

Adirondack Pastel Society

News & Notes

2014 Issue 01

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Welcome

New Members:

Susan Andrews
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Congratulations! APS Members in National & International Shows

2013

A group of our members have had a very busy year with works in juried shows in Old Forge, NY, New York City, Connecticut, and online through IAPS



Works shown (from top left) by Dave Francis, PSA Cory Pitkin, Ingrid Van Slyke, and Patricia Tribaston, PSA M

(See article inside.....)

Adirondack Pastel Society presents....
First Membership Award Exhibition and Sale
"Color and Texture in the North Country."
March 22 - April 23, 2014



Widlund Gallery at the
Tannery Pond
Community Center,
North Creek, NY



Juror of Awards
Robert Carsten, PSA

Awards Reception: Sat. April 12, 5pm - 7pm

Eligible to all members of the
Adirondack Pastel Society
Entry Deadline
February 23, 2014

Juror of Awards:
Robert Carsten, PSA M

For more information: Joann Quinlivan
518 648-0487

For prospectus go to
www.adirondackpastelsociety.com



.....President's message....

Welcome new members and returning members of
"Our" Adirondack Pastel Society.

I'm looking forward to a year with opportunities to learn,
exhibit and share our pastel experience in 2014.

In February, award winning member and artist, Dave Francis PSA will
demonstrate and share still life painting.

In May, award winning member artist, Corey Pitkin will demonstrate
portraits in pastel.

*See calendar in newsletter for details.

With motivation and leadership, Joann Quinlivan has successfully created our
First Award Exhibition and Sale, "**Color & Texture in the North Country**" We have secured
Robert Carsten as the juror of awards. A very exciting step forward for our group.

Please continue to keep us updated on your pastel endeavors via email and on our Facebook page.
I look forward to leading our group through another year, with the wonderful help of our board members,
and you, our members!

Thank you! I look forward to seeing you all this year at one show/event or another!
Maybe at the National Exhibit in Old Forge!

Sincerely, Beverly Saunders (President)

From cover page..... Members Spotlight: Incredible year in pastel for Adirondack Pastel Society Members

It has been quite a busy and exciting 2013 for several of our society members, not only entering and being accepted into major national exhibitions, but also bringing home several awards. The group is starting to really make a mark in the pastel world and gain notice as an exciting pastel group.

Starting with the 9th Northeast National Pastel Exhibition at View Arts in Old Forge, NY, Martha Deming, Constance Dodge, Dave Francis, PSA, Joyce Hanson, Diane Leifheit, Adriana Meiss, Corey Pitkin, Joann Quinlivan, Deborah Rosato, Patricia Tribastone, PSA, Laura Winn Kane, Ingrid Van Slyke and Suzi Zefting-Kuhn had work selected for exhibition. 13 APS members in one National Exhibition. Deborah brought home the top prize, the Creative Spirit Award with Ingrid, Corey, Dave, and Joyce also garnering awards.

At the Pastel Society of America's 42nd Annual Enduring Brilliance National Exhibition at the National Arts Club in Gramercy Park, NYC, Corey, Dave, Pat, and Ingrid all had work selected for the exhibition and all four brought home awards. Dave's pastel "In The Stacks" was selected to be part of an exhibit at the Butler Institute of Art in Youngstown OH and is on display there now along with other award winning paintings from the PSA Show.

The Connecticut Pastel Society's 20th Annual Renaissance in Pastel Exhibition in Norwich CT included works by Dave, Deborah, Pat, Ingrid, and Suzi Zefting-Kuhn.

Dave and Ingrid also had work selected for the IAPS 23 Juried Web Show, where they were both selected for Honorable Mentions.

Our group has had an incredible year, for 2014, let's get more folks involved in these shows and in bringing more attention to our Adirondack Pastel Society.....Dave Francis PSA (Past President)

Calendar 2014

Feb, 16 noon - 4pm

“Working Hard”
w/Dave Francis PSA
Still Life Workshop
Fee applies...\$10.00

March 22 - April 23

“Color & Texture in
The North Country
Adk Pastel Society
Tannery Pond,
North Creek, NY
Fee applies...
*see prospectus

April 7 to May 2

Members Show
Second Floor Gallery
Glens Falls...NCAC
Reception April 17, 6 - 8PM
FREE

**see more info in box on right*

May 18, noon - 4pm

Pastel Portrait Workshop
w/Corey Pitkin PSA
Live Model
Interactive Workshop
\$60.00 Members
\$70.00 non members
Sign up required!

Summer 2014

Plein Air Opportunities
Shirt Factory
Glens Falls, NY

October 2014

Annual Meeting and Exhibit
Crandall Public Library
Glens Falls, NY
Times TBA

Members News

Diane Leifheit

Diane has received a partially funded grant from NYSCA for a project called “Face To Face”

A full project description is available on her website, but basically it is a project to create 1 sq. ft. portraits of people from Saranac Lake, willing to sit for her. The goal is to paint 125 portraits and exhibit them in 2015

Michelle Roskiewicz

Michelle’s painting “Taking The Snowy Path” was chosen for the 2014 Winter Edition Cover of the Royal Dispatch, an AKC magazine for the Cavalier King Charles Spaniel Club Of America.

Her painting “We Love Our Cavs” was selected to become part of the collection of the Kennel Club of England and is on display at their London, England headquarters.

David Francis, PSA

David has been invited to be the Awards Juror for the 10th Northeast National Pastel Exhibition at View Arts, Old Forge, NY.

