

January Program

The Chelmsford Art Society is presenting Gillian Frazier who will critique one or two pieces each of the artists' art work. She has worked as an artist and teacher all her life. She has a BS in Education and has studied at several schools including Tufts, the school of the Museum of Fine Arts, and MA College of Art in Boston.

Frazier has been in many group shows and has had several one woman shows. Most recently the Art 3 Gallery, Manchester, NH. She has taught art at several schools, including the Bedford Public Schools, the DeCordova Museum School, Lincoln, MA and Monserrat College of Art, Beverly, MA.

The artist experiments in a variety of subjects and themes. Her work shows a mastery of knowledge in both the esthetic and technical.

She maintains a studio at Western Ave. Studios, 122 Western Ave., Lowell, MA.



"Mother at the Beach" painting by Gillian Frazier

The Chelmsford Art Society will meet for the critique on **Tuesday, January 31, 2012, at 7:00 PM at Chelmsford Public Library, 25 Boston Rd., Chelmsford, MA**

Helen Moriarty, Publicity
Chairman

A Word from the President

Get one or two pieces of your art work ready for our January 31 Critique. Gillian Frazier, teacher and artist, will be critiquing and giving us helpful hints.

This year CAS will be participating in the WinterFest Art Walk. There will be 11 windows in the vicinity of Central Square, Chelmsford that 11 CAS artists will decorate with Chelmsford themes. The art will remain on display from January 21 through February 19, 2012. The public will be able to vote for a People's Choice Award from January 22 - 31. The winner will be announced on February 3 during WinterFest Kickoff celebration at the Library.

WinterFest will start from Feb. 3, 5:30PM - and end on Feb. 5, 2012 at 4 PM

Best wishes for the New Year.

Helen Moriarty

Holiday Art Show

Thanks to all the members who put paintings in our annual Holiday Art Show at the Library, and to those who attended the reception. It was a wonderful show and those who came to the reception enjoyed the art work, and the wonderful food and music. Thanks to the Library for being so helpful to us with this show as well as allowing us to have our meetings there all this year.



Pictured L to R Chelmsford Art Society members at the reception of their Holiday Art Show held at the Chelmsford Library. Photo by Nick Skames

CAS Programs 2011- 2012

Dec.1, 2011, Thurs.

Holiday Member Show,
receiving art 6 - 7 PM

Chelmsford Adams Library

Dec. 5, Snow Date, Mon.
receiving 6 - 7 PM

Dec.10, 2011, Sat.

Reception at Library 2 - 4 PM

Jan. 19, 20, 21, 2012

Pick up & Sign out at Lib. Desk

Jan. 31, 2012, Tues.

Gillian Frazier Critique

Feb. 25, 2012 Sat. 2 PM

Priti Lathia - Mixed Media

Summer Place
20 Summer St.
Chelmsford, MA

March 27, 2012, Tues

Almerinda Silva – Portrait

April 24, 2012, Tues

Show & Tell

May 29, 2012, Tues

Mini Painting Workshop

These programs are Free and open to the public.

Unless otherwise noted, meetings held at the **Chelmsford Public Library, 25 Boston Rd., Chelmsford, MA 01824 7 PM**

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Member News

CAS Members were very busy in the month of December. Here is a recap of some of the receptions and highlights from these shows in case you missed them.

If you are a CAS member and are participating in a show, please let me know so I can include it in our newsletter.

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Parish Center for the Arts



CAS member, Yuko Broskie is shown at her recent show at the Parish Center for the Arts in Westford. Photo by Helen Moriarty

Yuko showed her diverse collection of oil and acrylic landscapes and still life paintings at the PCA for the month of December.

