

## Three Shows in 45 Days—dig deep for your art

Good things always seem to come in a bunch, and so it is with the chances to show your work this summer! First up is the new show at the Alameda Library on July 13th. This exhibit will accept up to three pieces from each artist, and because of the large walls the venue will show off your bigger pieces ex-

ceptionally well.
Next on July 17th
the new addition of
the Oakland Chamber Show kicks off
with the receiving
formalities at the
Park Avenue
Church between 10
and noon. Then on
August 7th OAA will
be accepting entries
for the John Muir
Medical Center
Show also at the

Park Avenue Church. In total these shows will give you the chance to show off seven of you newest and best work. The particulars for all three shows are offered on the following pages, so read the rules carefully because some of the details have changed slightly since they were published last month.

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## Mark your calendar:

- July 13, 2009 Take in for the Alameda Library Show—see page 2.
- July 17, Sept. 18, and November 20th, 2009. These are the upcoming dates for the Oakland Chamber shows. (pick up previous and enter the new show) see page 3.
- July 31, 2009 3pm Board meeting in the Learning Center at the Oakland Museum of California. All members are encouraged to attend. SECRETARIES NOTE: Board Meetings are always on the last Friday of the month, THE DATE GIVEN IN THE MINUTES FROM THE JUNE MEETING IS

#### INCORRECT.

- August 6, 2009 10 am Change Satellite Show at Jack London Square—see page 5.
- August 7, 2009 Take in for the John Muir Show— see page 4.
- August 8, 2009 Pick up from the Alameda Library Show—see page 2.
- August 28, 2009 3pm Board meeting in the Learning Center at the Oakland Museum of California. All members are encouraged to attend.

#### ALAMEDA LIBRARY GALLERY SHOW

1550 Oak Street Alameda, California 94501

July 13th through August 8th 2009

Paintings (all Media), Drawings, Photography, Collage, Monoprints, etchings, woodcuts and small sculpture.

#### **Exhibit Rules**

SHOW CHAIR: Michael Topliff (510) 981-0859—mtopliff@netzero.com

**RECEIVING:** Monday July 13, 2009 at the Library between 9:15 am and 11:00 am at the rear entrance to the Library.

**JUROR:** Electra Long ( www.electralong.com )

**ACCEPTED WORKS:** Pick up at the Library on Saturday August 8th between 5 pm and 6:30 pm at the rear entrance to the Library.

#### **ENTRIES:**

Two dimensional work; 36"x 40" maximum (or 1440 square inches) including frames. (No minimum size)

Up to 3 entries submitted/accepted 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.

Transportation of artwork to and from the library is the responsibility of the artist.

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:** \$8.00 per entry.

#### 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.

#### 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 (Stan Cohen 510 553-3003).

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.

#### OAKLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SHOW

July 17, 2009

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

#### **Exhibit Rules**

**CHAIR:** John Mallon

**RECEIVING:** Friday, July 17, 2009 from 10 AM until 12 noon at the Presbyterian Church, 4101 Park Blvd., Oakland. Enter parking lot from Hampel Street.

JUROR: John Arbuckle

ACCEPTED WORKS: Pick up at the Presbyterian Church on Friday September 18, 2009 between 10 AM and 12 noon.

**ENTRIES:** Only the first 20 entries will be accepted due to space limitations. Only 1 entry will be accepted per member, unless too few pieces are entered before the 12 noon deadline, in which case the Show Chairman **may** accept additional works provided they are immediately available, up to a grand total of 20 entries.

Entries will be two dimensional; 16"x 20" min. and 36"x 36" max.

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** March 2006 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.

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**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.

#### John Muir Medical Center Show

1601 Ygnacio Valley Road, Walnut Creek, CA

August 7th through September 11th, 2009

Paintings (all Media), Drawings, Photography, Collage, Monoprints, etchings, woodcuts and small sculpture.

