

THREE CITIES ART CLUB



September 2018 Newsletter

www.threecitiesartclub.org

TUESDAY, September 4th, 7 - 9 pm

Canton Township Hall

1150 S. Canton Center Rd, Canton 48188

Lower Level - Meeting Room A



**SNACKS FOR
September
Sharlene Welton**

September 4, 2018

Presentation by

Don Baker on Scrimshaw Art

Don Baker's Bio:

My experience in the arts started as a young person, being tutored by my grandfather occasionally. My favorite high school subjects included music and drafting. Upon entering the U.S. Navy, I was stationed at Whidbey Island, WA, then Hawaii working on Top Secret Illustrator/ Draftsman assignments. After completing my Vietnam era duties in 1970, I pursued a BFA degree from California College of Arts, Oakland. My design and graphic work have taken me to many different locations, as well as different aspects of design. I've designed product package, designed letter forms and alphabets, corporate identity, signage, calligraphy. Other design interests are photography, stained glass, jewelry making including lost wax casting, lapidary of precious and semi-precious stones, leather carving and design, woodworking, furniture design and building, knife making, bone carving, and scrimshaw. I have a wonderful workshop/studio, where I can explore many aspects of woodworking and mixed media ideas.

Don's presentation will include scrimshaw from 1750 to the Present. Whaling at sea for as many as six years at a time brought boredom to the crew, so the captain supplied the bone material to create works including notable whaling ships and sea ports around the globe. He will explain the different types of scrimshaw - past to present; types of tools used in the past and tools used today (his own); materials available based on location and Federal Laws. We will also learn about scrimshaw galleries and museums in location such as Sausalito, California, New Bedford, Massachusetts and Mystic Seaport, Conn, Alaska. He will present some of his own scrimshaw work, some of which will be available for purchase. Then there will be time for questions and answers.



2017-2018 Season Popular Vote Winners

1st PLACE
John Mullinax

Tie for 2nd PLACE
Angie Weldon & David Lamb

Three Cities Art Club's Gallery at City Hall Fall Exhibition Oct. 1 - Nov. 29, 2018

Entry Deadline: Tues., September 4, 2018

Delivery City Hall: Fri., Sept. 28 9 - 10 am

Pick-up Art: Fri., Nov. 30 9 - 10 am

Mail the fee (only \$20 for up to 6 pieces), your 2018-19 membership fee of \$25 if you have not yet paid (anyone who paid after April 1, 2018 are considered paid), photos of your entries (email preferred) and your signed release form which is required by the City of Westland to me at Marilyn Meredith, 41021 Southwind, Canton, MI 48188. Forms can be downloaded from our website.

At this time, we have not planned for a reception. Last year it was not well attended. Normally, this is a great opportunity to invite your family, friends, co-workers, etc. to see your work and for all of us to sell some pieces. If you plan to enter, please let us know if you think we should have a reception on Friday, October 5th from 4:30 - 7:30 pm and would be willing to bring snacks and spread the word. We will decide at the Tuesday, September 4th meeting which is also the deadline for entries.

Please let me know if you have any questions!

7th Annual Juried Art Exhibit 2018-19

Gallery at City Hall
WESTLAND

December 3, 2018 - January 24, 2019

OPEN CALL FOR ARTISTS

Download Entry form at www.threecitiesartclub.org Over \$800 in cash and prizes to be awarded
Entry deadline is November 12, 2018 - mail to: Marilyn Meredith, 41021 Southwind, Canton, MI 48188

Juror/Judge: Jean-Paul Aboudib "I've always had an immense passion for art and considered myself blessed to be able to

manifest my creativity", says Jean-Paul. Throughout his childhood and adolescence, he engaged in drawing and painting utilizing various mediums ranging from graphite and charcoal to oils and acrylics. He also explored a myriad of conceptual subject matter which he galvanized from his new environment in the US after moving here in 1987. After earning his BFA at the College for Creative Studies, he went on to achieve an MFA in painting from Wayne State. He has exhibited his work in various galleries and exhibition spaces, including the Alden B. Dow Museum, the Forum Gallery at Cranbrook, the Scarab Club, Cherry Hill Village Theater, Madonna University, PCAC, Guardian Building and Alfred Berkowits Gallery at U of M.



IMPORTANT DATES

- Nov. 12** Postmark deadline for Entry Form, City of Westland Release Form & payment
- Nov. 28** **9-12** deliver entries for jurying/judging to Gallery at Westland City Hall, 36300 Warren, Westland 48185
- Nov. 29** **3-7** Notification of accepted artwork
- Nov. 30** **9-10** pick-up non-accepted artwork
- Dec. 3-Jan 24** Exhibition open to public whenever City Hall open
- Dec. 7** **4:30-7:30** Artist's Reception - Refreshments will be served; **6:00** Awards Presentation
- Jan. 25, 2019** **9-11** pick-up artwork

AWARDS

	Photography	All Others
First Prize	\$150	\$150
Second Prize	\$100	\$100
Third Prize	\$50	\$50

Honorable Mentions (2 for each category) -
\$30 Gift Certificate for D&M Art Studio

Mayor William Wild's Choice Award -
Prize \$100

Winners also receive ribbons. All accepted works will remain as placed by the installation committee and may not be withdrawn before the close of exhibit unless sold and with artist's permission.

Mark Your Calendars:

September 2018

City Hall Hours

Westland

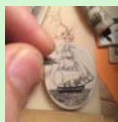
Kindred Spirit Quilt exhibition at Westland's **Gallery at City Hall**
Show runs thru September 30, 2018
36300 Warren Road, Westland 48185

Tuesday, September 4, 2018

7:00 - 9:00 pm

Canton

Three Cities Art Club
Meeting presentation by **Don Baker, scrimshaw artist**; Canton Township Hall, 1150 S. Canton Center, lower level meeting room A, Canton 48188



September 7 - 9, 2018

Art & Apples Festival

Rochester Hills

One of the top juried fine art fairs in the country with about 300 artists by **Paint Creek Center for the Arts**
Rochester Municipal Park, 400 6th Street, Rochester, Michigan 48307
Fri. 4-7:30 pm; Sat. 9am-7:30 pm; Sunday 9 am-4 pm

October 1 - November 29, 2018

City Hall Hours

Westland

Westland's **Gallery at City Hall**
Three Cities Art Club Member Fall Exhibition
36300 Warren Road, Westland 48185

Monday, October 1, 2018

7:00 - 9:00 pm

Canton

Three Cities Art Club meeting with **Kay Rowe**, critique of member artwork, Canton Township Hall
1150 S. Canton Center, lower level

November 2018

Village Theater Hours

Canton

Village Theater "Food for the Soul" organized by member Timothy Tonachella with multiple artists including member Sharlene Welton
50400 Cherry Hill at Ridge, Canton
Reception Saturday, November 3
7:00 - 9:00 pm

Send information on upcoming art events to: marilynmeredith@wowway.com