

The Sketchpad

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE TOLEDO ARTISTS' CLUB

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Winter Hours	
Tuesday	1 - 4 PM
Thursday	1 - 4 PM
Saturday	1 - 4 PM

Artists' Club Annual Auction March 25th 2017

Toledo Artists' Club Holiday Dinner
December 13 at 6 PM
Beirut Restaurant, 4082 Monroe Street

Membership Renewals for 2017

As noted in the October sketchpad, our board voted to increase annual dues for active members from \$40 to \$50. This increase is necessitated because we anticipate a large increase in rent for the clubhouse in 2018 and we must prepare. Please continue to support our club. Our gallery and classroom are unique in Northwest Ohio and southern Michigan for a nonprofit art club. Our facility allows us to offer programs that many other clubs in the area are not able to.

RENEW ONLINE at our website:

<http://www.toledoartistclub.com/>

Click on "Membership"

Memberships run from January through December. Annual dues are \$50 for Active Members, \$15 for Associate Members, and \$500 for Lifetime Members. **To continue as a member in 2017, please renew online or complete the Membership Renewal form (below), and return it by mail along with your check, or in person with either cash or check at the office.**

NOTE: You must renew your membership by March 18, 2017 in order to participate in the Auction.

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Membership Renewal Form (please print)

DUE DATE: DECEMBER 31, 2016

Mr. ___ Mrs. ___ Ms. ___ Dr. ___ Name _____

Address _____ City, State & Zip _____

Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____

Email Address _____

Category (check one)

Associate...\$15

Active.....\$50

Lifetime....\$500

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Kroger Community Rewards Program

In this program, when you shop at Kroger, the company donates funds to the nonprofit organization of your choice at no cost to you. PLEASE register at the Kroger Community Rewards Program and select the Toledo Artists' Club as your choice to receive monthly donations from Kroger. We earned \$91.01 for the last business quarter but if all members who shop at Kroger signed up, the club would receive a lot more. You can register at www.kroger.com; if you need assistance contact Cynthia at the office: 419 531 4079. **Other local organizations have earned thousands of dollars with this program!**

The Board of Trustees meets the second Tuesday of each month at **NOON (new time)**.
The next meeting will be on November 8. All club members are welcome. Bring your lunch if you like.

Members News

RONALD GOSSES will exhibit in the first annual "The Small Art Show" at the Limner Gallery, Hudson, New York and in the "Holiday Show" at the Gallery On Main in Richmond, Kentucky, both in December.

ALAN PRIOR won the **Peoples Choice Award** in the Artist's Choice show for "Knight's Inn"

BARBARA MCARTHUR made a donation in memory of NORMA MEIER

2016 Gallery Shows at the Toledo Artists' Club				
	Theme	Dates	Take-ins	Reception
Nov	People & Portrait	Oct 29 – Nov 22	Oct 20 & 21	Oct-30
Dec	Holiday	Nov 26 – Dec 22	Nov 17 & 18	

For all exhibitions you may use any fine art medium: watercolor, oil, acrylic, pastel, gouache, encaustic, drawing mediums (graphite, charcoal, pen and ink, etc.), photography, sculpture or other 3D mediums.

Themes for the 2016 Gallery Shows		
Please note that artwork that has received a monetary award at the artists' club is not eligible for future shows		
November	People and Portraits	This can be a formal or informal sitting of one or more people, present in any style, from a realistic rendition to different degrees of abstraction.
December	Holiday	Think Thanksgiving, Christmas and the snowy months, or any holiday that pleases you.

American Frame Artists' Club Awards Show Wednesday, February 1 – Tuesday, February 28.

Artists who received either a Best of Show or a People's Choice Award (or both) are invited to present their award winning pictures for this show at American Frame. Take in at American Frame is:

Saturday January 28, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm and Monday January, 30 8:30 am – 5:30pm

Opening Reception Friday, February 3rd, 4 PM

Holiday Open House at Seasons Gift Shop

Toledo Botanical Garden

November 10, 2016

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

The gift shop will be offering locally made crafts for sale. Larry Mack, featured artisan, will discuss the art of glassblowing and bring a product never before offered at Seasons. The resident organizations, including the artists' club, will be open and offering demonstrations and items for sale.

