

Upcoming Events

Shared Spaces Fall Opening

The Midland Shared Spaces Fall Show will be opening on Thursday, September 13th at 5:30 pm. Located at 3500 N. "A" Street, Midland Shared Spaces displays work by artists from the Midland Arts Association, the Midland Palette Club, MARC, and the Sibley Camera Club on quarterly rotation. Sue Daniels is the MAA representative to Shared Spaces, and any local non-profit art group may contact her at (432)438-0848 to participate.

MAA Fall Show

The Opening Reception for this year's Fall Exhibition will be held October 11th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm in the McCormick Gallery at Midland College. The juror for the show is Carol Fairlie, professor of art at Sul Ross. Juror Fairlie's work consists of large scale paintings in oil, depicting interior scenes and sidewalk scenes in varied locations. She has also worked extensively in watercolor and is a member of the National Watercolor Association, and works in jewelry-making, metal-smithing and printmaking as well.

Submission Guidelines

Members and non-members of the Midland Arts Association will find the entry prospectus online at our website: www.maatx.org. A printed copy may also be obtained upon entry of artwork on Saturday, October 6th from 10 AM to 2 PM at the McCormick Gallery in the Allison Fine Arts Building at Midland College. Midland Art Association makes a 20% commission on all sales from the exhibition, and all selected works must remain on display for the duration of the show; no exceptions. Instructions for sending works via commercial carrier can be seen in the prospectus.

Accepted Media

Categories for artwork are listed in the prospectus. Several cash awards will be presented at the Juror's designation. Entry fees for up to three works are \$35 for current MAA members and \$45 for non-members. Entrants wishing to join the Art Association may do so at entry for \$60, which will purchase a 15-month membership through 2019. Two-dimensional works *must* be properly prepared to hang on the wall. The Exhibition runs through November 9th.

November 3-4, 2018: Virtual Reality Painting Workshop

"Aaron Williamson (Technology Chairman for the MAA) & Liz Culp (MAA Director and West TX artist) will be leading a workshop in the month of November. Described as a virtual reality painting class, this workshop can't be missed! Demoing virtual reality painting using the HYC Vive VR headset at Roomscale, participants can walk around inside the art! Ever want to walk around Inside Starry Night? Well now you can. Be sure to wear contacts or your smallest pair of glasses if needed, as the headset may be difficult to wear otherwise. Hands-on acrylic painting of Starry Night will take place simultaneously with Virtual

Reality painting of the famous masterpiece. Liz Culp will be guiding participants step by step through the process. Stay in touch with the Art Association on Facebook and our website for more exciting info!

Mural Project

MAA is currently working on a mural project to be located in downtown Midland. Artist Stylee Read specializes in western murals and has designed an image that celebrates the history of Midland, with work projected to begin late this year or early in 2019. More info as it becomes available on this exciting project; if you wish to donate to Mural of Midland Project, please visit www.maax.org and click the Donate button.

Senior Center Art Volunteer Opportunity

3301 Illinois Ave # 18 (Kingsway Mall Location)

Be the artist who makes a difference! The Senior Center of Midland is looking for artists to volunteer a few hours to lead an art class for senior citizens who love art. Any medium and all ideas are welcome! Email Olga Nedorub for more info at olganedorubart@gmail.com, or contact Linda Griffin with Senior Link at lgriffin@seniorlinkmidland.org or call her at (432)681-7636.

Call for MAA Volunteers

Midland Art Association is now on VolunteerMatch! We are looking for energetic art leaders to join the board. Build your networking and art entrepreneurship skills and strengthen your resume with non-profit experience as you help promote art events and create new opportunities for the artists and art lovers in our area. Elections are coming up December 6th at the MAA Christmas Social and Annual Membership Meeting. You don't have to be an artist! We are looking for someone with accounting, IT, social networking, and management skills (or people who want to build those skills!).

CNB Bank Exhibits

Located at 401 W. Texas Avenue, corner of Big Spring St.

Community National Bank Lobby has been generous in offering lobby space for the display of artwork by local artists. 2018 has been a great year! Anyone interested in participating in 2019 can contact Olga Nedorub at olganedorubart@gmail.com to get on the schedule. Below are our 2018 artists.

January- Geoffe Browne

February- Cheryl Roush

March- Liz Culp

April- Catherine Allen

May-Deborah Altany

June- Melissa James

July- Olga Nedorub

August-Liz Culp

September- Don McSparran

October- Ginger Witte

November- Shanker Nair

December- Dianne Browne

Calendar of Events

Details will be posted on MAA website at www.maatax.org and at the MAA Facebook page.

- *September 11th*
Ken Hosmer acrylic demo FREE and open to the public
at the Midland Palette Club starting at 9:30 am (see their website at www.paletteclubmidland.com for more details)
- *September 13th*
Midland Shared Spaces Fall Show Opening at 5:30 pm,
3500 N. "A" St.
- *October 6th*
Drop-off day at MCC for entries to MAA Fall Show
- *October 9th*
Demo at the Palette Club (www.paletteclubmidland.com)
- *October 11th*
Opening reception for MAA Fall Show at 6:30 PM at the McCormick Gallery
- *November 3rd & 4th*
Virtual Reality Painting Workshop
- *November 10th*
Last day of MAA Fall Show
- *November 13th*
Free demo at the Palette Club (www.paletteclubmidland.com)
- *December 1st*
MAA Garage Sale
- *December 6th*
MAA Christmas Social, Silent Auction and Membership Meeting

Past Events

Pool and Paint at Olga's

Mimosas and Painting with Sue Daniel

Artisan Artwalk

Oil Figure Painting Workshop with Michael Hubbard

Celebration of the Arts MAA booth with Acrylic Demo by Olga Nedorub

Laura Lewis Workshop

Summer Drawing Sessions

Sara Drescher Resonance Reception- Museum of the Southwest

Catherine Allen Reception at Black Hen Gallery

Plein Air at Fort Davis

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