

Conway League of Artists Newsletter

Conway, Arkansas

October 2022

Please join us . . .

. . . **Tuesday October 11 – Faulkner County Library –
6:00 pm at the Faulkner County Library, 1900 Tyler St.,
Conway, for**

“18 Chairs”

Marilyn Rishkofski will fill 18 empty chairs.
But with what? Why?
Come to the meeting to discover insights
about CLA’s past, present, and future.

We will also have forms and information about the upcoming
art show, Art of the Month, and a drawing for Dorris Curtis
door prize (so bring some \$\$ cash). Visit with others.

FALL SHOW - GET READY!

The Faulkner County Library at 1900 Tyler Street, Conway, will host the
2021 CLA Fall Show from November 14th - December 10th. Drop off for
artwork will be Saturday, November 12th, from 2-5 pm.

Categories: 1) Land/City/Waterscape 2) Still Life/Floral 3)
Portrait/Figure/Animal 4) Abstract 5) Sculpture/3D.

Entry Fee: \$20 for 1 / \$25 for 2 / \$30 for 3 Each member of Conway League
of Artists may submit up to three entries. Reminder: *Membership in CLA
must be current to participate.” Annual dues of \$25 may be paid at time of
drop off on November 12th; by sending a check to Richard Talley at 1805
Hillman St., Conway AR 72034; or online through PayPal at
conwayleagueofartists.com.

The entry form is included in a separate attachment and will be available to
download from the CLA website the first week of October.

Calendar

October 7
Conway Art Walk

October 8
Paintout with Urban
Sketchers @Hendrix
College Parking Lot
(see Facebook posting
for more information)

October 11
Monthly Meeting
“18 Chairs”
Marilyn Rishkofski

October 22
Paintout – Toad Suck
Square

November 8
“How to Sell Your Art
Online” Jessica Crumm,
Director, CICA.

November 12
Show drop-off 2-5pm

November 14
Show is hung.

November 18
Show reception &
awards

November 19
Workshop (TBA)

December 10 Art Show
pick up & CLA Paintout
@ Pickles Gap

September Meeting



New CLA member Robert Haygood (standing, left) introduces himself to the group at the September 11 meeting.

Katie Wilson was the featured speaker. She discussed creating murals.

Batesville Gallery 246

Batesville Gallery 246 is sponsoring a Plein Aire painting competition on October 14 -15. They have \$1500 in prize money. Entry fee is \$35. Call 870-262-8066 for an entry form.

The Scottish games are also that weekend at Lyon College, which may be of interest to non-painting partners.



CLA Paintout Report – Sheila Parsons

Richard and I arrived at 10:00 at Beaverfork Lake. I set up my gear at a picnic table in the shade, close to the lake. A nice breeze, puppy at my feet warning off any boogeymen and Richard happily reading. Painting out of doors is definitely my "happy place". I hope to see more CLA painters at next month's paint out. After a PB&J lunch we headed back to reality.

Saturday, October 22 - Toad Suck Square. Meet at the Toad emblem corner at 10:00 and find your location. Meet at Bob's for lunch at 12:45. Remember it can be a paint out or a sketch out or a photo taking trip for you. Paintings have been sold on the street from paint out events!

November. No paint out as we have the fall show.

Saturday, December 10 - Pickles Gap / we can be inside or outside here. Meet at 10:00 in the candy shop. Bring sandwich and drinks. (They have dessert of fudge or bon bobs in the candy shop.)

Suggestions are requested for an indoor and interesting location into 2023.

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Conway Art Walk
October 7th

September's Art of the Month Display



First Security on Old Morrilton Hwy - **Karen Freeman**

Chamber of Commerce - **Virginia Miller and Linda Denny**

Arvest Bank Oak St branch - **Logan Weaver**

Faulkner Co Library - **Suzann Waggoner**

First Security on Front St - **Paulette Lindsey**

Faulkner County Library – **Dimitri Papadimitriou**

Have You Paid Your Dues?

If you have not done so, please consider this a reminder to renew in order to participate in upcoming shows and activities.

