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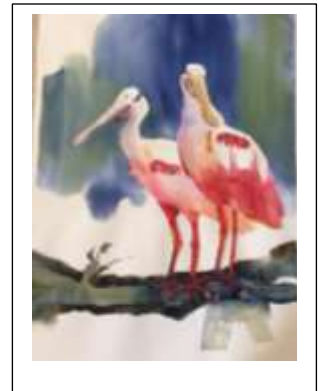
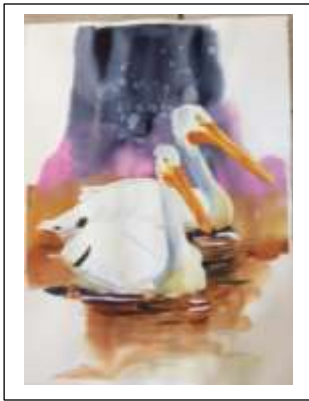
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GALLERY HOURS. TUESDAY THROUGH SATURDAY 11 am to 5 PM

Featured Wall Artist ~ Teresa Justice



There are those who would argue that an aspiring artist must spend most of life perfecting techniques and producing thousands of works before being anointed as proficient in the chosen medium. For those who appreciate the watercolors of Teresa Justice, it can be said that many good instructors, divine inspiration and the diverse outdoors of the Coastal Bend put her in the class of those who have "it."

"It's the positions, angles and movement of the birds and other wildlife that attract me," she says. Justice grew up in Flour Bluff, Texas, but art was not a priority in her life. While living in Portland several years later she picked up a paint brush. The brush as never left her hand since. She took design and drawing at Del Mar College, took biological illustration from Dinah Bowman at Texas A&M – Corpus Christi and attended workshops with the likes of Steve Russell, Harold Phenix, Gale Webb, Pate Deadman, etc.

In previous years she has expanded her art and has been designing and building stained glass windows along with a variety of other stained glass projects. She has incorporated the art of hot glass, making some of the most beautiful beads. She has lived in Arizona for 14 years and she happily creates paintings and glass beads still.

Featured Artist Reception ~ Saturday Sept 7, 2019 3pm-5pm

Featured Table Artist ~ Naomi Blackwell



Naomi Blackwell was born in Hamburg, Germany; grew up multi-lingual, and multicultural; and has had a disinclination towards staying put ever since. Having lived in three different countries (one of them twice); being in just one place, or focusing on just one thing is not in her nature. This is perhaps especially true in regards to her art.

If there is one word to describe the artistic exploits of Naomi Blackwell; it would be "eclectic". Drawn to arts and crafts from a young age through her mother's efforts to harness the whirlwind of chaotic energy every child seems to possess by giving her something productive to focus on; the result of this is an adult who isn't truly happy, unless she's making something. From drawing and painting; to knitting, bookbinding, jewelry or her current crafting love; Fiber Arts and Needle felting, Naomi has met few crafts or mediums that she hasn't liked, and is always looking to add more to her repertoire. As such, there is often a mixed media element to her work: such as combining beading with her fiber sculptures, or exploring the wide and wacky world of sewing book covers from fabric.

Above all; there is a component of joy to her work. Making art makes her happy; and she hopes, always, that sharing her art can share some of that happiness with others.

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HAA Library

The Dale Boatman Collection

Library hours: 9:00am - 4:00pm Thursdays
Noon - 4:00pm - Friday through Sunday

Members only may borrow two books for two weeks. Children under 18 may borrow books if an adult member signs for the book. Renewals are available. Please treat the books with TLC as you must pay for lost or damaged books. Library donations of recent publications are most welcome.

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MEMBER NEWS & INFORMATION



2019 Calendar of Events

If you have anything to add to the schedule, please contact the Gallery Director.

First **Monday** of each month: Private lessons offered in Watercolor 10-12:00 taught by Carol Reilley. These lessons for intermediate to advanced painters. To register email creilley@cox.net (No classes June – Sept.)

Tuesday each week Oil painting Lessons 10 to 1. Taught by Mary Martin. To register or get on the wait list, contact the Gallery. 803-1078

Wednesday of each week, "Draw&Paint the model" 10-12:00 email creilley@cox.net to register. Shared model fee \$8 per session. No sessions June to Sept.

Thursday & Friday of each week, Open Studio, no fee, 10-4, fun, info sharing, support. Bring your own supplies and project to work on.

