



New Braunfels Art League and Gallery

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Lark Mason

<u>Demo April's Meeting</u> Understanding the Art Market: Record Prices and Expanding Markets By Lark Mason

In 2014, the Masons opened a second office in New Braunfels, where, when not traveling, he runs both iGavel Auctions and Lark Mason Associates with his wife Erica, and one of their three children, Lark E. Mason, III.

Mason is restoring and preserving a 1850s German falkwerk farmhouse in downtown New Braunfels (at 887 Cross St.), across the street from Terra Toys.

Mason will tell us much more about that, and why it is important to our members at the meeting. Mason is an engaging speaker, and will be bringing several objects to discuss.

From the President...

- -Calling all kids! We are sponsoring contest for kids K-17 years of age to design a mural for our children's classroom. Think of a theme, draw your ideas for a mural and submit them in the big basket by the front desk at the gallery. Please be sure to limit size to 12x18 inches or smaller, including your name, age and phone number on the back of the drawing. The winning theme will be painted on the walls from floor to ceiling and you get help. There will also be a prize(s) awarded to the winning entry(ies).
- Our weeklong summer camps will begin June 5th, June 12, June 26 and July 10. Each camp will be held Monday-Friday for two hours daily. There will be morning and afternoon sessions. Each camp will cost \$135.00, including supplies, snacks and studio fees. Deadlines to register will be May 19. Final information will be out next week.
- -Please picked up expired artwork timely; refer to your gallery rules and prospectus guidelines. We do not want to have to implement disciplinary measures or donate expired work to other non profits for their fund raising initiatives. There are still several pieces by the elevator that need to be taken home.
- -If you have any personal belongings in the office area downstairs that do not belong there, please retrieve them expediently as we are scheduling another clean up day and they will be discarded.

Keep Creating Beautiful Art,
Arlene

Know Your Camera?

The New Braunfels Photo Club invites anyone interested in understanding their camera to attend the April meeting. Experts on all types of cameras will assist you in using the features of your camera to create better photographs. Bring your camera and manual if you still have it.

The meeting, the 2nd Monday of the month, begins at 7:00 pm in the Senior Center, 655 Landa Street, New Braunfels. If you wish more details call President Dennis Deeny, <u>830-935-4209</u> or Darryl Patrick, <u>830-899-5783</u>.

Meetings: Third Tuesday of each month (no December meeting)

<u>Next meeting: Tuesday, April 18</u>

Executive Board 10:00 am Team Board 12:30 pm General Meeting 2:00 pm

Treasurer's Report February Sales

February 2017

Top ten sellers: Angie Banta Brown, Joe Eby, Brent McCarthy, Kathy Perales, Jack Krietzburg, Wendy Volpe, Mary Shepard, Robert Anschutz, Judith Nicholls, Joy Fonvielle.

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Artist sales February 2017

\$3,423.61

February 2016

\$3,854.00

24 artists sold 52 items at an average of \$66 each.

A detailed financial report of the Art League balances is furnished to the board each month and is available to anyone upon request.

Upcoming Events

April

6-8 Teresa Saia Pastel Workshop

18 NBAL meetings

30 "Anything Goes" show ends

31 "Anything Goes" pick up unsold work

May

2 "Art in Bloom" submission 9 am - 1 pm

5 "Art in Bloom" reception 5-7:30 pm

5-7 Elizabeth St. Hilaire workshop

12-14 Carlene Reeves workshop

16 NBAL meetings

20-21 Frances Fontaine workshop

29 "Art in Bloom" Pick up unsold work

30 "The Wonders of Water" submission 9 am - 1 pm

June

2 "The Wonders of Water" reception 5-7:30 pm

20 NBAL meetings

27 "The Wonders of Water" pick up unsold work

Workshops at NBAL

(All workshops are listed on the NBAL website: www.newbraunfelsartleague.org)

Teresa Saia Pastel Workshop

April 6-8, 2018 NBAL Members \$350 Non-Members \$380

Elizabeth St Hilaire Paper Painting Collage

May 5-7. 2017 NBAL Members \$395 Non-Members \$425

Carlene Reeves Oils Still Life

May 12-14, 2017 NBAL Members \$330 Non-Members \$360

Frances Fontaine Beginning Batik

May 20-21, 2017 NBAL Members \$170 Non-Members \$200 Silk scarf and all batik materials provided.

David M.Kessler Abstract Acrylic

October 13-15, 2017 NBAL Members \$350 Non-Members \$380

Debora Stewart Pastel Workshop

November 3-5, 2017 NBAL Members \$330 Non-Members \$360

Joan Fullerton Acrylic Abstract

November 16-19, 2017 NBAL Members \$440 Non-Members \$470

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> Balance of workshop is due 30 days prior to your workshop date. Refund will be issued if you cancel prior to 30 days of the workshop date. No refund if you cancel after 30 days prior to workshop date.

Make checks payable to NBAL.

Be sure to indicate on your check, the workshop you will be taking along with a phone number and email address.

Mail checks to:

Sandy Oberg 1400 Greystone Drive New Braunfels, Texas 78132

Classes at NBAL

Myra Knapp Oil Painting Classes, Thursdays, from 10:00 am to 2:30 pm. Cost: A six-week oil painting class is \$175, plus a \$18 studio fee. To register for a class, please contact Myra at 830-481-3361 or at kattknapp@sbcglobal.net. A supply list will be sent to new students enrolling in a class.

