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**2017**

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## President's Message

We are dealing with Monsoon madness as we have been having more flooding, downstairs and now upstairs as well. Sandbags we hope, upstairs, will hold the water at bay. This is particularly disturbing as we face another month of water!

As I share this, we still do not have a paid claim from the city for the flooding at the end of February.

Today, I discovered the street is REALLY open on both ends of our section of Alarcon from Sheldon and Willis. The street looks particularly lovely and there is some good parking, not so much on our side, but across the street. We will have a Grand Re-Opening during the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday in August.

As I discussed with you in January, in my initial letter, things are changing here at MAG. We have active committees involved in improving our processes, productivity, and financial picture. We must evolve and move quickly into the digital age. You may be interested in volunteering for a committee (chairs are listed in this newsletter): Membership, Gallery, Scholarships, Scholarship Auction, Art for Youth/Kid's Camp, Studio Tour, Festival and Workshops. If you have special skills to volunteer, graphics, web development, gallery management, etc. we may have special projects you can help us with.

We are signing people up for the Holiday Miniature Show (Judy Lewis, Chair). This will be part of the Featured Artists wall in the Gallery.

Also on the Featured Artist wall, will be the 6x6 (donated) Fundraising Show (canvases available in the gallery). Last year our fundraiser netted about \$2000 to help us with our building fund. Please help us by painting a 6x6. They sell for approximately \$40 and all proceeds go to MAG's Building Fund. Additional cash donations are welcome for this fund! We do have Featured Artist opportunities (juried) and you can contact Blair Worthington if you are interested.

SAVE the DATE (DATE CHANGE!): Saturday, November 4, 2017 for our MAG Scholarship MASK-querade Party, wine tasting and Live Auction. 5PM - 9PM. Heavy appetizers and wine tastings. We will be selling your donated artworks, including 2D, 3D and Jewelry. If you would be willing to work with an artist on a 1-1 and donate your time (minimum bids required), we will have a silent auction for these special donations of your time. You would receive a certificate for your taxes of the value of your purchased gift to MAG. All proceeds will go to our Scholarship Fund. This year we awarded 3 - \$2000 scholarships. Harold Nelson was our Scholarship chair. More information will follow with ticket pricing and prizes for winning MASKs.

Beginning in September, we will again introduce our Monthly Membership Meeting and Info/or Demo/or Instruction before 4<sup>th</sup> Friday. Our next Quarterly Membership Meeting will be Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> from 9:30 (critique), 10AM Business and Artist Demo and adjourn at noon and includes brunch type refreshments.

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Open studio rates are increasing as of 9/1/17. Rates for Weds/Thurs open studio will increase to \$5/members and \$7/non-members. Portraiture for the time being will remain the same.

Events at MAG are welcome. I have been hosting the League of Women Voters for a "Gallery After Hours Party" in the evening. If you have a group that would like to rent our facility, we will discuss pricing with you. Contact me or Alex to discuss this opportunity. We have the Downstairs space and the Upstairs space available. You can also host in the Gallery with a gallery host present to process sales and secure the gallery exhibits.

The Board continues to need a Secretary and Treasurer. If you would like to serve on our Board, please contact me directly at 928 445-2510 or email me at [murielh1946@gmail.com](mailto:murielh1946@gmail.com).

