



## Las Juntas~East Bay Artists Guild

*A Group of Committed, Dedicated Local Artists*

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# January 2021 Newsletter

### MEETING DATES:

#### BOARD MEETING

Wednesday, Jan 13<sup>th</sup>

7:00 pm *via ZOOM*

#### GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, Jan 27<sup>th</sup>

7:00 pm *via ZOOM*

**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**,  
*President*
  - **Elizabeth Kennen**,  
*Vice President*
  - **Lia Germain**, *Secretary*
  - **Valerie Zito**, *Treasurer*
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- **Kelly Marinello**,  
*Education Director*
  - **Vacant**, *Exhibition Coordinator(s)*
  - **Marylynne Nicholson**,  
*Membership Chair*
  - **Elizabeth Kennen**, *Chamber of Commerce Representative, Publicity Director*
  - **Phyllis Couillard**  
*Newsletter Editor*

### General Meeting — *A Discussion of Medium, Genre, Techniques*



Long-time member, Elizabeth Kennen, works in both oils and watercolor. Her favorite subjects are landscapes, nature studies and architecture.

She will present a portfolio of her work and share her ideas on medium, genre, technique, etc.

Join us for an evening of sharing art with a lively discussion of how we create it!

<http://www.ekennenartwork.com>

### Messages From the Board...

#### Membership Renewal -

Once again it's time to renew your commitment to the group! Please fill out our updated member application form, attach your renewal check, and mail by the **end of January**.

### Messages From the Board...(continued)

**Monthly Presentations** – Let's start the new year with some member presentations! Do you have a technique or genre you would like to share and demonstrate at a monthly meeting in 2021? It's always great fun to have a member share their talents!

Please email Kelly Marinello: [eastbayartistsguild@yahoo.com](mailto:eastbayartistsguild@yahoo.com) or call her at 925-695-4294 if you're interested.

### 2021 PRESENT AND UPCOMING EVENTS / VENUES

*We are as anxious as you are to get our work back on display in the community...but it's not quite time! We need to be patient a while longer...*

**ALL DATES FOR ANY OF OUR UPCOMING EXHIBITS REMAIN POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

*Lia Germain, Interim Coordinator*

## Other Art Groups and Galleries

### aRt Cottage - Salon de Refusés



Salon des Refusés is French for an exhibition of work that was rejected by the jury, originating with the official Paris Salon in 1863. Monet, Renoir, Degas and Saison were all refused at one time, just to name a few.

This show runs for two months, January and February, 2021

*Opens - Saturday, Jan 9th*

#### HOURS OF OPERATION

Tuesday - Friday 11am-5pm

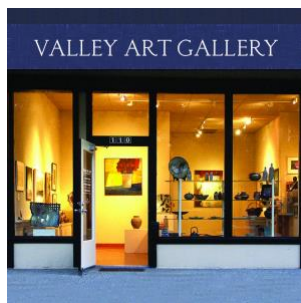
Saturday 1-5pm

Sunday & Monday closed

Find more info:

<http://artscottage.blogspot.com/p/about.html>

### Valley Art Gallery - Wintermission



January 14<sup>th</sup> - March 4<sup>th</sup> 2021

NEW HOURS: Thursday-Saturday, 12-5, or by appointment

<https://valleyartgallery.org>

## Other Art Groups and Galleries (continued)

### The Epperson Gallery of Ceramic Artists



This exhibition will showcase the best Contemporary Ceramic art being made in the United States.

The show began November 13, 2020, and continues through January 17, 2021.

Our juror this year will be Scott A. Shields, Chief Curator at the Crocker Art Museum.

With an extensive list of talented artists participating, and a wide range of pieces and styles, there's something for everyone's taste. There's still time to see the show!

<http://eppersongallery.com>

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

## 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](mailto:eastbayartistsguild@yahoo.com) for inclusion.
- Images and flyers for your future art events are always welcome.

Thanks for reading...



*"Gold Heart" by Joo Chase*

*"Painting from nature is not copying the object; it is realizing one's sensations."*

*~ Paul Cézanne*