

Newsletter 2017











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Gale Cochran-Smith called to order the business meeting of the Chisholm Trail Art Association (CTAA) at the Chisholm Trail Room at the Wellington State Bank in Bowie at 6pm.

Roll Call/Minutes/Treasurer's Report:

- a. No minutes were read for the prior meeting which was held on April 13, 2017.
- b. Each member present at this meeting signed the guest book in lieu of roll call.
- c. Bank balance as of April 30, 2017 was \$1,834.20. (Gen. Ledger \$634.20 and \$1,200.00 workshop).

Business:

- a. Jack Milchanowski informed members that the deadline for entries for the
 - b. Western Art Show is June 1, 2017.
- b. After some discussion, a motion was made by Jesse Coulson that we present \$500 to Tales 'N' Trails Museum for their support for the area's visual arts since we are not able to fund a qualified applicant for our scholarship for 2017. Cecilia Ashley seconded the motion, and motion carried.
- c. Larry Lemons was the program speaker. Larry explained that his work comes from originality and inspiration. He shared with the group the various artists who have inspired him. His sketch book is important to him. He adopted the Texas color motif which has been very successful.
 - d. "Artist of the Month" was voted on, and by a majority vote named Jesse Coulson

Meeting was adjourned by President Gale Cochran-Smith. Minutes presented by Gunilla (Gwen) Coulson for Jody McCabe, Secretary and ratified by Gale Cochran-Smith on May 11, 2017.



CTAA May Meeting



Larry Lemons







Thank you Larry for your program about how you discovered your talent in painting! If you missed this program you missed a great look into how Larry decided to jump into painting, his inspiration from Georgia O'Keefe and George Rodrique' to Loony Toons! Larry has combined all these into his own style and is recognized as an iconic Texas artist. We all enjoyed your program

Larry, thank you again!









Jesse Coulson was chosen as "Artist of the Month" by the Chisholm Trail
Art Association" at their May meeting. His photo entitled "Smithy, The
Village Blacksmith" was taken at Old San Diego, a reenactment center
showing the historical origins of the City of San Diego, California.

Cecilia Ashley brought in the quilt that will be raffled off this summer in honor of the Chisholm Trail. Contact her at: cecilia.ashley@gmail.com if you are interested in a ticket!



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2017 Marks the 26th Annual Juried Art Show Competition and Sale. We're hoping to have the largest number of entries ever for this national/international show. The exhibition will be in our Main and East Galleries from July 18th through September 9th, 2017. Competition includes 2D and 3D art awarding \$6000 in prize money. Artwork should be no older than 3 years. We hope you enter and/or come and see the incredible artwork on display.

This Year's Juror: John Cook, Highland Village, TX

There is a spontaneous nature to his paintings that conveys his need to quickly achieve the essence of light as it dances, pierces, careens and bounces to find its way throughout the subject. From still life to portraits, landscapes, architecture, and his native-Texas western imagery, nothing is too small or too large for John to attempt as is demonstrated in his diverse range of subject matter.

Most canvases are produced in his Highland Village, Texas studio where he has resided for 31 years. However, painting outdoors often presents some of his favorite small format "jewels' and many are kept in his personal collection.

Exhibitions include the prestigious W H Patterson gallery in London, with members of Parliament visiting. As well as shows in New York, Colorado, California, Florida, South Carolina, Indiana, Arizona, and many venues from Texas and Oklahoma, Also, John has had 12 annual solo shows at SW Gallery, Dallas.

John was born in Dallas, Texas and attended school at the University of Texas at Arlington and the Art Center School in Los Angeles, where he received a Bachelor of Professional Arts Degree.





Call to Artists for the Eleventh Annual

Mystery Art Exhibit: September 29 - October 27, 2017

Artist Opening Reception: Thursday, September 28th

from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm



The Kemp Center For The Arts
1300 Lamar
Wichita Falls, Texas 76301
(940) 767-2787

info@kempcenter.org

- The donation of your <u>original, non-mechanically produced</u> art will be part of a fundraising art exhibit and competition that will feature regional artists who have ties to Texoma. Each work of art will be displayed anonymously. Only when the artwork is purchased will the new owner discover who created the masterpiece.
- Please bring your original art to the Kemp Center for the Arts at 1300 Lamar on or before Wednesday, September 6, 2017. Each piece must
 be accompanied by an entry form provided by the Kemp Center. Entries will not be accepted after 5:00 pm on that date. Entries that are still wet or
 have been signed on the front will not be accepted.
- There will be TWO art divisions Adult and Youth. Artists participating in the Adult Division must be 18 years or older. The Youth Division is for artists 17 years and younger. The guidelines apply to both the Adult and Youth divisions.
- Your completed original artwork must be 8" X 10" and cannot be larger or smaller. You will need to provide your own canvas. Acceptable media: oil, acrylic, watercolor, glass, mosaic, mixed, or other forms as approved by staff. We cannot accept photography, digital artwork, or jewelry. Art can be three-dimensional or two-dimensional wall hangings, as long as it does not extend more than four inches from the wall. Free standing sculptures must fit within the confines of an 8"x8"x10" box. Artists select the category for their artwork. The categories are Abstract, Landscape, Animal, Still Life, Symbolism, Floral, Sculpture, or Persona. Category are defined on line at artscouncilwf.org.
- Artist donations/entries are limited to two for 2017 and must be original work not copied from copyrighted or published art or published
 photographs. All entries become the property of the Kemp. <u>PLEASE SIGN your work on the back</u>.
- Artwork will be judged by <u>Randy Meador</u> on Thursday, September 28, 2017. There will be awards in all categories, including "Best of Show."
 An Artist's Reception will be on September 28th at 5:30 pm where the awards will be announced and your friends and family are invited to be the first to see your gallery.
 - Artwork produced on stretched canvas must be painted on all sides since it will not be framed. All other two-dimensional art will be framed by the Kemp. All art will be displayed in the NorthLight Gallery.
- Your works of art will be viewed in the NorthLight Gallery from September 29th October 27th, with the Mystery Art Fest party and auction starting at 6:00 pm on Friday, October 27, 2017. The proud new owners will be allowed to take the art home at the close of the evening.
- Again for 2017, each work of art in the Adult Division will be sold with the bidding starting at \$35.00. When the bidding reaches \$125.00 on
 a piece and another bidder matches the bid, the piece will be sent to a live auction. Bidding for the Youth Division will start at \$5.00.
 - Proxy Bids will be accepted from September 29th October 25th.
- This is a great opportunity for everyone to appreciate and enjoy art. For more information please contact Kristine Thueson at galleries@kempcenter.org or call 940.767.2787.

