

# Lodi Community Art Center Newsletter July 2017

# FEATURED LCAC CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS - All hosted at the LCAC Gallery

#### Summer Youth Art Workshop with Caroline Henry & JC Strote

#### Monday June 26 - Friday June 30 - 10AM - 12PM

Youth class for youths 6 to 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Painting using different media for the first four days. Final day will be - making a glass wind chime or bugs. Caroline Henry will teach the painting classes, JC Strote will teach the glass class on Friday. \$50 for the week or \$12 a day. \$10 deposit is required.

#### CUPS, CUPS - Pottery Workshop with Lynn Woods

#### Saturday August 19 - 9AM - 4:30PM

Lynn Woods returns to the art center to teach a pottery class making hand built cups. Using texture pads to decorate and learning different, unique handles. Class is limited to 12. Registration must be received by August 1.

LCAC or SJPG Members \$75, Non-Members \$80

#### **Encaustic 101 with Linda Nunes**

#### Saturday October 21 - 9:30AM - 4:30PM

Linda Nunes will be at the art Center teaching her Encaustic 101 class. More details to come.

#### **Exploring Media and Materials with Caroline Henry**

#### Monthly Classes July through November- see LCAC Calendar for details

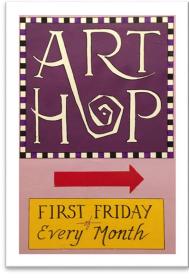
Caroline Henry leads a series of monthly classes in which participants can try different materials and media without a big investment in supplies. You will complete a painting in each class. Fee paid in advance, which covers all materials, is \$30 per class for members, \$35 for non-members. If you pay on the day of class, add another \$5. Sign up and pay at the LCAC gallery, 110 W. Pine St, Lodi (209)333-3855 or mail a check to Caroline Henry, 4650 Dahlia Dr, Morada CA 95212.











# **LCAC CALENDAR**

### **Gallery Hours**

We are closed Mon & Tue

Wed | 12pm - 5pm

Thu | 12pm - 5pm

Thu | May 19—Sept 1 | 12pm-8pm

Fri | 12pm - 5pm

First Fri Art Hop | 12pm-8pm

Sat | 12pm - 5pm

Sun | 12pm - 5pm



Weekly (Every Wed) 5 - 7 pm	<b>Exploring Painting Techniques with Patti Wallace</b> @ The Gallery  A weekly Exploration Group focusing on painting techniques with new materials. Materials provided, \$15 for LCAC members; \$20 for non-members
Sat 06/25 - Sun 06/26 Gallery Hours	LCAC Membership Show Receiving @ The Gallery
Sun 06/26	LCAC Membership Show Judging @ The Gallery by Tina Moore
<b>Mon 06/26 - Fri 06/30</b> 10 am - 12 pm	Summer Youth Art Workshop with Caroline Henry & JC Strote  @ The Gallery - Youth class for youths 6 to 8 <sup>th</sup> grade. Painting using different media for the first four days.  Final day will be - making a glass wind chime or bugs. Caroline Henry will teach the painting classes, JC Strote will teach the glass class on Friday. \$50 for the week or \$12 a day. \$10 deposit is required.
<b>Fri 07/07</b> 6pm - 8:30 pm	July Art Hop
<b>Tue 07/11</b> 6:30 pm	LCAC Membership Show Judge's Critique @ The Gallery with Tina Moore
<b>Sun 07/23</b> 1 pm - 3:30 pm Exploring Media and Materials Series	Acrylic/Mixed Media on Canvass with Caroline Henry @ The Gallery Paint an acrylic background and use various add-ons to capture a mood, message, or moment in time. Materials provided. Fee paid in advance is \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members. If you pay on the day of class, add \$5
<b>Sat 08/19</b> 9 am - 4:30 pm	CUPS, CUPS - Pottery Workshop with Lynn Woods @ The Gallery Lynn Woods returns to the art center to teach a pottery class making hand built cups. Using texture pads to decorate and learning different, unique handles. Class is limited to 12. Registration must be received by Au- gust 1. LCAC or SJPG Members \$75, Non-Members \$80
<b>Sun 08/13</b> 1 pm - 3 pm Exploring Media and Materials Series	What Can You Do with Watercolor Pencils? with Caroline Henry @ The Gallery The question "What can you do with Watercolor Pencils?" has a lot of answers and we will create art while discovering some of them. We will create several small pictures. Materials provided. Fee paid in advance is \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members. If you pay on the day of class, add \$5
<b>Sun 09/10</b> 1 pm - 3 pm Exploring Media and Materials Series	Scratch Art with Caroline Henry @ The Gallery We'll practice on quality paper-backed scratchboard sheets and then create a drawing on a small Ampersand Claybord surface. In this medium the artist cuts through india ink to reveal a white clay surface, drawing with incising tools. Materials provided. Fee paid in advance is \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members. If you pay on the day of class, add \$5
<b>Fri 10/06</b> 6 pm - 8:30 pm	LCAC 6th Annual Photography Show Public Reception @ The Gallery
<b>Sun 10/8</b> 1 pm - 3 pm Exploring Media and Materials Series	Creating a Small Oil Still Life with Caroline Henry @ The Gallery Explore how oil paints can be applied with brush or with palette knife and find out if one has a special appeal for you. Materials provided. Fee paid in advance is \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members. If you pay on the day of class, add \$5
<b>Sat 10/14</b> 6 pm - 8 pm	LCAC 6th Annual Photography Show Artist Reception & Awards @ The Gallery Ticket Prices \$20 for LCAC members; \$25 for non-members)
<b>Sat 10/21</b> 9:30 am - 4:30 pm	Encaustic 101 with Linda Nunes @ The Gallery Linda Nunes will be at the art Center teaching her Encaustic 101 class. More details to come.
November Date/Time TBA Exploring Media and Materials Series	Pastels and Pastel Supports with Caroline Henry @ The Gallery Try your hand at pastels on a variety of surfaces and pick one for your painting. Materials provided. Fee paid in advance is \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members. If you pay on the day of class, add \$5



