



Monthly Meeting Second Saturday

2:00 p.m. Meeting & Program

Lake Eustis Museum of Art
1 W. Orange Avenue
Eustis, FL 32726
at south end of Ferran Park

www.eustisartleague.com

February 2017

January Powertex Workshop



Turning Your Imagination Into Art

Fiber art, mixed media, textile sculpture, assemblage, altered art, collage, 3D canvas art, embellishment art, paper art, art dolls, jewelry making, gourd crafting, clay making, altered books, found object art, photo transfer . . . Regine Dossche gave a most informative workshop for the several attendees.

WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS

Don't think about making art, just get it done. Let everyone else decide if it's good or bad, whether they love it or hate it. While they are deciding, make more art.

— Andy Warhol

Program & Activity Calendar

Saturday, February 11

Judge's Show Critique
Art Show Judge

February 9 - 18

Members' Art Show at LEMA

March 11

March Art League Meeting
Robert Johnston Photography

March 18

Photography Workshop

April 9

April Art League Meeting
Mixed Media with Aimee Weaton

April 16

Mixed Media Workshop

See page 4 for complete schedule



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President's Message

Dear membership,
I look forward to seeing everyone's works at the show this week and wish you all the best of luck in the judging. We'll see you all at the show!

Krysta

Judges' Critique at the February Meeting

Our February meeting will welcome our Art Show judge. The judge will give critiques of members' work entered in the annual show. Be sure and attend to get the expert's opinion on this years' entries. Critiques are helpful in examining your own work as well as others.

EAL has something for everyone

Demonstrations: Are offered at meetings, presented by award winning artists, in all media.

Workshops: When possible, we arrange for the presenter at the meetings to lead a half day workshop on the following Saturday afternoon.

Art Show: Each year we hold a member show. Members may enter 4 pieces of art in any of six categories. Ribbons and cash prizes are awarded to Best of Show, winners in each category and Honourable Mentions.



Please be sure to connect with fellow art league members on Facebook by joining and liking either of these addresses:

The Eustis Art League Group:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/EustisArtLeague>

Eustis Art League Fan Page:
www.facebook.com/EustisArtLeague

Local Art News



Message from the Registrar

By the time you are reading this newsletter, the 80 entries to the Members Art Show will have been received and hung or placed in preparation for judging. Thank you to those who helped and good luck to all who entered. See you Thursday at 6:00 to enjoy the show and find out who will win the ribbons.

EAL has a Long History

The 4th Annual Exhibition of the Eustis Art League was held November, 6, 7, 8, 1960. Entries included 62 paintings by 20 artists, 5 ceramic groups by 3 artist members, 5 ceramic groups by 5 guest artists and 3 painted china groups by one member. Hanging fees collected by show chair Mildred Wetmore totalled \$37.50.

MEMBERSHIP UP-DATE

Last month's meeting produced a flurry of activity for the membership chairperson.

As well as returning members Patricia Christopher, Belina Wright and Carrie Knupp, we signed up two new members.

Please welcome, David Snyder and Lillian Stroup. On a timely visit to the museum to see the wonderful show that has just concluded, I met Elizabeth Mullen who decided to join. That brings our total membership to 40 with 5 lifetime members.

Verla Goudy, Membership Chair

Eustis Memorial Library

Our featured artist for the months of January and February is Jackie Alderton.

Jackie is a long-time member of the Eustis Art League and has contributed both time and effort to the projects of the league. Please drop by the library and see the art work she has on display.

After Jackie, the featured artist for March and April will be Lynne Nash.

Remember, you are welcome to share your work at the library. We have openings, starting in May.

The schedule is open for the May/June, July/August, September/ October and November/December time slots. Contact Verla Goudy via vgoudy@mac.com, 352-357-1307 or in person at the meeting.



Dues Can Be Paid Anytime!

**Yearly dues are \$25.00,
payable in advance
(Year is October through April).**

You can pay at the meeting
or mail your dues to
Membership Chairperson Verla Goudy
8 Emerald Circle, Eustis, FL 32726

**Your dues guarantee that
our league continues to
function. Bring a friend to
the next meeting!**



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

Art Show

2017 Judged Competition

presented by



Show Hours:

Thursday, February 9
Awards Reception
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

February 10 - 18
Exhibit open during
regular museum
hours

2016 People's Choice -
Original Artwork by
Eileen Ditch

February 9 - 18

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Thanks to these generous sponsors
that make it possible to present
this show each year.



And a special thank you to the
tireless efforts of our club
volunteers who coordinate,
promote, assemble, set up,
break down and make our
show such a success.

The Year Ahead for Eustis Art League

The league has an exciting year of programs and workshops planned for the membership. Many of our meeting presentations will be paired with a workshop for those who are interested in exploring the meeting topics in depth.

Dates	Topics	Presenter
2017		
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*All meetings, workshops and the Art Show will take place at LEMA.
We thank the Lake Eustis Museum of Art for its generosity.*