

CKAC NEWS



Cedar Key Arts Center Newsletter

Winter 2013

Happy New Year 2013!

Being a member of the Cedar Key Arts Center has its rewards - from discounted workshops costs, use of studio space to create your latest masterpiece, to a gallery in which to show your work - your membership opens the door to artistic possibilities and endeavors you may never had thought of before. Membership application is inside and we wish to thank you in advance for your support..

If you have an interest in being of service, we have opportunities for you. We have out-grown the CKAC space for the Children's Summer Program Benefit Dinner in Feb. so we are moving it to the Community Center. We could use extra hands to set-up, tear-down, sell tickets, etc. In March, we could use some assistance for the Paint-Out, our fun Plein Air event in the streets of Cedar Key. In April we need extra hands for serving at our Festival Reception. And, if you are in town during the Summer, your talents would be very welcomed at the Children's Summer Program in July. Contact Mary 352-543-9683

Workshops: We have wonderful instructors, both local and from around the USA, who are coming to us to offer their talents. Come to the CKAC to learn and grow and socialize! It is good for the brain and will help keep us young and vibrant!!! .

For those interested in **Jewelry** try:
January 15 for a beautiful beaded bracelet with Joni Sielaff or a mosaic pendant with award winning artist Valerie Bertl on Feb. 9.

For those with **Pottery** and **Mosaic** Pursuits:
Jan. 7-14, Beginning Throwing with Clay or the Raku Party Jan. 12 with Amy Gernhardt. Noted Georgian Potter Marty Haythorn is coming to us March 5-7. Marsha Schwartz is sharing mosaic work at her home March 19-20 and March 25-27 Make Polymer Clay tiles for Mosaic with Ilona Brustad.

For the **Fiber Artist:**
Learn the history of weaving and complete both a community piece and a personal weaving with well known weaver, Victoria Sowers.
Have fun fabric painting with Joyce Patti on February 15 or make a quilted wall hanging with Beth Davis, Feb. 4, 11, 18.

For the **Painters** in our midst there are several fantastic opportunities:
Jan. 16 and Feb. 20 our own award winning painter Bob Goodlett shares his talents. **Jan. 17 and 18** Joe McFadden joins us from the Tallahassee Landscape Painters. Check out his website to view some of his unique works. **March 28-30** Try Batik Painting on Rice Paper with noted watercolorist C. Bonnie Jones.

And for those of us who want to try **other mediums** to express creativity:
Try photography with Ann Kamzelski, an award winner photographer on Feb. 5, 12, 19. On Feb. 21 the Journey Daybook, Inc. group will teach us how create lasting memories, no experience needed. And April 15 Diane Moore returns to teach Pine Needle Baskets

With the understanding that creativity is inherent and vital to the development of humanity, our purpose is to nurture and encourage the arts.

- CKAC Mission Statement

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Workshop Schedule

January Show:

Landscape Painters
from Tallahassee

Acoustical Afternoon

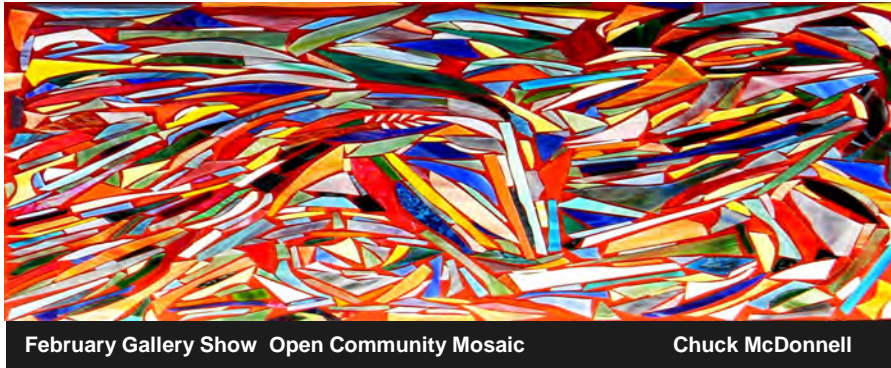
Membership Form

Empty Bowls made
at Art Center

Paint-Out

Children's Benefit
Dinner Feb. 28

Aims: • Promote and encourage the arts in our community • Provide, administer and coordinate facilities for the arts • Promote and provide educational programs in the arts



POTTERY AT CKAC

We have been very fortunate to have purchased a new kiln this past year, and then recently added a potting wheel, a generous gift from Cedar Key Pottery.

