

MAGAZINE



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

This is hard letter to write. I want all of you to know that I will be resigning as your President effective 1/1/20. Dawn Zintel, our Vice President will serve out my term in 2020. I am resigning only because I have served 2 years and my health and (most importantly!) my painting has suffered. I will continue to serve on the Board as a Director at Large for 2020.

I must thank all of you for the trust you put in me and the wonderful support you have given to me and to your Board. I feel truly blessed to have been able to use my talents and time to help such a wonderful organization as Mountain Artists Guild.

Let me tell you a little bit about your new President, **Dawn Zintel**. Dawn is a dual citizen of both Canada and the United States. Art and leadership began for her back in her elementary and high school years, where she studied art and became the first female President of the Student Council of a 110 years old high school!

Dawn was a Director of Training in the Technology corporate world for 5 years and was President of her company, The Training Alliance, Inc., for 29 years and grew it to a multi-million dollar, worldwide business. She has studied and been mentored by many award-winning artists in Canada and the USA. She has taught and mentored elementary students to help them develop a love for art and she has filled several Board and Committee positions in art leagues in both countries. She brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to Mountain Artists Guild and I know she will be a wonderful President.

Once again, thank you for letting me be your President for the last 2 years. I look forward to seeing all of you at Open Studios, 4th Friday, Membership meetings and in the Gallery.

Sincerely,

Cat Rainey
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2020

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If you would like to serve on the Board, please contact:

guild@mountainartistsguild.org

Dear MAG Members,

As you know by now, our President, Cat Rainey, has resigned effective January 1, 2020. I am happy to fill in for Cat for the remainder of her term. I have some big shoes to fill. Cat asked me to be her VP in early 2018 and I am very glad to have had almost 2 years experience working with her as VP and leading the Education and Technology efforts. She has taught me a great deal about MAG and how to manage it. Like Cat, I want to ensure the Guild continues to achieve its mission and remains solid financially.

In 2020, I am particularly interested in how this membership-driven organization is meeting your needs and that we continue to expand how we support you. We will be setting some very specific objectives for 2020. The Board can't achieve these objectives alone. THIS IS YOUR GUILD and we need you to step up and contribute to our success by being actively involved in the programs we create. In the meantime, talk to me and other Board members. We want to hear what you need from MAG and how you can help us. I'm looking forward to 2020 and partnering with you.

Best wishes for a Happy Holiday and a Great New Year!

Dawn Zintel

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480-696-9027

Your Biography is needed in the Gallery!

Please drop off your updated Bio to the Gallery so we can add it into the book for your customers to view.

From the Executive Director's Desk

Hello Members,

I hope you all enjoyed your summer. I can't believe how quickly that went!

I have some exciting news to share. Richard Elkins, a member of our Veterans Art Program, is painting a mural highlighting the beautiful natural world of the Prescott area on the north side of our building. Weather permitting, the nearly fifty-foot mural should be completed by the end of the year. Stay tuned for the reveal date.



A big thank you to Findlay Subaru for providing funding to cover the cost of the mural!

We were recently recognized at the 2019 Chamber of Commerce Business Awards with the Excellence in Arts & Culture Award. This accolade was received in acknowledgement of our ongoing outreach and the impact of our organization in the community. What an honor!

Much heartfelt gratitude to the wonderful job Cat Rainey has done as the President of Mountain Artists Guild the past two years! She has led us through some challenging times. Thank you Dawn Zintel for taking up the mantle! I look forward to working with you and the Board in 2020.

Thank you to all our members for volunteering this past year. Your enthusiasm and support for MAG is what makes this organization a success. Together we will continue the growth of Mountain Artists Guild's significance in our community.

Wishing you a happy, healthy and loving holiday season.

All the best,
Pauline



Current Main Gallery Show

Holiday Celebrations Show

October 19 - December 21

MOUNTAIN ARTISTS GUILD
MAIN GALLERY

holiday celebrations
SHOW & SALE

OCTOBER 19 - DECEMBER 21, 2019

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Next Main Gallery Show...