**If you wish to paint or sell bring your wares to the club on November 10th between 4 and 5 PM.
 You must be present from 5 to 7 PM to sell.**

Arts for the Future Show

The 36th Annual Bedford "Arts For Our Future" will be held on Sunday, November 6, 2016 at the Bedford Branch Library, 8575 Jackman Road, Temperance, MI. Entries are due November 3. We thank the Toledo Artists Club members for their participation over many years. For more information and to register go to <http://www.monroe.lib.mi.us/events/bedford-arts-our-future-show>

Classes for 2016

AARON BIVINS: Fun Art Party. Tuesdays 6:30 to 9:30 PM. No experience needed! Aaron will provide painting supplies and a sketch so it is easy for you to complete your watercolor evening! Please arrive 10 minutes early so you can relax. The class is Great for a Girls Night Out or a Special Gathering. Bring your favorite snacks and wine. Cost is \$35. To see upcoming classes and to register go to Aaron's website: www.aaronsbivins.com.

PAUL BRAND: Watercolor, acrylic, oil, pastel or drawing instruction. Class meets every Tuesday 2 to 4 PM. You may join at any time. Composition, color mixing and basic drawing are covered. Emphasis is on individual instruction. **Register with Paul** at 419-944-6150 or by email: paulhbrand@gmail.com. Website: www.dadandrene.com. Cost is \$20 per session; come when you can, pay only when you come. *Students provide their own supplies. Contact Paul for a supply list.*

MJ ERARD: Pastel Class, Saturdays, 12 to 3 PM. Class dates in 2016: Nov 12, Dec 17. **MARY JANE** demonstrates technique and composition. Some supplies are available at the class for a nominal fee. Source photos for the class will be provided or you may bring your own. Cost is \$35. **To register or for more information**, email Mary Jane at maryjaneerard@yahoo.com or visit <http://www.artbymjerard.com> or MaryJaneErardFineArtist on Facebook.

ELAINE SCARVELIS: Elaine's Little Picassos, Mixed Media Class, Ages 6-11, Saturdays 10:00-11:00 AM., cost 7.00/class., Call her to register: H (419) 841-8153 or C (419) 450-4006, email elainescarvelis@hotmail.com

This 25 foot by 8.5 foot latex and acrylic mural, "**Take the Stage**" was painted by CAROL SICHA for the dance room at the Oregon Senior Center. The mural serves as a backdrop for the dancers in the room. The opposite wall will be mirrored, providing a feeling of space beyond the wall.



American Frame offers a 5% discount to artists' club members on all purchases.
<http://www.americanframe.com/>
400 Tomahawk Drive, Maumee



Canal in Picardy, about 1865
Jean-Baptiste-Camille Corot
1796-1875
Toledo Museum of Art

Corot is a pivotal figure in landscape painting. His work anticipates the plein-air innovations of Impressionism. Of him Claude Monet exclaimed "There is only one master here—Corot. We are nothing compared to him, nothing." Corot wrote about his painting: "What I am looking for, is the form, the whole, the value of the tones...That is why for me the color comes after, because I love more than anything else the overall effect, the harmony of the tones, while color gives you a kind of shock that I don't like."

The Art Supply Depo, Northwest Ohio's premier source for art supplies, has opened a second location at 435 E. Wooster St. in Bowling Green. Fully stocked with a wide variety of art supplies, the new shop will cater to both BGSU students and the Bowling Green area arts community. Customers can expect the same level of service, quality art supplies, and classes that they have experienced at the flagship store in Toledo's Warehouse District. For additional information, call [419-720-6462](tel:419-720-6462).

Of course our original shop at 29 South St. Clair continues as your art supply source for Toledo.