These acquisitions have opened the door to more clay being thrown at the Arts Center than ever before. Workshops have been taught in hand-building and beginning throwing. Amy Gernhardt will offer another throwing class beginning January 7th.

During the Summer Arts Program, kids once again poured their creative hearts into making bowls. And in the last month, many people have gathered at different times to create bowls for the Empty Bowls Project, which benefits the Cedar Key Pantry located at the Methodist Church.

Please join us January 30, 2013 from 5—7 at the United Methodist Church in Cedar Key. The cost for this event is \$25. Soup and Salad fills a hand-built bowl you get to keep.

Create a Community by breaking bread together. It is a great way we give back to the place we call home.

Winter and Spring Classes

JANUARY

6 and 7 *Open Studio* 10-5 Spread out in the Studio and have fun

7-14 *Beginning Throwing with Clay 2* by Amy Gernhardt, 8 classes with five mandatory appearances per student. Limited to 10 students. . Participants will pay \$50 in instructor fees, plus \$10 supply cost. Contact Amy at ckpottery@yahoo.com or 352-215-2096.

12 *Raku Party* with Henry and Amy Gernhardt, 1-5 Join us at the CK Arts Center back yard for firing raku glaze on pottery. You will come away with one completed piece. Cost: \$20, \$25 non-members. Maximum 25 students. Contact Amy Gernhardt 352-215-2096 or ckpottery@yahoo.com

13 and 14 *Open Studio* 10-5 Spread out in the Studio and do your thing

15 *Marguerite Beaded Bracelet* with Joni Sielaff, 1-5 Make a lovely beaded bracelet with marguerites and Swarovski crystals. Some beading experience required. Limit 5 students. Cost \$25 for class plus \$25 for supplies. \$55 for non-members. Contact Joni at Jomi74@aol.com.

16 *Color Mixing* Bob Goodlett 10 – 4 Mix oil colors with the basic color palette and use broken color to create a Florida Landscape painting. Cost \$40 for members, \$45 non- members. Bring 11x14 canvas, palette and knife, brushes, and paints. Participants should have a little painting experience. Contact Bob at 352-465-4226 or Goodlettville@bellsouth.net

17 and 18 *Landscape Painting in Oils and/or Watercolor* with Joe McFadden of the Tallahassee Landscape Painters, 9 am-4 pm. Join Joe for demonstrations and painting workshops. You should complete 2-4 painting in either or both oil and watercolors. Cost \$150 for members, \$155 for non-members. Beginners are encouraged as well as painters on any other level. Contact joemcfadden@comcast.net, call 850-224-9121

22, 23,24, 25 *Weaving Your History: A Fabric Time Capsule* with Victoria Sowers, 9am-12pm. Learn the history of weaving with hands- on participation on a 300 year old floor loom. Bring items of sentimental value that represent who you are to weave into a large weaving called "A Fabric Time Capsule". You will also weave on a lap loom designing your own personal weaving to take home. All materials are provided. Cost \$155, \$160 for non- members. Contact Victoria@sandycreekweavers.com.



Winter and Spring Classes Cont:

FEBRUARY

4, 11 and 18 Quilting with Beth Davis, 6-8 pm. Make a machine appliqué art quilt in wall hanging size. Cost \$30 plus supplies. Contact Beth at bethjdavis@bellsouth.net

5, 12, 19-Photography and Photo Shop Elements with Ann Kamzelski, 7 pm. Participants will need to bring a computer with digital images loaded. Photos will be edited using Photo Shop Elements. Printing, matting and framing can also be included for materials costs. Cost \$20. Maximum 10 students. Contact: Kamzel@epix.net or 352-543-9660