#### **Exhibit Rules**

SHOW CO-CHAIR: Beth Bourland (510) 748-9214 & Bobbe Anderson (925) 938-3347

**RECEIVING:** Friday, August 7th, 2009 from 10 AM until 12 noon at the Presbyterian Church, 4101 Park Blvd., Oakland. Please enter parking lot from Hempel Street.

**JUROR:** Electra Long ( www.electralong.com )

ACCEPTED WORKS: Pick up at John Muir Medical Center, between 1 and 2 PM on September 11th, 2009.

#### **ENTRIES:**

Entries will be two dimensional; 16"x 20" (or 320 square inches) plus frame minimum and 46"x 46" (or 2100 square inches) maximum including the frame.

Up to 3 entries accepted per member, but only 1 of the 3 may be "large" (i.e. over 1000 square inches including frame).

Works restricted to original work – no class work or copies.

All work must be for sale.

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.

John Muir Medical Center reserves the right to refuse to exhibit any work of art which it determines at its sole discretion to be unsuitable for exhibition in the hospital setting. Included in the unsuitable category are nudes and any subject which could be construed as being of a religious or political nature.

**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.

Frames must be clean, sturdy and no protruding screw eyes or hangers will be allowed.

Works larger than 24" x 30" (or 720 square inches) if covered, must be under plastic instead of glass.

<u>LABELS:</u> Must be filled out completely and affixed to the upper left hand corner on the back of the entry. Labels must give: DIMENSIONS, DATE OF WORK AND MEDIUM. **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 510 553-3003).

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.

# **Jack London Square Show Changes Aug 6th**

- Artist for the new Show: We have lost one of the main buildings where we exhibit to an art installation. We have room for five or six artists showing four works each. The new show will feature Wenda Pyman, Rick & Tina Nelson, Ellen Zucker and Ginger Papania. Please be prepared to help with receiving and hanging the show.
- Receiving: Thursday August 6 at 10 am at 54 Washington Street in Jack London Square.
   Park temporarily outside the building to unload.
- Entries: Entries will be 2 dimensional,16x20 minimum and 30x36 maximum. Nudes and political statements are not accepted. All work must be for sale. Any work shown at Jack London Square may not be shown again at this show.

- Entry Fee: There will be a \$5 entry fee.
- Framing: No wide (may not exceed 3") or elaborate frames will be accepted. Mats must be clean and well cut. Frames must be clean and sturdy. Works must be under plastic instead of glass.
- Forms: Must be filled out completely and sent to Stan Cohen by July 23, 2009. Make sure your name and the name of your painting is on the back of each painting.
- **Insuranc**e: A waiver must be signed on receiving day.
- **Sale**s: All sales made during the show and or 30 days 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 . Artist must arrange with the buyer and Jack London Square to pick up the painting and replace it with a similar size painting.
- Take Down will be in November, unless the building is leased earlier. Date to be announced.
- Pick up for Current Show: Please come at 10:00 am to pick up your works. Drive up to the door where you dropped off your paintings and park temporarily while loading your paintings.
- Hanging Committee: Artists who helped hang the current show, please come at 9:45 am to help take down the show. That includes George, Jenny, Yin and Tatiana.

Rita Sklar (510) 531-1404

## Notes and other news

- The Satellite Show Schedule is nearly full for the rest of 2009, however Piedmont Gardens show chair Iris Saber has room on the schedule for two more shows this year. This is a great venue and nearly every artist showing in the past couple of years has sold work here. Call Iris at (510) 525-7954 and snap up one of these last two satellite show openings for 2009.
- Receiving and Hanging help needed for the John Muir Medical Center show. Receiving is on Friday Aug 7, hanging will be Saturday morning Aug. 8.

If you are able to assist, please call **Beth Bourland**, 510-748-9214

- As all of the OAA juried shows will now be presented on the OAA website, please take a few minutes to look at all our shows: www.oaklandart.org and follow the "gallery of OAA Shows" link.
- Contact the editor as follows with any corrections and suggestions: Rick Nelson / 1584 Webb Lane / Walnut Creek 94595

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### OAA show entry form

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Seek the strongest color effect possible. the content is of no importance. Henri Matisse

