

Newsletter - April 2010



Boulder Art Association

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The next BAA Meeting will be Tuesday, April 6, 2010

6:30 PM for socializing Meeting starts at 7:00 PM St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
3700 Baseline, Boulder

Bring one of your latest and greatest artistic endeavors to share with others. Our presenter for this meeting, Gretchen Acharya, will demonstrate landscape painting in pastel. The presentation is designed to help BAA members get ready for plein aire and summer travel. Gretchen's primary medium is soft pastel which she prefers because of its directness of execution, the unmatched brilliance and vibrancy of color, and its versatility and permanence. Her style evolved naturally from the interaction between the medium and her artistic vision. Gretchen is interested in the interplay of light, shadow and texture in defining form and expressing the living energy of the subject and her goal is to encourage people to observe life more thoughtfully.

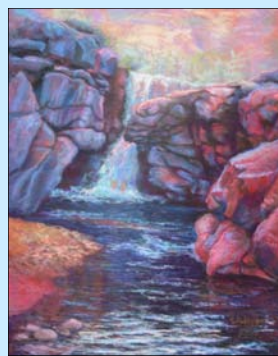
Gretchen Acharya graduated from University of Colorado in Boulder with a B.A. in Fine Arts and has taken classes at the Denver Art League and workshops with Doug Dawson, Frank Covino, Rick Stoner, Chuck Cerasso, Claire Evans, Terry Ludwig, Sally Strand, and Desmond O'Hagan. She has traveled extensively in Asia, Central America, Europe, and Australia. Gretchen teaches private and small group lessons She is represented by Stoneheart Gallery in Evergreen, Colorado. You can see more of her artwork at <http://www.stoneheartgallery.com/> or <http://www.artsresource.org>



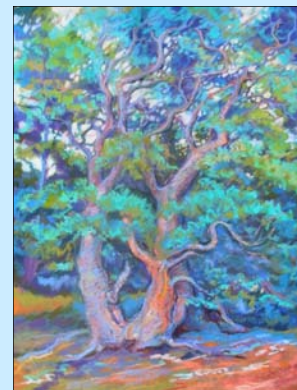
Facing the Storm



Annie's Lake



Cool



Last Dance of the Ancients

President's Corner

Presidents Corner

Quote of the month:

I am talented. That means above all else that I must work hard, for talent is a muscle; if I exercise that muscle, my art will grow strong. I prize the ability to draw a circle freehand or to sing on key, but such skills are only a part of my talent: my greatest talent is in fully exercising my humanity. Eric Maisel

Per last month's President's Message I surveyed the board and advisory board regarding criteria and preferences for a permanent BAA home. To summarize, criteria receiving the highest average ratings were a meeting site that included studio space and a lease of one year or longer. Of those responding, \$500/month was the most common not-to-exceed amount for monthly rent. Lowest scores were for having office space only (-4) and a lease for less than one year (-5). Rating system: -5=strongly disagree, 0=neutral, and +5=strongly agree.

Given these results, we'll look for a site that will enable studio and workshop activities between meetings. Fees for events including classes and exhibits could help pay for the space. BAA board and advisory board members continue to provide useful "institutional memory" regarding securing and sustaining a permanent home. Our current meeting space is approximately 800 square feet, so to start we'll explore the kind and location of available space as well as threshold lease amounts. In addition, YOUR input is welcome regarding potential sites. Feel free to email me at: shouck@houckhealthcare.com with input.

Thanks to Cynthia Peacock's wonderfully creative collage workshop at our March meeting. It was fun and inspiring to see participants' creations as they evolved. Great variety of materials, textures, colors, and compositions.

In researching website regarding my 'day job' as a healthcare consultant, I came across a wonderful short multimedia video discussion featuring Milton Glaser. http://www.hillmancurtis.com/index.php?/film/watch/milton_glaser/ He spoke of how art's practitioners create commonalities; how artists provide a gift to the culture by creating common ground within communities. How a great benefit of being in the arts is that the possibility of learning never disappears.

Regarding teaching, Glaser commented that nothing is more exciting than to see someone whose life has been affected in a positive way by something he said. The importance of being a good citizen via spreading art with ideas that do no harm; of doing something that has some relationship to our city and the world. Along these lines, at the next BAA meeting I'll be posting some of the feedback Cristy Taylor has received from the class she conducted for students at New Vista High School as part of BAA's community outreach. Member Joan Wolbier will also be conducting a class on bookmaking.

Sue

BAA Volunteers Wanted:

Curator/coordinator for a Boulder Public Library exhibit in 2011 or 2012. Boulder Art Association members are always eager for more exhibit opportunities and this is a great chance to realize your dream to curate an exhibit and bring it to life. The BPL exhibit application deadline is June 1, 2010. For more information contact Malia Thompson at 303-544-0684 or malia@mt-studio.net.

BAA/LAG Members' Show support team. BAA is looking for 1-2 members to assist in the production of the Annual Members' Show in June at the Boulder County Fairgrounds in Longmont. For more information contact Diane Wood at 303-678-7456 or diane@woodcolorado.com

BAA Membership Information

The BAA membership meets on the first Tuesday of the month, except July and August. These meetings are free and open to the public. Socializing at 6:30 pm; Meeting starts at 7:00 pm We'll see you there!

