

Monthly Meeting Second Saturday

2:00 p.m. Meeting & Program

Lake Eustis Museum of Art 1 W. Orange Avenue • Eustis, FL 32726 In the former Eustis Chamber of Commerce building

at south end of Ferran Park

www.eustisartleague.com

April 2016

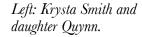
Art League & LEMA Participates at First Friday Street Party

The Art League was well represented at the Street Party on April 1st

League members are invited to attend the event each month throughout the summer.







Above: Richard Colvin's Heron painting.

Top right: Quynn's Battle canvas

Bottom right: Krysta emotes a sunset





WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS

"Every artist dips his brush in his soul and paints his own nature into his paintings."

— Henry Ward Beecher

Program & Activity Calendar

See page 4 for tentative schedule of events and meetings next year

> See you in October! Saturday, October 8, 2016 "Show & Sell" at LEMA

Newsletter Submissions

Our Members are quite busy. Some are hanging at shows, others are featured artists at local venues. If you have art news, please submit that to our newsletter for the membership to enjoy. Photos are accepted as well. Looking forward to future news from the Eustis Art League members. Send to:

mercats@madaba.com



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President's Message

Another season will soon be over. Once again it was very successful, great demos and workshops, new members, a successful show and plans already developing for next year. I'd like to thank all members and especially the board members for supporting me in my years as president. Congratulations to Krysta on being elected president for next season. I'm sure she will do a great job.

I wish I could be there for the April meeting, the art swap and sale sound like fun. Unfortunately, we Canadian snowbirds can only be in Florida for 6 of the 7 months we meet. I look forward to meeting everyone again next October 8th for our first meeting and third annual "Show and Sell". I hope everyone has a creative summer!

Marvyn

Call For Volunteers!

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



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

Please be sure to connect with fellow art league members on Facebook by joining

The Eustis Art League Group:
https://www.facebook.com/
groups/EustisArtLeague
or by liking the
Eustis Art League Fan Page:
www.facebook.com/EustisArtLeague



Local Art News

MEMBERSHIP



We have a new life member for the Eustis Art League. At the March meeting, it was proposed by Jackie Alderton that Marvyn Rivett be designated a life member for his contributions to the league starting with his chairmanship of the Members' Show and serving as Vice-President and President. The members at the meeting voting unanimously in favour. Congratulations, Marvyn!

EUSTIS CITY HALL

All of the art work currently on display will remain in place until October/November. If for any reason you require that work, for example to show or compete elsewhere, please contact me at vgoudy@mac.com to make arrangements for getting it and replacing it.

EUSTIS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Jenny Harper is the featured artist for March and April. She has placed 6 prints for display, four (linoleum) using the reduction techniques.

The schedule for featured artist is complete for 2016 and we have January through April 2017 booked. You are welcome to contact Verla Goudy vgoudy@mac.com to be added to the 2017 schedule. A special thank-you to Lynne Nash who will assist artists in changing out and setting up their artwork.

April General Meeting

Installation of next years' officers will take place at the meeting on April 9th. Mary Ziegengeist will be officiating.

Then, the Artist Swap meet will take place. Members are encoraged to bring gently used art supplies to swap or sell. This event has been successful in the past. You never know who has something you need or want.

This will be our last meeting until the Show & Sell in October. Here is hoping everyone has a relaxing, creative summer!

Annual Members Show 2017

Our annual members' show for 2017 has been booked at LEMA. Drop your entries off at LEMA on Wednesday, Feb. 15th, 2017. The show will be open from February 17th to the 26th. This will be our 60th Annual Show show. We will have a special category, "Historical Eustis" to help celebrate this event. This category will be open to paintings or drawings showing historical scenes or buildings from the history of Eustis. We are also hoping to have a paint-out at the Eustis Historical Museum in the Fall. Watch for more details as they become available.



You might want to try a painting of the Alice B. McClelland Memorial Bandshell for the. "Historical Eustis" category in next year's show. It was built in 1926. It is one of the two remaining historic bandshells in Florida. The Alice B. McClelland Memorial Bandshell is listed in the National Register of Historic Places. (Local Landmark status granted 2010)



Another great presentation at the Eustis Art League March meeting.

Thanks Carol Stevens for the demo "Watercolor on Yupo".

Upcoming Schedule for 2016-2017

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 2016	Presenter
October 8	Show and Sell at LEMA	
November 12	Daily Sketchbook	Verla Goudy
November 19	Daily Sketchbook Workshop	Verla Goudy
December 10	Annual Christmas Party	
	2017	
January 14	Powertex Creations	Regine Dossche
January 21	Powertex Workshop	Regine Dossche

All meetings, workshops and the Art Show will take place at LEMA. We thank the Lake Eustis Museum of Art and Richard Colvin for their generosity.

Membership fees are due before the November meeting.

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



You can pay at the October meeting or mail your dues to Treasurer June Longnecker at 1306 Moray Court, Leesburg, ,FL 34788

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