

# PAL

## Placer Artists League

### December 2009 Newsletter

*Placer Artists League, promoting professional camaraderie, artistic support and exhibit opportunities in partnership with PlacerArts [www.placerarts.org/pal](http://www.placerarts.org/pal)*

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#### PAL Membership Show at Umpqua Bank

The following PAL Members participated in the PAL Membership show:

**Nina Balodis**  
**Linda Baugh**  
**Pam Cushman**  
**Pauline Ellis**  
**Craig Johnson**  
**Ernie Kleven**  
**Pat Lucas**  
**Kathy Randall**  
**Joyce Williams**

The 29 pieces of artwork will be displayed until January 12, 2010 at The Umpqua Bank, 571 Fifth Street in Lincoln. Gallery Hours will be 9 AM to 5 PM Monday-Thursday and from 9 AM to 5:30 PM Friday, Closed Saturday

#### Season's Greetings!

Can you believe it is the holiday season already? We hope you will get into the Holiday Spirit with all the PAL Members at our upcoming Holiday Potluck on **December 1, 11:30 AM** at the Newcastle Packing Shed Art Studios. Potluck items should be brought as follows:

Last Name	Bring
A through E	Desserts
F through M	Entree
N through Z	Salad

Directions from Auburn: Take I-80 W to the HWY 193/Newcastle-Lincoln exit. Bear left at stop sign, following Hwy. 193. Bear left on Main St. Park in back of the Newcastle Packing Sheds Art Studios. Parking is available along the back fence. Address is 455 Main Street, Newcastle.

Hope to see you at the potluck.

Also don't forget about the field trip to the Crocker Art Museum in Sacramento on **Wednesday, December 9**. See below for more details.

**Happy Holidays and warm wishes to you for a year full of joy, success and good tidings!**

*Diane Friedberg*  
**Newsletter Editor**  
**Diane's [Email](#)**

#### [PAL Field Trip to Crocker Art Museum in Sacramento](#)

Join other PAL artists on a field trip to the Crocker Art Museum on

and Sunday and  
Holidays.

## Member News

### **Joyce Williams**

won a First Merit Award for her pastel, "Andy's Papa" in the Pastel of the West Coast, Associate Membership show at Sacramento Fine Arts Gallery.

### Update Your Contact Information

Help us to keep your PAL information coming. If you change your phone number, home address or email address, please contact Pam Cushman at [Email](mailto:Email) or call her at (530) 878-2070.

### PAL Membership

If you are new or renewing your PAL membership, make sure you select your membership level (which is your PlacerArts Membership) as well as the supplementary participation fee - \$20 - Placer Artists League. Both boxes need to be selected.

### Quick Links...

[PAL website](#)  
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December 9. If you are interested to be in the carpool driving to Sacramento, please contact Pat Lucas no later than December 4. Click here to [Email Pat](#). The Museum opens on Wednesdays at 10 AM so our group will gather at 9:30 AM. Once we see who is going and where they live, Pat will notify people where to meet. The following PAL members are planning to go on the field trip: Pat Lucas, B.K. England, Nina Balodis, Ernie Kleven, Kathy Randall and Pam Cushman.

### Upcoming January PAL Meeting

The PAL meeting will be held **Tuesday, January 5, at 10:00 AM** in The Arts Building, 808 Lincoln Way, Auburn. Our guest will be George Allen Durkee who is an oil painter. More detailed information to follow in your January newsletter. You can visit his website at [www.gadurkee.com](http://www.gadurkee.com)

### December Steering Committee Meeting

The December PAL Steering Committee meeting will be held on **Monday, December 14 at 2 PM** at the Newcastle Packing Shed Art Studios, 455 Main St., Newcastle. All PAL members are welcome to become more involved and help us plan our activities.

### 2010 PAL Annual Juried Show

PAL is happy to announce the information for the 2010 PAL Annual Juried Show in cooperation with Lincoln Arts. PAL would like to thank Lincoln Arts for the use of their beautiful gallery for our show.

Dates: **June 15, 2010 to July 20, 2010**

Place: **Lincoln Arts Gallery, 580 Sixth Street, Lincoln, CA**

Reception: **June 24 from 5 to 9 PM**

Submission Fees: **\$15 (for 1 piece) \$25 (for 2) and \$35 (for 3)**

Judge: **TBD**

Size Limits: **Pieces limited in size to 36" x 36"**

Good news: There will be no commission on artwork sales.

### Holiday Craft Fair to Support Sacramento Fine Art Center

**"Spend your money where it counts, buy from Artists."** That is the holiday shopping motto from Sandy Delehanty. The Sacramento Fine Arts Center is celebrating the holiday by showcasing some of Sacramento's finest artists. Blown glass, jewelry, ceramics, handmade cards, photography, textiles and masking tape sculpture. They have 43 artists in all. The proceeds go to the SFAC and it's programs. They have just signed a three year lease and have gone into partnership with the Carmichael Parks and Recreation district. The rent has been raised and they need your help to keep the doors open. So come on out and shop, shop, shop so they can continue to serve their community with quality art and education.

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Phone: (916) 971-3713

Hours: November 17-December 12

Tuesday - Sunday 11 AM to 3 PM

Extended hours December 12 to 8:30 PM

If we have time on our Crocker Museum field trip, we will stop here on the way home.

### [Opportunities for PAL Artists](#)

#### ***Roseville Arts! - 33 Annual Open Show at Blue Line Gallery***

Open to all original works of art including paintings, sculpture, works on paper, and craft media; prints such as etchings, aquatints, lithographs, photographs, manipulated digital images, etc.

NOTE: Reproductions after original works in other media (such as giclées) WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

*Exhibiting* February 20 - April 9, 2010

*Entry Deadline* January 8, 2010 at 5 PM

*Juror* Shelley Willis , Public Art Administrator, Sacramento Metropolitan Arts Commission

*Cash Awards* totaling \$2,000

Visit the website [www.rosevillearts.org](http://www.rosevillearts.org) for more information.

For more artist opportunities, go to [PlacerArts.Org](http://PlacerArts.Org) and click on *Call to Artists quick reference page*.

### [Placer Artists League Calendar](#)

- Dec 1      Holiday Potluck at Newcastle Packing Shed Art Studios at 11:30 AM
- Dec 14     PAL Committee Meeting, 2 PM Newcastle Packing Shed Art Studios
- Jan 5      January PAL Meeting, 10 AM, Demonstration of Oil Painting by George Allen Durkee
- Jan 11     PAL Committee Meeting, 2 PM Newcastle Packing Shed Art Studios

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