

Calendar of Events

JUNE 2019

June 2 (Sun) 1-4 PM

Reception:

Gallery 1: Kathleen Tobin
"Work of Body"

Gallery 2: Travis Applegate
"Life is Art"

Studio Gallery: Members Show
-Artists Choice

June 4 (Tues) 4-6 PM

Board Meeting

June 7 10-Noon

Keena Graham

Finger Weaving Workshop

June 10 1-4 PM

Marcie Falconetti

Beginner Gourds Workshop

June 14 (Fri) 7-9 PM

Photography Club

June 17-18

Jim Mahla

*Journaling the Jersey Shore
Workshop*

June 21 (Fri) 8-10 PM

Concert-doors open at 7PM

Bill Doerge and Family

June 22 (Sat) 10-4 PM

Secret Garden Garden/Porch Tour

June 24 1-4 PM

Carole Gernatt

Alcohol Tiles Workshop

June 26 (7-9 PM)

DEMO: Deborah Gerbman

Cake Decorating Artist

JULY 2019

July 2 & 3 (Tues-Wed) 1-4 PM

Receiving work for July Show

July 7 (Sun) 1-4 PM

Reception

Gallery 1 & Gallery 2:

Sketching & Portrait Show
(Invitational)

Studio Gallery: Members Show

-Artists Choice

with Special Exhibit

by Colvin Teens

July 8 6:30-9:30 PM

Diane Phillips

DECO Clay 3D Wall Art Workshop

July 16-17 10-4 PM

Sarah Bechtel

Colored Pencil Workshop

July 19 9-3 PM

Renee Leopardi

Pastel-Seascapes

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**June
2019**

Letter From The President

This month school is out and summer has begun. There is so much going on this summer at OCAG and I hope you will take advantage of new programs (Make and Takes) and opportunities for engaging in the arts. Our summer camps for kids are starting up.

Please welcome our summer intern Dean, he is eager to learn and I know we will have a lot to offer him. Mark your calendar for June 22, we are participating in a town wide Secret Garden and Scenic Porch Tour. You are all welcome to join me as we paint outside in the yard and of course our beloved porch. There is a new tab on the Website called "Did You Know"....please check it out!

Artistically Yours,

AnnMarie Dario

Concert Series in the Studio

BILL DOERGE AND FAMILY

IN CONCERT • Friday, June 21, 2019 • 8:00 to 10:00 pm



Bill Doerge Evelyn Smith Corrie Smith Caleb Smith Tom Smith

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND !!

A MIXED BAG OF FOLK, POP CLASSICS, COUNTRY

*Stand up bass, six and 12-string guitars, mandolins, cello, violin, wonderful vocals
-- harmonies and some surprise instruments not heard @ OCAG before.*

A donation of \$5 is suggested - non profit venue.

Intermission with refreshments. www.ocartistsguild.org 732-279-3111

In the Galleries

June 2019

Gallery I

Kate Tobin "Work of Body"



Kat Tobin is a self-taught Toms River artist who works in a variety of medium. Primarily a printmaker and figure study artist she hosts the Life Drawing Session at TRAC Gallery. As the President of the Toms River Artists Community (TRAC) and member of the Ocean County Artists Guild she is involved in many group exhibitions and events around town.

"Work of Body" is a yearlong journey Kat has set out on to improve figure drawing.

This show; a combination of linocut prints, oil paintings and sketches; demonstrates how Kat has taken what she's learned and translated it into each different medium. Her journey is not over of course as Kat continues to find new ways to depict/deconstruct/honor the wonder of the human body.

Gallery II

Travis Applegate aka Autonomous "Life is Art"

These paintings are windows into another dimension, where my social, political, and spiritual thoughts it important for the sake of humanity, that we look within, find our greatness, and shine that light outward. I share my light with my creations, my love, and my activism. and passions; dance with words, and colors, and lines, to the rhythm of my inner drum. This collection consists of mostly mixed media paintings, using a stream of consciousness style of painting I've developed over the years, but also includes works on paper, wood, etc. I find it important for the sake of humanity, that we look within, find our greatness, and shine that light



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FREE Demonstration

Debbie Gerbman: CAKE DECORATING ARTIST - "BEGINNING AND BEYOND"

June 26, 7-9 PM

Find out how to make your homemade cakes look professional for a fraction of the cost you would pay at a bakery.

She will show you some simple techniques and the basic tools you would need.

View a collection of Debbie's Creations: <https://www.instagram.com/debbiescreativecakes/>



A note from the Gallery Chair: Geri Ambrose:

In the month of August (2019) in Gallery II there will be a show of your art with the theme: "My Vacation Art". Where do I start? I'll tell or suggest to you some ideas. We all have memories of trips good or bad, or a stay home vacation.

1. Pictures are great, this can be start to a painting
2. Make a collage that starts with a map, postcards, and a bit of journaling.
3. A wonderful photo could be entered.

Because of space only one entry per member of the guild. Give it a try this could be fun! Please pre-register send an e-mail to Geri ambrose.geri@gmail.com

Question for our members do we have any quilters? Would you be interested in entering a small Art quilt show in 2020? Just e-mail me for more info. Ambrose.geri@gmail.com

Photography Club

The Photography Group will be meeting at
Maruca's Tomato Pies,
601 Boardwalk, Seaside Heights, NJ
at 7:00 p.m. on June 14th, 2019.

