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Holiday Art Sale - December 4th Tina Nelson

Our Holiday Art Sale is shaping up well! We have 14 OAA members who will be selling their art work at the Presbyterian Church on Dec. 4th. Because it is a church and not a public space we will have to do a lot of advertising to get the public to come and we need everyone's help. Stan Cohen has designed a great poster for us. It is bright and colorful and we have made posters, flyers, and postcards to be distributed to advertise our sale. Please help by taking the flyers to the businesses you frequent and sending out as many post-cards as you can. They will be available at the CHAMBER PICK-UP ON NOV.19TH or after-

ward from Yin Marsh or Rick Nelson. We need ALL THE MEMBERS help to make this - our first Holiday Art Sale- a success.

Editors Note: The winning official

poster (below) for the Holiday Sale was submitted by Stan Cohen. The board considered three entries at the September meeting and awarded Stan the \$50 prize — Congratulations Stan—it looks great!!

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OAA Members and Guests to Tour the Renovated Oakland Museum of California November 19th

Mark your calendars for this special day in November, as OAA members and guests are all invited to visit the newly renovated Oakland Museum of California. Our group will meet at the Museum at 12:30 pm (following the take in for the November Chamber Show) and be accompanied on our journey through the Museum by Mr. Phillip Linhares, the Chief Curator of Art. (Mr. Linhares is a friend and supporter of OAA, most recently having juried a show for us in May of this year.) In addition to seeing

all of the upgrades and changes to the Museum Mr. Linhares will of course also spend time with us in the galleries and special exhibitions. The planned visit was purposely delayed until November so we can see four great special exhibitions: **Pixar**—25 years of Animation, **Vivo**—days of the Dead 2010, **The Marvelous Museum**—A Project by Mark Dion, and the **Gallery of California Art**.

A \$10 per person fee will be charged by the museum,

however the OAA Board voted in August to cover this cost for all participating members—guests however will be asked to pay their own way.

This is a once only chance to see the renovated Museum as well as the four great special exhibitions in the company of the Chief Curator of Art, - all with your association picking up the tab. **Don't miss this one!**

Mark your calendar:

October 20th, upcoming **Breger Critique 11am-1:30pm** at Kensington Community Center. Show several works for best critique. A fee of \$5 will be requested of all participants. Bring a bag lunch. Coffee/Tea provided. Call Stan Cohen (510) 533-3003 for more information.

October 29th, 4pm **Board meeting** in the **upstairs meeting room of the Rockridge Library** located at 5366 College Ave in Oakland. All members are encouraged to attend!

November 19, 2010 and January 21st 2011. These

are the dates for the upcoming **Oakland Chamber shows**. (pick up previous and enter the new show) See rules page 4.

November 19th 12:30 PM, Oakland Museum of California gallery tour guided by the Art Curator, Mr. Phil Linhares. Please see article above.

November 19th 4pm Board meeting in the **upstairs meeting room of the Rockridge Library** located at 5366 College Ave in Oakland. The meeting was moved forward to this date to avoid the Holiday.

December 4th, Holiday Art

Sale at the Park Avenue Church. Please see articles on page 1 for more details.

December 4th, 4pm Holiday Pot Luck and party at the Park Avenue Church following the Holiday Sale. See page 3 for more details

February 2011 Rockridge Library Small Format Show. Watch upcoming newsletters for complete information.

OAA Holiday Pot Luck

It's hard to realize that the Holiday Season is almost upon us again! Part of the OAA tradition in recent years is to host a "Pot Luck" party to give members and guests the chance to come together for a few hours of relaxing conversation.

This year the board decided to co-ordinate this annual event with the Holiday Art Sale (see page 1). Accordingly, the Pot Luck will be held between 4pm and 6pm on Saturday December 4th, immedi-

ately following the Art Sale in the Presbyterian Church gymnasium, 4104 Park Blvd in Oakland. No matter if you plan to participate in the Art Sale or not, please mark the date and attend the Pot Luck Holiday Party!

The event is open to all OAA members, spouses, friends and invited guests. Food and beverages will of course be provided by all of us, details of what you should bring will be generally determined by you last name, and

will be detailed in the November newsletter.

The Church we're all familiar with will make a great location for our Pot Luck; it has plenty of tables, chairs and a full kitchen which will be available for our use. Members participating in the Art Sale will be able to bring food dishes early in the day and reheat etc. as the party begins.

