

# OAKLAND ART ASSOCIATION

May, 2015

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## Annual Meeting / Potluck set for May 30th:

The annual Meeting this year will incorporate a mostly outdoor potluck lunch to be held at the Nelson's home in Walnut Creek on Saturday May 30th between 11 AM and 3 PM. All Members and Friends of OAA (with guests of course) are invited to attend.

Besides being a social time, the first hour or so of the event will serve as the take-in for our Orinda Library show. At about 12:30pm (following Lunch) the art collected for the show will be juried and the judge will walk us through the various observations that were important to the selection of winners, using various pieces of art to

illustrate the points. Finally we will hold a brief meeting as our bylaws require.

The Nelson's address is: 1584 Webb Lane, Walnut Creek, CA 94595.

*1 - Take 24 (East) to 680 South in Walnut Creek*

*2 - Take first exit "South Main"*

*3 - Turn Right onto "South Main Street"*

*4 - Turn Right at first stop light onto "Castle Hill Road"*

*5 - Turn Right on the third street onto "Lancaster"*

*6 - Travel almost 4/10 mile and turn left into "Webb Lane"*

*7 - 1584 Webb Lane is at the end*

*of the lane - Yellow house*

*8 - Park in the court at the end of the lane or in the driveway.*

The "Alpha" system (first letter of your last name) will determine what you should bring to the "pot luck":

**A-G** Casserole/main dish

**H-M** Vegetables or Salad

**N-R** Dessert

**S-Z** Wine or beverage

**Please try to attend and RSVP with what you intend to bring at (925) 256-6849 by Monday May 25th. If transportation is a problem, call the same number and car-pools will be arranged as possible.**

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**ORINDA LIBRARY GALLERY SHOW**

June 1<sup>st</sup> through June 30th, 2015

24 Orinda Way, Orinda, CA 94563

Paintings (all Media), Drawings, Photography, Collage, Monoprints, etchings, woodcuts and small sculpture. Appropriately sized artwork may be displayed in the exhibit case.

**Exhibit Rules**

**SHOW CHAIR:** Jennifer Kolkhorst (925) 254-0451—jpkolkhorst@comcast.net

**RECEIVING:** Saturday, May 30th, 2015 from 11 am until 12:30pm at the Annual Meeting and Potluck Lunch 1584 Webb Lane in Walnut Creek, CA 94595. Note: If you can't attend the Potluck please call Rick at (925) 256-6849 to make other arrangements to enter your work in the Orinda Show.

**JUROR:** Kim Wong

**ACCEPTED WORKS:** Pick up at the **Orinda Library** on Wednesday July 1st, 2015 between 10:30 am and noon.

**ENTRIES:**

Two **and** three dimensional art work; No minimum size restriction, maximum up to 36"x 40". **This is the venue for you to enter your small paintings, photographs and sculpture.**

Up to 4 entries submitted per member, but only 1 may be "large" (i.e. over 1000 square inches").

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.

All work having won cash awards in any OAA show are 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:** \$5.00 per entry (lowered for this show to encourage large number of entries).

**FRAMING:**

No wide (may not exceed 3") or elaborate frames will be accepted.

Mats must be clean and well cut.

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.

**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.

**RECEPTION:** Sunday June 14th—2pm to 4pm.

**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 Chair (Tina Nelson (925) 256-6849).

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% will be added to all sales.

# First the Orinda Show, then the Chamber Show:

Arguably the best show OAA has on the 2015 schedule will Kick off on Saturday May 30th with the take-in for the Orinda Library Show at our annual meeting (see pages 1 and 2). Members who know this venue will tell you that it has the best foot traffic, light, and viewing space of anywhere we show. The gallery itself is not in the quiet areas of the library so visitors can take the time to enjoy your art without disturbing the Library patrons.

The other big advantage of

the Orinda Library Gallery is that we have not only the large walls which can handle your large work, but we also will be showing in two wall sized display cases for small two dimensional work and sculptures up to about 24". It will take a lot of art to present a complete show at Orinda, so the entry fee has been lowered to \$5 per entry to encourage members to enter that extra piece of art.

A hosted hors-d'oeuvre reception is planned at the Library on Sunday afternoon June 14th between 2pm and 4pm. **(NOTE: The date and**

**time are final, having been revised from the tentative information given last month!)**

Two weeks later on Friday June 12th, the latest edition of our ongoing Oakland Chamber Show will come together at the Presbyterian Church on Park Blvd. (see rules on page 5). This Chamber show will be the last juried show until early September. Please support both shows with your art then recharge over the summer before we take off again with a flurry of shows during the fall.

## News and Notes:

- **Sonia Tamez** has coordinated with eight other OAA members (**Evelyn Call, Marjorie Graham, Rohilah Guy, Yin Marsh, Thomas McCort, Juliet Mevi, Judith Mortensen, and Danute Nitecki**) who will all be contributing work to the "Celebrate Healthy Aging Art Show" sponsored by the City of

Oakland. OAA member work will be hung together and details about our Association will be available to the public as part of this show. The exhibit will be open for public viewing at City Hall and at 150 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza during May.

- **Rick Nelson, has a number**

**of his infra red photographs hanging on the 3rd floor of the Walnut Creek City Hall during April and May.**

- **Contact the editor** as follows with any corrections and suggestions: **Rick Nelson / rixingm@gmail.com / (925)-256-6849**

## Mark Your Calendar:

**May 30th, 11am Saturday Annual Meeting and Pot Luck Lunch.** This event will be held in Walnut Creek at the home of Rick and Tina Nelson. (See article on page 1.)

**May 30th, 11am Saturday, Take-in for the Orinda Library Show** which will be held in conjunction with our

annual meeting and Pot Luck. (See stories on page 1 and above as well as the rule sheet on page 2.)

**June 12th, September 18th, and December. 11th 2015.** are the dates for the upcoming **Oakland Chamber shows.** (See rules on page 5.)

**June 14th Sunday, 2pm until 4pm - Reception at the**

**Orinda Library** (see above article).

**July 1st, Wednesday 10am to noon Pick up your art from/ at the Orinda Library—24 Orinda Way, Orinda 94563.** (See rules on page 2.)

OAA show entry form

Attach this label to the upper left corner on the back of the entry. PLEASE WRITE OR PRINT LEGIBLY!

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Artist \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Price \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fee \_\_\_\_\_ Size: H \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_

This work has already won an OAA cash award ( )

Artwork exhibited in these prior OAA shows:

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## OAKLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SHOW

June 12th, 2015

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

### Exhibit Rules

**CHAIR:** Evelyn Call — [evallarabs@att.net](mailto:evallarabs@att.net) — (510) 632-7283

**RECEIVING:** Friday June 12th, 2015 from 10 AM until 11AM at the Presbyterian Church, 4101 Park Blvd., Oakland. Enter parking lot from Hampel Street.

**JUROR:** John Finger - [www.fingerart.com/](http://www.fingerart.com/)

**ACCEPTED WORKS:** Pick up 10am September 18th, 2015 at the Presbyterian Church.

**ENTRIES:** Up to 2 entries will be accepted per member. Entries will be two dimensional; 12"x 12" 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** December 2012 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.

**Entry Forms :** 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 Tina Nelson [rixin2@aol.com](mailto:rixin2@aol.com) or 925 256-6849.

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% will be added to all sales.

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An artist is somebody who produces things that people don't need to have.

~Andy Worhal

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