



# Monterey Bay Plein Air Painters Association

June 2016

Newsletter

## A HEALING FEAST FOR THE SOUL



Julia Seelos - "Brand New Roof"

Our year long show opened April 8th at the Natividad Medical Center. 65 works were selected from over 130 entries by judge Bryan Mark Taylor. If you haven't seen the show, be sure to make a trip out to Salinas to see the beautiful display.

### 2016 Natividad Winners

**1st Julia Seelos** - "Brand New Roof"

**2nd Carole Belliveau** - "Abandoned"

**3rd Coraly Hanson** - "Point Lobos Glory"

### Honorable Mentions:

**Christine Crozier** - "Reef Catch"

**Cindy Wilbur** - "Homeward Bound"

**Murray Wagnon** - "Cypress Point, Pt. Lobos"

**Michelle Murphy Ferguson** - "Rocky Point Overlook"

**Peter Holmsky** - "Therapy"

**Marlene Maier** - "Asolimar Morning"

### Two Peoples Choice Awards;

**Peter Holmsky** - "Afternoon Walk"

**Marie Massey** - "Loving Memories"

### Sponsor Award

**Paola Berthoin** - "Home of the Red Shouldered Hawk"

## 3rd Annual Paint The Village Plein Air

The Quail & Olive and the Arts Council for Monterey County held the 3rd Annual Paint The Village Plein Air Saturday, April 9th. MBPAPA president, **Murray Wagnon**, and Mark Farina, signature member of CAA, judged entries and awards. Dr. Stephen Brabeck held an interesting talk and provided olive oil tasting with wonderful hors d'oeuvres. Many MBPAPA artists again participated and won the following awards; **1st Kate Martin, 2nd Rolf Lygren, 3rd Patty Gaglioti, Honorable Mentions to Marie Massey, Carole Belliveau & Julia Seelos.**



Rolf Lygren, Kate Martin & Patty Gaglioti

## CARMEL ART FESTIVAL

The 23rd Carmel Art Festival & Plein Air Competition took place May 13th-15th 2016 under cloudy skies. MBPAPA was very well represented in this prestigious event by:



Coraly Hanson

**Mary Lou Correia, Catherine Fasciato, Coraly Hanson, Sibyl Johnson, Rolf Lygren, Mark Monsarrat, Julia Seelos and Lilli-Anne Price.**

**Rolf Lygren** won First Place in watercolor.

**Coraly Hanson** took the People's Choice Award and the Jennifer Hill Memorial Award.

**Catherine Fasciato** received an Honorable Mention.

CONGRATULATIONS!



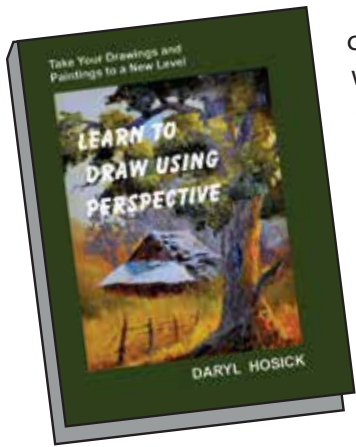
Rolf Lygren



Murray presenting our check to the Arts Council Director, Paulette Lynch

## Learn to Draw Using Perspective

MBPAPA Member Daryl Hosick Releases New Book



"I have noticed that many artists could significantly improve their work if they had a basic knowledge of how to use perspective in their work - particularly in plein air work where it is difficult to see just how perspective fits into the drawing process. I felt that I could really help if I wrote a book specifically for artists like us - not mystique and science - but instead how to better capture most of the subjects

we like to paint. I think many of us avoid complex man made subjects and I believe the information presented will really help. But I think you will be surprised to learn that much of the information presented is on how to capture the perspective and depth visible in natural subjects." Go [amazon.com](http://amazon.com) and search "Daryl Hosick".

## BEST OF PLEIN AIR

June 1st – June 27nd.

**Julia Seelos & Sibyl Johnson** both have works selected for the **LPAPA 12th Annual "BEST OF PLEIN AIR"**.

There were over 500 entries!  
Forest & Ocean Gallery  
480 Ocean Avenue, Laguna Beach



Canada Rd Remembered by Julia



High Tide, Full Moon by Sibyl

## Inspired Impressions of Our Rural Valley!

**Paola Berthoin** received the **President's Award for Best in Show** from Carmel Valley Association's President Pris Walton. The judges voted the painting, "Tending Hay Bales" as the work of art that best captured the art competition theme of "Inspired Carmel Valley Impression." It also received First Place from the **Carmel Valley Art Association Board** of artist directors.

"I watch this field as it changes through the year as it is at the bottom of the hill from where I live. It represents a remnant of what life in Carmel Valley used to be before so many rushing cars and houses took over. There are a few more parcels of prime agricultural land left in the valley. Some are slated for development. Wouldn't it be wonderful if this prime land could be saved? That would aid in helping to preserve the rural quality and sustainability of Carmel Valley".



