

Aa Newsletter



Rich Hall
The President's
Message

Happy New Year!

I hope your holidays with friends and family have been peaceful, warm and enjoyable. This is the time of year when we can sometimes find time to be with those we don't often see and maybe you can even show them some of your latest works of art! Thank you to all of our members who brought holiday snacks for our December meeting. It is always great to celebrate and socialize a little more at this time of year.

We look forward to seeing you again in 2020 at our meetings to learn from others and enjoy the camaraderie of fellow artists. In addition, you may want to visit the Southwest Arts Festival at the Empire Polo Club on January 23-26 at 81-800 Avenue 51 & Monroe in Indio. The exhibit is open from 10 AM - 5 PM and has 270 exhibitors. Also you may want to check out the California Arts Council "Artist Calls" section of their website for opportunities to show and sell your work and see the work of others. This web page is located at: <https://www.cac.ca.gov/opportunities/artist.php>.

In the coming year, please invite your art supporting friends and relatives to Anaheim Art Assoc. meetings to benefit from our demonstrators. In addition, ask the retailers that you do business with if they will support our group with a gift card or prize for our annual juried show or monthly meeting, and don't forget to support our sponsors as well, who help us with donations. Thank You!

January 8 - Visiting Artist

Nancy Anderson

Fine Artist

Nancy Anderson is an award-winning artist who has mastered just about every art medium and enjoys switching from one to the next depending on her mood and interest. She will be demonstrating the use of palette knives when painting with acrylics. She will share a variety of techniques that she has developed over the last couple of years. These techniques have allowed her to work quickly to capture the essence of a scene. Whether doing plein air or working in the studio there techniques can help artists to loosen up and have more fun painting. If you've never done any plein air, she hopes that this just might be the impetus to get you outside occasionally as she feels that it can really strengthen one's studio work.

Nancy has been interested in art for as long as she can remember. She graduated with a degree in Art History and went on earning a teaching credential and a master's in Education. After working 30 years as an elementary school teacher, she was able to retire seven years ago, and become a full-time artist. She has had artwork published in both the 2015 and 2016 North Light Art books, *Incite-The Best of Mixed Media* and did a guest blog for their online site. In 2016 she was voted "Artist of the Year" by the Huntington Beach Art League. She teaches workshops at her home studio and for various art organizations. She is a popular demonstrator and recently gave a presentation to the Orange County Museum of Art docents' meeting. If you would like to see more of her artwork, go to: Nancyandersonart.com.

Advanced

- 1st Place: Al Garofalow
- 2nd Place: Karen Neal
- 3rd Place: Tony Podue



Intermediate

- 1st Place: Mary Ann Cosgrove
- 2nd Place: Brett Holleman
- 3rd Place: Chin-Ming Chan



Raffle Winner with Walter S. Lee

Jim Everett



Popular Vote

Karen Neal



Honorable Mention

Rich Hall

President - Rich Hall
 1st VP - Tony Podue
 2nd VP - Karen Neal
 3rd VP - Allan Garofalow
 4th VP - Michael Dawson
 Treasurer - Rick Neal
 Secretary - Mary Ann Cosgrove
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Next Meeting Date:

February 12, 2020

Always the 2nd Wednesday of the month:
 September, October, November,
 December, January, February and May
 (No April Meeting)

ADVANCED POINTS

Al Garofalow 16
 Tony Podue 14
 Karen Neal 14
 Mary Hinshaw 10
 Mike Dawson 9
 Rich Hall 8
 Pat Woodhaul 4
 Jim Everett 3
 Amy Lin 2
 Lanel O'Neil 2

INTERMEDIATE POINTS

Brett Holleman 18
 Chin-Ming Chan 13
 Mary Ann Cosgrove 9
 Lupe Ambriz 7
 Amy Lin 7
 April Albright 6
 Barbee Andrina 3
 Grace Chen 2
 Sandy Wessel 2
 Phylis Russel 1
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