# NON LCAC SPONSORED

# Calls to Artist and Workshops Calendar

Airbrush Classes	Barrigas Fine Arts: \$60 3 hour class. Also offering month long advanced & children's classes.  For more information: <a href="http://www.barrigasfinearts.com/airbrush-lessons/">http://www.barrigasfinearts.com/airbrush-lessons/</a>
VARIOUS ENTRY DATES* Festival: Thu 09/14 - Sun 09/17	80th Annual Lodi Grape Festival  *Download Premium Book (lists submission dates and deadlines): http:// d2w7gersd1ix5b.cloudfront.net/files.ashx?t=fg&rid=LodiGrapeFestival&f=2017 premium book.pdf View Details: http://www.grapefestival.com/p/lodi-grape-festival/240
CALL TO ARTISTS - P.A.L.S. People Assisting the Lodi Shelter:	A large painting was donated that PALS would like to auction off, but the paint on a few small spots is damaged. Could an artist repair this? The painting is at the resale boutique, Wags to Riches, 101 East Pine Street. If you can help, stop by and take a look, or phone 209.367.9247
CALL TO ARTISTS - P.A.L.S. People Assisting the Lodi Shelter:	Paint a chair for "Chair-ity!"  Last year several artists participated in this fun Chair-ity fundraiser, which raised over \$5,000 to help build an expanded shelter "Haven" in Lodi. Participation is simple: you pick up a chair at Wags to Riches (or use one of your own), paint it however you like, then bring it back to Wags. The chairs will be auctioned off to raise much needed funds to help homeless pets. Phone for details. 209.367.9247
CALL TO ARTISTS - Flight Lounge	Flight Lounge in Woodbridge is looking for an artist to paint their chalk board at the restaurant. If you are interested contact Judd Winters 208 514 9612 or email <a href="mailto:flightwoodbridge@gmail.com">flightwoodbridge@gmail.com</a>
<b>Enter By:</b> Wed 06/21 <b>Event:</b> Thu 06/29 11:30 am - 5:00 pm	Alameda County Fair Plein Air Painting Contest View Details: http://annual.alamedacountyfair.com/pdf/entry/daily/Plein Air Contest.pdf
<b>6 Lessons</b> 06/19, 06/21, 06/23, 06/26, 06/28 & 06/30 10:00 am - 12:00 noon	Wheel-Throwing Class for Kids View Details: http://www.clay-mix.com/class.html
<b>Thu 06/22</b> 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Metropolitan Fresno and Clovis Art Hop For more information: www.fresnoarthop.org
<b>Event:</b> Sat 06/24 - Sun 06/25	Pastel Portraits Workshop with Lyn Diefenbach View Details: http://www.fresnoarthub.com/workshops/workshops.html
<b>Event:</b> Mon 06/26 - Tue 06/27	Seascapes and Landscapes Workshop with Lyn Diefenbach View Details: http://www.fresnoarthub.com/workshops/workshops.html
<b>Event:</b> Wed 06/28 9:00 am	Yosemite Western Artists Plein Air Outing Outings are usually the 4th Wednesday of each month. Locations vary. For more information: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/YosemiteWesternArtists">https://www.facebook.com/YosemiteWesternArtists</a>
<b>Enter By:</b> Thu 06/29	The Biennial's Grant—An endeavor of the Biennial of Fine Art & Documentary Photography Discounted entry rate for students. Open twice per year (May and September)  View Details: <a href="https://www.biennialgrant.com/">https://www.biennialgrant.com/</a>
<b>Event:</b> Sat 07/15 - Sun 07/16 10:00 am - 5:00 pm	Pastel Portraiture Workshop with Cuong Nguyen View Details: http://www.fresnoarthub.com/workshops/workshops.html
<b>Event:</b> Mon 07/17 - Wed 07/19	Artist Getaway Plein Air Watercolor Workshop with Rolando Barrero View Details: http://www.fresnoarthub.com/workshops/workshops.html

