



July 2013 Newsletter



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Message from Our President

I hope this newsletter finds you surviving Florida's summer heat! Stay inside and paint!

The Titusville Art League will be the Guest Artists at Titusville's Downtown Gallery for the month of August! Heidi and Jeff Thamert, owners of the Downtown Gallery, are very gracious to feature us. TAL members' art will hang in the front room of the gallery. Those who attended the July 17th meeting were asked to sign up if they wanted to take advantage of this opportunity. If you missed the chance to display your art, you can still attend the reception for TAL on August 9th from 6 - 10 PM. Bring your friends and enjoy some refreshments and great art! This event coincides with the Titusville Summer Nights Block Party, so get there early to secure a parking space!

In other news, a lot has been happening over the past month. In case you haven't been to our building, here's what has been done:

- "Studio West" has evolved! Large display boards, pedestals and other objects were removed for offsite storage. The room has been cleaned and has been used for a card making class and another class.
- Fresh plantings have replaced overgrown shrubs in the front of the building.
- Bob Bieling removed rotted wood on the wooden posts and fascia sections at the front of the building. Fresh paint was applied to the newly replaced fascia and reinforced posts.

- The pepper tree which had been blocking our signage at the front of TAL has been removed!

These are exciting times!! I am enjoying my experience as president and working with so many talented and energetic TAL members. Hope to see you at the August 21st meeting - it will be an exciting one!! ~ Linda

Announcements

Next Board Meeting

Wednesday, **August 7 2013 @ 7 PM**

Friday, August 9 @ 6 - 10 PM, "Artists of the Month Featuring TAL," **Downtown Art Gallery, Titusville**

August 17, 2013, 10 - 3 Sloane Keats Workshop - "Transform" at TAL

\$100, Impasto painting with palette knives in oil or acrylics. Contact Joyce Bandilla, Education Director, at 321-749-0542 for more details. Please register by August 14.

Next General Meeting

Wednesday, **August 21 2013 @ 7 PM**

Artist of the Month Theme "Caliente"

Join us before the meeting for a **Spaghetti Dinner at 6 PM**, \$5 donation with all proceeds to benefit TAL.

Followed by regular meeting @ 7 PM with

guest speaker, **Marcia Gaedcke**, President, Titusville Chamber of Commerce talking on "Art and Algorithms."

Education News

Summer Camps and New Classes

Summer camps were not as popular as hoped, but two young ladies who attended Debbie Price's basic drawing class, in our first June camp, came back for the second week in the June camp. They were joined by two new students, bringing our second week attendance to four participants. Shauna had three children for pottery on that second week as well! Enrollment dropped in July and only two children took pottery classes.

The new card class, with **Ree Nathan**, is gathering interest, and **AnnaJo Vahle's** acrylic workshop on Saturday the 20th was well attended. These classes and Jungle Fever Saturday, were advertised via flyers, the Star Advocate, radio announcements, BCA, Lou Belcher (Brevard Arts), and Facebook. Thanks to **Linda, Debbie, Franci, Shauna, Fran**, and all who helped spread the word. May that continue!

Sunshine Friday



Our first Sunshine Friday was held July 12 from 1:00 - 3:30 PM for the Step-By-Step Day Care Center. Forty-two children, ages 5-12, attended! TAL members **Joyce Bandilla, Jacqui Beberman, Bob Bielling, Deb Price, Kathy Benson**, and **Kathy's daughter-in-law, Heather**, staffed the event. The children were all very well-behaved, and the day care chaperones were a big help. One chaperone, Mariom, took over the face painting when Kathy had to leave, and she offered to come help us the next day too!

Sunshine Friday (continued)

The children had a great time and enjoyed the projects they made. The free ice cream coupons provided by McDonald's, US 1 in Titusville, were also a big hit. Thank you to all who helped make this such a success.

