



Las Juntas~East Bay Artists Guild

A Group of Committed, Dedicated Local Artists

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August 2022 Newsletter

MEETING DATES:

BOARD MEETING

Monday, August 8^h

7:00 pm *via ZOOM*

GENERAL MEETING

Saturday, August 27th

2:00 - 4:00 pm

St. Mark's Lutheran Church
3051 Putnam Boulevard
St. Mark's Room,
Pleasant Hill

CALLS FOR ART – all info received for opportunities to display at other venues will be sent as separate e-mails.

EBAG Officers & Directors

- **Marylynne Nicholson,**
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Newsletter Editor

GENERAL MEETING —

Silversmithing, presented by Martin Biro (member)



The antique silver road show comes to Pleasant Hill CA! Join us at this month's meeting for a fun and informative presentation with Martin!

Martin Biro, co-owner of *Biro & Sons Silversmiths*, will present a program all about silver. Bring your family heirlooms and silver jewelry to discuss the history, value, vintage and restoration. Martin will also give tips on cleaning, care and storage of your items.

He will also bring some museum pieces for display and discussion.

If you enjoy antiquing Martin can help you find gems if you follow a few simple rules. Martin can also advise how to sell any unwanted items too!

Messages From the Board...

Our website is coming along better now! Kelly and Phyllis have made some excellent improvements. We still need your bio info and more pics too!



<http://www.eastbayartistsguild.org/members-gallery>

2022 PRESENT AND UPCOMING EVENTS / VENUES

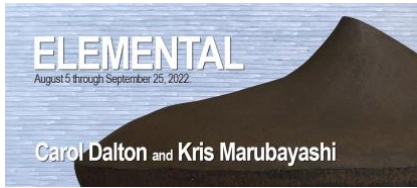
Pleasant Hill Senior Center



Our new show "*Animals*" is up and ready for viewing! Stop by and enjoy some adorable, heartwarming images!

Other Art Groups and Galleries

Epperson Gallery



This show features the work of two unique artists: Carol Dalton and Kris Marubayashi.

Exhibition dates - August 5th to September 25th, with the *Opening Reception Saturday, August 6th from 4-6pm.*

On the Strait is an invitational show highlighting artists working in the Carquinez Strait Region, including Benicia, Crockett, Port Costa, Martinez and Vallejo.

Stop by and see the amazing work from these local artists, through August 31!

<https://eppersongallery.com/index.php>

aRt Cottage - Bringing in the Outdoors



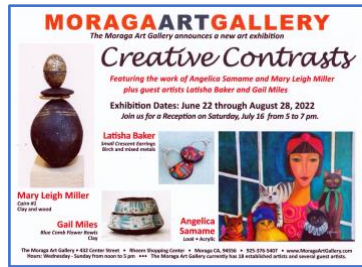
Black Diamond Mine by MJ Lazarski

This show continues through August 26th, our gallery celebrates the joy of the outdoors with art from members of the [Contra Costa Plein Air Group](#), curated by the group's founder, [Nancy Roberts](#).

<http://artscottage.blogspot.com>

Other Art Groups and Galleries (continued)

Moraga Art Gallery - Creative Contrasts



The Moraga Art Gallery proudly announces the installation of “**Creative Contrasts**,” featuring the eye-catching work of two member artists: ceramicist Mary Leigh Miller and acrylic painter Angelica Samame. We are delighted to have guest artists Gail Miles, a potter, and Latisha Baker, a maker of fine jewelry included in the show. The show will run from June 22 - August 28.

<https://moragaartgallery.com>

Valley Art Gallery - Lisa Rigge - Hand Colored Photographs



Because early photographs could only be printed in black and white, the only way to transform them into color images was to add color by hand.

Dates: August 9 - September 16

<https://valleyartgallery.org/event-cat/current-events/>

Guidelines for monthly newsletter submissions:

- Submissions are due by the **22nd of the month**, to insure timely inclusion in the next month's newsletter (sent the 1st of the month).
- Submissions after the 22nd are still welcome, and may be sent out as a separate announcement via email to the members.
- Email submissions to eastbayartistsguild@yahoo.com for inclusion.
- Images and flyers for your future art events are always welcome.

Thanks for reading...

(REMINDER: *The links may not work from a PDF document, you need to copy and paste it or type it into your browser.*)

“I found I could say things with color and shapes that I couldn't say any other way — things I had no words for.”

~ Georgia O'Keeffe