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Calls to Artist and Workshops Calendar (cont.)

Prospectus Due: Sat 08/12 Enter by: Sat 08/19 –Sun 08/20 Gala: Sat 09/16 Exhibition: Tue 08/29 - Fri 10/20	Members Only - Central CA Art Association at Mistlin Gallery Autumn Art Festival View Details: http://ccaagallery.org/current-upcoming-shows/ Show Host: Phonsie Bates: 209.526.4070   phonsie.bates@gmail.com
<b>Event:</b> Thu 09/28 - Sat 09/30 9:00 am - 4:00 pm	ACA Workshop - Fabio Cembranelli - Capture the Fundamental Essence in Watercolor View Details: <a href="http://www.allianceofcaliforniaartists.com/demonstrations/acaworkshop.html">http://www.allianceofcaliforniaartists.com/demonstrations/acaworkshop.html</a>
<b>Exhibition:</b> Fri 08/11 - Sun 09/10	Santa Cruz Art League 87th Annual California Statewide Landscape Exhibit View Details: <a href="https://onlinejuriedshows.com/Default.aspx?OJSID=10789">https://onlinejuriedshows.com/Default.aspx?OJSID=10789</a>
<b>Enter By:</b> Sat 08/12 <b>Exhibition:</b> Tue 10/03 - Sat 10/28	Bold Expressions 2017, Northern California Arts, Inc. (62nd International Open Juried Art Exhibit) View details: <a href="http://www.sacfinearts.org/exhibitionEntryForms.html">http://www.sacfinearts.org/exhibitionEntryForms.html</a> To enter: <a href="http://norcalarts.cloud/register/">http://norcalarts.cloud/register/</a>
<b>Event:</b> Sat 08/26 8:00 am	Benicia Plein Air Gallery 1st Annual Paint Out View Details: http://www.beniciapleinair.com/paint_out.html
<b>Event:</b> Mon 09/18 - Sun 09/24	5th Annual Mendocino Open Paint Out on No. California's Beautiful Mendocino Coast View Details: <a href="http://www.mendocinoartcenter.org/pleinair">http://www.mendocinoartcenter.org/pleinair</a>
<b>Event:</b> Sun 10/15 - Fri 10/20	Artist Getaway in Occidental, Sonoma Coastal Forest View Details: http://www.artistgetaway.com/occidental_october_2017.html
<b>Event:</b> Fri 12/01 - Sun 12/03	ACA Clark Mitchell Pastel Workshop  View Details: http://www.allianceofcaliforniaartists.com/demonstrations/acaworkshop.html



# **Staffing Notes** By Caroline Henry

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As always, we struggle to fill all of our staffing spots. Please sign up. If you cannot staff for a full session, consider pairing with another member for staffing.

