



## The View from the President's Corner

Since it's September, autumn has supposedly arrived. I'm not claiming that's true, however, since I still seem to be clearing up June projects. As I tell myself every year, "Next year I'll get my act together."

Our next Board Meeting is on September 4th and I hope many of you will attend. The more members discussing an idea, the better the results overall and more people are involved in decisions the Board ultimately has to make.

We are hoping to be able to do an "Art & Wine at the Center" fundraiser on Sunday, November 10th. Several of us have discussed this over the last several years and thought it would be a lot less work than the Rummage Sale has been and has the potential for raising the same amount of money.

The Brenda Tharp seminar was wonderful. She is talented and is able to easily work with a large group and still get her message across.

Both Diane Miller's and Tania Amochaev's Master's Presentations were wonderful. We have such talented people in the Club. I am looking forward to Edmond Bridant's presentation in October.

I am still waiting for many of you to get back to me on what jobs you might be interested in for 2008. The Board members will have to start working on the slate at the Board Meeting in September. I am really looking forward to new leadership and it's healthy for the Club to change every several years.

Stay cool and enjoy the beautiful colors and light of autumn.

Donna G. Campbell

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<b>~ CALENDAR ~</b>	
<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	
<b>4</b>	<i>Board Meeting, 6 p.m., LBAG Center</i>
<b>7</b>	<i>Electronic entries due</i>
<b>12</b>	<i>Info sheet items to Donna</i>
<b>13</b>	<i>Monthly competition, 7 p.m.</i>
<b>21</b>	<i>Electronic entries due</i>
<b>26</b>	<i>Info sheet items to Donna Newsletter items to Marcia</i>
<b>27</b>	<i>Assigned subject - Prints, 7 p.m. See page 5 for details</i>
<b>OCTOBER</b>	
<b>5</b>	<i>Electronic entries due</i>
<b>10</b>	<i>Info sheet items to Donna</i>
<b>11</b>	<i>Monthly competition, 7 p.m.</i>
<b>24</b>	<i>Info sheet items to Donna Newsletter items to Marcia</i>
<b>25</b>	<i>Edmond Bridant's Master's Presentation, 7 p.m..</i>
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	
<b>2</b>	<i>Electronic entries due</i>
<b>7</b>	<i>Info sheet items to Donna</i>
<b>8</b>	<i>Monthly competition, 7 p.m.</i>
<b>15</b>	<i>End-of-Year Competition, 7 p.m.</i>
<b>27</b>	<i>Board Meeting, 6 p.m., LBAG Center</i>

~ Exhibitions and Ongoing Calls to Artists ~

**EXHIBITIONS, ETC.**

**Deadline: 09/07/07 - Harvest Fair** Details available at <http://www.harvestfair.org>

**Deadline: 09/15/07 Bay Area Living With Wildlife contest.** Entries \$15 each, two prizes of \$500. Send entry form and 8x10 print to contest address. See website for details:  
<http://www.wildcarebayarea.org/photocontest/>

**Deadline and Delivery: 9/29/07 & 9/30/07 Artisans Art Gallery (san Rafael) has an open call to all artists! October- Urban Landscapes/ Underscapes: Urban spaces seen perceived and explored.** All entries must be hand delivered to Artisans on: Saturday September 29th, 11 – 5 p.m, or Sunday September 30th, 10:30 – 2:30 p.m. Entry fees: \$30 for up 3 pieces.

For a PDF of the complete prospectus please email at [artisansartgallery@sbcglobal.net](mailto:artisansartgallery@sbcglobal.net) or go to [www.artisansartgallery.org](http://www.artisansartgallery.org).

**ONGOING CALLS TO ARTISTS.**

**The Atrium Gallery at Marin General Hospital mounts four shows a year of "healing art."** The gallery is looking for local artists for future shows. Previous artists have included Ernest Braun. Send slides and SASE to Wende Heath, Institute for Health and Healing, PO Box 8010, San Rafael, CA 94912.

**Plaza Arts Gallery** in Healdsburg is accepting submissions for its Resident Artists program. Resident artists are given an 8' by 8' space to show their work on an ongoing basis for a modest fee. Sitting the gallery is required. Please send SASE for application form to Plaza Arts, 130 Plaza Street, Healdsburg 95448 or pick one up at the gallery. Phone: (707) 431-1970.

**LINK** independent curators seek art for shows. Send slides, statement, SASE to: 626 Costa Dr., Napa, CA 94558.

**SECOND MEETING PROGRAM NOTES FOR SEPTEMBER 27, 2007**

The second September meeting, September 27th, is scheduled to be an Assigned Subject. It is a bit of a stretch but the Assigned Subject will be Prints.

