

NEWSLETTER

February - April 2013

CAS Calendar

Programs are Free of Charge.
Unless otherwise noted, meetings start at 7:00 p.m. and are held at the Chelmsford Center for the Arts, 1A North Rd., Chelmsford, MA 01824

Jan. 30, 2013, Wed. Michael Vieira - Critique

Feb. 23, 2013, Sat. 2 p.m.
Don Ouellette – Watercolor
Summer Place, 20 Summer
St., Chelmsford, MA

*March 27, 2013, Wed.*Emily Passman - Loosening up with Acrylics

April 24, 2013, Wed. Show & Tell

*May 29, 2013, Wed.*Mini Painting Workshop

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A Word From Our President...



In **February**, please notice that our meeting will be held on **Saturday**, February 23, 2013 at **2 PM** at **Summer Place**. This afternoon meeting has been popular especially for people who do not like to go out on a winter night. Western Ave. artist, Don Ouellette, will be demonstrating his watercolor technique.

In **March**, Emily Passman, a Lexington artist, will demonstrate "Loosening up with Acrylics". Emily has some really wonderfully fresh ideas on how to approach painting.

For **April** we will be having our popular "Show and Tell". I will have the sign out sheet out at the meetings for members to sign up.

April is also time to **renew membership fees**. If you notice the dues have gone up a bit in order to keep up with our expenses. Please renew by **April 30**. For your convenience, the form is in this newsletter and also on the website.

There are **vacancies on the board** for President and Membership Chairman. If you would like to volunteer for these roles or can suggest someone, please talk to a board member as soon as possible.

The next newsletter will be in May.

Let's make it a Happy New Year.

Helen Moriarty

IN CASE OF BAD WEATHER

We will cancel or postpone if Chelmsford has NO SCHOOL on a day when CAS has a meeting or some other activity.

CAS Scholarship Opportunity

The annual CAS scholarship is awarded to a high school senior who will further their studies in a full-time Art program at college. Eligible candidates are those who are residents of Chelmsford or related to a member of the Chelmsford Art Society.

The deadline for submissions will be April 6, 2013 and top candidates will be invited to interview with the scholarship committee on April 13.

For further information please contact Board members Jen Heater or Deb Bretton Robinson.

ON THE AIR

"Happenings" with Helen Moriarty

Programs of Art Demonstrations on Cable TV

January 2013

"Abstracts by Claire Gagnon & Rita Thompson"

February 2013

"Trompe L'oeil by Carole McGrath"

March 2013

"Oil Painting with John Cascio"

Chelmsford Cable TV -

"Happenings" will air on Comcast Channel 8 and Verizon Channel 38 on Thursdays at 7 p.m. and Saturdays at 8 p.m.

Lowell Cable TV -

"Happenings" will be showing on Channel 8 on Mondays at 10 a.m. and Tuesdays at 6 p.m.

Billerica Cable TV -

"Happenings" will be showing on Channel 8 on Mondays at 4 p.m. and Fridays at 1 p.m.

**People who live in Westford and Tyngsboro that have Verizon may be able to catch Chelmsford Cable programs on Channel 38.

On the Message Board of Comcast Channel 8, and Verizon Channel 38 Chelmsford Cable TV, can be seen a Mini Art Show of art work by various artists in the Chelmsford area.

Recent "Happenings" may also be viewed on the website www.chelmsfordtv.org. Click on Public Access Shows and scroll to Happenings.

Upcoming Events by CAS

Don Ouellette

Saturday, February 23, 2013 at 2 PM Summer Place, 20 Summer St., Chelmsford, MA

The Chelmsford Art Society is featuring Don Ouellette who will present a watercolor demonstration at the monthly meeting at Summer Place in Chelmsford, MA. Don has studied with many accomplished artists, including Jack Flynn A.W.S., Carlton Plummer A.W.S. and David Lowrey to name a few.

Ouellette is a landscape painter working primarily in oils and watercolor. He mainly enjoys painting rural New



England which he hopes to capture before it all disappears.

The award winning artist is a member of several local art groups including Arts League of Lowell, the Whistler House and the Chelmsford Art Society. He maintains a studio at the Western Avenue Studios in Lowell where his work may be viewed by appointment or during their monthly Open House.

Please note that the monthly meeting will be held for the Watercolor demonstration at Summer Place, 20 Summer St. Chelmsford, MA, Saturday, February 23, 2013, 2:00 PM. The meeting is free and open to the public.

Emily Passman

Wednesday, March 27, 2013 at 7 PM Chelmsford Center for the Arts, 1A North Rd., Rt. 4, Chelmsford, MA.

The Chelmsford Art Society is presenting Emily Passman demonstrating Loosening Up with Acrylics at the CCA. The artist is a painter of oils and acrylics, exhibiting throughout the greater-Boston area and New England. Her still life paintings and landscapes maintain realism without losing a sense of the abstract.