CASTING SHADOWS

January 3 - February 21



[CALL FOR ART]

CASTING SHADOWS

JANUARY 3 - FEBRUARY 21, 2020
Intake Friday January 3 - 1 to 4 pm
& Saturday January 4 - 9 am to 12 noon

A sunny day
Someone or something in strong light
A shadowed mood, a sense of fear

Current - Main Gallery - Holiday Celebrations Show



Main Gallery... Featured Artist - *Judy Lewis*

November 16 - December 20

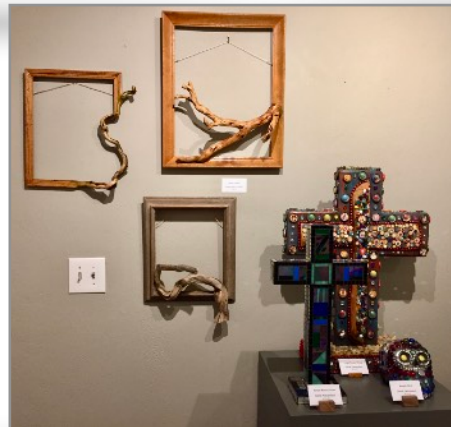


Next Featured artist - Roy Hill - January 4 - February 22

Spotlight Room One

Veterans Art Show

October 12 - December 20



Spotlight Room TWO

Bonnie Casey - "Here Comes The Sun"

November 16 - December 20



MAG Artist Profile - Phyllis Sullins-McKenzie

Phyllis was born in Cowden, Illinois, but now has lived in Prescott for over 27 years. First moving to Scottsdale in 1959 with her family. Phyllis relocated to Prescott in 1992. She has been a member of MAG for 25 years now!. Phyllis is always willing to volunteer her time and talents to MAG.



Phyllis grew up on a farm and attended country schools where art was not offered. Her artistic development has come from the desire to express herself through her art.



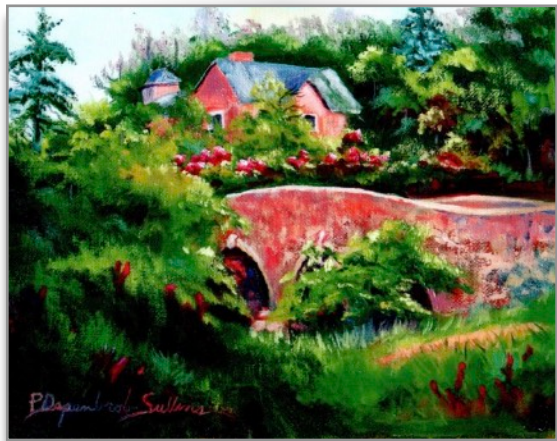
At mid-life, after raising her family, she developed her love for art. An important aspect of Phyllis's artistic development has been her love for traveling, hiking and photography.

Phyllis enjoys working in several media including oil and watercolor as well as acrylics and mixed media. She paints in a realistic style with an emphasis on color. Her paintings

are filled with personal experiences and emotion. She enjoys the challenge of painting from her photos that she has taken on her many trips. She is constantly aware of her surroundings when looking for subjects that



would make an artistic statement.



She has taken workshops from several instructors including Joni Falk, Adrian Hansen and Dick Phillips along with many others.

Phyllis has won many art show awards in both Scottsdale and Prescott at Mountain Artists Gallery! You can see her work in almost any new show at MAG.

News from the Gallery Committee

I'd like to introduce myself - My name is Julie Alver. I have many interests in the art realm. I paint oil/watercolor/acrylic, craft, love to up-cycle when I can, enjoy the fiber arts and jewelry too.

I'm honored to be asked to chair the Gallery Committee and delighted by the exciting opportunities the Guild is creating for the membership to participate in volunteering in many different areas. Watch for your chance to help build the Guild.

