



Example of Fabric Painting

## Three Cities Art Club

### May 2010 Newsletter



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**Aglaia  
Zimmer**

**Monday, May 3rd 7 - 9 p.m.**

**Canton Township Hall**

1150 Canton Center Road South;

**Meeting Room**

**FREEDOM ROOM**



## The Art of Fabric Painting

Kari Buzewiski will teach all about painting fabrics and demonstrate painting on silk.



MONTHLY ARTIST RESQUE TIPS & TECHNIQUES By Elizabeth Gullikson

A 10 minute feature of items to help remind us of what we may have forgotten and teach us new things.

THIS MONTH'S TOPIC - "The Lessons of Subject Matter" (from Pastel Pointers Blog)

## How to "WORK" our Spring Exhibit

Each participant in the Spring Show is required to "work" the exhibit. It is important to greet people and welcome them to come in to see our show. In addition, you should make an effort to do the following:

- ◆ Hand guests a program (at least point them out so they can take one)
- ◆ Explain how our Popular Vote works (artists with the most votes win ribbons)
- ◆ Hand them a Popular Vote ballot (one per customer)
- ◆ Let them know if they want to be added to our e-newsletter list or receive information on future event, they should include their email address on the ballot
- ◆ Show them where to put their ballot after they vote
- ◆ Make sure there are ample pencils/pens for marking ballots
- ◆ Explain that in addition to many of the works of art on exhibit being for sale, we have other items available for purchase (note cards, prints, etc.) and point out where the table(s) are located
- ◆ Offer to assist them if they wish to make a purchase—SELL, SELL, SELL!
- ◆ Ask if they are interested in art and if they might be interested in joining our art club—if so, hand them a club brochure and encourage them to come to the June 7th meeting
- ◆ Keep the room neat & the art straight
- ◆ Replenish the snack table (for as long as we have supplies)
- ◆ Collect money for items sold & place in appropriate envelope; put envelopes in kitchen at days end
- ◆ Don't leave until your replacement arrives (call them if need be)
- ◆ If you are the first to arrive, open the doors, if you are the last to leave, close the doors
- ◆ If you have any questions, call Marilyn at 313-231-3939

**Three Cities Art Club Rotating Exhibition  
at Canton Township Hall  
ARTISTS NEEDED FOR  
NEXT EXHIBIT**

**June, 2010 through August, 2010**

So far two artists have agreed to participate in the June through August. We need two more people who have 4 or 5 pieces that can hang for this period of time. Our Spring Show will be over prior to the due date for this show so you will be able to exhibit items in both shows. **If you are interested in participating, please let Marilyn know as soon as possible.**

We need approximately 20 pieces to hang which will need to be brought to our June 7th meeting.

Artists with work in the current exhibit need to pick up their art at the June 7th meeting.

Should you have any questions, please call Marilyn Meredith at 734-397-2348 or Nikki at 734-394-5308.

**THREE CITIES  
ART CLUB**

**Art Exhibit & Sale**

Deadline for entries is Monday, May 3rd meeting. \$10 for first entry and \$5 for each addition piece.

**Thurs., June 3 - Sun., June 6, 2010  
Canton Public Library**

DROP OFF:	Thurs., June 3 9 - 10	<b>OPEN TO PUBLIC:</b>
SET-UP:	Thurs., June 3 10 - 12	Thursday 1 - 9
RECEPTION:	Thurs., June 3 6 - 9	Friday 9 - 6
PICK-UP:	Sun., June 6 5 - 6	Sat & Sun 9 - 6

**PILLAR PAINTING**

Sign up now to **paint a pillar** to support and help raise funds to fight cancer at Canton's Relay for Life. Contact Sharon Dillenbeck at 734-453-3710 to reserve your pillar. New this year, two sizes available.

**FUNDRAISING OPTIONS FOR OUR CLUB**

Since we haven't had a fundraising auction recently and due to the lack of response by soliciting donations from local businesses by mail, our funds are in dire straights. In order for us to have the money needed to pay our guest speakers, provide prizes for our Popular Vote competition, pay to have and maintain our web site, printing and postage costs for producing and mailing our newsletter, etc. we need to come up with ways to raise some money. We could all donate items and have a sale at one of our meetings or perhaps donate items to sell at our Spring Show which would require someone willing to organize these efforts. Kindly bring your ideas to the May meeting for discussion.

**Newsletter News?**

Share news of honors, awards, upcoming shows and events which are of interest to our readers. Please bring information to our monthly events and/or send information for publication to Marilyn Meredith via mail, email or fax to (248) 557-6442. Deadline for is normally 2 weeks prior to meeting date.

**Congratulations to our April Popular Vote Winners**



**Special Award —  
FIRST PLACE MERIT**  
by Guest Gabbie Brooks

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**FIRST PLACE**  
Island Lake, Oil  
by David Lamb



**SECOND PLACE**  
Water Lilley, Oil by  
Lonnie Haines



**THIRD PLACE**  
White Iris, Acrylic by  
Marilyn Meredith