



Long Beach Art League

P.O. Box 862, Long Beach, NY 11561

NEXT MEETING WED., FEB. 2, 2011, 7:30 P.M.

LONG BEACH LIBRARY, 111 WEST PARK AVENUE, LONG BEACH, NY 11561

DEMONSTRATION

ANN BRAGG

“RESUSCITATION OF OLD WORKS”

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 breath new life into some of those old paintings stacked under the bed or stuffed in the closet.

Board Show

Our LBAL board is showing two or three pieces each in our gallery during the month of February.

Receiving is Saturday, Jan. 29., 11-12Noon. “Members Choice” will be picked up at the same time

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LBAL Calendar of Events (clip and put on fridge)

Jan. 14	Friday, 11-12Noon	Receiving at Long Beach Medical Center for Satellite Gallery-1 or 2 pieces, no theme. 3 cash prizes.
Jan. 21	Friday, 1-3PM	Pastel Painting Workshop by Marsha Leviton at Community Center on Magnolia Blvd.
Jan. 29	Saturday, 11-12Noon	Pick up of "Members Choice" and receiving for Board Show.
Feb. 2	Wednesday, 7:30PM	General Meeting-Demonstration by Ann Bragg "Resuscitation of Old Works", Board Show in Gallery.
Feb. 26	Saturday, 11-12Noon	Pick up Board Show and Receiving for Challenge Show. "Animals Real and Imagined", Judged by Seung Lee.

OUR SIZE LIMIT FOR ALL PIECES IS 42" IN ANY DIRECTION – ALL WORK SUBMITTED FOR SHOWS MUST BE WIRED SECURELY FOR HANGING. – WORK MUST BE PICKED UP ON THE DATE INDICATED. ANY WORK NOT PICKED UP WILL BE CHARGED A \$5.00 STORAGE FEE. – THE BOARD HAS RULED THAT ART-WORK MAY BE HUNG A SECOND TIME IN THE LIBRARY ONLY DURING NON-JURIED SHOWS.

MEMBERS NEWS

New Board Members: We welcome **Marilyn Wellish, Joan Israel, Bobbie Bazzell,** and **Patricia Boes** to our board. We thank them for sharing their ideas and expertise to support the endeavors of the league.

Senior Center on Magnolia Blvd: Showcasing the figure drawings and paintings of the Monday life drawing class, through the month of February.

Bobbie Forgacz will be exhibiting her work at the Department of Senior Services, Sandel Senior Center in Rockville Centre. 50 South Park Ave., during January. There will be a reception on January 18 at 11:00AM.

Gloria Kaye a long time member who served in many positions on our board, passed away in December. LBAL extends sincere condolences to her friends and family. Condolences can be sent to her daughter Melanie Melia, 10 Edgewood Dr., Glen Head, NY 11545.

Good wishes for a speedy recovery to **Mrs. Lila Siedenberg.**

Rosa Maria Goeller and the Long Beach High School Multicultural Art Forum will be exhibiting in the Rehab Gallery at Long Beach Medical Center from January to March.

Carol Spielberg won the Winn Rea Juror Award at the Art League of Long Island's "Part Two" of the annual Members Exhibition for her painting titled, "But It Was So Long Ago".

Zelda Randel sold a piece of artwork that was hanging in the Library Gallery.

Congratulations to **Shoshana Findley** on winning the door prize.

Congratulations to **Joan Israel** on winning the “Artists Page” on our website in our special raffle. The prize was donated by Denise Bory, the website coordinator.

Bob Shanley will be exhibiting his artwork at the West End Library until February.

Marc Josloff curated and is exhibiting in a show at the Freeport Memorial Library titled “Photos to be Saved From the Fire”. On exhibit until January 31, each artist was asked which work they would save from a fire, if they could save only one.

Lisa Fazio sold a painting at the Art Guild in Port Washington at their “Art from the Heart” show in December.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARTISTS

WWW.LONGBEACHARTLEAGUE.COM: A special sale for your own artist page is offered until Feb. 14. “6 for 36”. Get six photos of your artwork with your picture and bio on our website for \$36.00. Contact Denise Bory at Sundaze517@aol.com for more information.

Circulao De La Hispanidad: Sunday Art Workshops for High School Students. College Portfolio preparation, 10:00-11:30AM, and Methods and Materials in Drawing and Painting, 12:00-1:30PM, are being offered by John H. Howard. Call 432-8845 for information.

Huntington Arts Council: “Portrait” 9th Annual Juried Portrait Show juried by Suzanne Young. March 3-April 22. Entry deadline is January 31 by CD or photo

March Challenge Show-Receiving February 26, 11-12Noon
“Animals Real and Imagined”

Create an image that is related to or suggests animals in some way. Seung Lee will be our judge and give a critique.

Workshop: Pastel Portrait workshop with Marsha Leviton on January 21, 1-3PM. At the Community Center on Magnolia Blvd., Long Beach. Pre-registration and pre-payment is required. Call Betty Barto at 516-992-1791. A fee of \$10.00 for members and \$15.00 for non-members can be paid by check sent to LBAL, PO Box 862, Long Beach, NY 11561.

Temple Emmanuel of Long Beach is having an art auction on Saturday, April 23, 8-10PM. Any artist who may be interested in selling their art, please contact Betty at 992-1791 so we can get an idea how many pieces we will have. The artist gets 40% of the sale. A professional auctioneer will conduct the event.

The Long Beach Library will have a program on “Renior” on Tues. Jan. 18 at 2PM. The lecture is given by Emilia Roberto Baer, a teacher and professional artist.

Huntington Arts Council: Arts Advocacy Day is on February 8th. Bus transportation to Albany will be provided. This is your chance to influence the NYS Budget and keep the arts alive in your community. Contact the arts council for information.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

We are enclosing an insert with this newsletter which is a fundraising effort. We request that you mail in a contribution yourself, which is tax deductible, or bring this request to any local business that you frequent and feel would be inclined to support the art league.

PLACES TO VISIT

Whitney Museum of American Art: “Modern Life: Edward Hopper and His Time” Oct. 28-April 10, 2011. This show traces the development of realism in American Art between 1900 and 1940, highlighting the work of Edward Hopper. 945 Madison Ave. at 75th St., 570-3600.

The Nassau County Museum of Art: Donald Baechler depicts everyday objects and taps into our nostalgia for childhood. One Museum Drive, Roslyn Harbor. 516-484-0338

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Dear Members,

It was a cold night but very much worth coming out to hear Professor Thomas Germano’s presentation on Edward Hopper. His extensive knowledge in the field of art, and professional presentation was a pleasure to listen to, as well as an informative and stimulating evening.

Our February 2nd meeting will be equally stimulating and informative as we welcome Ann Bragg, who will do a presentation on the art of resuscitating our old works stored away somewhere in the closet. Ann is an award winning artist, judge and teacher who uses her artistic mind with courage and abandon, to create wonderfully innovative works of art. Don’t miss this most interesting and informative demonstration.

March brings in our “Challenge Show”, themed “Animals—Real or Imagined”, which will be received the end of February. So.....while it may be cold and snowing outside....inside, we’ll be busy working on our art and learning new ideas from our very talented peers!

Respectfully, Betty J. Barto - President, LB Art League

PLEASE SUBMIT NEWS OF YOUR OWN ACCOMPLISHMENTS, AND THOUGHTS ON ARTICLES TO DINA FINE, 36 COOLIDGE ST., N. BELLMORE, NY. 11710, OR EMAIL TODINAFINE@AOL.COM. DEADLINE FEB. 10.