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CORAL SPRINGS ARTIST GUILD

Newsletter

Message from the President—Ezi Algazi

Our next show will be at the Boca Raton Sugar Sand Park Gallery. Intakes will be December 27th and the reception will be on January 4th. The deadline for mailing the prospectus is December 21st. This is an open competition with cash awards and we are still accepting an optional 3rd piece. The prospectus and other information on the Boca Raton show is posted on the CSAG website: www.coralsspringsartistguild.org

CARAN Gallery has dedicated the front of their gallery to our members. This is a great opportunity for to display and sell your works. Every couple of months we will have different members exhibiting there. We have three members currently exhibiting. If you wish to have your name on the list for later exhibits email me at ezi@comcast.net or call 954-775-0313.

Caran Art and Frame is a national award-winning frame shop offering quality custom framing. They are located in the Heron Lakes Shopping Center on Coral Ridge Drive in Parkland, just south of the Sawgrass Express-

way. As members of the guild, we all get great discounts on our framing there.

Here's some great news. We have two new press secretaries. Jillian Brie Kennedy and Chris Cruz are working very hard to promote Coral Springs Artist Guild. We will soon be mentioned in local newspapers and magazines.

We need new members and we encourage you to invite your friends who are members of other guilds to join CSAG. We also want to encourage high school seniors to join the guild.

For every new member that you refer, you will receive a \$10 CSAG gift card that can be used toward a show or your own membership dues. A new member is anyone who has not been a member for the past two years. Help us spread the word and brag about our great organization.

We are working on starting our monthly meeting format again. These meetings will be open to the public and again we encourage you to bring your family and friends (no children please). Many members expressed interest in

bringing back these meetings. So we will soon start meeting every other month and see if they are successful.

Some of the lecture/demonstration topics proposed include: how to promote yourself on the internet (Ebay and other websites), and how to create websites. We also have many talented artists who are willing to share and show us how they create their unique style. We are always open to suggestions for new topics from our members.

Stay up to date by checking our website regularly. It is being updated 3 times a week and some of the announcements are only there for a couple of days.

www.coralsspringsartistguild.org

Have a Happy Thanksgiving.

CSAG Calendar of Events

What: Board meeting
Where: Loretta Herman's Christmas house
7630 NW 29th St., Margate, FL
When: Monday, December 10th at 7pm

What: CSAG Open Juried Exhibit
"Art Scene in 2013"
Where: Sugar Sands Park in Boca Raton
When: **Prospectus Postmark Deadline**—
Friday, December 21st
Intake-Thursday, December 27th
from 10am-noon
Reception- Friday, January 4th
from 6:30-8:00pm
Pickup-Wednesday, January 30th
from 10am-noon

Congratulation, CSAG Member, Isabel Perez!!!

For the second year in a row, a Coral Springs Artist Guild member has been selected as the Signature Artist of the Coral Springs Festival of the Arts! For the 2013 CSFOA, Isabel Perez, was chosen and, as a gesture of her support of the Guild, she will be raffling off one of her pieces of artwork at the Festival for our Scholar Award Fund. She was Best Show at the recent fall exhibit at the Coral Springs Art Museum Lobby Gallery and last spring she had an exhibit in the museum. She recently had one of her pieces selected to be part of the museum's permanent collection.

Also CSAG President, Ezi Algazi, who was the Signature Artist for the 2012 CSFOA, was chosen this year for the second place award. He will be awarded a small cash prize and have his work printed on the collectible CSFOA tee-shirt.

Coral Springs Museum of Art



**November 24,
2012 ~ February
2, 2013**

**Ricky Bernstein—
Kitchen Dreams**



**Robert Mars—
Stars & Starlets**



**Ethel Grodsky—
Mixed Media
Abstract**

November 24 ~ December 29, 2012

**CSMART Faculty, Docent & Volunteer
Exhibition**

Several CSAG members have work on display in the Lobby Gallery as part of the Gold Coast Watercolor Society's "38th Annual Members Love Watercolor" exhibit from November 8-December 2, 2012. The reception is November 14th from 3-5pm.



The museum is putting together a guided tour of Art Basel in Miami next month. Al Razza, artist and instructor, will lead the tour of Art Basel and the Red Dot exhibits at Wynwood. If you are interested, please contact Sheri at 954-340-5000 for dates and cost.

Winners of 2012 CSAG Fall Exhibit Coral Springs Museum of Art Lobby Gallery



Best in Show—Isabel Perez “Wind”



2nd Place—Jaime Morhaim “Norman”



3rd Place—Robert Grauer “Sunset Pine Glades Lake”



Merit Award—Rosario Gia “Calm After the Storm”



Honorable Mention-Valery Kocab “Fury”



Honorable Mention-Joan Hinden “Carolina Winter”



Merit Award—Gisela Bender “Landscape Series #3”



Merit Award—Marion Tams “White Heron”



Honorable Mention-Eleanor Richter “At the Watering Hole”

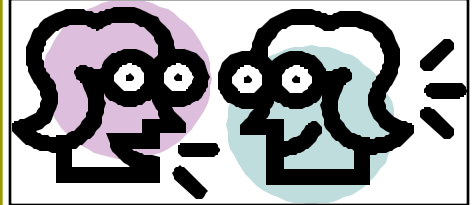


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THE CHATTERBOX



Art in the Park in Pompano Beach

On Sunday, November 18th there will be an exhibit at Founders Park, 217 NE 4th Ave, in Pompano Beach. It is from 1-5pm and the admission is free. This exhibit is sponsored by the Pompano Beach Historical Society. Also The Kester Cottages will be open to the public as well as a 1926 fire engine on display at the firehouse. Live music and food concessions will be available.

There is an open call for a juried art competition called "Paradise: Lost and Found" at Studio 18 in Pembroke Pines. There are cash prizes totaling \$900. Digital images of artwork should be submitted via email to rvegas@ppines.com by November 23rd. The entry fee is \$15 per images, limit of 3 images. Show dates are Dec. 7th to Jan. 23rd with an opening awards reception on Dec. 7th. For more information contact Robyn Vega at 954-961-6067.

Surfside Turtle Project



Before Picture:

Concrete Sea Turtle



Pictured on the left: Painted Sea Turtle by CSAG President, Ezi Algazi

Pictured on the right: Painted Sea Turtle by CSAG member, Terry Molina



MEMBERS ON EXHIBIT

ARE:

Marcia Hirschy at The Boca Beach House at 887 E. Palmetto Park Road, Boca Raton through December.

Robert Grauer, Loretta Herman and Ezi Algazi are exhibiting at Caran Art and Frame at the Heron Lakes Shopping Center on Coral Ridge Drive in Parkland. There is room for one more artist to hang several pieces of artwork. Contact Caran Art & Frame at 954-340-1278.

Bob Grauer will be on exhibit at Sugar Sand Park during the month of December. There will be a CSAG Open Juried Exhibit there during January.

Last month CSAG member, Rosario Gia, was on exhibit at the Parkland Library. This month, CSAG President, Ezi Algazi, is there. The library is looking for one artist to exhibit during each month. December and January are already booked but starting in February there are open months available. If you are interested, contact Wendy Peppercorn at 954-757-4500.

Marcia Hirschy will be exhibiting at Art in the Park on 11/18/12 in Pompano Beach. This local exhibition is free to the public at Founders Park.