Saco Bay Artists

December, 2019, Newsletter



Random Notes from Elsie:

PLEASE NOTE: At our last meeting, it was discovered that most people will either be away or have other commitments for our holiday party scheduled for December 9 and it was voted to not have a holiday party this year. Because of this decision, **THERE WILL BE NO DECEMBER MEETING** on December 9. Our next meeting will be in March, taking January and February off. More information will be coming when March gets closer. Please have a restful, contented and productive winter until we gather together again in March.

Officers/committee chairs till the end of December:

Chair - Kathy Angel Lee - Treasurer - Lettie Lemay - Newsletter - Elsie Reese - Membership - Deb Eaton

Our new SBA leaders will be Pat Scammon, Ellen Pelletier and David Steed. Duties will be divided as follows: Ellen Pelletier will run the meetings, David Steed will put together the budget and arrange the dates for our meetings, Pat Scammon will be the special events coordinator and Kathy Lee will still take care of show arrangements and disperse messages and newsletters since she has the mailing information on her computer.

Portrait Painting /Sketching session: Libby Library, Old Orchard Beach Thurs Dec 12 will be held 11 -2. It's free and anyone can come and enjoy the challenge and the fellowship. The Oil Pastel Society of Maine will meet the third Monday of the month at the McArthur Library on Main Street in Biddeford from 1-3pm.

Open painting for December at Saco Park and Rec 75 Franklin St., Saco: December 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

INFORMATION FROM OUR LAST MEETING:

It was voted to donate \$250 to Saco Parks and Recreation Dept., \$250 to the Libby Library, and \$250 to the Dyer Library.

Show judges stipend will be increased to \$125.

It was noted that this was the last year that awards would be given out of the Maria Lehman Award account because the money has run out. The account will be closed and the remaining small amount will be transferred to the checking account.

Our annual dues of \$30 is due in January and can be sent to Deb Eaton. Application and Deb's address can be found on sacobayartists.org and click on "join us."

Susan Hannah presented the demonstration on oil painting on copper. Susan paints on copper and aluminum. She included many interesting tidbits about her technique. Her studio is called SEH studios and is located in Dover, NH.





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SEE YOU IN MARCH!