The annual membership dues are:

- \$15 Youth (to age 22)
- \$25 individuals
- \$35 families
- \$50 businesses.

The annual renewal month for the Boulder Art Association is January.

Please address inquiries to the Boulder Art Association, P.O. Box 20185, Boulder, CO 80308-3185

BAA Meetings - Snacks

April 2010

Sue Houck & Malia thompson

May 2010

Betty England, Bobbie Benson & Lydia Potoff

Contact **Janis Buck** to volunteer for snacks
303-774-8351 janis-buck@comcast.net

Donations

Printer Ink Cartridges:

You can bring your used ink cartridges to the BAA meeting they will be recycled and the BAA will benefit.

Art Supplies:

If you have any art supplies that you would like to see recycled into the community, bring them to the meeting: they will be donated to the Boulder Homeless Shelter and the I Have A Dream Foundation.

For more information, contact:

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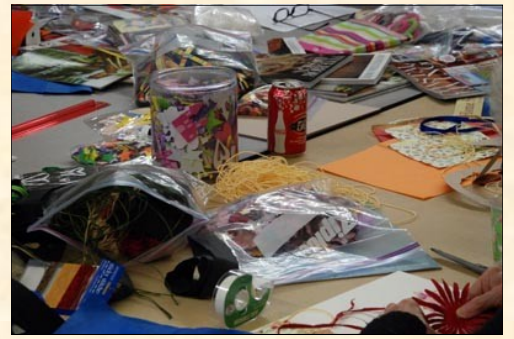
Library Show

The BAA Grants Committee is looking for any members who would like to help with writing grant proposals.

This year we have been successful in receiving grant money from 3 sources, thanks to Lydia Pottoff and Cristy Taylor. As a non profit organization these grants enable us to be a vital resource for artists and to do important outreach in our community.

If you are interested in becoming part of our Grants Committee, please contact me:
Betty England, 303-444-2569, bettyeng@msn.com.

March Members' Meeting



March Presenter — Cynthia Peacock — Harvesting Memories Through Collage



Snack Table
Decoration by
Janis Buck



March Winner — Deb Van Den Honert

Members' Monthly Mini Show

At each monthly membership meeting, members are invited to display an example of their completed or in-progress work. A winner is chosen by a vote of the members present. Winners receive a \$10.00 award and exclusive bragging rights for the next month.

Winners are ineligible to compete for the following three months.

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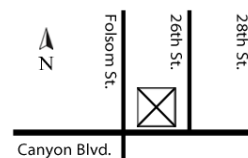
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- **Security hanging hardware available Rush services available**
- **Needlework and fabric art framing Canvas stretching and building**
- **Mirrors**

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Monday - Friday 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

Saturday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Please call for special holiday hours
and personal appointments

Chinook Clubhouse

1441 Broadway, Boulder, CO 80302

Contact: Bobbi Kerridge

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bobbie@sugarloaf.net

Call For Entries

Art for Awhile

**Sponsored by the Broomfield Public Art Committee,
City and County of Broomfield, Colorado**

Three separate Exhibit Installment Periods beginning
June 1, 2010 and ending May 30, 2011

Each Exhibit Installment Period lasts four months.

Exhibit Installment Period 1: June 1, 2010 - September 29, 2010

Exhibit Installment Period 2: October 1, 2010 - January 30, 2011

Exhibit Installment Period 3: February 1, 2011 - May 30, 2011

Broomfield's Art for Awhile Program

Art for Awhile is an exciting art on loan program which was created by the Broomfield Public Art Committee and approved by the Broomfield City Council in 2009. Participating artists are chosen by the Public Art Committee to display their art and offer it for sale for a predetermined period of time. The program affords the artist increased public exposure, as well as the opportunity to sell their work, with a small percentage of the sale retained by the Broomfield Public Art Committee to be used for the funding of their permanent collection. The 1STBANK Center Art for Awhile exhibit is truly an incredible opportunity to reach multiple entertainment venues within one location. The venue will provide maximum exposure, benefiting the artist and the community.

For more information, visit their website at <http://www.broomfield.org/culturalaffairs/>

Art for Awhile

Member News

Astrid Paustian has been invited to be a guest artist at the Madison and Maine Gallery in Greeley for the Garden Show which runs through March, April, and May 2010. She will also be showing pastel paintings during the month of March at the North Boulder Recreation Center and oil paintings at the Art Center of Estes Park throughout the year.

Colleen Hoerner was awarded a Gallery Choice Award for her pastel painting, Sticks And Stones May Break My Bones, at the Richeson 75 International Pastel Competition in Kimberley, WI. Her pastel, Tale of 2 Tomatoes, was chosen for the back cover of the competition catalog.



You are invited to see
Aura Liesveld's Digital art
show in the month of April
during Visitors hours at
the NCAR facilities in
Boulder.

National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR) facilities: at 1850 Table Mesa Dr., Boulder.

