26 July 3, 10, 17 | 6:30–9:30 pm

Fee: \$105 | RAA Members Fee: \$80

CLAY ODYSSEY with Nancy and Penny

Learn hand building with clay and make creative useful items. Possibilities are endless! Fun never stops! New techniques will constantly challenge you. Bring a friend and have twice the fun. \$25 supply fee due at first class.

Mondays: July 8, 15, 22 Aug 5, 12, 19 | 6:30–9 pm

Fee: \$115 | RAA Members Fee: \$90

WATERCOLORS with Michelle Myers

Learn every facet of watercolors from the beginning with excellent instruction from our accomplished instructor. Look for summer workshops.

Fridays: Resumes August | 10 am–12:30 pm

Fee: \$105 | RAA Members Fee: \$80

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ADULT WORKSHOPS & YOUTH CLASSES 2019

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Paint it & Take it! with Martha Cowan: Degas

Use acrylic paints to complete a painting of the old masters or a Martha original in one class. All supplies provided. Learn from accomplished painter, Martha, who will lead you step by step. Everyone is welcome to bring coffee and nibbles to share. \$5 Supply fee due to instructor

Saturday: May 11 | 10am–1 pm

Saturday: June 29 | 10am–1 pm

Fee: \$55 | RAA Members Fee: \$40

Mosaic workshop with Ada Jarvis

Mosaics are fun and beautiful. Learn how to make a mosaic stepping stone and have a piece of art to treasure! Purchase a stepping stone from Lowe's or Home Depot and the rest of the supplies are provided. \$10 supply fee due at start of workshop to Ada.

Beginners

Sunday: May 19th | 9 am–2 pm

Fee: \$100 | RAA Member fee: \$75

Intermediates

Sunday: May 19th | 9 am–4 pm

Fee: \$120 | RAA Members Fee: \$95



YOUTH ART CAMPS

Now taking sign ups for Summer Art Camps starting Monday June 10. Just \$185 for 2 weeks (mornings or afternoons)

June 10–21

Mon.–Fri. | 10 am–12 pm | ages 6-9 | \$185

Mon.–Fri. | 1–3 pm | ages 9-up | \$185

June 24–July 3

Mon.–Fri. 8-day camp | 10 am–12 pm | ages 6-9 | \$148

Mon.–Fri. 8-day camp | 1–3 pm | ages 9-up | \$148

July 8–19

Mon.–Fri. | 10 am–12 pm | ages 6-9 | \$185

Mon.–Fri. | 1–3 pm | ages 9-up | \$185

WEEKLY CLASSES

Now taking sign-ups for Summer Weekly Art Classes starting Monday, June 10 (5 classes)

Mondays (ages 6-up) Clay Class \$110

4–6 pm | June 10, 17, 24; July 1, 8

Tuesdays (ages 6-10) Drawing and Painting \$8

3:30–5 pm | June 11, 18, 25; July 2, 9

Wednesdays (ages 8-12) Game-Inspired Art \$85

3:30–5 pm | June 12, 19, 26; July 3, 10

Thursdays (ages 6-12) Cartooning \$85

3:30–5 pm | June 13, 20, 27; July 11, 18



There will be a Children's Art Show July 20–25 in the RAA gallery. Art work from the F Session classes, Summer Art Camps and Weekly Summer classes will be displayed.

Membership Renewal

Your membership is valid for 365 days beginning the date you renew and we will send out renewal reminder emails.

There are four methods by which you can renew:

- ♦ Fill out the secure form on the RAA website and pay by PayPal here:
www.redlands-art.org/join/membership-application/
- ♦ Fill out the form below and mail it with your check or credit card info to the Redlands Art Association, 215 East State Street, Redlands CA 92373.
- ♦ Renew by calling the RAA Gallery at 909-792-8435
- ♦ Visit the RAA Gallery at 215 East State Street, in Redlands



Renew Now for Great Benefits

- ♦ New shows, events, and opportunities for artists
- ♦ Negotiated discounts with local art and craft supply stores
- ♦ Opportunities to create and join affinity groups with other like-minded artists
- ♦ A renewed mission and ethos of inclusion, innovation and connection
- ♦ A place for community, networking and collaboration
- ♦ Discounts on adult classes and workshops for artists of all skill levels
- ♦ Gallery privileges with new shows every six weeks
- ♦ Enthusiastic new artist members
- ♦ Monthly Newsletter



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MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES:

- ☐ Life \$1,000
☐ Sponsor .. \$100 ☐ Individual ... \$50
☐ Family \$50 *first family member + \$10/additional member (within same household)*
☐ Student ... \$10 *Students must show valid school ID.*

CHECK ONE

DONOR CATEGORIES:

- ☐ Benefactor .. \$2,500
☐ Contributor.. \$1,000–\$2,499
☐ Sustaining... \$500–\$999

MEMBERSHIP AND/OR DONATION FORM

Please fill in your information below and mail this form along with your payment to:

Redlands Art Association, 215 East State Street, Redlands, CA 92373

Questions? Call the Gallery at 909-792-8435

Name(s) _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (_____) _____ E-mail _____

Submitting your email address gives us permission to send RAA information via email, as the need arises.

Your website _____

For Membership: I am signing up as: ☐ Renewing Member OR ☐ New Artist Member OR ☐ Art Appreciator & Supporter

Artists: list the media you work in: _____

(Example: oil, watercolor, jewelry, ceramics, etc. List all you do.)

New Friends of RAA: The Association is entirely volunteer run. We rely on our members to be our Gallery Docents: greeters and salespeople. You will be asked to be a Gallery Docent (no experience necessary) to assist the Gallery Coordinators. The gallery is our showcase for sales and art classes. We are all promoting each other, art education and the visual arts in general, to the people of Redlands.

☐ I am interested in volunteering: ☐ Committee Work ☐ Teaching ☐ Fund-raising ☐ Gallery Docent ☐ As needed

Please apply to: ☐ Membership ☐ Art Center ☐ Donation ☐ Margaret Clark Art Education Enrichment Fund (MCAEEF)
 \$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ + \$ _____ = **TOTAL \$** _____

Paid by: ☐ Cash ☐ Check # _____ ☐ Debit or Charge: ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ Discovery
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