Anyone wanting to meet for pizza please join us at 5:30 p.m. Attendees will be walking the Seaside Heights Boardwalk with cameras in hand for photographic opportunities. Join us for the last meeting before summer break. All are welcome! There will be no meetings scheduled in July or August. Photography Group meetings will resume on Friday, September 13th, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at the Ocean County Artists' Guild.



SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, June 22, 10:00 - 4:00 PM

Secret Gardens & Scenic Porches Tour

Stop in for the activities: music, Tai Chi sessions, Plein air in the garden (grab your brushes), plant sales and Garden Basket Give Away.

Welcome New Members

Travis Applegate
Joanne Bailey

Elizabeth Diamond
Tom Schmiegel

Mariellen Smith

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

At the end of August we are planning on painting the Main Studio and want to install a "Table rail". We are asking if there is anyone out there who could volunteer to cut and install this railing?

Please respond to info@ocartistsguild.org. Thank You!

NOTICE: Payment on sales will be made within 30 days from the end of the month in which the commission was earned.

If you are the last to leave the Guild on Sunday please make sure the coffee pot is clean & the door is locked.

We are proud supporters of

Shore Community Bank, 1216 NJ-37, Toms River, NJ 08753, 732-573-1300; www.shorecommunity.bank

Central Printing, 1501 Route 37 East, Unit 1,
Toms River, NJ 08753, 732-929-0011; www.centralprinting.net

Upcoming Workshops

Keena Graham - Finger Weaving

June 7 (Fri) 10-12 PM

Members \$45 / non-members \$50

Summer Make & Take - "Beyond Bracelets-finger weaving for Practical Purposes. Learn a variety of knots to create a small phone case or coin bag.

Marcie Falconetti - Beginner Gourds

June 10 (Mon) 1-4 PM

Members \$65 / non-members \$80

Each student will take home a completed Gourd Birdhouse, Vase or Planter

Jim Mahla-Journaling the Jersey Shore

June 17-19 9:30-3:30 PM

Members \$125 / non-members \$150

This workshop will include some studio time but most will be spent "en plein air" painting the sights of Island Heights and along our nearby beaches.

Carole Gernatt - Alcohol Ink Tiles

June 24 (Mon) 1-4 PM

Members \$55 / non-members \$60

Create a beautiful decorative tiles (1 large, 1 small) using alcohol inks and other materials. All materials supplied.

Diane Phillips - DECO clay 3D Wall Art

July 8 (Mon) 6:30 - 9:30 PM

Members \$60 / non-members \$65

Add your special touches to a tea cup by creating a rose, leaves and beautiful hydrangea bunches all out of air dry polymer clay.

Sarah Becketl-Techniques in Colored Pencil, Surfaces and Applications

July 16-17 10:00-4:00 PM

Members \$125 / non-members \$150

This workshop will focus on application, surfaces, techniques and materials. Students will learn to develop a refined look in their drawings. Wet and dry blending techniques will be used to achieve rich, saturated color and even surface application. A variety of papers will be experimented on.

Renee Leopardi - Pastel Landscapes

July 19 (Mon) 9:00-3:00 PM

Members \$95 / non-members \$110

Learn how to paint the beautiful South Jersey Landscape in pastel. This workshop will cover the many elements of our unique land: marsh, waterways and colorful skies.

Around the Guild

June 2019

Mary Lou Faitoute is having her first solo exhibit at Toms River branch of Ocean County library. It will be in the McConnell gallery on first floor from July 2 through July 30, 2019. There is an opening reception on Friday, July 5 at 2 pm to 4 pm with 14 watercolor paintings expressing the title of the show, "Spirit Art".

Mary Jo Austin received Second Place in oils category at the Laurelton Art Society Spring Art Festival for her painting "Two Boys on the Beach"

MESSAGE FROM Election Nominating Chairperson

Dear Ocean County Artists' Guild Members,

The time is now for us to nominate trustees for our Board of Trustees.

We will take the vote on July 24 at our General Meeting at the Guild.

The start time will be at 6:45pm sharp. (Then stay for Pauline Mickle's Journaling Demo).

We ask that you consider running for one of these positions yourself or nominate someone you think would be a good addition to our Board.

You may call the Guild directly at 732-270-3111 or email the name of your nominee to info@ocartistsguild.org. We will reach out to give them guidelines on how to proceed.

We look forward to hearing from you and seeing you at our General Meeting in July.

Leslie Ovechka

Nominating Chairperson

TO ALL MEMBERS AND ARTISTS: KINDLY, DO NOT REARRANGE ITEMS IN THE GIFT SHOP!

If you have concerns, questions, or suggestions,
please contact the shop manager,

Kath Gregitis, at Aisha745@aol.com or 732-244-6296.

REMINDER: If you are exhibiting your work in the Members' Shows, you are requested to provide some refreshment. Finger food is best.

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OPEN STUDIO GROUPS

For MEMBERS and GUESTS

Print Class

Tuesdays, 12:30-4:00 pm \$7 Guild donation + materials
Reduction printing in all forms— In the Studio

Do Your Own Thing

Thursdays, 10:00-3:00 pm. Come paint or sketch
\$5 Guild donation—In the studio.

Life Drawing Studio

Saturdays, 10-12:30pm
Model fee \$10 in the Studio

Clothed Model Studio

2nd, 3rd & 4th Sundays, 2-4 PM Portraits & Figure
Model fee \$7 in the Studio

Nude Figure Drawing, Long Poses

2nd, 3rd & 4th Tuesdays, 7-9pm
Model fee \$15.00.

In the Studio

Questions: call Gerry Batkay 732-350-6160



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