As ever the Gallery Committee is striving to make the intake and pickup process easier. We can always use your help in the process, so please join us. We are working on new simpler intake forms, along with additional opportunities to volunteer at the Guild. We plan to offer some orientation for volunteer sales associates, updating the Gallery instruction book - opening, closing, processing sales and many additional opportunities beyond hosting in the gallery.

The New Year is fast approaching and sales have been brisk for the Holiday Show! Just reminding you that pickup for this show is going to be 12/21 on Fri 1-4p, 12/22 on Sat. 9-12p. If you need to pickup prior to that time please contact Julie 928-778-1106 or Lois 928-515-4902. We will be closed during the holidays for carpet cleaning and refreshing the gallery. We would love volunteers to help with patching, painting and general cleaning.

Upcoming shows for the year are available on the Mountain Artists Guild Website. Our 1st show of the year theme is **Casting Shadows**- intake is January 3rd Fri. 1-4p, Sat. 9-12p. Please make time for these dates as extra help is available during those times only. Contact Julie or Lois regarding any issues.

A reminder that the gallery is now closed on Sundays and Mondays.

To our 3D artists - please don't forget **100 things under \$100**. You may submit these items for any show during regular intake. Themed or not.

Don't forget the **Featured Artist Wall** and the **Spotlight Rooms**. They sold out fast this last year! Contact Mary Clare for available dates at 445-2510.

We are looking forward to continuing the **Chair-ish** program to benefit Gallery upgrades. Please consider donating a chair or 2 to be raffled off during the 4th Friday Art Walks through out the year. These chairs were also very popular during the Festivals. I want to thank all the Artists that have so far donated their art chairs. By the way, please sign your chairs as it is an art piece and you should be recognized. Help us sell raffle ticket too!

Come join us during **4th Fridays, membership meetings and other activities...** and learn more about all the new opportunities to participate in at the Guild. As an artist showing in the gallery, many of our guests on 4th Fridays look forward to meeting you and learning about your media. Help us sell your art and join in the fun.

Finally I want to thank the Gallery Committee and all the volunteers that have helped make Mountain Artists Guild and Gallery a success!

Julie Alver
Gallery Committee Chair

2020 Intake Dates for the Main Gallery

January 3 and 4- *Casting Shadows-*

Ideas:

- A sunny day
- Someone or something in strong light
- A shadowed mood, a sense of fear.

February 21 and 22- *Something Personal-*

Ideas:

- A person, object or memory personal to the artist.
- Something that can be worn on a person
- Something in the artist's personal style.

April 17 and 18- *Color Play-*

Ideas:

- Make it colorful!!!
- Cool colors, warm colors, analogous or contrasting.
- Let's see your palette!

June 19 and 20- *Hot! Hot! Hot!*

Ideas:

- Desert heat
- A steaming jungle
- Summer in the city.
- A nice hot cup of tea.
- Mama's kitchen or a family meal.
- Hot colors, feel the heat!

August 21 and 22- *On the Border-*

Ideas:

- A cliff edge, a garden border or a political statement?
- Fabric with a boarder.
- On the brink.
- In whatever way you interpret borders.

October 16 and 17- *Holiday Show-*

Ideas:

- Halloween, Thanksgiving, Kwanzaa, Hanukkah, and Christmas
- Gifts for all, gifts galore!!