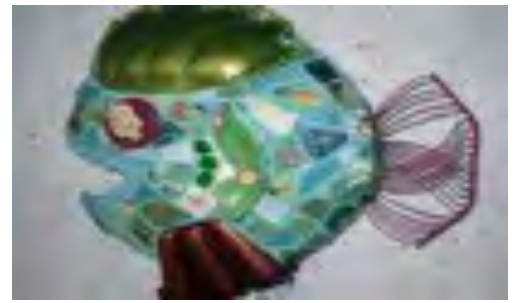
6-8 Open Studio Another opportunity to enjoy our workshop 10—5

9 Millefiore Pendant Mini Mosaics with Valerie Bretl (our OFCA 2013 design winner), 9 am -12 pm. Millefiori are tiny flowers of glass that are fused into circles that range from 3-7 mm. Using tweezers participants will arrange and epoxy the millefiori into a silver bezel pendant, including chain or leather strap. Cost \$25. Maximum 9 students. Contact: vbretl@msn.com or 401-569-8964

15 Fabric Painting for Fun with Joyce Patti, 9:30 am-1:30 pm. Turn your ordinary clothing article into a very special fashion show piece. You bring a design you want to draw and then paint on any cotton article of clothing. You can enlarge your design to fit your article on a standard copy machine. Standard paint colors supplied and you can bring any special paint color you want to use. Maximum 8 students, Cost: \$33. Deadline Feb. 8. Contact: jpatti43@gmail.com or 352-949-8071

20 Tonalist Painting in Oil with Bob Goodlett, 10 am-4pm. Create a simple Florida Landscape oil painting through exploration of tonalist techniques. Bring a 16x20 canvas, brush, palette, knife and paints. A little painting experience is required. Cost \$40 for members, \$45 for non-members. Contact Bob at 352-465-4226 or Goodletville@bellsouth.net.

21 Journey Day Books with Barbara Beynon and alumni of Journey Daybook, Inc. a non-profit educational collaborative, 1-5. This workshop will include an introduction to and exhibit of Journey Daybooks. JDB members will demonstrate making pages and participants will have fun trying out various materials to make their own pages. No previous experience required. Cost: \$10 plus a \$5 materials fee. Contact Barbara at bbeynon1@cox.net. Visit JDB website: www.JourneyDaybook.org



MARCH

5, 6, 7 Ancient Hands Pottery with Marty Haythorn, time TBD. Make earthenware pottery with stamping decoration in the style of the ancient people of Florida. This class is for beginners and others. Cost \$100, all supplies included. Deadline for enrollment Feb. 20. Maximum 10 students. Contact Amy Gernhardt ckpotery@yahoo.com.

19 & 20 Creating a Mosaic Memory or Ashes Container with Marsha Schwartz, 9:30-12:30 **both days**, at Marsha's home. Using broken china and glass baubles and personal items/ memorabilia and your container with a lid or one Marsha provides. Cost is \$100 for members, \$105 for non-members. Maximum 6 students. Contact Marsha at chickandmarsha@gmail.com.

18-22 10-5 Open Studio C'mon, it's fun!

25-27 Making Polymer Clay Tiles for Mosaic, with Ilona Brustad, 9-12 pm. Participants will make polymer clay tiles using carved stamps, molds or free forms and incorporate tiles into mosaic designs to complete a mosaic. Cost: \$79 (\$84 for non-members) plus \$25 for supplies. Maximum 15 students. Deadline for enrollment Feb.20. [Contact imbrustad@aol.com](mailto:Contactimbrustad@aol.com) or 734-994-4406

28, 29, 30 Watercolor Batik Painting on Rice Paper with C. Bonnie Jones, 9am-3pm. Cost \$165, \$170 for non-members plus \$10 for supplies. Check out her website at www.cbonniejones.co. Contact Bonnie at Cbonniejonesartist@gmail.com.

APRIL

15-Pine Needle Basketry 2 with Diane Moore, 10 am -4pm. A continuation of the October class with individual hands-on instruction in historic pine needle basket making techniques. Limit 8 students. Cost \$50 members, \$55 non-members. Contact: Floridabaskets@gmail.com or call 386-405-0367.