2nd Monday of each month Paper Arts Group 12:30-2:30. w/Gabrielle LaFargue contact her at 335.6877 or gjlafargue@gmail.com or Carolyn Yeutter. bcyeutter@gmail.com
No classes June thru August.

Board meetings are held on the third Monday of the month at 1pm

*If you wish to do a monthly presentation or workshop Please contact Sue Ziegler 520-803-0087
Sueonly6@gmail.com*

GALLERY CHANGE OUT LAST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH. August 25th

Articles Due for Oct by Sunday Sept 15th

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hi ho, Artyfolks,
So September is almost here, and the first weekend October is lurking just around the corner from that. I'm guessing you all know what that means, but if not, I'll say it again, really loud - "ART IN THE PARK!!!" - our famous annual arts and crafts extravaganza, which again this year has been nominated for the Sierra Vista Herald's "Best of the Vista" award in the Best Festivals and Events category. At least for the past few years, we have received the top prize, and this year, who knows? But as they say at the Oscars, whether they mean it or not, it is an honor just to be nominated. Of course, to earn that honor takes a whole lot of work from a whole lot of people. But we don't do it just for the pride and the glory. Mostly, we do it for the money. It's the money that mostly pays our bills, and without Art in the Park, we'd be constantly having bake sales, yard sales and any other kinds of sales we could think of, all the while shamelessly shaking down our members for more dues and higher fees. Nobody wants that, so please, if you can help, let us know. Lois Bravo and I will be taking down the names of volunteers, starting any minute now.

And while on the subject of Art in the Park, we are pleased to announce that the winner of this year's AitP insert/poster contest is a new member, Frances Mock. I'd like to thank her for her design, and also thank all the other people who submitted entries.

Looking forward, although the deadline for submissions is not until December 15, it is not too early to get started working on art for the Sierra Vista Symphony project. If you have read the proposal put out by Kathy Marvin, you know that what we are looking for is people to produce some artworks that can be shown as part of a slide show accompanying the Symphony's January performances of Tchaikovsky's "Nutcracker" and Mussorsky's "Pictures at an Exhibition". Our goal is to have at least one picture to go along with each of the 23 selections. Some are pretty specific, like the Great Gate of Kiev or the witch, Baba Yaga. These would have to be created just for this event, with maybe a little bit of help from Google. But others, like the Waltz of the Flowers, are more general in nature and might even be illustrated by pieces that you already have on your walls or in your closet. Or they might even be done with a series of photographs. Some of the selections might be handled very abstractly, with art that just suggest the moods and tempos of the music. We are going to need some creativity here. Maybe think "Fantasia", but without any copyright infringements. It could be a lot of fun.

Enjoy the summer, what's left of it, and watch out for snakes, wherever you go.

Liz

September Paper Arts
Monday September 9
12:30 - 2:30 p.m.
HAA Studio

Let's get a jump on making greeting cards for the jammed packed Fall Holidays - Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, etc. I'll start off with a simple hinged envelop "surprise" for including several messages and/or gift cards. I made one for our line dancing teacher last year (photo).

Let Gabrielle know if you have a card you would like to share with our group. Gabrielle will send you a list of supplies when you let her know you'll be attending the September Paper Arts.

[\(gjlafarque@gmail.com\)](mailto:gjlafarque@gmail.com)

Scroll Saw Demonstration with Laura Shannon Saturday September 14th 10:00- 12:00 (at the Studio)



November Student Art Show

This year we will have a student show for those who have taken classes or workshops in the studio during the year and want to show off their work. If you have some art you would like to exhibit, please contact Sue Ziegler at sueonly6@gmail.com to give me information so I can print cards for your work. You do not have to already be in the gallery to display this art, but all work must be ready to hang and is not for sale.

We will be hanging the items on October 28th, but would like the pieces in the gallery by October 26th with information to Sue by the 27th at the latest. Work can be picked up after Nov 26th.

The reception for the show will be held Saturday November 2 from 3-5 p.m.
Please join us.

All new W.C. Lessons are offered starting on Oct. 7, 2019 through Dec. 2019. The first Monday of each month a w.c. lesson will be held from 10-12 at the HAA Art Center. The lessons are created for Experienced Beginners to Intermediate Painters in WaterColor. (Experienced beginners must have their own palette, paint, brushes and have had lessons before).