EDUCATION SCHEDULES

2020 CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS

*(Registration Opens for 1st Quarter Education Events on December 2, 2020
at MAG and on the MAG website)*

**INTRODUCTORY CLASSES FOR NOVICES (NO ART EXPERIENCE) AND ALL OTHER LEVELS
WITH NO EXPERIENCE WITH A PARTICULAR MEDIUM**

January

Harold Nelson, **Color Theory and Color Mixing**, January 25 - 27

March

Patrick Harper, **Introduction to Oil Painting & Water-mixable Oils**, Feb. 29 – March 1

WORKSHOPS FOR BEGINNERS WITH SOME EXPERIENCE TO ADVANCED LEVELS

March

Robert Goldman, **Landscape Painting in the Studio** (All Mediums), March 28 & 29

May

Caroline Linscott, **Painting Flowers with Watercolor**, May 30 & 31

June

Bruce Marion, **Pet and Wildlife Painting Workshop** (Acrylic), June 27 & 28

August

Betty Carr, **Expressive, Luminous Paintings with Impressionistic Brushwork** (Oil and Watercolor), August 29-31

For more information on MAG's workshops and to register,

<https://www.mountainartistsguild.org/>

Stay tuned for more educational events in 2020. Keep checking our web site:

<https://www.mountainartistsguild.org/>

TOLE PAINTING

Let It Be Toled...

Location is Mountain Artist Guild, 228 Alarcon St.
10:00am - 3:00pm

Seminar Dates Let It Be Toled for 2020

Cost to attend meeting is \$5. Surface cost and pattern vary (\$3-\$10). We do a variety of mediums which include acrylic, watercolor, colored pencil, fabric and mixed media. All are welcome.

Membership dues are \$15 for Let It Be Toled. Dues to Society of Decorative Painters are \$60 which includes their magazine, are recommended. Meetings are held on Saturdays from 10am-3pm. Call Tava Ekstrom-Lang for supply costs, project information at 928-642-6763.

Information of project will be available on website Libt.org

<u>Date</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Project</u>
January 11	Bonnie Dominques	acrylic on canvas
February 1	Bev Morn	mixed media
March 7	to be determined	
April 4	to be determined	
May 2	to be determined	
June 13, 14	Chris Haughey	acrylic Two day seminar
July 11	to be determined	
August 1	to be determined	
September 5	to be determined	
October 10	to be determined	
November 7	to be determined	ornaments
December ?	Christmas party	

NEW VETERAN ART CLASSES FREE TO ALL VETS - OPEN TO ALL LEVELS



Have you ever wanted to explore your artist side or further develop your art skills? If so...
WE WANT YOU TO COME AND JOIN US!

Class subjects will include Drawing,
Composition, Use of various media
Supplies will be provided - Each class will
have a break for coffee and refreshments

2ND WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH

CLASS TIME: 10:00AM TO 2:00PM

Location- MOUNTAIN ARTISTS GUILD

228 N. Alarcon Street, Prescott AZ 86301

Telephone 928-776-4009

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Don't forget....

Membership Meetings are held
before each 4th Friday at 4:00.

Come and meet your fellow MAG members and find out
what is new at the Gallery!

OPEN STUDIOS

NEW! - Pan Pastels

Tuesdays, 10am to 1pm - \$5 member - \$7 non-member, per day

Sept 3 & 17

Oct 1, 15 & 29

Nov 12 & 26

Dec 3 & 17

For info - Terry Carrillo - tullula1@aol.com or

Sonsoles (Sunny) Shack - misfelinas@gmail.com

Oil Painting Group (All media welcome)

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

Alice Gunter - Coordinator

Portrait/Costumed Model (All media welcome)

Fridays, 9am to Noon - \$10 member - \$15 non-member, per day

Dorothy Ray - Coordinator

For Info - MAG Office - 445-2510

Arizona Art Alliance

MAG is now a member of the Arizona Art Alliance. This gives all of our members access to their benefits including panel rentals, artist showing opportunities, the ability to be juried into their shows and much more. Check out their website!

www.azartalliance.com



4th Fridays 2020

January 24	February 28
March 27	April 24
May 22	June 26
July 24	August 28
September 25	October 23
November 27	December n/a



COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Education - Dawn Zintel & Sandy Combs

Festival/Events - Contact MAG office

Gallery - Lois Fox & Julie Alver

Membership - Vera Bloch

Newsletter - Lyn DeLano

Website - Marty Orosz



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