Sunshine Saturday

Twenty-six children attended the Jungle Fever Sunshine Saturday in July. The SPCA brought four beautiful dogs and the Space Coast Credit Union Mascot was there the entire time to meet and greet everyone. Our sponsors generously donated apples (McDonald's Restaurant, Mims), bags and boxes of goodies (Winn-Dixie and McDonald's on US1) and pizza (Hungry Howie's). A big "Thank You" goes out to all our sponsors and to all the wonderful, fun people who helped make this event a success:

Joyce Bandilla, Curtis and Franci Kettman, Jacqui Beberman, Linda Krupp, Bob Bielling, Deb Price, Heather, Rose Hitson, Mariom, and her daughter Fatima! Those of you who have helped out in the past but had prior commitments that day were truly missed!



Franci Kettman and Sunshine Saturday children.

July Meeting Highlights And News Items

Franci Kettman was our guest speaker and taught TAL members everything you wanted to know about Facebook (but were afraid to ask). Franci spoke before a packed room and explained Facebook page features, privacy settings, news feeds and home pages and provided tips for managing friends. **Thank you Franci** for enlightening your TAL friends on the intricacies of Face Book.

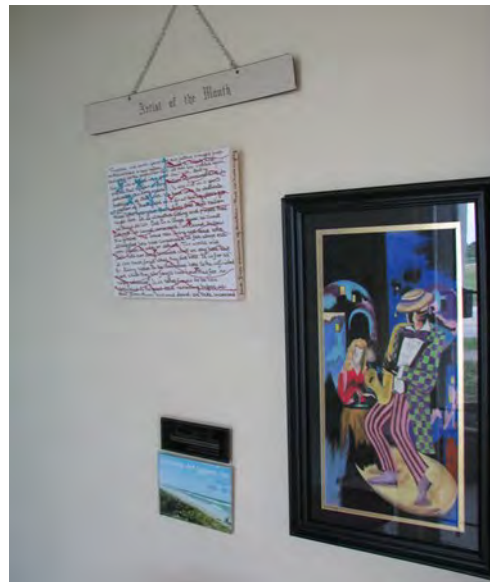


Franci Kettman, Guest speaker and TAL member



TAL members listening in rapt attention.

July Artists of the Month Jacqui Beberman and Addie Porter



Jacqui (art on left) and Addie (art on right)

- ◆ **Kim Marchesano** volunteered to record TAL member volunteer hours. If you've helped at TAL in cleaning the building, planning or working events, or projects, please be sure to complete a volunteer hours sheet and give it to Kim. These hours will help us in our quest for grant money. Tally sheets are available from **Kim** or **Linda Krupp**.
- ◆ 2nd Sunshine Friday and final Sunshine Saturday for the summer were held on August 2 and 3. The theme was "End of Summer and Seashore." The Friday event included 32 children from the Step By Step Day Care. Saturday's program had to compete with Florida Tax Free shopping weekend, but we still had 14 children in attendance. Thank you to **Joyce Bandilla and her team**.
- ◆ Next planned event will be on Oct. 26 for Halloween. More to come.



News and TAL Members in the Community

AnnaJo Vahle, award winning TAL artist, conducted an acrylic workshop on Saturday, July 20th. Six people were in attendance: Betty Camp, Debbie Price, Mel and Dot Fringer, Addie Porter and Linda Krupp. AnnaJo explained and demonstrated her landscape techniques, starting from top to bottom, back to front, etc. She also circulated amongst the group and provided personal suggestions and feedback on each artist's painting. Although all six people painted the very same picture, the resulting paintings were distinctly different works of art! What fun! AnnaJo is interested in doing more workshops in the future; we'll keep you posted.



Mel Fringer with his very first painting created in Anna Jo's workshop. That smile says it all. Great work Mel!