## PERMANENT COLLECTIONS

Our webmaster, **Marte Thompson** has had three paintings accepted into the permanent collections of the **Pacific Grove Public Library** and the **Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History**.

"Monterey Pelicans" and "Peregrine Falcons" are hanging in the bird room of PGMNH.

"Pelican Rock" is in the main room of the PG public library.

## MEMBER NEWS

**DONNA ROBBINS** is now exhibiting at **Venture Gallery** in Portola Plaza & **Studio Silzer's** in PG and at the **Cannery Row Antique Mall**.



**SIBYL JOHNSON** had two paintings in the **Laguna Plein Air Painters Association's "Welcome to Spring"** Exhibition. April -May



**REMEMBER TO SEND YOUR SUCCESSES TO JULIA FOR THE NEXT NEWSLETTER.**  
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## CALLS FOR ENTRY BENICIA 1ST ANNUAL PAINT OUT

On Saturday, August 27th, 2016, Benicia Plein Air Gallery presents the 1st Annual Paint Out. Benicia is an historic, picturesque waterfront town with art loving residents in a big art community. The highly publicized event features a one day paint out, art reception with music and food, cash prizes. The Judge is award winning oil and watercolor artist, John Finger. Prospectus and registration form [www.beniciapleinairgallery.com](http://www.beniciapleinairgallery.com)

Email [sam@samanthamcnally.com](mailto:sam@samanthamcnally.com) with questions.

When: Saturday, August 27, 2016.

- Registration begins at 8AM
- Hang framed paintings at 3PM, Judging 3:30-4:15PM
- Awards presented by Mayor Elizabeth Patterson at 4:30PM
- Sales and Reception 4:30-7:00PM

Where: Benicia Plein Air Gallery, 307 First Street, Benicia, CA

## THIS LAND IS OUR LAND



A celebration of the **National Park Service & John Muir**, father of the National Parks. A fine art juried exhibition at the **Pacific Grove Public Library**.

October 5, 2016- January 7, 2017  
Submit entries by August 17th, 2016  
Prospectus available at:  
[www.OnlineJuriedShows.com](http://www.OnlineJuriedShows.com).

## Scenic Roadways of Monterey County

An Exhibition & Sale of original paintings by the **Central Coast Plein Air Painters** hosted by the

Transportation Agency for Monterey County. Sponsored by and benefiting The Arts Council for Monterey County. The public is invited to the Artist Reception which will be from 3 to 5pm on June 2nd at the Transportation Agency For Monterey County located at 55-B Plaza Circle in Salinas, CA 93901.

**Maggie Renner Hellman** is our Award Judge. We will have many MBPAPA members' work included.



by Marie Massey

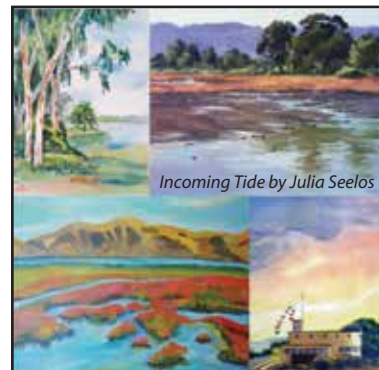


## POPS IN THE BAYLANDS

A Group Exhibition by **Peninsula Outdoor Painters**

June 5 – August 26, 2016

Since 1977, Peninsula Outdoor Painters (POPs) members have captured the beauty of the San Francisco peninsula through oils, watercolors, and pastels while immersed in nature. This group exhibition features the work of twenty-one local artists inspired by the Palo Alto Baylands.



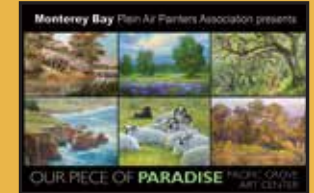
Incoming Tide by Julia Seelos

At the Environmental Volunteers EcoCenter, 2560 Embarcadero Palo Alto.

Reception Saturday, June 25 1pm – 3pm  
[evols.org/pops](http://evols.org/pops)  
(408) 244- 2449  
ext. 101

**ENTER OUR SHOWS**  
Remember to get your entries in for our upcoming shows.

**OUR PIECE OF PARADISE**  
general membership show  
deadline is **June 2nd**  
Pacific Grove Art Center



**ART TAKES WING**  
signature show deadline to enter is **June 6th**  
Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History



## MEMBER NEWS

**CYNDRA BRADFORD** and **LILLI-ANNE PRICE** were in a four person show at **Galerie Plein Aire** in April. The oil paintings showed different artists' perspectives done with palette knife.



YOSEMITE IN PAINT  
CYNDRA BRADFORD & LILLI-ANNE PRICE

**The Nature of Water:**

**SHOWS**

**Our most precious resource**

**The Irvine Museum** - January 30 – June 16, 2016

California landscape paintings celebrating water, including work by Guy Rose, Franz Bischoff, Granville Redmond.



**A Summer Idyll:  
Picturesque Views of California**

**The Irvine Museum** - June 2 – October 6, 2016

Celebrating summer with paintings by contemporary (John Cosby, Jim McVicker, Jesse Powell, Bryan Mark Taylor, Mian Situ) and historic (Joseph Kieitsch, Emil Kosa, Armin Hansen) artists.