After earning both a fine arts degree and an M.A. in education, Emily had a successful career as an elementary school teacher, then graphic designer. Presently she teaches at the Arlington, MA Center for the Arts, the Monroe Center for the Arts, Art Span Program, Lexington, MA and also conducts summer workshops in Maine.



"September" by Emily Passman

She maintains a studio at the Munroe Center for the Arts and shows her work by appointment at her home barn/gallery in Lexington, MA.

The meeting is free and open to the public.

Directory of Board Members

2012-2013

PLEASE NOTE: There are two vacancies on the Board. Please contact a board member as soon as possible if you can fill the Membership vacancy for Chairman or President.

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Galleries and Exhibits by CAS

Summer Place, 20 Summer Street, Chelmsford

February 2013

Watercolors and Oil Paintings by Don Ouellette Don will be demonstrating here on Saturday Feb 23 from 2-4pm for the CAS February meeting. Don't miss it!

March thru April 2013

This exhibit space is open! Please contact Roberta Witts if you would like to show your work here.

Town Offices, 50 Billerica Rd, Chelmsford

February 2013

Watercolors by Esther Donlon

If you haven't seen them yet, please remember to visit the beautiful watercolors by Esther, on display until the end of February!



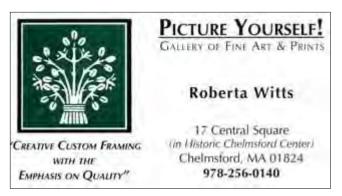
"Sunset on the Pond" by Esther Donlon



"Lily1" by Johanna Wray

March thru April 2013 Paintings in acrylics and oils by Johanna Wray

Johanna enjoys exploring a variety of subjects for her paintings and especially loves trying to recreate the beauty of flowers.



All CAS members get 20% off custom framing or 30% off "to go" items. Call for details.

Out and About



In charge of Hospitality at the Dec. 8th Library Show reception were L to R Terry Cryan, Marie Stabile, Ann Cullerton, & Peggy Jungbluth. Photo by Helen Moriarty.



CAS President Helen Moriarty stands with the Hospitality crew and their beautiful spread of food at the library show reception. Photo by Bob Stegmaier.



L to R are Pauline Arms, Pat Burns, and Karen Tarrin at the Library show. Photo by Bob Stegmaier.



Mr.&Mrs. Noy at the CAS reception at the Library. Photo by Helen Moriarty.

Other News and Events

PCA Gallery – Call for Art Parish Center for the Arts (PCA), 10 Lincoln Street, Westford

The PCA Gallery invites artists to submit work for consideration for solo and group exhibitions for September 2013 through June 2014. All media will be considered, however, 3D work is not generally accepted due to space constraints. If your proposal is accepted, you will display your work for one month. The deadline for submission is Friday, March 1, 2013.

To be considered, submit 8-10 images on CD or via email (.jpg files). For each image include the title, dimensions and media. In addition, include a brief artist biography including the artist address and phone number. Provide a stamped, self-addressed envelope if you'd like your submission packet returned. CDs should be mailed to: PCA, PO Box 411, Westford, MA 01886. For email, send submissions to pca@westford.com. Visit www.Westford.com/PCA or call 978-692-6333 for more information. The PCA is located at 10 Lincoln Street, Westford, MA.

Western Avenue Open Studios

Western Ave Studios, 122 Western Ave, Lowell, MA

Western Ave Studios in Lowell hosts their Open Studios on the first Saturday of each month. Several CAS members have studios at Western Ave. and would be happy to see you! For more information, visit their website at http://westernavenuestudios.com/



Nov. 28th demonstration of oil painting by John Cascio at the CCA. Photo by Bob Stegmaier.



John shows his techniques for creating a beautiful landscape painting. Photo by Bob Stegmaier.



Donna Berger captures the essence of John Cascio on her tablet as he presents to the CAS audience on Nov. 28th. Photo by Bob Stegmaier.



Esther Donlon stands with her watercolor painting at the library holiday show. Photo by Bob Stegmaier.

Reminder – It's that time of year again when we need to renew our membership in the society. **Please pay your dues by April 30** so that we can get the membership up to date and plan for the coming year. Thank you! *Please note that dues have increased slightly to meet the rise in our expenses.

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Renewal of Membership

Application for membership to the

Chelmsford Art Society

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	Fees:				
	Make checks payable to Chelmsford Art Society				
	☐ Single \$25 ☐ Family \$40				
	☐ Senior (60+) \$20 ☐ Student \$20				
	☐ Donation to the scholarship fund. \$				
	Fees are due every April 30.				
	Bring application and fee to our monthly CAS meeting				
	(check dates for meetings on website or newsletter)				
	Or mail to: Chelmsford Art Society CCA 1A North Road Chelmsford, MA 01824				

For more information, visit our website at http://www.chelmsfordartsociety.org/