



Long Beach Art League

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Long Beach Public Library

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www.longbeachartleague.com

Next Meeting: December 7, 2016

7:30PM at Long Beach Public Library

Pick up of our current membership show and Receiving for our next show: "Lets Celebrate" is Dec. 3, 11-12PM at the Library.

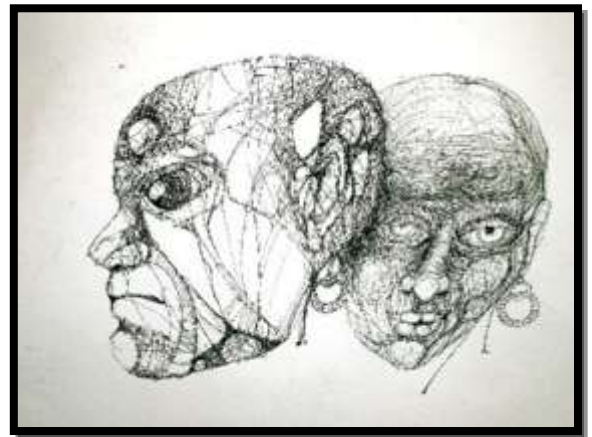
DEMONSTRATION

ANN BRAGG

"Don't Just Sit There - Do Something"

"What to do with your old paintings"

Ann Bragg is an award winning artist, judge, teacher and frequent lecturer. She offers an artistic mind, rich in ideas and courageous point of view. Ann will teach us to breathe new life into some of those old paintings stacked under the bed or stuffed in the closet.



In our Gallery

On exhibit is a membership show, which gives all of you the chance to display your art and get it out of the closet, here is some of the artwork on display, and if anyone has not seen the show, please make every effort.

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Dear Members,

The Long Beach Art League had some wonderful events in the previous month. However, they could not be covered due to the timing of the publication of our newsletter. So I thought I would share them with you here.

On October 23rd, the Long Beach Art League organized a trip to the Hamptons to tour the Parish Museum and Guild Hall. It was my first time to both. It was so worth the ride. We had a great time and enjoyed lunch together at World Pie. Where else could you get a pizza, brunch or a thanksgiving meal all under one roof? We saw the permanent collection at the Parish with two wonderful docents. Guild Hall had 3 new but very different exhibits. We made a video and posted it on our facebook page if you wish to view it.



Love day got rained out but we were not discouraged. The event will be rescheduled next season. Arts in the Plaza came to a close on Oct 29. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dina Fine and Richard Verity for their tireless efforts and commitment to running our booth for over 4 months. What will you do with your newfound Saturdays?

We had a terrific presentation by our guest speaker, Kyle Blumenthal. She shared with us many tips related to managing an artist's business, from her vast experience. She went over contracts, invoices, expense reports and issues related to copyright. The most important take away from this event was taking your art seriously and making sure it is valued. She generously donated a beautiful scarf she designed to our raffle. We also were fortunate to see some of her animated artwork. What a wonder!

Speaking of wonders, we are so excited to have Ann Bragg as our guest speaker in December. Her creativity and teaching style will make you feel inspired and encouraged. One of my favorite lines I heard her say was "It's only paper! This reminds me to accept mistakes and stick with it. We are going to have our annual holiday party but this year West End Arts will be joining us. It will be like East meets West". There will be many raffle prizes and refreshments.

In closing, I want to wish all of you a Happy Thanksgiving. I am grateful to each and every member of the Art League. You continue to inspire great creativity and a sense of community across Long Island.

Artfully Your ,
Shoshanah Findling, President



This year, the Long Beach Art League and the West End Art League will come together to celebrate the holidays. Join us for what is sure to be a fun evening with food, song and the inimitable Ann Bragg.

OUR NOVEMBER PROGRAM



Kyle Blumenthal came last month to speak to us about the business of art. We learned so much from her presentation.

We thank Kyle for her donation of this beautiful scarf that we raffled. Congratulations to the winner.



Go to Chabad.org to view Shoshanah's stunning art and her thoughts about it.

MEMBERSHIP SHOW

Our members work is currently on display in the library, be sure to pick up yours on Dec. 3, 2016, 11-12 Noon at the library. Be sure to bring another work of art to be hung in the gallery for two months. The theme is "Lets Celebrate"

Our apologies that we cannot include everyone's art that is on exhibit in this newsletter, as the months go by, we will try to include everyone at least once.