Much of her self-taught art work reflects her love and appreciation of nature, which in many cases was inspired by her childhood in Japan

IN THE GALLERY

The Town Offices
50 Billerica Road, Chelmsford:

Joe LaPaina's Watercolors on exhibit
January through February

The Summer Place

20 Summer Street, Chelmsford:



Nan Quintin is shown at her reception at Summer Place. Photo by Helen Moriarty

Floral Arts Gallery



Harry Taplin at his reception in November at The Gallery at Floral Arts. He recently exhibited were his wonderfully artistic photography. Photo by Helen Moriarty

Georgia Spanos is continuing the Holiday art show for the month of January, so if you missed the receptions in December, there is still time to see this wonderful exhibit.

The Gallery at Floral Arts is located at 129 Littleton Road, Westford, MA 01886.

Whistler House Museum of Art



Jack Ebel with his award winning painting. Photo by Helen Moriarty

Jack Ebel, a former Judge for our 4th of July Show, won the Edith Burger Award for Artistic Excellence, Best of Show at the Whistler House Members' Show. Congratulations, Jack.

Several CAS members participated in this show including Rita Thompson, and Bob Stegmaier.

Annual Juried Brush Members 2011



"Little River Gloucester" painting by

Happenings" with Helen Moriarty

Chelmsford - "Illustration & Design with Donna Berger" will air on Comcast Channel 8, and Verizon, Channel 38, Thursdays at 7:00 PM and Saturdays at 8 PM, throughout the month of Jan., 2012. Donna shows how she creates her book illustrations with Photoshop on a computer.

Lowell Cable TV will be showing "Illustration & Design with Donna Berger" for the month of Jan., 2012 on **Monday at 10 AM Chan. 8** and **Tuesday at 6:30 PM Channel 95.**

Billerica Cable TV Channel 8 also features "Illustration & Design with Donna Berger", on **Monday at 4:00 PM** and **Friday at 1:00 PM** for the month of Jan., 2012.

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 for the month of Jan, 2012., a Mini Art Show of art work that is showing at the Chelmsford Library until Jan. 21, 2012.

Best Wishes!

Carol Conrad has moved to Tennessee and will no longer be participating in CAS activities. She has already found a new Art Guild to participate in and we wish her good luck in her home!

Watercolor Materials

Nine full sheets (22" x 30") of Arches 140 lb cold press water color paper available at \$6.00 each. If you are interested, please contact Rita Thompson 978.256.5975 or rthompson@wright-loeb.com.

Nan Quintin had her paintings on display during the months of November and December.

Priti Lathia January through February Demonstration/reception Saturday February 25th 2:00pm

Consider showing your work! Please contact Rita Thompson at 978-256-5975 or rthompson@wright-loeb.com

Cambridge Art Association

"RED: More than a Color" Exhibit

November 19-January 11, 2011

Kathryn Schultz Gallery
25 Lowell Street
Cambridge, MA
or
University Place Gallery
124 Mt. Auburn Street
Cambridge, MA

For more information go to:
<http://www.cambridgeart.org/>



Claire Gagnon

Claire Gagnon has two paintings that were juried in for the Annual Juried Brush Members Show. The exhibit will take place at the Brush Art Gallery located at 256 Market Street, Lowell, MA.

The show runs from December 10 to January 21, 2012 at 4 PM. The art juried in for these shows at the Brush Art Gallery is always high quality and professionally hung. Several CAS members participated in this show including Rita Thompson, and Bob Stegmaier.



Rita Thompson's painting at the Brush.

For more detail, go to http://www.thebrush.org/exhibition_s.htm or call the gallery at 978-459-7819.

Revolving Museum - Call for Artists: Transforming Mill Dresses

The revolving Museum and the Cultural Organization of Lowell is issuing a call to 20 artists to transform 20 classic mill girl-inspired dresses into contemporary works of art. The dresses are made from muslin and serve as raw canvases. Artists are encouraged to paint, cut, rework, sculpt, and everything in between, but are required to keep the dress wearable. The finished works will be featured in the Winterfest "Looks of Lowell" fashion show on Feb. 9.

If you wish to participate, email Diana **RIGHT NOW!** dcolumtino@revolvingmuseum.org