



MENDOCINO COUNTY
Art Association

NEWSLETTER FOR AUGUST, 2013

No need to travel abroad for inspiration when we have the bounty of local produce and vineyards from which to set the stage for our own still life that celebrates the season.



"Primi Piatti"

Erin Dertner - "A Mendocino Picnic"

(Still-life workshop in Oil or Acrylic)

Saturday, August 17, 2013, 9:30 am - 4:00 pm

Grace Hudson Community Room

431 S. Main St., Ukiah, CA

\$60 Members / \$80 Non-members



"Secondi Piatti"

Erin Dertner, one of our favorite local artists, will show us how she creates a simple arrangement that works to convey the spirit of those wonderful meals we've all enjoyed. She'll address some basic design principles and show us how she starts her painting. Participants will then use their own props for a still-life setup and get to work. Erin will provide individual attention, a group mid-point evaluation and a final closing critique.

For those of you who may not be familiar with Erin, please visit her website at www.erindertner.com or be amazed by her daily paintings and delightful comments by reading her blog, www.erindertner.blogspot.com.

A few spots left!

Please contact Svetlana Artemoff at 462-3279 or lartemoff@yahoo.com for details.



REMINDER - MCAA Retrospective Show

Deadline September 30, 2013 - Please don't wait until the last minute!

“Artists Look Back - MCAA Turns 60”

Saturday, March 29, 2014 - Sunday, May 25, 2014

As part of our 60th Anniversary Celebration next year, MCAA is sponsoring a juried art exhibit in the main gallery of the Grace Hudson Museum. For more information, you can find a link on the website to the “Call for Artists” file under the What is MCAA? page.

If you need help transferring your images from a slide to a digital format, Sherrie Smith-Ferrie, Director of the Grace Hudson Museum, has a special machine and offered her help – you can call her at 467-2836.

MENDOCINO COAST BOTANNICAL GARDEN'S ART IN THE GARDEN EVENT

Saturday, August 3, 2013

This is a really fun event and quite a few of our MCAA artist are participating this year.

UKIAH VALLEY ARTIST COOP 5TH ANNUAL STUDIO TOUR

Saturday and Sunday, September 28 & 29, 2013

A Call for Artists – anyone interested in participating in the studio tour this year, either as an individual artist or a group, please contact Jim Colling for more information: 463-0610

GRACE HUDSON MUSEUM

New Exhibit: *Milford Zornes: A Painter of Influence*

August 10, 2013 – October 13, 2013

James Milford Zornes (1908-2008), preferred the term “painter” to “artist” when describing himself. An inspired American watercolorist, his work spanned nine decades. His travels took him to most of the world's continents, and he painted and taught as he went. While he worked in several mediums he developed an international reputation based on his watercolor landscapes. His rhythmic, direct, simplified style of brushwork remains an important influence on watercolorists. This exhibit is organized by the Grace Hudson Museum and is curated by Maria and Hal Baker, Milford's daughter and son-in-law.

Museum is open Wed-Sat 10-4:30; Sun 12-4:30

431 S. Main St., Ukiah 707-467-2836

Admission \$4 per person, \$10 per family, \$3 for seniors & students

ART AT THE BANKS

July - August, 2013

Don Pagano - Savings Bank of Mendocino County, East Road, Redwood Valley

Ginger O'Shea - Savings Bank of Mendocino County, Pear Tree Center, Ukiah

June Oster - West America Bank, 319 E. Perkins, Ukiah

Gerrit van Hattem - Savings Bank of Mendocino County, 1100 Airport Park Blvd., Ukiah

Elliot Little - Schat's Courthouse Bakery & Café, 113 W. Perkins, Ukiah

If you are interested in exhibiting at the banks, and are a paid-up member of MCAA, contact **Sharon Fenton** at 707-621-4957.

ARTISTS CRITIQUE-A-LOT GROUP

Second Saturday of the month - 10 am – 12 pm

401 W. Mill (The SW corner of Mill and Dora), Ukiah, CA.

If you have any questions or are interested in joining you may contact our new leader, **Jim Colling** at 463-0610.

The Critique Group is a valuable benefit of your MCAA membership. Critique of your work allows any artist to improve and participating will enhance the self-critique process. Sharing your thoughts and ideas with fellow artists is very helpful and stimulating! Due to the generosity of member Muhasibi Shalom the group has a great place to meet and we can accommodate a few more people. Contact Jim if you would like to attend a time or two and see if this group is for you.

OPEN ART STUDIO “No studio of your own? Come and paint with us!”

Grace Hudson Community Room – Mondays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Fee is \$3.00 per session for members and \$5.00 for non-members

No instruction is provided. Bring your own supplies. Tables and chairs are available.

This is run on a drop-in basis, so come for as long as you wish! Start painting on a regular basis in the company of other artists. We can all use a little support and constructive criticism.

If any questions or last minute changes, call **Tommy Thornhill**, 467-0266

MENDOCINO COUNTY ART ASSOCIATION BOARD MEETING

Monday, August 12, 2:00 at the Grace Hudson Museum

The MCAA board meetings are open to any member who wishes to attend!

DVD LIBRARY

If you can't make the meetings or demos and would like to check out a DVD, you can view the list on our website and contact Gigi Brown, our librarian, at 467-9554 to arrange to get one from her home.

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