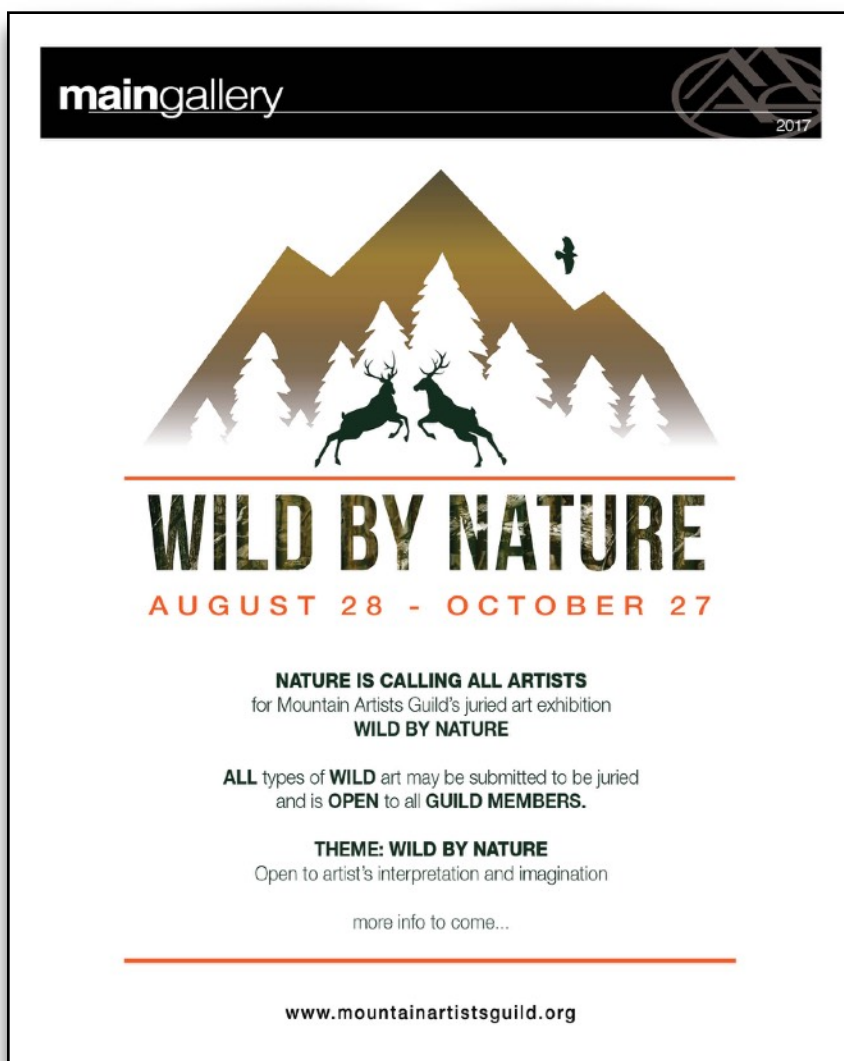
Please encourage your artist friends to join MAG and be part of our Artist Community. Sign up for a workshop! Attend an Open Studio! Visit our website at [www.mountainartistsguild.org](http://www.mountainartistsguild.org) for details and general information.

I am headed to Europe soon and will be gone for 3 weeks and back on September 5<sup>th</sup>. Alex (Alexandra) Rudolph will be your contact in the Administrative Offices and Cat Rainey, Vice President of the Board, will be acting as Board Representative.

I look forward to seeing you at the 67<sup>th</sup> Arts and Crafts Festival at the Courthouse Square on August 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>!

Muriel

*Next* Main Gallery Show - *Wild by Nature* - August 28 - October 27



Main Gallery Show - *America the Beautiful* - June 26 - August 25

2D

3D



2 D

Best of Show - Poplars - Dennis Galloway, Photo  
1st - Four Peaks Tony Herrin, Oil  
2nd - Outcropping - Tom Conner, Oil  
3rd - Double Wine Sari - Mimi Damrauer, Fiber

3 D

Best of Show - Story Teller - Harry DeKeukelaere, Resin  
1st - Rocking Chair - Kevin Backway, Wood  
2nd - Boot Box - Virginia Parker, Mixed media Wood & Hide  
3rd - Bar - Earl Bolkan, Wood

## MAG Artist Profile - Cin Hollins - Long time member

Cin Hollins has been a resident of Prescott since 2004. From childhood she has been interested in creating works of art. Her interest in jewelry started when she made her own clothes and created earrings to match those outfits.

Cin's philosophy on making her unique pieces of jewelry is "No, woman wants to see her jewelry coming towards her." Hence the name for her jewelry 'OriginalCinJewelry.'



She is a certified Art Clay and Precious Metal Clay instructor. She has taken jewelry making classes at Yavapai College to improve her skills. Other techniques used have been self-taught or through online instructional classes.

In September 2011 Cin was selected as Artist of the Month by Wire Sculpture.Com. The piece selected was called Captured Prescott Nights, which is a wire wrapped Druze. In 2014 her Kumihimo with a foldform copper pendant was selected for Accent Bead Designs website.

Her pieces may incorporate several different techniques. These techniques include metal work, precious metal clays, watercolor, kumihimo, alcohol inks, wire wrapping, wire weaving, polymer clay, beading, and fused glass.



Cin is also a tireless volunteer for MAG. She has served on the Gallery Committee and 4th Friday's for many years. You will see Cin's jewelry in most MAG Gallery shows.





## News from the Gallery Committee

The new Gallery show, **Wild by Nature** is right around the corner. **Intake** is Saturday, August 26th, 9 am to noon. The great news is that road work on Alarcon is completed!

The Gallery Committee has a new Committee Chairperson, Blair Worthington. She brings a new and exciting perspective to our board. We also welcome four new committee members, Miriam Carlson-Maier, Susan Allen, Patty Brady and Jim Pickering. MAG members are always welcome to attend our meetings on the second Monday of every month at 10 am. Come join in the excitement!

The Gallery Committee is committed to improving the running of the Gallery, gaining more exposure for our participating artists, and trying to make it easier for members to participate. One of our major projects is to make it possible to enter a show entirely online. We hope this will help simplify the process, reduce the number of volunteers needed to process the artwork and give all of our members the flexibility to enter shows at a time convenient to them. Please bear with us as we transition to the digital age! We hope to have this up and running for the 2018 shows.