The instructor is Carol Reilley, an award Winning Artist who has been teaching Advanced W.C. Techniques for the last 30 years. She is a juried member of the N.E. Watercolor society, the Salmagundi Art Club in NYC as well as The Southern AZ W.C. Guild and Huachuca Art Association.

These lessons are fun and fast moving to create a challenge for you. Assignments and handouts are given each month to keep you moving in a positive direction. Each session is full of demos and personal assistance. You may sign up for all the classes or just a few!

Check out carolreilleyart.com to see her work. Call Carol to register, find out the costs, and get materials list at (520) 803-0802. Or e-mail at creilley@cox.net Get ready to learn a lot in this new exciting WaterColor Series!

WaterColor Lessons with Carol Reilley



Model Drawing and Painting at HAA

Our Live Model sessions will start up again on Oct 2nd, 2019 and go throughout the winter and spring until June 1st, 2020.

Did you think you had to go all the way to Tucson for a professional live model session? The Huachuca Art Association under the guidance of artist Carol Reilley, has been offering live model drawing and painting for over 10 years! A 2 hour session is offered every Wednesday from 10:00 AM- 12:00. We all share the “model fee” which is usually \$8.00 each. No formal teaching, but friendly comments and help are available. Call Carol to register so we know you are coming, at 520-803-0802 or email creilley@cox.net You must be a member of HAA to attend. You can join the day you start!

Call to Photographers!

The San Pedro River Arts Council will be hosting its 7th Annual Open, Judged Photography Show and Sale at Cochise College, Benson Center during the month of October.

The show is open to all photographers, with separate divisions for YOUTH, AMATEUR COLOR, ADVANCED/PROFESSIONAL COLOR, OPEN MONOCHROME (black and white, sepia tone, etc.), and (NEW this year) "DIGITAL ARTISTRY" (photos showing heavy manipulation)

There will be ribbons and cash awards in each division, with a \$100 cash prize awarded to the Best of Show and a \$50 cash prize and rosette for the winner of the People's Choice award.

A reception and awards ceremony will be held at the Benson Center on Saturday, October 12th from 1 till 3 p.m. The reception is open to the public, and refreshments will be served.

For further information about this show, go to our website (www.sprarts.org) and click on the "Celebrate the Arts" banner; or contact Linda Stacy, Show Chairman, at 520 686 0090 or 520 586 2611 or email lstacy43@gmail.com to request an entry form and information packet.

CALL TO ARTISTS ★ SIERRA VISTA, AZ

Huachuca Art Association is fast approaching its 48th Annual Art in the Park Sierra Vista which is Sat. Oct 5th 9am to 5 PM and Sun Oct 6th 9am to 4PM. We are the longest running outside Arts and Crafts show in the State.

We are accepting vendors who create fine art, photography, metal art, wood creations, jewelry which is created by the artist, glass art, gourmet foods, fiber and textiles. We do jury the creations for admittance into our show.

Deadline to apply is September 15th.

Please go to www.artintheparksierravista.com for all the details on set up, tents, cost and application. There is a discount for Huachuca Art Association Members.

Special note. There are no more corner booths.



Upcoming Events!

- Featured Artist reception Saturday Sept 7 3-5pm
- Laura's scroll saw demo Sat Sept 14 10-12
- October's featured Artist reception Sat September 28 3-5pm
- Art in the Park! Fri Oct 4th set up
- Sat Oct 5th from 9-5 & Sun 6th from 9-4

General Membership

January 1 through December 31 of each calendar year.

Available categories are as follows:

Individual	\$35	\$17.50 after July 15 (new members only)	Individual	\$10 ArtyFacts subscription <i>only</i>
Family (2+)	\$40	\$20.00 after July 15 (new members only)		\$35 \$ 17.50 after July 15
Sustaining	\$50	\$25.00 after July 15 (new members only)	Group	\$100 \$ 50.00 after July 15
Student	\$10		Corporate	\$500 \$250.00 after July 15
Honorary Life (70+)	Free	(Must have been a paying member for at least 5 years.)	Supporting Sponsorship	(no vote)

Membership entitles you to receive our monthly newsletter, ArtyFacts, show discounts, workshops, preference in limited enrollment activities and HAA voting privileges. Members may have their own listing on our web site. Members receive a discount on Art in the Park fees and a slight advantage in the Art in the Park jurying.

