



Viewing the “Best in Show” winner titled *Storm in a Teacup* by Andrew Lawson.

MAA Spring Show Successful

The Midland Arts Association Open Spring Show had an exciting opening on May 5th. The entries were varied and imaginative with winners in: Drawing – 1st William Stevens, 2nd Daniel Sorensen, 3rd Nancy Hunt; in Photography – 1st Sandra Elliott, 2nd Anna Flatt, 3rd Pilar Hunt ; Painting – 1st Rick Reese, 2nd Carol Ramirez, 3rd Joe Garcia; Mixed Media – 1st Georgeann Herzog Wilson, 2nd Sue Roberson, and 3rd Kate Edgar; Printmaking – 1st Andrew Lawson (who also won Best in Show, see above), 2nd Karen Lanier, 3rd Diana Ortiz; and in 3-D– 1st Brett McElmurry, 2nd Brian Lee, and 3rd Karen Tenny.

The exhibition remained on view at the downtown Kamiposi Gallery at 510 S.Big Spring St. through May 26th.

Fall Exhibition Scheduled for October at MCC

The 2017 Fall Juried Art Exhibition will open on October 19th at Midland College. It will be juried by Chad Plunkett of Lubbock. Exhibition Chairperson Leslie Slaughter has prepared a “Save the Date” postcard that will be mailed soon. This year, in order to save money, the MAA will not be printing and mailing a prospectus, but after August 1st you may visit our website for the complete information which you can print for yourself. The MAA website is www.maax.org

If you wish to receive a printed prospectus for the Fall Exhibition, please contact Leslie by phone at (432) 559-6820.

Free Exhibition Opportunity at Community National Bank

Exhibition space for artists is provided at the downtown Community National Bank for artists to show their work for a full month. MAA Board Member Diane Newland coordinates the monthly exhibits, and she is seeking artists interested in benefitting from this fine opportunity. The bank has four large, free-standing easels for exhibition.

To get on the schedule, please contact Diane at (432) 553-3451 or you can email her at bkdrn@grandecom.net for additional information and instructions. This is a generous service of Community National Bank.

Upcoming Events

Alumni Exhibition at Midland College – August 28th thru September 28th with four MC Alumni artists / Rick Reese will show his paintings, and the other 3 artists will show photography, drawing and ceramics.

Fall Ceramic Demo – To Be Announced

Another of the popular *Wine & Paint* is also coming in the Fall!
Keep an eye on our website for updates: maax.org