Plan ahead for the always festive **Holiday Show** in November and December and don't forget to support our **Fourth Fridays** by attending or dropping by some appetizers to share. It is always fun to meet members and neighbors while enjoying the quality art in the Gallery. If you are a participant in the current show, this is your chance to invite friends and clients to see your work. A major part of selling your work is self-promotion and Fourth Fridays is a perfect opportunity.

**The Gallery Committee**

### Main Gallery Shows for 2017

America the Beautiful

June 26 - August 25

Wild by Nature

August 28 - October 27

Holiday Show

October 30 - December 23

### Featured Artists Shows for 2017

Lyn DeLano, Deanne Brewster, Barb Andress

July 21 - September 13

Studio Tour

September 15 - October 18

Miniature Show

November 17 - December 23

Prescott Area

# Artist STUDIO TOUR

PrescottStudioTour.com

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
October 6, 7 & 8, 2017  
Sponsored by Mountain Artists Guild

Free • Self-guided • Start at any location • Meet the Artists • Purchase Unique Art



60 juried artists in 40 private studios • 37 additional artists in 3 art centers

early call for artists



work small

**8th Annual Miniature Show 2017**  
November 17, 2017 - January 5, 2018

Only \$10 to display 4 items of small art in a very successful show. Apply early, space is limited.

Applications will be available on MAG's website on 9/1 at [www.mountainartistsguild.org](http://www.mountainartistsguild.org)

See application for details. Contact curator, Judy Lewis, 928.363.0358 or [jglewis66@gmail.com](mailto:jglewis66@gmail.com) with questions or comments.

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**Booth spaces are still available\* for our 67th Annual  
Arts & Crafts Festival August 12th & 13th**



\*Jury and Late Entry fees will be waived for Members.

MAG Membership Applications sent in with Vendor Applications will be honored and fees will be waived.

Don't miss the 67th annual  
Prescott Arts & Crafts Festival!  
Go to [www.mountainartistsguild.org/festivals](http://www.mountainartistsguild.org/festivals)  
or call 928.776.4009



**Call for Volunteers - see info on pages 10 & 11**

## Workshop Schedules

### August

Linda Umphrey - Plein Air - August 10 & 17  
Danielle Ippoliti - Relief Sculptures of Rocks & Wood - August 14 & 15

### September

Fealing Lin - Watercolor - September 6,7 & 8  
Patty Lindsey - Fused & Slumped Glass: Bowls/Candles/Vitrograph - September 9 & 16  
Chris Saper - Portraiture in Oil - September 18,19,20 & 21  
Danielle Ippoliti - Wall of Functional Art - September 18 & 19  
Kim Fox - Beginners Kumihemo Jewelry - September 30

### October

Don Rantz - Pastels - October 16,17 & 18  
Danielle Ippoliti - Making a variety of Beeswax Candles - October 23 & 24  
Donna Carver - Marketing Your Art Work - October 28, November 4 & 11

### November

Danielle Ippoliti - Weaving made with Wool & Fabric - November 13 & 14

### December


Betty Carr - Watercolor - December 5,6,7 & 8  
Danielle Ippoliti - Eggs made with Beeswax & Dyes - December 11 & 12

***Go to the website at [mountainartistsguild.org](http://mountainartistsguild.org) for info.***



**FEATURED ARTIST**

*Dynamics of Nature*  
**JULY 21 - SEPTEMBER 13**  
FEATURING THE WORKS OF  
BARBARA ANDRESS • DEANNE BREWSTER • LYN DE LANO



Clouded Leopards- De Lano

Covered in Filigree- Andress Brewster Designs

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Due to the flooding downtown on the last 4th Friday Art Walk (7/28) and the cancellation of the opening reception for 'Dynamics of Nature'... the artists' reception will be moved to 4th Friday, August 25th. If you haven't been in before the next 4th Friday, please come into the Gallery and enjoy our artwork on the Featured Artist Wall. We will be there for 2 months, until Sept 13.



## **WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!**

The 67th Annual Arts & Crafts Festival is fast approaching and we need volunteers!

We have 3 volunteer categories:

**MAG Volunteer Tent  
Info Booth  
Quadrant Ambassador**

Yes, that's right, the MAG Volunteer Tent is still in the show! Any volunteer who participates will be allowed one piece in the tent and will receive 100% of their sales.

**Tent will be placed at Booth 93.**

In an effort to conserve expenses and still provide volunteers with a tent we will need help with set-up and tear down on Friday and Sunday Evening. These shifts are separate from working intake and running the volunteer tent and do require physical labor. Our Maintenance worker, Kenny Wade, will be there to assist with general set-up and transportation of the tents and supplies to the Square, but additional transportation is always appreciated.