To comply with Church policy however, NO alcoholic beverages will be allowed.

Latest Chamber Show Catalog

Oakland Art Association							
Oakland Chamber Show -- September 2010							
Artist		Title	Medium	Price	Height	Width	Award
Marie	Guellid	Little Red Shack	Oil	200	16	20	1st
Arlene Risi	Streich	Figure Study	Conte Crayon & Wash	100	28	24	2nd
John	Henry	March of the Angry Petals	Photograph	240	24	28	3rd
Danute	Nitecki	Tamalpais at Sunset	Watercolor	500	21	32	H
Ginger	Papania	Yellow Squares	Mixed	400	27	23.5	H
Bobbi	Anderson	August Blooms	Acrylic	300	16	20	
Nelda	Booras	Along the River	Acrylic	750	25.5	30.5	
Ikuko	Boyland	Blooming in Sunset	Acrylic on Paper	150	20	16	
June	Coy	Marina VI	Watercolor	400	24	24	
George	Ehrenhaft	Boat House	Watercolor	400	19	24	
Betty	Irvine	Trees and Rocks	Acrylic	400	24	30	
Julia	Montrond	Orvieto B&B	Watercolor	350	16	20	
Julia	Montrond	Vetralla, Italy	Watercolor	350	16	20	
Tina	Nelson	Napping in Cortina	Oil	500	20	24	
Rick	Nelson	Rocky Mountain Goat	Photograph	100	24	18	
Danute	Nitecki	Blue Wonder - 3	Watercolor	350	20	28	
Carolyn	Price	Oak & Pine	Watercolor	495	26	17	
Tania	Savine	Sunny Glade	Oil	350	17	21	
Shirley	Schmalfuss	Scene in Juneau	Acrylic	400	24	30	
Arlene Risi	Streich	Pasion	Acrylic Mixed	300	36	18	
Michael	Topliff	Camellias	Watercolor	350	16	20	
Juror: Larry Wilson							

OAKLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SHOW

November 19th , 2010

Paintings (all Media), Drawings, Photography, Collage, Monoprints, etchings, woodcuts

Exhibit Rules**CHAIR:** Evelyn Call — evcallarabians@aol.com — (510) 632-7283**RECEIVING:** Friday November 19th from 10 AM until 11 AM at the Presbyterian Church, 4101 Park Blvd., Oakland. Enter parking lot from Hampel Street.**JUROR:** TBD**ACCEPTED WORKS:** Pick up at the Presbyterian Church on Friday January 21st, 2011 between 10 AM and 11AM.**ENTRIES:** Two entries will be accepted per member, however only a total of 21 entries will be shown due to space limitations. If necessary, the juror will first reduce the field of entries to 21, with the goal that only one artwork per submitting member should be removed. In the event that work is rejected, artists must be available to pick up the overflow pieces at 11 AM.

Entries will be two dimensional; 16"x 20" min. and 36"x 36" max. - nominal size including mats.

Artworks depicting iconic scenes of San Francisco are not appropriate for this venue! If entered, artwork in this category may be rejected at the sole discretion of the show chairman.

Because only 7 "large" (i.e. over 24"x30") works can be displayed in the show space, only the first 7 "large" pieces will be accepted, unless specifically allowed by the Show Chair.

Works restricted to original work – no class work or copies. Nudes and political statements are not accepted (venue requirement). All work must be for sale. The Chamber reserves the right to reject any work from the show for any reason.

Any work shown at a Chamber of Commerce Show **prior to** November 2007 may be shown again at this show. Any work having won a cash award in any OAA show is not eligible to receive another cash award but may receive a merit award.

To be entered as a single work, any grouping of 2 or more works must be mounted within a single frame which meets the overall size requirements.

ENTRY FEE: \$8.00 per entry.**FRAMING:** No wide (may not exceed 3") or elaborate frames will be accepted.

Mats must be clean and well cut and frames must be clean, sturdy and no protruding screw eyes or hangers will be allowed.

Works larger than 24" x 30" (if covered) must be under plastic instead of glass.

LABELS: Must be filled out completely and affixed to the upper left hand corner on the back of the entry.**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY!****AWARDS:** First award \$100; Second award \$50; Third award \$25. Merit awards are given at the discretion of the Juror.**INSURANCE:** A waiver must be signed on receiving day.**SALES:**

All sales made during the show and/or 30days following the close of the show (if the work was seen by the buyer at the show) will be handled by the Sales Chairman Stan Cohen 510 533-3003.