Old Post Office Museum and Art Center

This is the winners for "Art At The OPOMAC 2017":

Best of Show: Oil "Relics" Jason Sacran Fort Smith, Arkansas

OPOMAC Award:
Oil "Bella Notte"
William Schnider
Village of Lakewood, Illinois

Award Of Excellence: Acrylic "Early In March" Paul Walsh Roff, Oklahoma

Award of Merit: Oil "Landscape With Live Oaks" J R Cook Bowie, Texas

Directors Award: Bronze "Flight" Patsy Lane Konawa, OKlahoma

Honorable Mentions: Tempera "Chris" Paul Walsh Roff, Oklahoma

Oil "Jen" Robert Andes Rogers, Arkansas

Oil "Krystle" Patty Rea Welborn Abilene, Texas

Oil "Turkey Peak From the West" Hollan Holmes Euless, Texas



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May 13th thru July 1st

Art at the OPOMAC

National Art Show







THE AREA SOLO TO THE AUGUST 15th 2017







2017 is the 150th anniversary of the Chisholm Trail. There will be events planned from Texas to Kansas to celebrate.

The CTAA is proud announce the first Western Art Show & Sale.

Joining the Chisholm Trail Art Association, The Tales 'N' Trails Museum in Nocona, TX will host the event at the Museum.

This will be a themed art show. All entries MUST represent the late 1800's and relate in some way to the cattle drives of that time.

Calendar:

June 15th Artists will be notified as to their acceptance

June 23rd & 24th Art can be hand delivered to the museum from 10 am to 5 pm

June 26th Final day for art to be at the museum for all entries

July 1st Opening night reception for artists from 5 pm to 7 pm





Our Judge for the Show Award Winning Texas Western Artist Randy Meador





More information and a prospectus about the show can be found at: Chisholm Trail Art Association website: http://chisholmtrailartists.com Tales 'N' Trails Museum: http://www.talesntrails.org 1522 E Highway 82 - Nocona, Texas 76255 (940) 825-5330

Chisholm Trail 150: http://chisholmtrail150.org/





2017 PECCH FESTIVOI APT Show

2017 Peach Festival Art Show

April 19, 2017 by weatherfordart

Awards Ceremony

Saturday, July 8, 2017 3pm

SHOW DATE: Sat. July 8, 2017 = Weatherford City Hall, 303 Palo Pinto St. 8AM-4pm

Judge Doug Prine

Registration Pick up Artwork

Friday, July 7 10am-2pm ALL work must be picked up at City Hall Cherry Park Comm. Center after the 3pm ceremony

313 So. Davis St. Please read the Fine Print.

Weatherford, TX

Limit: three entries per artist

Categories:

Oil/ acrylic (works on canvas

Watercolor (works on paper)

Graphic (pencil, color pencil, pastel, Scratch art, pen/ink)

Experimental/Mixed Media

Photography (digital and manipulation)

3-Dimensional (sculpture, ceramics (artists must provide pedestals for display)

Students (grades K-12)

Guidelines

Artwork previously entered in WAA Peach Festival Art Show are ineligible. All works must be original and created in the last 3 years.

WAA reserves the right to refuse any work deemed unsuitable.

There will be a 20% commission to WAA an all artwork sold. All works in the adult category MUST be for sale and remain so for the duration of the show. Max image size 36"x48" including frame. Max weight 35#.

Adult entries must have screw eyes and wires. Student entries must have a rigid backing for hanging.

For the prospectus see: https://weatherfordart.wordpress.com/







10% of Fine Art Sales will go to Easy Street Animal Shelter!

Donna Howell-Sickles presents New Works Showcase

So much of Donna's work focuses on the companions - as well as the cowgirls. We couldn't walk this earth alone, and we need these animals as guides, side-kicks, confidants, and inspirations. We're thrilled to be able to help these wonderful creatures, and donate

Saturday, June 3 | 1pm - 6pm Sunday, June 4 | 12pm - 4pm

10% of Fine Art sales to the shelter right here in Saint Jo!







TAA JUNE MEETING LINE



Our presentation for the June 8th meeting is a surprise movie!

Join us to find out what artist will be featured!





