



Las Juntas~East Bay Artists Guild

A Group of Committed, Dedicated Local Artists

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January 2023 Newsletter

MEETING DATES:

BOARD MEETING

Monday, January 9th

7:00 pm *via ZOOM*

GENERAL MEETING

January 28th Saturday

*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.**

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GENERAL MEETING —

Show & Share your Artwork

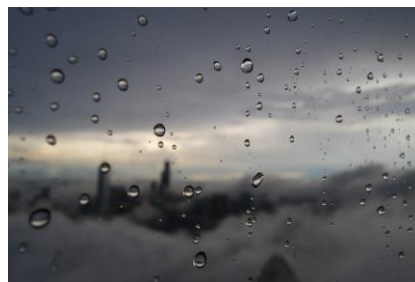
Let's begin the New Year with sharing our artwork! What have you been working on the last few months? Bring as many pieces as you like. They can be in any stage of your creative process.

It's always fun and inspiring to see and talk about what everyone is working on and a great way to begin 2023!

As always, we welcome renewals of existing members and new members.

Messages From the Board...

Happy New Year!



We hope all members are fine during this wet winter storm season.

In other news — We are always looking for additional venues, so let us know if see a space and we can look into it.

Messages From the Board...(continued)

Here is the list of themes for the Pleasant Hill Senior Center 2023 exhibits so that members can prepare in advance.

- Abstract: Jan 14 - Mar 18
- People: Mar 18 - May 20
- Flowers: May 20 - Jul 8
- Water: Jul 8 - Sep 23
- Autumn Landscape: Sep 23 - Nov 18
- Holiday Art: Nov 18 - Jan 13

We look forward to your continued participation and perhaps creating new pieces for the themes!

CURRENT AND UPCOMING EVENTS / VENUES

Pleasant Hill Senior Center



Our new show "Abstract"! is on display from *January 14*. On January 14th, members who have works exhibited last year must pick up their art to make room for the new artwork that will be put up that day. Notice of the relevant period will be emailed to you by Lia.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church - in 2023



The January exhibition has not yet been confirmed. Probably in the 4th week of January. Lia will send out a reminder email for the next exhibit. Watch your email for the Call for Art info.

Other Art Groups / Events and Galleries

Asian Art Museum – Celebrate Lunar New Year



“Lunar New Year Storytelling to Celebrate the Year of the Tiger” is a virtual event from January 30th, 11am-12pm.

In addition to the virtual event, there are various face-to-face events at the Asian Art Museum such as making your own Lunar New Year Red Envelope and Coloring Pages with Lunar New Year Zodiac Animals. Please have a look at all of the events that are taking place and you are bound to find an event that matches your interests.

<https://asianart.org/cultural-celebrations/celebrate-lunar-new-year/>

Other Art Groups / Events and Galleries (continued)

aRt Cottage – All Creatures Great and Small



This exhibition of Animal-themed artwork will be from January 11th through February 3rd.

Artist Reception - January 14th, 2-4pm

http://artscottage.blogspot.com/p/next-show_4.html

Valley Art Gallery – Wintermission



The show features selected works by Gallery Artists designed to refresh and warm on even the longest, darkest winter days. Reflecting a wide range of styles, prices, motifs and media, the exhibition presents the best of more than 100 East Bay artists. Exhibition will be from January 5th through February 4th
<https://valleyartgallery.org/event/s/wintermission-5/>

“To copy others is necessary, but to copy oneself is pathetic.”

– Pablo Picasso

Other Art Groups / Events and Galleries (continued)

Epperson gallery – Juried Northern California Competition/Exhibition



Open to Artists who reference and interpret the Human Form as subject from February 17th through April 16th.

Artist Reception - February 25th, 4-6pm

<https://www.eppersongallery.com/upcoming-exhibitions.php>

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.*)