I hope you enjoy your time at the gallery. Please welcome visitors, ask if they are first time visitors, and if they are, tell them that we are a local non-profit promoting local art and artists. You might share information about the First Friday Art Hops. Don't hesitate to tell visitors about other galleries in Lodi—we want them to think of this as an "art town". If you share information about your own art or other artists in the gallery, you help gallery visitors make a connection with our art.

If things are quiet, how can you use your time? Become familiar with where things are, look at the art in the gallery, check out the bro-

chures and postcards so you can answer questions that may come up, see which members have business cards here—you will know those artists are happy to be contacted by interested art lovers, clean or neaten areas that need it, work on your own art, or bring another favorite activity with you. We have several class sign up lists on the wall and flyers on the side table. Be aware of them.

Call if you need help with a question, but also be aware that a number of binders over the counter give good information on many topics and contain copies of forms that you may need.



# President's Message JC Strote

Lodi, CA | 209.406.4188 Fused Glass Art jcglassart3@gmail.com

We are starting a new fiscal / membership year for the gallery this month. I am excited about the upcoming Membership Show. I don't know about the rest of you but I have some great art to enter in this show that did not make it in the Spring Show. I think it will be a great show. I hope you have your art ready to bring in on June 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. I know we need some extra hands to help with receiving on those days and also on Monday the 26<sup>th</sup> for judging. Tina Moore is our judge, I think she will do a great job. Tina will also be at the gallery on **July 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 to** do a Judge's Critique. These critiques are always interesting and answer the question we all have "What was she thinking?" I hope we will have a big turnout for this event. July is the time to renew your membership, so I hope all of you will do so, our goal is to have 50 new or renewing members by the end of July with an annual goal of having 100 members by this time next year. The board voted to give every new or renewing member this year a card that allows you 1 free \$5 hanging fee. If you have already renewed or joined we will put your card in the mail soon. The free hanging fee card can't be used for any juried shows. We would like to see more art every month in the gallery. This is just our way of saying thank you for your continuing support.

The Board also voted on other changes to the gallery fees. After this year's Membership Show we will start charging 30% commission on all artist sales. Hanging fees for 2d art over \$75 will remain the same \$5 apiece. 2D art that hangs or is displayed on easels is \$5 for up to 5. Jewelry, pottery, glass, and other 3D art will have the most changes in fees. We will rent space by the foot. A four foot shelf will be \$10 a month regardless of the price of the items. 2ft will be \$5 a month. We will accept cards in the common racks at \$5 per month. Unframed originals or prints are \$5 for up to 5. If you bring in your own large card rack it will be \$10 per month. We will waive fees for cards in the miscellaneous card racks or unframed art if you show 2 or more hanging items in the gallery. We realize that these changes may mean you need to raise your prices slightly or rethink how you display but to be honest the gallery needs to bring in more money to remain in its current location. Our rent is going to be raised again in January, we are operating at a loss and do not have the reserve funds to continue to do so.

We continue to need to raise funds for the gallery to be able continue to operate. In recent months we have received donations to boost our advertising budget with ads in the San Joaquin Magazine. We have also had two Art Center angels stepping forward and donating significant funds to the gallery. Thank you Glenda McBride and Bob Hathaway: you breathe new life in the gallery and give me hope for the future. If you would like to help the gallery in a significant way or know someone that would please contact and member of the Board.



**Other News** By JC Strote 209.406.4188

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# **Vacant Spots on the Board**

We need to fill some spots on the board. Things just don't happen on their own we need member participation this is your organization and we can only be successful if all of us participate.

# **Membership Chairman**

We are sad to see Charlene Martin leave her position of Membership Chairman. This is an important position on the board. You do not need to have experience, (we will train you) but we need someone with ideas about how we can attract and keep members in the organization, welcome new members and keep membership records up to date. The Membership Chairman also organizes the Membership Show each year.

