

# THREE CITIES ART CLUB



## May 2022 Newsletter

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

**Monday, May 2nd**

**6:45 - 8:45 pm**

**Plymouth Library**

223 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI 48170



SNACKS FOR

**May**  
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## Joan Seller - Oil Pastels & Creative Process

Versatile artist, Joan Seller, brings decades of experience with her presentation on the use of oil pastels to create landscapes and trees with character. Oil pastels have a bright and spontaneous quality. It is Joan's hope you will find a special place in our art world for this easy to use lively medium.

She will also share useful studio tips to ease the creative process along.



Art by member Joan Seller

**ZOOM LINK FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT ATTEND IN PERSON**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89935381234>

Any difficulties, please call Fred at (734) 846-9297.

## Three Cities Art Club Spring Member Exhibition

The club's spring exhibition will start June 2 and run through June 30, 2022 at Livonia Public Library on 5 Mile. Members are encouraged to enter up to 6 pieces for a nominal fee of \$25 for the first 3 pieces and \$5 for each additional piece. No commission for the club but the City of Livonia will take a 30% commission on all sales.

Please try to bring your completed entry form and entry fee to this May meeting or mail by Friday, May 20th. Send pictures of art to Marilyn at [marilynmeredith@wowway.com](mailto:marilynmeredith@wowway.com).

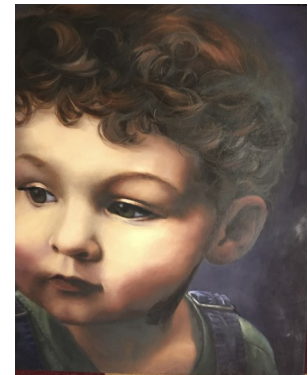
Bring exhibit entries for installation the Livonia Library on Wednesday, June 1, 2022 at 5:00.

There will be a reception which is tentatively planned for Thursday, June 9th, 4:30-6:30 pm (subject to city confirmation). Please sign up to bring needed items to make reception special.

**WELCOME OUR NEWEST MEMBER Joan Witte**

## April 2022 Popular Vote Winners

**1st PLACE ~**  
**Susan Aitken**



**2nd PLACE ~**  
**Chuck Schroeder**



**3rd PLACE ~**  
**Susan Hunt**



## Club Board Members Make Decisions

Members of the club board each get a vote when it comes to making certain decisions for the operation of the club. Those who hold more than one position have more influence on the direction the club may take. If you want your voice heard and want to help keep this club on a positive path, please consider volunteering for a board position at the May meeting. Training will be provided for newbies.



## APPROVAL BY-LAWS

Enclosed are the updated By-Laws approved by the Executive Board for your review and approval. Please email your comments or approval or, bring your comments to the May meeting for discussion at which time we will vote for ratification of the new club By-Laws.

## CLUB POTLUCK PICNIC



Marilyn Meredith  
2018

Mark your calendars for our club picnic which will be Monday, June 20, 2022 at Coventry Park in Livonia, northwest of Farmington & 5 Mile. Allen Brooks will cook hotdogs, bring a dish to pass, beverage of your choice and chair(s).

## EARTH ANGELS

Celebrating nature's messengers  
of truth, solace and joy

The Gallery at Westland City Hall  
36300 Warren Rd, Westland, MI

April 29 - May 26, 2022  
Mon - Fri 9am - 5pm

original art work by Joan Seller  
original photography by Gwen Roth

## Election/Seating Board Members

### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS:

**President:** Marilyn Meredith

Determine meeting dates; prepare meeting agendas; conduct general & executive board meetings; report status of club; represent club at public and professional events.

**Vice President:** [REDACTED]

Back-up President including conducting meetings, as needed.

**Treasurer:** Gwen Roth

Custody of all monies of the club and all evidence of value of club belongings; collect, deposit & account for monies; pay the bills, presenters, prize awards and sales; report current balance and activities at general meetings; tally popular votes as needed.

**Secretary:** [REDACTED]

Take minutes at general & executive board meetings and read general meeting minutes at subsequent meetings; keep records (especially results of items voted on during general meetings); correspondence as needed and directed by Executive Board.

### COMMITTEE CHAIR BOARD POSITIONS:

**Exhibitions:** Marilyn Meredith & [REDACTED]

Maintain exhibitor schedule; arrange for spring exhibit (select dates & book with Library) DONE; coordinate fall club exhibit and Call for Artist at Gallery at City Hall (including contracting a juror/judge) DONE; propose future exhibits DONE; produce & collect entry forms/fees; maintain list of entries, prepare show cards; provide info for Newsletters. Help with receptions to get donations of items needed.

**Historian:** Deana Salhaney

Maintain club records; press clippings; pictures of events.

**Hospitality:** Angie and Larry Weldon

Bring coffee & fixings, plates, cups, napkins to general meetings.

**Membership:** Marilyn Meredith & [REDACTED]

Place membership brochures in public locations and at club events; provide By-Laws, ID badges & ID cards to paid members; produce and distribute club membership directory to members at December meeting (provide copies to Newsletter Chair to be mailed to those not at meeting); report current membership at general meetings; update Newsletter Chair with contact info.

**Newsletter:** Marilyn Meredith & [REDACTED]

Produce and distribute newsletter to members (by email to current email contact list, mail to members who request hard copy). Help with mailings when needed.

**On-Line Presence:** Marilyn Meredith Website and

[REDACTED] Social Media (Facebook)

**Programs:** Marilyn Meredith & [REDACTED]

Find and contract presenters for general meetings; notify and insure presenters provide information to Newsletter Chair of their profile and program. Coordinate visual aids and room set-up as needed. Maintain a schedule & share with Board. Help with scheduling.

**Sunshine:** Susan Aitken

Send cards and flowers to members, as needed.

**Technical Assistant:** Fred Keebler

Arrange for AV, other items or assistance needed for presentations.

**Notify Marilyn if you are willing to run or volunteer for any unfilled positions. Some incumbents may be willing to continue but the club appreciates volunteers.**