How to pay? Visit Conwayleagueofartists.com to pay your dues (\$26) online, pay \$25 at any meeting, or send a \$25 check to Richard Talley, 1805 Hillman St., Conway, AR 72034.

Art of the Month - October

If bringing Art of the Month, please arrive by 6:00 pm to be sure everyone gets to view your piece before voting.

We WILL be having Art of the Month at the October meeting. Please bring a piece to be voted on!

Art chosen for this month will remain on display until the next meeting, when it will be returned.

If you are unable to retrieve your art, please make arrangements for someone else to pick up your painting or call Mary Hicks at 602-206-8122.

Guidelines for submission can be found on the CLA website.

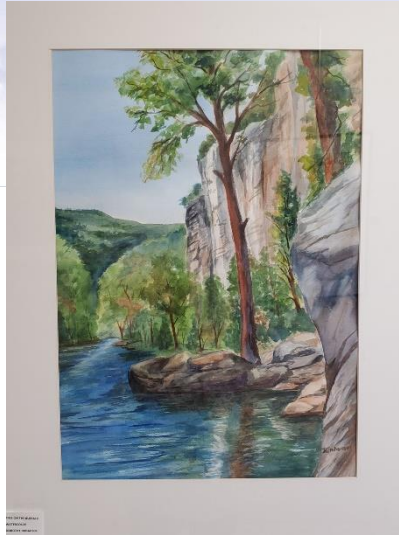
A BIG THANK YOU to Mary Hicks who has agreed to be responsible for AOM.

Surgery Center - Dorothy Imhauser

SEPTEMBER



Dorothy Imhauser's "Flowers by the Window" and "Tree on the Buffalo" are two of five paintings by Dorothy currently on display at the Conway Regional Hospital's Surgery Center hallway.



A big thank you to **Virginia Potter** for arranging CLA artist shows at Conway Regional's Surgery Center. We've had several paintings sell from this location in the past. This month's artist is **Dorothy Imhauser** of Morrilton.

October – Linda Denny
November – Robert Haygood
December – Susan Peterson
January – Karen Freeman
February – Sheila Parsons
March – Shirley B. Bowen
April – Carol Ebinger
May – Joyce Hartman
June – Virginia Miller
July – Logan Weaver
August – Paulette Lindsey
September - Remero Speights

Raffle Winner

Susan Peterson won September's Dorris Curtis raffle, a beautiful framed water color painting by Sheila Parsons.

This month's "prize" is a hand-made pottery bowl filled with a succulent garden. (Bring \$\$ to enter.)

Volunteers Needed

Several volunteers are still needed for the Historical Society's event **October 29th** at the Faulkner County Museum. Times are 9:30-12:15 and 12:15 - 3:00.

CLA will be manning an interactive art experience for youngsters. Materials will be provided. We will also be selling tickets for a drawing, the proceeds of which will be split between the Historical Society and the winning artist.

Call Virginia Potter at 501 470-8369 for more information or to donate a small painting that may be the winning piece!

CLA - Around Town. . .

CLA Artists Donate Time and Talent to Support Other Causes

Conway Symphony Orchestra (CSO) will host a fundraising event "Rock for Bach," sponsored by Genesis of Conway. It will feature the Loose Ends band on Saturday, October 22 from 6-10 p.m. at the Conway Country Club.

In addition to food and music, the event will include both live and silent auctions with the work of several artists.

Steve Griffith will do a live painting for auction. Five artists, including two CLA members **Susan Peterson** and **Carol Ebinger**, painted used violins that will be auctioned.

The five artists whose violins will be auctioned off include:

Susan Peterson*

Carol Ebinger*

Anna Feldman

Lily Warren

Annie Stansel

Also Winston Stansel (age 5!)

*CLA member



And THIS!

A previous fundraising event, "Jazz It Up," sponsored by the CSO Guild, was held on September 8, 2022 and featured two CLA artists doing a live demonstration, **Suzann Waggoner** and **Sheila Parsons**. Their works brought in much appreciated resources for the symphony.