For the Love of Art, Inc

4027 N. Holland-Sylvania Rd Toledo, OH 43623 419-882-2060 www.forloveart.com

DISCOUNTED Art Supplies for TAC Members

Members of TAC will get a 10% discount on purchases over \$10 with their membership card.

Special items throughout the store are discounted at a higher percentage.

Hours: Monday–Friday 10 to 6 and Sat 10 to 2. *Closed Sunday*

November 2016

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 2 to 4 PM Paul Brand Class 6:30 to 9:30 Aaron Bivins Fun Art Party	2	3 9 to 12 Thu Morning Painters	4	5 10 to 11 Elaine's Little Picassos
6	9 to 12 Mon Morning Painters	8 2 to 4 PM Paul Brand Class Board Meets 12 PM Brown Bag 6:30 to 9:30 Aaron Bivins Fun Art Party	9	10 9 to 12 Thu Morning Painters 5 to 7 PM Open House at Seasons Gift Shop; TAC open	11	12 10 to 11 Elaine's Little Picassos 12 to 3 PM MJ Erard Pastel Class
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				Holiday Show Take In 1 to 4 PM		
20	9 to 12 Mon Morning Painters 12 to 2:15 TWAL	22 2 to 4 PM Paul Brand Class 6:30 to 9:30 Aaron Bivins Fun Art Party	23	24 Thanksgiving	25	26 10 to 11 Elaine's Little Picassos
				CLOSED		
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PROSPECTUS: Holiday Show
November 26, 2016 – December 22, 2016

VOLUNTEER: Belkofer/Bosinger/Sneider
JUROR: Michael Arrigo

SUBMISSIONS: Thursday, November 17, 1-4 pm & Friday, November 18, 1-4 pm.

IF UNABLE TO SUBMIT AT THESE TIMES, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE IN ADVANCE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.

ELIGIBILITY: Toledo Artists` Club members and area artists.

All mediums: paintings, drawings, graphics, pastels, photos, sculpture, three-D, ceramics, glass.

Think Thanksgiving, Christmas and the snowy months, or any holiday that pleases you.

ENTRY FEE: **TAC members:** \$10 per entry, or 3 for \$25.00
No Refunds **Non-members:** \$15 per entry or 3 for \$40.00

ENTRIES: **Three (3)** works may be entered per individual. Attach official entry form (bottom of this prospectus) to upper left-hand corner on the back of framed work or the bottom of 3-D works.

ALL WORK MUST BE SUITABLY FRAMED UNDER ACRYLIC with wire, ready to hang (no sawtooth bars).
 Exceptions: pastels may be framed under glass; glazing is not required for canvas. Framing for canvas is required unless the sides of the canvas are part of the painting. Submissions must be original (no giclees, not copied, not done in a class or workshop). *Maximum framed size: 36" x 48". TAC reserves the right to refuse any subject deemed unsuitable.*

PICK-UP: Work not accepted can be picked up when the club is open. **EXHIBITED WORK MUST REMAIN HANGING FOR THE DURATION OF THE SHOW UNLESS IT IS SOLD.** Exhibited works must be picked up within 30 days of the show's end.

SALES: **ALL WORK MUST BE FOR SALE and MUST HAVE A PRICE LISTED.**
 All sales will be handled by the TAC, which retains a 30% commission.

Tape a label on the upper back left corner of each entry. PLEASE do not staple or glue the tag to your piece.

Holiday Show 2016

Name _____

Title 1 _____

Medium _____

Price \$ _____ BoS 1st 2nd 3rd HM M

Holiday Show 2016

Name _____

Title 2 _____

Medium _____

Price \$ _____ BoS 1st 2nd 3rd HM M

Holiday Show 2016

Name _____

Title 3 _____

Medium _____

Price \$ _____ BoS 1st 2nd 3rd HM M

Fill out this form and give it to the person doing take-ins

Name _____

Phone _____

Title 1: _____

Medium: _____ Price: \$ _____

Title 2: _____

Medium: _____ Price: \$ _____

Title 3: _____

Medium: _____ Price: \$ _____