<u>Wednesday Watercolor Group</u> 1^{st} , 3^{rd} , and 4^{th} Wednesday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Studio Fee is \$3.00. We paint and help each other. Join us

Anne McCoy, Watercolor, Mondays from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm Call 830-629-6836.

<u>Julie McCollum</u>, *Experimental Painting*, 4th Tuesday of each month from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Call 830-223-5018.

<u>Gaye Sekula</u>, *Oil Painting Classes* Monday, 9am-12noon Cost: 6 week session \$153, plus studio fee Monday, *Portrait & Figurative*, 1pm - 4pm Cost: 6 week session \$153 plus model & studio fees All classes are limited to 10 students Call <u>210-259-3233</u>, or e-mail <u>sekulastudio@gmail.com</u>.

<u>Vie Dunn-Harr</u>, *Painting and Problem Solving*, in medium of choice, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month from 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm and 6-9:30 pm. \$70 plus \$6 in studio fees per month for either afternoon or evening session. Call 210-532-8036, or e-mail vie@dunn-harrstudios.com.

<u>Trace Guthrie</u>, *Clay Sculpture*, weekly sessions on Thursdays for 4 session commitment. Cost: \$80 + \$12 NBAL studio fee for 4 consecutive sessions. Next set of sessions drops to \$70/4. Time: 2:00 - 5:00 pm, Back room studio, 8 30-609-6196 tguthrie7@gmail.com

Gaye Sekula, Facilitator, Portrait Group, 1st Tuesday of each month, 1-4 pm 210-259-3233

<u>Mary Shepard</u> Watercolor, 2nd Wednesday of each month from 10 am - 1 pm. Starting January 11 through May 10, 2017 \$120 + studio fee for 5 classes For more info - call Mary at 830-336-4001

See www.newbraunfelsartleague.org for more information on classes or workshops



Casa de Linda Art Studio Grand Opening Open House Celebration

Sunday, April 2, 2017 1-5 p.m.

Join Linda Calvert Jacobson as she celebrates the opening of Casa de Linda Art Studio in Wimberley from 1-5 p.m. on Sunday, April. 2. Tour the facilities, enjoy complimentary refreshments, meet instructors, sign up for door prizes, and watch demonstrations. Also, learn about art classes and workshops for adults, book an Art-2-Gogh paint-n-sip parties for you and your friends, and pick up a schedule for the children's Summer Art Camp 2017 program. While you are in Wimberley, be sure to stroll across the street to Wildflower Art Gallery and say hello to David! Visit www.casadelinda.com for directions and more information. You can also RSVP for our Grand Opening Open House by going to www.facebook.com/CasaDeLindaArtStudio and clicking on events.

Casa de Linda Art Studio is located 13620 RR12, Bldg B, (across the street from Shop the Treehouse, behind the Badger Building and next door to WAG's Treasures on Twelve), a short stroll from the Square.

Sampling of Texas Art Shows

April

April 7-9 The Woodlands, Texas

The Woodlands Waterway Arts Festival Woodlands Waterway Town Center 10 am to 6 pm 225 Exhibitors

For more info: www.woodlandsartsfestival.com

April 14-17 Fort Worth, Texas

Main Street Fort Worth Arts Festival
Main St. in downtown Fort Worth between
the historic Tarrant County Courthouse and
the Fort Worth Convention Center
Thursday, 10 am to 10 pm
Friday & Saturday, 10 am to 11 pm
Sunday, 10 am to 8 pm
235 Exhibitors

April 16 & 17 San Antonio, Texas

Fiesta Arts Fair Southwest School of Art 300 August Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm Sunday, 11 am to 5 pm 120 Exhibitors

April 22-23 Lubbock, Texas

Lubbock Arts Festival Sponsored by the
Lubbock Arts Alliance Lubbock Memorial Civic
Center 501 Mac Davis Lane
Thursday, 6 pm-9 pm
(Premiere Night)
Friday & Saturday,
10 am to 7 pm
Sunday, noon to 5 pm
110 Artists

For more info: www.LubbockArtsFestival.org

April 22-24 Dallas, Texas

Artscape
Dallas Arboretum
8525 Garland Road
Friday, 5:30 pm to 8 pm
Saturday & Sunday, 9 am to 5 pm
100 Exhibitors

April 22-24 Southlake, Texas

Art in the Square Southlake Town Square Friday, 4 pm to 10:30 pm Saturday, 10 am to 10:30 pm Sunday, 11 am to 6 pm 140 Exhibitors

April 29 - May 1 Austin, Texas

Art City Austin
Austin's 2ND Street District
Cesar Chavez Street from Colorado Street
Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, 11 am to 6 pm
190 Exhibitors

May

May 7 & 8 Richardson, Texas (Dallas)

Cottonwood Art Festival - *Spring*Cottonwood Park on Belt Line Road,
one block east of Coit, west of I-75
Saturday, 10 am to 7 pm
Sunday, 10 am to 5 pm
250 Exhibitors

May 13 – 15 Clute, Texas

Texas Gulf Coast Art Festival Center for the Arts & Sciences 400 College Blvd Friday 5 pm Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm Sunday, 11 am to 4 pm 80 Artists For more info: www.bcfas.org

May 14 & 15 Port Aransas, Texas

11th Annual ArtFest sponsored by the Art Center for the Islands & Port Aransas Chamber of Commerce Robert's Point Park JC Barr Blvd. Saturday, 10 am to 5 pm Sunday, 10 am to 4 pm 60 Artists