Mandatory Volunteer Orientation will be held on August 7th.

### **MAG Volunteer Tent:**

Shifts:

Friday - 5pm to 8pm

Saturday - 8am to 11am

Sunday - 9am to 12pm

11am to 2pm

12pm to 3pm

2pm to 5pm

3pm to 6pm

Friday: Setup of MAG Show Tent, intake MAG artist work

-meet at MAG at 5pm Friday to coordinate/transport MAG show tent and info booth supplies to courthouse square, intake artwork from MAG artists/ volunteers  
Intake MAG artist work, sales

Saturday Morning:

-Assist with intake and finishing set up

Saturday and Sunday:

-Assist with sale of artwork

Sunday Evening: Break down info booth, MAG tent and assist with cleanup

-Assist with sale of artwork

-assist with artist sign out and pick up of work

-meet at MAG tent at 4pm Sunday to coordinate and transport show tent and info booth supplies back to MAG offices, put snacks/water, tables and chairs in office, put everything else in shed

**Quadrant Ambassador:**

**Shifts:**

Friday - 4pm to 8pm

Saturday - 6 am to 10am  
10am to 2pm  
2pm to 6pm

Sunday - 8am to 12pm  
12pm to 4pm  
4pm to 7pm

**Assist vendors**

-assist vendors in finding their booth, monitor booth set-up and trash disposal per county regulations, offer water/snacks and booth sitting assistance as needed

**Info Booth:**

**Shifts:**

Friday - 4pm to 8pm

Saturday - 6 am to 10 am  
10am to 2pm  
2pm to 6pm

Sunday - 8am to 12pm  
12pm to 4pm  
4pm to 7pm

**Friday night:** Check-in and assist vendors

-set up info booth, check-in vendors, hand them welcome packet, help them locate booth on map, answer vendor questions, take down tax info as needed

**Saturday:** Check-in vendors (6am to 10am), serve coffee and donuts, assist visitors

-check-in vendors, hand them welcome packet, help them locate booth on map, answer vendor questions, take down tax info as needed, answer visitor questions and give out directories, hand out water and snacks to vendors. Assist visitors and vendors. Answer vendors and visitor questions, give out directories, hand out water and snacks to vendors. Assist visitors and vendors, clean up info booth for nighttime storage

**Sunday:**

-Answer visitor questions and give out directories, hand out water and snacks to vendors

-Break down info booth at 4pm and assist with cleanup. Break down tables and chairs to be taken back to MAG, consolidate leftover water and snacks, empty coolers of ice/water, take info booth trash to dumpster, help load as needed

## **OPEN STUDIOS**

### **Oil Painting Group** (All media welcome)

Wednesdays, 9am to Noon - \$5 member - \$7 non-member, per day

Alice Gunter - Coordinator

### **Water Media Group** (All media welcome)

Thursdays, 9am to Noon (off for summer) - \$5 member - \$7 non-member, per day

Sandy Swan - Coordinator

### **Portrait/Costumed Model** (All media welcome)

Fridays, 9am to Noon - \$10 member - \$15 non-member, per day (rates in effect now)

Dorothy Ray - Coordinator

(new rates in effect as of September 1)

For Info - MAG Office - 445-2510

## **Committee Chairpersons**

**Art for Youth/Kids Art Camp** - Janis Keeling

**Featured Artist Wall** - Blair Worthington

**Festival/Events** - Alex Rudolph

**Gallery** - Blair Worthington

**Membership** - Vera Bloch

**Scholarships/Scholarship Auction** - Muriel Haverland

**Studio Tour** - Deanne Brewster

**Workshops** - Gail Holl

Forward your question or information to [guild@mountainartistsguild.org](mailto:guild@mountainartistsguild.org) and we will ensure that the proper Chair receives your email and contacts you directly.



## CALL FOR ART . . . Gallery Wrap Miniatures

Our **6x6 Gallery Wrap Miniature Sale** last year was a wildly popular success. We are repeating the effort this year to benefit our building and recovery from the flooding we suffered in February.

We are counting on our wonderful artists to come in and pick up one canvas, or more, and create mini masterpieces. Bring it in to the gallery when complete.

We will begin displaying and selling these miniatures for the rest of the year, with a new, fun twist. They will be priced at \$40, but when you declare your intention to purchase, the piece will be marked with a colored dot and left on display for two weeks. During that time, if another buyer offers \$50, you will be called and given a chance to meet the \$50 and get your painting right away, or let the second higher bidder take it home.

We are counting on our wonderful artist members to create miniature jewels that will be in high demand.  
**Come pick up your canvases today!**

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