**Monterey Museum of Art Pacific Street Gallery.** Online gallery through August 29, 2016

Monterey landscapes accompanied by

a web-based virtual gallery that connects each painting with a map showing the location, local history and artist information



*Barns On Cass Street by Margaret Bruton (1894-1983)*

*Jesus Soto Adobe, Monterey M. Evelyn McCormick (1863-1948)*

for each work.

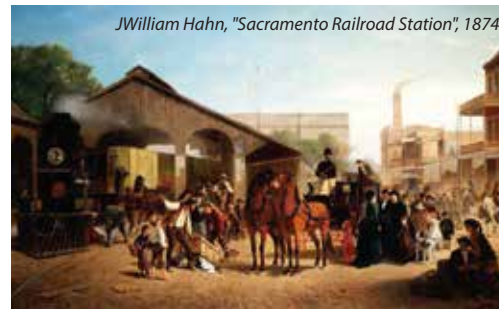


**Wild West: Plains to the Pacific**

**Legion of Honor SF** June 18 – September 11, 2016

Paintings, sculptures, prints, drawings, photographs, historical artifacts of the west.

Works by Albert Bierstadt, Maynard Dixon, William Keith, Thomas Moran, Eadweard Muybridge, Chiura Obata, Bill Owens, Frederic Remington, Ed Ruscha, Fritz Scholder, Michael Schwab, Wayne Thiebaud, Carleton Watkins.



*William Hahn, "Sacramento Railroad Station", 1874*

**59th Stockton Art League Juried Exhibition**

**Haggin Museum** July 7 – September 11, 2016



*Cuong Nguyen, Misty Ocean*

The Stockton Art League's juried art competition will return to the Haggin in 2016 with more than 100 new works by long-standing local artists and newcomers from around the country.

**CAROLE BELLIVEAU** has 2 painting juried into the show. Juror: Brian Blood.

[www.hagginmuseum.org](http://www.hagginmuseum.org)

**MEMBER NEWS**

**BARBARA GILL** won Honorable Mention at **Central California Art Showcase at Carnegie Art Center** for "Emerald Garrapata."

She gave a gallery talk about painting in watercolor for the 2015 Big Sur Plein Air Competition at Studio One with MBPAPA.



**JULIA MUNGER SEELOS'** painting "Across the Woodside Hills" has been selected for the **California Art Club show Golden State Sunshine** at the Altadena Town & Country Club.

May 27 – September 20, 2016



**JULIA'S** painting "Yosemite, Spring Thaw, Merced River" will be in the the show **Celebrating National Parks in California** at the **Wildling Museum of Art and Nature** in Solvang, CA.

June 17 – October 3, 2016

**PAINT-OUT SCHEDULE**

**JUNE - SEPTEMBER**

<http://www.mbpapa.org/paintouts.htm>

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
June 11 Saturday	9-12pm	Garland Park, Carmel Valley, CA
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June (TBD)	9-12pm	Carmel Mission Founders Day <b>Check emails for updates</b>
July 9, Saturday	9-12pm	Esplanade Park, Capitola
July 11, Monday	9-12pm	Esplanade Park, Capitola
July 16 Saturday	9-12pm	Point Lobos, Carmel (Lunch critique at China Cove)
August 13 Saturday	9-12pm	Moss Landing Harbor
August 15 Monday	9-12pm	Moss Landing Harbor
August 20 Saturday	9-12pm	Point Lobos, Carmel
September 10 Saturday	9-12pm	Custom House, Monterey
September 12 Monday	3pm	Custom House, Monterey
September 17 Sunday	9-12pm	Point Lobos, Carmel (Lunch critique at China Cove)

**MEMBER WORKSHOP**

Painting Workshop at Muir Trail Ranch with **CHRISTINE CROZIER**

July 9-13, 2016. Brush up your Plein-Air painting at the Muir Trail Wilderness Ranch. Daily demos, and plenty of individual instruction, while you hone your painting skills in an incomparable High Sierra location. Cost includes lodging in log cabins, meals and workshop. For more information call Christine Crozier, 831-375-3224 or [contactme@christinecrozier.com](mailto:contactme@christinecrozier.com)



**MAGGIE RENNER HELLMANN** has been invited to teach a **Workshop at The Watermill in Tuscany, Italy**

June 17th-24th, 2017! Early bird discount going on now. More info at [www.MaggieHellmann.com/Tuscany](http://www.MaggieHellmann.com/Tuscany)



**MAGGIE** has two paintings juried into the **86th Annual California Statewide 'Land & Sea' Exhibit at SCAL**. Juror: David Gallup. Exhibit: June 3rd - July 3rd, 2016. Reception: Sat. June 11th from 3-5pm.



Marie



Julia & Winston



Carole

**PAINT THE VILLAGE CARMEL VALLEY**

More shots of our members receiving awards

**MBPAPA**

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