Directions: The South Boulder Road, in Boulder, going west turns into to Table Mesa Drive. Keep going until you run into the NCAR facilities. Park and go to the Main building's Cafeteria where you will find the show. Enjoy it!

Questions? Contact Aura Liesveld (303) 465-3675 aliesveld@qwest.net www.yourdecor.net

Notes:

Visitors hours: Weekdays: 8 - 5 pm, Weekends: 9 - 4 pm, Holidays: 9 - 4 pm.

NCAR will be closed on April 10th for maintenance.

NCAR will celebrate the Earth Day on April 17. I will demonstrate how to create art with disposables.

For your Information

Hi all, Lots of you came out to see the film Who Does She Think She Is? in February, but some of you didn't make it out that snowy night. I wanted to invite you (and any friends) an upcoming showing. No RSVP needed.

Tuesday April 6th at 3:30PM at Boulder High School - (an adjunct film screening for the Council on World Affairs, but it's not in the CWA program), In the auditorium, followed by a discussion.

Boulder High School 1604 Arapahoe Avenue Boulder, CO 80302 Phone: 303-442-2430

CHILDREN'S ART PROJECT

The BAA board has an idea for a project which would introduce photography as an art medium to a group a young people. We have some preliminary ideas and are poised to write a grant proposal to fund it, but we need a coordinator and some volunteers. If you would like more information contact - Betty England, 303-444-2569, bettyeng@msn.com. This could be a lot of fun and we think the children would be excited to see their work in a public exhibit as a culminating event. This activity would be especially appropriate for a disadvantaged population. Perhaps some of you photographers out there would enjoy mentoring some future camera artists.

Members' Classes & Workshops

The Art of Interior Design: Elements, Principles and Influences from Traditional Cultures

Join Designer (and BAA Vice President) Cynthia Peacock as she explores some of Italy's finest locations, teaching how to apply Italian culture, art and style to your interiors. Discover the Art of Interior Design and the impact and influence Italy has had around the world. Cynthia will place an emphasis on the ability to analyze and evaluate any interior space in any country. The participants will develop an awareness of space and form, color, lighting, materials and furniture from the Renaissance to the 21st Century, and the role of art & accessories in making a space truly unique.

Participants will become familiar, in general terms, with the fundamental Elements & Principles of good Interior Design. Learn to identify these fundamentals in interior spaces, use a color wheel to assemble at least three of the schemes covered in the workshop, and apply the knowledge to evaluate and analyze a space. Special attention will be given to examples and class material with examples drawn from Italian sources and how the culture of Italy has influenced design as we know it today.

Itinerary: This 10-day (June 20-30, 2010) intensive program includes hands-on exercises mixed with visits to famous interiors between Rome and Florence. We are granted access to several *Palazzi* and villas that are restricted to tourists. Also pick up some Italian vocabulary along the way and have fun learning new cuisine tidbits!

For details, please access this direct link: [http://www.italyartworkshops.com/-Art of Interior Design.html](http://www.italyartworkshops.com/-Art%20of%20Interior%20Design.html)

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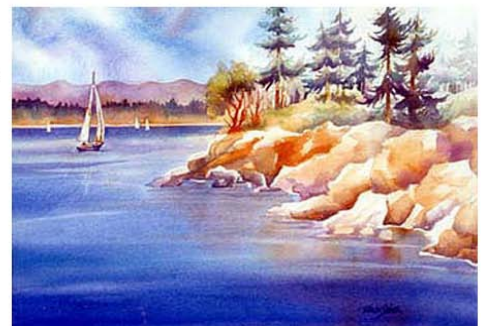


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Watercolor from Scratch

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In this class you will learn basic techniques for using watercolor, how to paint freely and how to approach a painting. You will come away with one finished painting.

\$100 + materials

Sundays, 2:30 - 5:00, Apr. 18, Apr. 25, May 2 & May 16.

2830 5th St., Boulder

Class is limited to 5 students

Nancy Sullo, 303-444-8565, njsullo@comcast.net, www.nancysullowatercolors.com



Art Classes & Workshops at Barbara's North Boulder Studio: Winter 2010

Gift Certificates available for classes!

Contact: barbarakornfeldarts@gmail.com Cell: 720-937-1257

Classes are held at Barbara's Studio at 1530 Lee Hill Rd. #7, Boulder CO 80304, located in the Holiday neighborhood on Lee Hill Road east of Broadway and just west of Route 36 (28th Street).

Please request supply list by emailing: barbarakornfeldarts@gmail.com or call 720.937.1257

Watercolor with Pastel Mixed Media application

Mar. 30th (Tue), Mar. 31st (Wed) 10:00 am - 3:00 pm \$145.00

Get ready for Spring as we learn to paint landscapes and flowers with watercolor and explore the addition of pastel into the surface of the paper. It gives your watercolor a brighter look and keeps the cost of the pastels down.

Color Class

Mar. 18th (Thu) 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Mar. 20th (Sat) 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

\$95.00 (for both sessions)

The principles of color are the same whatever the medium. Come learn to make color work for you whether you work in watercolor, pastel, acrylic or oil.

**For information on other classes and times, contact
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BAA Venues (January—June 2010)

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BAA Venues (July–December 2010)

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