Patricia Tribastone PSA M

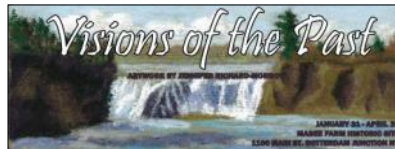
Pat was juried into the IAPS online show. Now showing her PSA award winning piece along with Dave Francis and Corey Pitkin, at the Butler Institute of Art in Youngstown, OH.
Pat has received **Master** status with the PSA.(Pastel Society of America)

Lise Fuller

was invited into “The Guild of Adirondack Artists”

Jennifer Richard-Morrow / Now Showing

“Visions of the Past”



Jan 31 thru April 29th
Tues. thru Sat, 10am to 4pm,
\$5.00. Society members free
George Franchere Education Center Ma-
bee Fram Historic Site

Schenectady County Historical Soc.1100 Main St. Rotterdam Junction
518 887-5073

2nd Floor Gallery Members Show

....Information....

April 7 - May 2

The Gallery is located on the
second floor in City Hall at
42 Ridge Street
Glens Falls, New York.
Drop off work Sat. April 5 10 -11am

**Or call Bev to make other
arrangements!**

Workshops/Classes

Robert Carsten 2014

April 9, 2014

Beautiful Color in the Spring Landscape / Waterscape
Saratoga Arts, Saratoga Springs

With Robert Carsten, PSA-mp, IAPS-mc

For more workshops visit Robert's website

http://www.robertcarsten.com/robertcarsten/Workshop_Schedule.html



Corey Pitkin

Saratoga Arts Center
Is offering classes in Pet Portraits,
Painting People in Pastel, Oil or Acrylic, and a 1-day workshop on
Alla Prima portraiture at the Saratoga Arts Center in February and
March. More information can be found on the Saratoga Arts Center's
website: <http://www.saratoga-arts.org/education>



Takeyce Walter

Saratoga Arts Center
Landscape Elements in Oils and/or Pastels
Saturday, **March 29, 2014: 10am – 4pm**
\$70 for members / \$80 for non-members
<http://www.saratoga-arts.org/education>



Carolyn Justice

Pastel for Beginners
Saratoga Arts, Saratoga Springs
This class will introduce participants to the basic concepts of pastel
Mondays, 10am – 12pm
February 3, 10, 24, March 3, 10, 17
\$85 for members / \$95 for non-members
<http://www.saratoga-arts.org/education>



Dave Francis

*Evening life drawing sessions...Open to all, fee applies
Wednesdays 7 - 9pm 2nd Floor The Shirt Factory
On going - no sign ups required!



Bev Saunders

“Beginning Drawing and Pastel”
You can learn the Elements of Art. (line, shape, form, space, color and texture)
This class is intended for young adults and up. Suite 105 The Shirt Factory
A 4 week session commitment at \$125.00 plus material packet, if needed for \$25.00



Trudi Smith

February 15, 2014
Big, Messy Paintings
The Shirt Factory, Glens Falls
Make a big, messy painting with big, messy oil sticks!
You'll forget your artistic inhibitions and have fun being loose!
To register, call 587-0095 or 879-6116.
Watch for more opportunities with Trudi throughout the year!



Juried Pastel Shows and Exhibitions



Hosted by Vose Galleries of Boston, Boston, MA

Entry Deadline; March 1, 2014

go to: www.onlinejuriedshows.com for prospectus and entry
The first time that the exhibition has been held on the east coast.
A great opportunity for our APS members.

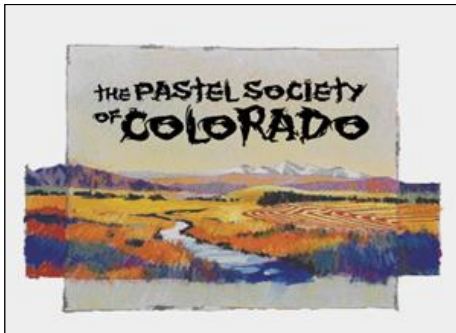


10th Annual Northeast National Pastel Exhibition

Hosted by View Arts, Old Forge, NY

Entry Deadline: March 15, 2014

Go to: www.viewarts.org for prospectus and entry info



10th Annual Mile High International Pastel Exhibition

July 14 – August 30, 2014

Denver Public Library Gallery, Level 7
10 West 14th Avenue Parkway
Denver, Colorado

Entry Deadline - May 18, 2014

<http://www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org/>

Call for artists!

Saunders Gallery
of Fine Art

10 x 10May
ADK SummerAugust
Domestic Violence Benefit
....October....
Prospectus' available at
www.bjsartworks.com

Something to think about...

**Trip to Boston in May and/or
NYC in September
Shall we plan
a day trip to see either of
these national shows?**

**Any Volunteers to
organize a trip?**

Be A Member !

*go to website and
download a
membership form
Only \$25.00/yr



Join our facebook page and share your experience with other pastel artists and check for the latest updates and news.

The Adirondack Pastel Society was established in 2008 and is open to any artist working in the medium of soft pastel and to any person or organization wishing to promote participation in the medium. APS provides exhibiting opportunities for pastel artists and works to educate and encourage students and professionals in the medium, through workshops, demonstrations and interaction amongst its members.
APS is a member in the International Association of Pastel Societies (IAPS)
For more information or to become a member visit our web site www.adirondackpastelsociety.com
or call, Bev Saunders (President) 518-793-9350
"The Shirt Factory"
Glens Falls, NY 12801

*If you are not represented on the website, please contact Corey with any updates you may have. Thanks!

Members are encouraged to contribute information and opportunities for publication in our annual newsletter and website.
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APS Newsletter and Website

...April... Annual Membership is due!
***watch your mail for renewal form.**



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