

President' Message Continued.....

Don't forget to tell Carolyn about the great things you are doing as well. The news never stops....email her at [ck weinman@yahoo.com](mailto:ck_weinman@yahoo.com)

Please make sure we have current and correct information, such as email, phone, and mailing address.

Irving Art Association will be closed Nov 27-28 for Thanksgiving.

We look forward to seeing everyone in September and remember to bring artwork for Artist of the Month.

Sincerely,
Beverly Fuqua
IAA - President 2008-2009



September 8, 2008 is the
Deadline for Information to the
Irving Art Association's
September 2008 Issue
of the Newsletter.

IAA ONLINE STORE

Purchasing products from our **IAA CafePress** store will support the activities of the Irving Art Association. All profits go to IAA.

CafePress products have the IAA logo or Texas Neighbors design printed on them as well as designs donated by member artists. Products currently include a selection of t-shirts, bags, magnets, buttons, calendar, mugs, journal, tiles, cap, mousepad, and postage. Two ways to order:

1. Online at www.cafepress.com/irvingart. Be sure to check for new items online!
2. By phone toll-free at 1-877-809-1659 Mon – Sat, 8am-8pm. An illustrated price list will be posted at the Jaycee Center.

Please email Sharon Giles at Sharon.giles@gmail.com for details if you would like to donate the use of an image of your artwork. Note: only high-resolution images can be used (200 -300 dpi).

**Irving Art Association
2009 Calendar**

We've had a great response, if you haven't submitted an image yet, please do... Deadline for submission is September 23rd

Current images have collectively been submitted so far can be viewed by going to the link below.

<http://s156.photobucket.com/albums/t26/gilesgallery/AA%20Calendar%202008/?albumview=slideshow>

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*When you submit a piece,
volunteer it for CafePress, too.*

7TH ANNUAL
IRVING ART ASSOCIATION
WILDLIFE JURIED ART COMPETITION



Carolyn Kilgo Weinman©

2008 Wildlife Show Deadline Nears

The deadline for the 2008 IAA Wildlife Juried Art Competition is August, 20. All IAA members are encouraged to enter. This year's categories now include photography and sculpture that have never been included before. The mixed media category has also been revised to make drawing media a separate category. These changes will make more chances of being accepted into the show and possibly winning an award. Ron Stephens, show chairman reports that twelve people have entered so far with 26 paintings being shown. He said that he expects the next two weeks before the deadline to be hectic with a flood of last minute entries. The entry fee this year is \$35 for up to three works of art. The show is open to anyone that has produced art that depicts all creatures that are not of a domestic nature, and must have been done in the last two years. The switch to taking the entries in digital form hopefully will make the entry process easier for most entrants. Most art competitions now require digital entries so IAA is joining the digital era with all their shows in the coming year. The IAA has set up a digital entry form as part of the IAA website and can be accessed by going to www.irvingart.org/wildlife. The entry form also has the ability to pay the entry fee online through Pay Pal. The other way to enter is by uploading your works images to a CD and along with your entry form, works information and a check for \$35 made payable to the Irving Art Association and mailing to P.O. Box 153581 Irving, TX 75015-3581. **The mail in entries must be post marked no later than midnight August, 20 to be considered.** If you have any questions about the requirements or how to enter please contact Ron Stephens.

We Are Proud to Announce That...

At the Oil Painters of America national exhibition in Missoula, Montana, *Ann Hardy* did a demonstration as one of five doing demos in the Dana Gallery. She received a 3rd Place award (\$3520) in the exhibition, sold painting and sold demo. Juror was Ramon Kelley. Ann also received a 1st Place award in Art Splash on the Square. Juror was Scott Myers.

Carolyn Kilgo Weinman has been named a Shining Stars this year by the Arts League of North Tarrant County and its parent organization, ARTSNET for her outstanding volunteer work with the Mid Cities Fine Artists organization. She will be honored at a VIP Reception on Thursday, September 25th to be held at the Colleyville Center in Colleyville (everyone's welcome) and at the Shining Stars Luncheon/Art Auction to be held at the Dallas Marriot Las Colinas on October 24th (luncheon tickets are \$60 each).

David Tate of David Tate Photography was awarded an Honorable Mention in the "8th Annual Arts Connection Member's Exhibition" at the Irving Art Center for his photograph entitled Contemplation.

Wayne Hindman been juried into The 23rd Annual Conservatory Art Classic Juried Art Show in Clifton, Texas. The Show will be September 20 – 28, 2008.

Farmersville Chautauqua 2008 Art Festival

Saturday, September 6, 2008, The Farmersville Downtown Merchant Association (FDMA) in conjunction with the Farmersville Main Street Program and the Farmersville Chamber of Commerce is happy to announce plans for the Farmersville Chautauqua 2008 Art Festival on Saturday, September 6, 2008, McKinney Street/Downtown Farmersville, Texas, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. <http://farmersvilletx.com> and click on Chautauqua 2008.