Ron Goldschmidt



Elizabeth Connolly





Aija Meisters



Rosa Maria Goeller



Eleanore O'Sullivan



Joan Stevens



Elizabeth Connors

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARTISTS

Receiving for Holiday Membership Show "Let's Celebrate", and pick up of last show, will be December 3, 11-12 Noon at the Library. This exhibit will be on display for two months.



From the Catbird Seat: a brand new art and vintage shoppe offering gifts, home decor, accessories, re-purposed furniture and art from all over Long Island. Painters and furniture re-finished, photographers, craftsmen working with wood, metal, glass, textiles and more, jewelry makers, potters quilters and more: join us in creating an incredible shoppe filled with beautiful and unique artwork. We profile our artists and promote their work. Talk to us about your ideas and spread the word! Contact Deb at info@thecatbirdseat.us or 516-987-8940. Stop by - The Catbird Seat, 229 N. Main St., Sayville. (Inside the pink house)

Sandel Senior Center: Looking for artists to display, they offer a solo show and a reception.

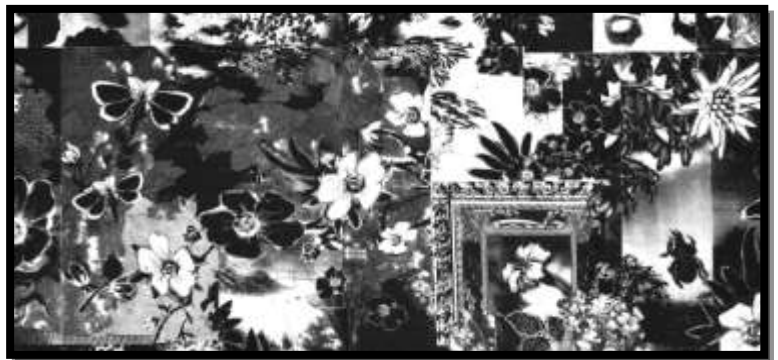
PLACES TO VISIT

Islip Art Museum The New Classics: Contemporary Glass Curated By Rachel Rader & Ben Wright of Urban Glass October 2 - December 23, 2016 50 Irish Lane, East Islip, NY 11730631-224-5402, Open Thurs and Friday 10 – 4 pm / Saturday and Sunday 12- 4pm



LORNA BIEBER: Traces

Lorna Bieber creates hauntingly beautiful images out of found photographs that she then manipulates through an elaborate process of photocopying, enlarging, painting and collaging. The result is a series of grainy, black and white images of trees, flowers, animals, houses, and the occasional human figure produced.



either as large single-image photographic murals or as wall-sized montages. Paul W. Zuccaire Gallery, Staller Center for the Arts, first floor, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY 11794-5425, Information: 631.632.7240 or ZuccaireGallery@stonybrook.edu, Call 631.632.7240

Looking Toward the Future

In January, Thomas Germano, an excellent lecturer and teacher will discuss the Met exhibit, "Jerusalem: Every People Under Heaven".



Important things to know

To become a member of the Long Beach Art League, contact Mary Mendoza - 516-432-0195, mjmlido@aol.com
If you have questions or wish to volunteer your services, contact Shohanah Findling: 516-258-0588, artdoc-tor@optonline.net or Dina Fine: 516-849-9396, dinafine125@gmail.com. To download a copy of this newsletter go to our website at www.longbeachartleague.com.
Reminder: Membership fee is now due



MEMBERS NEWS

Kay Ray won a special award at Tri County Artists of Long Island show on the campus of New York Institute of Technology, showing at Wisser Library.

Kyle Horne is showing his art at the Bellmore Memorial Library, 2288 Bedford Ave., Bellmore, NY. The reception is Nov. 12 which will have passed when you read this. He is a graphic artist and his art is well worth going to see.

Lisa Cangemi and Naomi Diracles are participating in the Twenty-Ninth Invitational Fine Arts Exhibit with the TriCounty Artists of Long Island, at the Wisser Memorial Library on the Campus of NY Institute of Technology. The reception was on Sunday November 13.

Shoshanah Findling's peace painting will be featured in the chabad.org email newsletter and on the Jewish art and soul blog starting tomorrow.



Our Trip to Parrish Art Museum and Guild Hall Trip

What a wonderful time we had



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LIVE MODEL DRAWING SESSIONS

We host a live model drawing class at the Magnolia Senior Center from 2-4PM Every Monday. For more information contact Mary Mendoza at 516-432-0195, mjmlido@aol.com



*Happy
Holidays*