



Monthly Meeting Second Saturday

2:00 p.m. Meeting & Program

Lake Eustis Museum of Art
1 W. Orange Avenue • Eustis, FL 32726

At the south end of Ferran Park

www.eustisartleague.com

December 2014



Above, Jessica Durant works at her print block. Right, Richard Colvin assists a workshop attendee with printmaking



Printmaking Workshop with Richard Colvin

Our November meeting and workshop proved to be quite interesting. Richard Colvin presented the membership with a demonstration of printmaking and followed up the next weekend with a workshop where attendees could make their own prints. More workshops are scheduled for 2015. Check out our calendar on page 3.



The December meeting of EAL has become a tradition of fun and food with our Yankee Swap of art related gifts and seasonal treats.

Join the fun!
Saturday
December 13
2pm

See you there!



Call For Volunteers!

Our league is powered by the efforts of our volunteer officers and chairpersons.

At this time we have two posts vacant: Historian and Workshop Chair. You can help our club by offering your services. See Verla Goudy or any officer at the meeting if you are interested in being involved.

WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS

There are painters who transform the sun to a yellow spot, but there are others who with the help of their art and their intelligence, transform a yellow spot into sun.

— Pablo Picasso

Program & Activity Calendar

December 13 Meeting Annual Members' Christmas Party

Merry Christmas
Happy New Year!

See page 3 for complete schedule



Officers

- President Marvyn Rivett
- Vice President Martha Cohen
- Treasurer June Longnecker
- Recording Secretary Dorothy Lamb
- Corresponding Secretary Krysta Smith

Committee Chairs

- Newsletter Mary Ramirez
- Membership Verla Goudy
- Publicity & Website Krysta Smith
- Historian Vacant
- Revolving Exhibits Verla Goudy
- Art Show Chair Martha Cohen
- Workshops Vacant

President's Message

I'm looking forward to our annual Christmas party. It's always a good chance to share some fun with our art friends and get to know some of our new members a little better. The holidays can get really busy but I think it's also a good time to appreciate the people around us. Our December meeting is one more reason we call ourselves "The friendliest art club in Florida". Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to all.

Marvyn

Christmas with the Art League Saturday, December 13

Bring a wrapped gift
(art related and maximum value \$10.)

If you feel like bringing a treat to share, that would be good too.

Yankee Swap for the gift exchange.

I have tweaked the rules.
Feeling excited and festive.

— Verla Goudy



Remember – you can still bring good art/craft supplies to the meetings to donate to local schools.



Local Art News

Schedule for Featured Artists at the Eustis Memorial Library

January/February	Liz Wincup
March/April	Kasci Dove
May/June	Jessica Durant
July/August	Richard Colvin.

If you wish to be the featured artist at the library, contact Verla Goudy at vgoudy@mac.com or 352 357-1307 or in person, of course.

Members' Art Show

The annual show application has been added to the website. Members can download and print it from the events page at www.eustisartleague.com

Welcome to New Member

We are pleased to welcome Adam Parkinson who is a student at Lake Sumter State College.

He has already enjoyed the benefit of a member's discount for Richard Colvin's Printmaking Workshop.

We look forward to seeing his artwork and enjoying his friendship.

Eustis Memorial Library

Wilt Nelson is currently the featured artist at the library. You still have time to drop by and enjoy his work, which remains until the end of December.

In January, Liz Wincup will be the featured artist and her work will be on display until the end of February.



The Year Ahead for Eustis Art League

Dates	Topics	Presenter
2014		
December 13 Meeting	Christmas Party	Verla (Membership Com)
2015		
January 10 Meeting	Collage	Suzan Buckwalter
January 17 Workshop	Collage	Suzan Buckwalter
February 14 Meeting	Acrylic Abstracts	Liz Wincup
February 21 Workshop	Acrylic Abstracts	Liz Wincup
March 14 Meeting	Sketchbook Journaling	Lee Kline
March 21 Workshop	Sketchbook Journaling	Lee Kline
April 11 Meeting	Watercolor Batik	June Longnecker
April 18 Workshop	Watercolor Batik	June Longnecker

First Friday Members' Gallery

The First Friday Members' Gallery is undergoing some major changes. In fact, we are investigating another venue as the Harpers's Alley location is no longer available. At this time, the storefront at the north end of Eustis Street may be our next location. The gallery has proved to be a good way to reach potential league members. The next First Friday Street Party will be January 9, even though that is the second Friday. Watch for details here in the newsletter and on the website.



Sunset on Lake Eustis. Photo by Jackie Alderton

Light Up Eustis Members' Gallery

Several artists displayed their works at the Light Up Eustis festivitie.
The Gallery was able to use the former One Dane Place location.



*Left to right, Dorothy Lamb, Marvyn Rivett, Adam Parkinson and Jessica Durant.
Also attending were Mary Ramirez and Jackie Alderton, who supplied the photos*

Off the Beaten Path December 2014

This year's Off the Beaten Path Studio Tour took place December 6 and 7. Our League was represented by several artists: Richard Colvin, Liz Wincup, Mary Ramirez, and

Odalys Garcia. The tour is held each year the first weekend in December. Congratulations to the participating artists.



This gator entertained the folks who stopped by LEMA for Saturday's Off the Beaten Path Studio Tour.

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with fellow art league members
on Facebook by joining



The Eustis Art League Group:
[https://www.facebook.com/
groups/151217768230962/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/151217768230962/)

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