IN OUR GALLERIES

East Gallery

Tuesday Painters Annual Show
June 29 – August 29

Wayne Hindman

August 31 – September 25
Reception
September 7, 2:00 – 4:00 pm

7th Annual IAA

Wildlife Juried Art Competition
September 28 – October 30
Reception
October 12, 2:00 – 4:00 pm

David Tate

November 1 – November 30

West Gallery

Irving Art Association NEW Board Members
2008 – 2009
July 27 – August 28

ACAR - Students

August 31 – September 25
Reception
September 7, 2:00 – 4:00 pm

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Member Connie Bandera

November 1 – 30

YEARBOOK FOR 2008 - 2009

We are working on the 2008 – 2009 Yearbook and it will be printed and ready for distribution at the first meeting of the membership year on September 23, 2008. PLEASE make sure that we have the correct information for you.

East & West Gallery



Do you love animals?



Are you "drawn" to the wild kingdom? If you are, Irving Art Association invites you on a

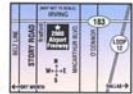


Kids Wildlife Safari

on Sunday, October 5, 2008 from 1:00PM to 4:00PM at the Jaycee Center for the Arts.

- Learn to draw your favorite animals
- Let face painting artists transform you into a lion, tiger or bear.
- Animal handlers from the Dallas Zoo will be on hand with a mammal, reptile and bird for Safari visitors.
- Trek through our galleries and see for yourself a jungle full of wild animals at Irving Art Association's 7th Annual Wildlife Show.

All Children MUST be accompanied by a



FASTSIGNS parent.
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Jaycee Center for the Arts -
2000 W. Airport Frwy.
Irving, TX



Saturday, Sept. 27
3 to 6 p.m.
Irving Heritage District

2008 Magic & Magic on Main

Music, artists, car show, magic, children activities, food, etc.

For more information, call (972) 721-2501.



Call Beverly Fuqua at 972-254-5049 for more information or to sign up to participate.

UPCOMING WORKSHOPS

The Association of Oriental Artists

September 12th, 13th & 14th
Workshop

For more info contact Pat Southard
214-534-9501

Judy Gelfert

September 19, 20 and 21st

Oils - focusing on composition, drawing and value,
color relationships and types of light and edges.

For more info contact Mary Treadwell
972-745-1700
mary@treadwell.biz

SWS Louise Cadillac

Four Day Watercolor Workshop
October 6, 7, 8 & 9th

For more info contact Joel Sampson
214-340-6914

Doug Walton

Five Day Workshop
October 29, 30, 31, November 1, 2.

Water media Encounters

For more info contact Mary Treadwell
972-745-1700
mary@treadwell.biz

Coming in November

ACA Oil Workshop

For more info contact Anita Johnson
972-733-07880

Texas Lettering Arts Council

Contact Angie Vangalis
972-393-7700

SWS Stephen Quiller

Contact Joel Sampson
214-340-6914



IAA's Free Basic Art Lessons

Dot Blalock

Basic Drawing
September 4, 11 & 25th
7 – 9 pm

For more info contact Dot Blalock
972-255-9337

Mary Treadwell

October 2nd, 9th & 23rd
Basic Watercolor

For more info contact Mary Treadwell
972-745-1700
mary@treadwell.biz

Calling All Artist Members

Irving Art Association's CAAP program has a unique opportunity to display artists work in Irving. Ron Stephens and Dot Blalock are exhibiting their artwork at the Remington. Sharon Giles and Frankie Sieloff Couch are exhibiting their artwork at the Summerville (no longer owned by the Remington). Beverly Fuqua has her artwork at the Irving Public Library and this week Wayne Hindman will have his sculpture upstairs and there is still room for more artwork. Receptions on the Main, Main Street welcomes us to display our artwork there.

We need artists to submit samples of their work. Call Frankie Sieloff Couch at 972-255-3468 or franki1930@aol.com if you would like to participate in the CAAP program. If you know of other business for IAA members to display their work contact Frankie. This program is open to our current members and associate members at IISD.



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At the Center

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday Painters Group

Non-members are Welcome
Bring art supplies and a sack lunch
Lots of fun every week

Tuesdays 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

All mediums welcome
(for more info – Mittie @ 972-721-8063)

Thursdays 10:00pm – 3:00 pm

Hosted by the Oriental Painters
(for more info – Patricia @ 214-534-9501)

Artists with Allergies Studio

Dry & Water media ONLY (no chemicals)

Fridays 10:30 am – 3:00 pm
(for more info – Beverly @ 972-254-5049)

Please join us for our
September 23rd Meeting
7:00 pm
Jaycee Park Center for the Arts
2000 Airport Freeway
Irving, Texas

Gallery Hours

Mon - Thurs

12:30 - 4:30 pm

Sunday

1:00 - 4:00 pm

Closed Holidays

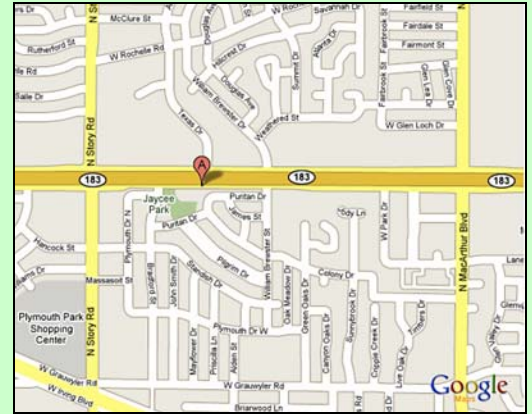
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