OAA policy is that no change will be made in the price (in connection with this show) after the work is accepted. The artist agrees that 30% of the sale price will be taken as a contribution to OAA. Sales tax of 9.75% will be added to all sales.

Notes and other news

- OAA **Standing Show Chairman Gisela Volkmer** will be pulling together a small committee to brainstorm and **chase down new show leads**. The major propose of OAA is to provide our members with opportunities to display their work in public and we need more venues to do just that. Please **contact Gisela or any OAA officer with ANY ideas you have!**
- During the September Board meeting, a **new member** was accepted to OAA, Ms. **Carolyn Gaye**, of Emeryville. We're looking forward to you showing your work Carolyn!

- OAA members **Rick and Tina Nelson** will open a one month joint **show of paintings and photography at the Rockridge Library Gallery** on November 4th.
- Board Members **Ginger Papania and Gladys Eaton** are working to review and **update our By Laws**. Members in general but specifically all **responsible "Chairmen" should review the bylaws** (published in the current roster) and contact Ginger or Gladys with questions and comments!
- Please note the **Satellite Show Schedule** below, and contact the various show

Chairmen to discuss opportunities to **show your art at one or more of these fine venues next year**. Don't put this off, as the spots fill quickly, in fact the **Piedmont Gardens venue is already fully booked** for 2011.

- **www.oaklandart.org** the OAA website needs a **"make over"**! If you have skills in this field and would like to help, please contact the editor.
- **Contact the editor** as follows with any corrections and suggestions: **Rick Nelson / 1584 Webb Lane / Walnut Creek 94595**
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OAA Satellite Show Schedule 2010

First Federal Savings		Piedmont Gardens		Salem Lutheran Home		Jack London Square	
6058 College Ave Oakland, CA 94618		110 41st Street Oakland, CA 94611		2361 East 29th Street Oakland, CA 94606		Foot of Broadway Oakland, CA	
Julia Montrond coordinator (510) 841-0688 jmontrond@gmail.com		George Ehrenhaft (925) 377-9315 wrhotline@aol.com		Juliet Mevi-Shiflett (510) 548-0714 jmevishiflett@yahoo.com		Rita Sklar (510) 531-1404 ritaart@yahoo.com	
January	<i>Dee</i>	January	<i>Beth</i>	January	<i>Evelyn</i>	December	<i>Pat Dahlberg</i>
February	<i>Nitecki</i>	February	<i>Bourland</i>	February	<i>Call</i>	January	<i>Julie Mevi, Rita Sklar</i>
March	<i>Rick</i>	March	<i>Ginger</i>	March	<i>Arlene</i>	February	<i>Ellen Zucker</i>
April	<i>Nelson</i>	April	<i>Papania</i>	April	<i>Streich</i>	March	<i>J Mortensen, I Saber, E Call</i>
May	<i>Tina</i>	May	<i>Juliet</i>	May	<i>Shirley</i>	April	<i>B Anderson, Y Marsh, T Savine</i>
June	<i>Nelson</i>	June	<i>Mevi</i>	June	<i>Schmalfuss</i>	May	<i>M Marsden, K Powers</i>
July	<i>Micaela</i>	July	<i>Michael</i>	July	<i>Silvia</i>	June	<i>Carol Torre</i>
August	<i>Marsden</i>	August	<i>Topliff</i>	August	<i>Fones</i>	July	<i>Rick Nelson</i>
September	<i>Shirley</i>	September	<i>Wenda</i>	September	<i>Carolyn</i>	August	<i>Tina Nelson</i>
October	<i>Schmalfuss</i>	October	<i>Pyman</i>	October	<i>Price</i>	September	<i>George</i>
November	<i>Pat</i>	November	<i>Julia</i>	November	<i>Christine</i>	October	<i>Ehrenhaft</i>
December	<i>Dahlberg</i>	December	<i>Montrond</i>	December	<i>Mulder</i>	November	<i>Iris</i>
						December	<i>Sabre</i>

*There I found I could say things with
color and shapes that I couldn't say any
other way - things I had no words for.*

Georgia O'Keeffe

Oakland Art Association