16-22 Open Studio-

Gallery 2013

January 5—27

Tallahassee Landscape Painters: "Painting the Panhandle"

MAG: Member Treasures:
Open Community "Every
Treasure Tells a Story"

February 2—24

Open Community Mosaics:
Juried, Prizes

MAG: Sarah Westenberg/
Textiles

March 2—31

Open Community 3D:
Juried, Prizes

MAG: Marty Haythorn/Pottery

April 6—28

Amy Gernhardt/Pottery

MAG: Ann's Students/
Photography

****SAVE THE DATE****

Sunday, January 27 2-5 pm

**3rd Annual Acoustical Afternoon
for the Arts. Proceeds for event
and silent auction benefit the
OFCA. Held at the Island Room.
Get tickets at the Welcome Center
or call Coordinator Laura Mattson
Hahn at 352-543-5400**

Thursday, February 28 6-9

**Join us in our annual fund-raising
benefitting the Children's Summer
Art Program. This popular event
has moved to the Community Cen-
ter. Tickets will be on sale at the
Welcome Center . Contact Donna
at djbushne@bellsouth.net**

Saturday, March 23

**5th Annual Paint-Out in the Historic
Streets of Cedar Key**



Tallahassee Landscape Painters: *Painting the Panhandle* January 5—27

Landscape Painters head to Cedar Key

The newest exhibit at Cedar Key Arts Center, 'Painting the Panhandle,' features landscapes by Tallahassee Landscape artists. The show opens 4 -6 Saturday, January 5, the exhibit will remain open to the public until January 24. Two of the members, Jennifer Clinard and Jill Quadagno, are artists who dedicate their art to the beauty of Tallahassee.

"Both of these women have been creating artwork for most of their lives," Education and Exhibitions Director for the Council on Culture and Arts Amanda Thompson said. "They are actively involved in numerous local and regional organizations including the Alla Prima Landscape Group, the Artist's League of Tallahassee, the LeMoyné Center for the Visual Arts, the Artist's Guild of the Gadsden Arts Center and Tallahassee Sketchcrawl Group."

Clinard has spent thirty years working on art for film and theatre in San Francisco and Quadagno is a professor of sociology at FSU, she has spent the majority of her life immersed in the art world.

The exhibit's title, 'Painting the Panhandle,' refers to the beautiful scenery found throughout North Florida, from Apalachicola to St. George Island and St. Marks Wildlife Refuge. "There's a quiet beauty in the rural farms, the coastal fishing boats and the windswept dunes," said Thompson. "Even a rusty shed or salt-scrubbed beach cottage has an elegance that painters clamor to get on canvas. We are exceptionally lucky to live where we do, and for artists, it's just heaven."

Quadagno and Clinard's style of painting is called Plein Air, centered on creating artwork on location

Summer Art Program Benefit Dinner, Raffle, & Silent Auction

Thursday, February 28, 2013 Cedar Key Community Center Tickets-\$25 per person

6:00-7:00 p.m. Social and Silent Auction · 7:00 p.m. Dinner and Raffle · Gourmet Food Provided by the Island Room

Tickets can be purchased by returning the form below to CK Arts Center, P.O. Box 949, Cedar Key, Florida 32625

Tickets are also available from Arts Center Board Members, the Chamber of Commerce, and Keyhole.

There are several additional ways that you can help to support the Cedar Key Arts Center Children's Art Program.

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_____ I would like to offer an item for the Raffle (value \$30 or less) _____ I would like to offer an item for the Silent Auction (value \$35 up)

_____ I would like to make a Cash Donation. _____ I would like to help make the Benefit a special occasion by volunteering to:

_____ set up/decorate _____ take down/clean up or _____ other _____

_____ I would like to purchase # _____ tickets to the Benefit Dinner.

Contact Information:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Come and Join the Fun while Supporting a Great Cause!

Please return this form to: CKAC, P. O. Box 949, Cedar Key Florida 32625 or call Donna Bushnell, 352-949-1807.

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