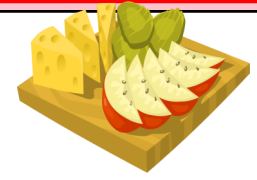




February 2022 Newsletter
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SNACKS FOR
February
*Carolyn
Marnon*

Monday, February 7th
6:45 - 8:45 pm

Plymouth Library

223 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI 48170

February Program Acrylic Marbling by Lora Garcelon

Last year during the stress of the pandemic, Lora Garcelon decided to learn something new. An artist friend of hers who lives in Oregon was showing a lot of her acrylic marbling work on her Facebook page and that sparked her interest. She bought the supplies, read the manual and fell in love with the whole process. She uses the marbled papers as a background or base for her paintings.



Come learn how to do this unique process as Lora shows us how its done on Monday, February 7th.



LIBRARY REQUIRES MASKS AT MEETINGS

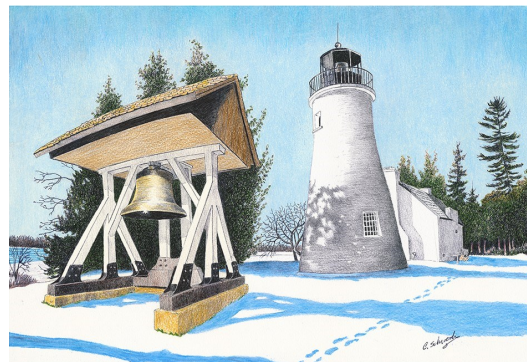
Since the library requires everyone to wear masks even in the meeting rooms we must follow their rules.

January 2022 Popular Vote Winners

1st PLACE ~ Angie Weldon



2nd PLACE ~ Chuck Schroeder



3rd PLACE ~ Gwen Roth



MEMBER INPUT REQUESTED

You have a voice about how this organization conducts itself. We can be as professional, productive and proactive as our members decide we should be.

The board has recently had a couple of Zoom meetings so we could discuss ways to improve the exhibition process, our electronic communications and on-line presence plus work on updating the By-Laws. We are seeking other ways to make the experiences we organize fun, educational and inspiring. We discussed whether we should change our name?

Gwen Roth, in addition to her position as Co-Treasurer, has been named Gallery Liaison and she needs an assistant as back-up in case she has other commitments. With all her other duties, her former position of Secretary needs to be filled by a good communicator to keep records of our events and keep everyone in the loop as we build our professional organization. There are several positions we would like to fill before the end of this season which include an Installation/Take-down of Exhibitions Chair and a Chair for the Spring Show.

Duties for the positions we are trying to fill:

Secretary

- ♦ Take minutes at meetings and read at subsequent meeting making any corrections as noted at meeting and maintain record of minutes;
- ♦ Keep a record of all decisions, event plans or club proceedings;
- ♦ Help with communication (via email) to committee chairs when decisions are made that effect their responsibilities;
- ♦ Provide copies of the by-laws to new members;
- ♦ Perform other such duties and have other responsibilities as the President deems necessary for the administration of the club.

Gallery Liaison Back-up

- ♦ Learn the duties of the Liaison to be able to perform those duties when Liaison not available (coordinating booking of new show dates, layout and table covers for receptions, getting City approval of art before hanging, intake of art).

Installation/Take-down of Exhibitions Chair

- ♦ Coordinate volunteers to assist and make sure they know when they will be needed; and
- ♦ Help with check-off as artists pick-up art that is being taken down and make sure art not picked up is put in one area.

Spring Club Exhibition Chair:

- ♦ Once location approved, complete and submit forms required for venue;
- ♦ Determine if awards will be given and how those will be decided;
- ♦ Coordinate intake and take-down; and
- ♦ If reception is happening, coordinate snack list and make sure we have everything needed.

We will discuss many of these items at the February meeting to get input from members. Perhaps we can even fill some of these positions temporarily.

In May we will have our election to fill all board positions and chairs.

ZOOM LINK IF YOU CAN'T ATTEND IN PERSON

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89394931981>

Though difficult, we do our best so everyone can be involved.



MEET
OUR
NEWEST
MEMBER



Dawud Shabazz is an abstract artist born and raised in Detroit, Michigan. He strives to capture the eye of the beholder, spark a moment of serenity, and encourage an inspiring message. The universal love discovered in his art creates a conversation with the beholder, revealing the peace found within themselves. His painting style consists of many layers of media and texture.

Show your support for our newest club member – come see

Seeking so Fervently to Find . . .

Gallery Walk
Mar 14, 2022
2-4 pm

Original Artwork by

Dawud Shabazz

Westland City Hall Gallery

**Feb 25 - Mar 24, 2022
9 am - 5 pm M - F**

REMINDER

Artists Pick-up Art at Gallery at City Hall
Friday, February 25 at 9:00 AM
Artists submissions for the MLK/BHM pick-up.
ASSISTANCE IS REQUIRED