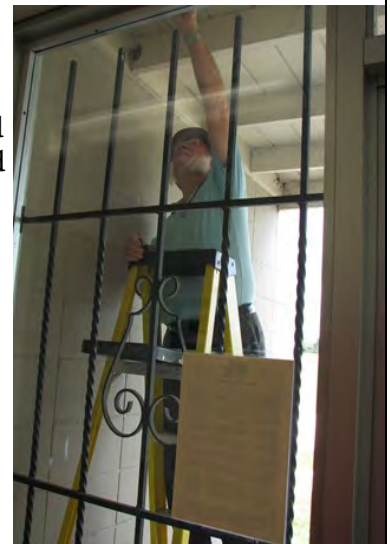


Betty Camp, Addie Porter, Mel and Dot Fringer, Anna Jo Vahle and Debbie Price



Kim Marchesano, Linda Krupp and Elaine (an art supporter) at Titusville Summer Nights July 12, 2013.

Bob Bieling, TAL House and Grounds Chair, hard at work (as always!).



Looking for an opportunity to have your artwork on permanent display in a public place?

Wuesthoff Hospital is seeking art works to provide a more cheerful environment for patients and visitors. Participating artists will have their donated art permanently displayed with a plaque displaying their name. Artists will be invited to a media event in December 2013 to announce the project's completion. If you are interested in participating, please contact Charlotte Koenig a 321-452-5133. Art is to be delivered by September to 280 N. Sykes Creek Parkway, Merritt Island, FL.

Jacqui Beberman will be forming a committee to create a 2014 calendar as a fundraiser for TAL. Come to the August meeting to learn more.



**Message From
Newsletter
Editor**

Thank you to those who submitted a news item for the newsletter. If you have any news, please send an email to:

talnews@yahoo.com

Please include the word "newsletter" in the subject line. Ideas and suggestions are welcomed! Thank you.

~ Fran Williams

Art In Public Places

TAL members are eligible to display their art works in a number of public places. This is a benefit of your TAL membership. With over 83 members, we should have no shortage of artists to display. If you haven't thought about doing this before, please consider it now! Let's get our art on display and help the community take notice.

Contact Jacqui Beberman at sjbeberman@cfl.rr.com.

Currently On Display

Linda Krupp - Chamber of Commerce

Jacqui Beberman and Rosemary Gordon - Kloiber's Cobbler Eatery

Jacqui Beberman - Mims Scottsmoor Library

Rosemary Pierce - Parrish Medical Center

Rosemary Gordon - Port St. John Library

Debbie Price - BCC Provost Office

Franci Kettman - Sunrise Animal Hospital

Debbie Price & Bob Bieling - Space Coast Cancer Center

Peggy Gunnerson - Dr. Asch Medical Building

Connie Allen - Donna Barnes & Friends Beauty Salon

~ TAL 2013-2014 ~

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CLASS INFO

Class	Contact	Note	Session Cost
Monday 10 AM - 1 PM	Connie Allen 321-220-4718	Open Studio All Are Welcome	Members - \$4 Non-Members - \$5
Tuesday 9 AM - 12 PM	Rosemary Pierce 321-269-4828	Oil Painting	Members \$10 Non-Members \$12
Tuesday 2:30 - 4:30 PM	Candi Thorpe 321-383-7774	Pottery Hand Building Pottery Wheel	Members \$17 Non-Members \$20
Tuesday 5:30 - 7:30 PM ** Must Call Candi to Confirm Participation**	Candi Thorpe 321-383-7774	Pottery Hand Building Pottery Wheel	Members \$17 Non-Members \$20
Wednesday 11:00 AM - 1 PM (Pre-Registration Required, Call or Email Ree reenathan@bellsouth.net)	Ree Nathan 321-773-0095 or 321-961- 2350	Creative Cards and Gift Making 7/31 thru 8/28	Members \$13 Non-Members \$15 (includes supplies)
Wednesday 10 AM - 12:30PM	Connie Allen 321-220-4718	Drawing, Pen & Ink, Pastel	Members \$10 Non-Members \$12
Saturday 9 AM - 11:30 AM (Studio East)	Brian Wallace 321-271-8220	Open Studio All Are Welcome	Members \$4 Non-Members \$5
*Watercolor classes to resume in Fall.		Teachers and Students Wanted	** Watch for new classes.

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