Each member may submit up to two prints. The titles of your submissions should be e-mailed to Janet Gelfman (see club roster) by Friday September 21, 2007. The prints may be black and white or color depicting any subject in good taste.

We will have a panel discussion of the prints submitted. The panel will include members and, hopefully, a non-member who will further enrich our discussions. In addition, David Baldwin, a printer in Santa Rosa will participate in the discussion. He will also share information about his method of printing, equipment, etc.

I'm looking forward to this next to the last Second Meeting for 2007 and hoping for a goodly number of submissions. If it appears we have too many images to comfortably discuss within the time frame, we will take the first of the two listed images from each submitting member.

Janet L. Gelfman, Vice President

**2006 END-OF-YEAR WINNERS  
MASTERS - CREATIVE  
"FIRST SNOWFALL" - MARILYN BROONER**



**~ OUR THANKS TO ~**

... the following folks who contributed to our awesome August refreshments: Larry Mackie, Anne Abrams, Marilyn Brooner, Janet Gelfman, Ira Gelfman, Jim Thomason, Donna Campbell, Darryl Henke and Frances Clagg.

And, a special thanks to our August judge, Jerry Dodrill.

**We are grateful!**

**FAIR SEASON RESULTS NEEDED...**

PLEASE CONTINUE TO SEND YOUR FAIR COMPETITION RESULTS TO NEWSLETTER EDITOR, MARCIA HART. RESULTS FROM THE ENTIRE FAIR SEASON WILL BE PUBLISHED AFTER THE HARVEST FAIR IN THE NOVEMBER **POSITIVE PRINT**. THE INFORMATION YOU SEND IS WHAT WILL BE LISTED. I.E., IF INFORMATION RECEIVED IS LIMITED TO RIBBONS OR PLACES, THAT IS WHAT WILL BE PRINTED. OR, IF IMAGE TITLES AND COMPETITION CATEGORIES ARE INCLUDED IN WHAT IS SENT IN, THEY WILL BE LISTED. THERE WILL BE NO REQUESTS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ONCE RESULTS ARE RECEIVED. IT IS UP TO EACH INDIVIDUAL TO PROVIDE THE INFORMATION S/H E WANTS LISTED.

**Good News!**

Linda Caldwell has an exhibit of 15 of her framed pieces for sale at the Board of Supervisors' Office Building on Administration Drive in Santa Rosa. It began on August 24th and will continue to October 1st.

(Don't forget to email your "Good News" to *Positive Print* editor, Marcia Hart. See roster for email address.)

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## AUGUST COMPETITION RESULTS

### NATURE

**Level - B**

1st ... Marcia Hart	Horses of the Camargue
2nd .. Anne Abrams	Bee and Purple Flower
3rd ... Shirley Bowersmith	Bees Working in Magnolia

**Level - A**

1st ... XXX	XXX
2nd ... XXX	XXX
3rd ... XXX	XXX

**Level - AA**

1st ... Nadine Amoss	Bighorn Sheep
2nd ... Jim Thomason	Striated Caracara
3rd ... XXX	XXX

**Level - Masters**

1st ... XXX	XXX
2nd ... XXX	XXX
3rd ... XXX	XXX

### CREATIVE

**Level - B**

1st ... Steve Palmer	Foggy Coastline
2nd ... Brad Boothe	Sunset
3rd ... Lorna Peters	Kitten

**Level - A**

1st ... Linda Caldwell	4th of July Rose
2nd ... Ira Gelfman	Saxy Guy
3rd ... XXX	XXX

**Level - AA**

1st ... Larry Mackie	Tale from the Crypt
2nd ... David Henneman	Xela Montage
3rd ... Jon Frieseke	Wood Grain

**Level - Masters**

1st ... Marilyn Brooner	A Painted Rose Cluster
2nd ... Diane Miller	White Orchids in Vase
3rd ... Barbara Larson	Big Mama is Watching

### GENERAL

**Level - B**

1st ... Brad Boothe	Temptations
2nd ... Marcia Hart	Misty Machu Picchu
3rd ... Phillip Hann	Early Risers

**Level - A**

1st ... Joe Simons	San Miguel Afternoon Shadow
2nd ... Linda Caldwell	Elegant Orchids
3rd ... Sheri Prager	Foggy Forest

**Level - AA**

1st ... Jim Thomason	Race to the Sea
2nd ... David Wallace	Reflections at Low Tide
3rd ... Drew Jackson	Thumbs

**Level - Masters**

1st ... Edmond Bridant	Alcatraz Dining Room #2
2nd ... Howard Bruensteiner	Headed for the Wind
3rd ... Tania Amochaev	Just Fishing