# **Workshops and Classes Chairman**

We need a Chairman to schedule workshops in the studio. We have some great workshops coming up: Caroline Henry's monthly Materials and Media Classes, another Pottery workshop with Lynn Woods on August 19<sup>th</sup> titled "Cup, Cups, Cups", an Encaustics class with Linda Nunes in October. this is always a fun class. We are missing out on maximizing our studio space. We need at least 2 workshops a month or more. We also really need regular weekly or by weekly art classes, watercolors, acrylics, mixed media or other. People come in all the time looking for art classes we need to fill that need. With a regular schedule of classes going on in the gallery we would be not need to be as dependent on our art sales and it would bring more people in the gallery. We also need more kids classes, painting, mixed media and STEAM classes that mix art and science. We need a Chairman to organize and schedule classes. We also need artists who are interested in teaching classes in the studio. If you are interested in teaching a class please let JC Strote know and we will set a schedule and promote the class.

# **Art to Business**

Please help us promote our new Art to Business program. If you know a business (Doctors, Dentist's, Lawyers, Accountants, Financial Advisors) that are opening up and could use some great art on their walls, give them a brochure from the gallery. Let us help them decorate their office for an annual donation to the Art Center.



#### **Lodi Community Art Center Paint Lodi Event**

By Linda Poteet 209.663.9674 | <a href="mailto:lkpoteet@gmail.com">lkpoteet@gmail.com</a>

Dear Members. The Lodi Community Art Center's Paint Lodi - Plein Air event planning is underway. We are scheduled to begin the 10 days of painting in the latter half of October with the art hanging in the gallery in November. For those that aren't familiar with this, Plein Air art is finding a nice spot outdoors and painting (or drawing, mixed media, etc) what you see. There will be a few categories with children and adults alike eligible to participate.

This is my first time chairing an event and there is a lot to do. I could really use your help in making this a success for the community of Lodi as well as our Art Center.

First, off, if you are so inclined, please participate in painting and encouraging others as well. There will be cash awards and some serious fun! Secondly, if you know of a business or individual that could be interested in sponsoring with any dollar amount, please contact me. We are offering incentives for sponsors and I would like to give them a proposal.

Many other tasks are involved so if you are interested in lending a hand as these pop up, please call or email me so I know you may be available.

Lastly, if you have a scanned image of previous Paint Lodi art work you completed, could you please email it to me (along with your permission, the year, and title of the piece) to use in possible advertising on social media, flyers, newspaper, etc. Stay tuned for more details!



## **Spring Art Show Results**

By JC Strote 209.406.4188 | jcglassart3@gmail.com

The Spring show was a success considering that we had to down scale the size of the show.

We made more than \$3,000 profit, with additional dollars still coming in.

I want to thank all the members who bought, sold and donated money for the gala—we would not have made a profit without the outstanding support of the membership.

While there were many people who helped to make it a success I hope you will understand if I single out a few who went above and beyond,

**Elsa Bates and Valarie Pinaglia** who did such a great job with the raffle

**Susan Farley and her committee** who put together an absolutely wonderful party for the gala.

**Caroline Henry** who was at every single one of the volunteer efforts (receiving, judging, hanging, and being my backup for the entire show, I couldn't have done it without her.





# **Classes and Workshops**

Featured Classes and Workshops can be found on the front page of this newsletter. For a complete schedule, contact any Board Member or visit us online:

**Adult Classes** 

www.lodiartcenter.org/adult-classes/

**Adult Workshops** 

www.lodiartcenter.org/workshops/

**Youth Classes** 

www.lodiartcenter.org/youth-classes/

### **Get In Touch**

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# **Gallery Themes**

Jul 2017	Member Show
Aug 2017	Hot Summer Days
Sep 2017	The Colors of Fall

Oct 2017	6th Annual Photography Show
Nov 2017	Harvest Moon
Dec 2017	Small Works Show

# Featured Artists | For more info, contact Elsa Bates tenorherb@aol.com

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# **Lodi Community Art Center - Our Mission**

Our mission is to stimulate and encourage interest in, and a study of, the Visual Arts. Specifically:

To provide a meeting place for the members of this organization.

To encourage the teaching of art and provide classrooms for Art Instruction.

To encourage the civic development of Fine Arts and Crafts and strengthen such interest in the community.

To sponsor a gallery or exhibition of arts and crafts.