



San Clemente Art Association

Sketch Pad

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Things are heating up as summer approaches and we've just had a great week with the Jewelry Show and artist demonstration last Sunday. Katharina Stute reported a very nice turnout for the Jewelry Show and it was great to see so many diverse and unique jewelry designs from our members.

Mark Jacobucci was our guest demonstrator at the monthly meeting and he gave a very unusual and informative presentation that involved taking an older painting of his that had problems with color and composition, and then transforming it into a brand new piece that was absolutely stunning. It was a great lesson in how to learn from our failures and also how to approach painting with a new perspective.

Our Annual Paint San Clemente plein air competition will be held from June 13th to the 21st and I encourage everyone to sign up early as space is limited. Entry deadline is June 1st. If you haven't received a brochure, just go to our website for information about this event that just keeps getting bigger and more impressive.

Thanks to all who have helped to find volunteers for the Art & Craft Fair to be held in August. Jennifer Friend is the new Committee Chairperson and all the forms can be found on our website.

Hope everyone is having a great Spring season. *See you next time!*

Tom Swimm

GALLERY NEWS

14th ANNUAL "PAINT SAN CLEMENTE"

Need Your Help!

Be sure to sign up early and paint in this fun event! This is our main fund-raiser for the schools art supplies and scholarships. Letters will be sent to everyone about becoming a Sponsor. The \$100 amount includes two tickets to the Gala. Great food, wine, music and a wonderful Art evening. Recently we were told by one of the top artists that enter competitions all over the

U.S, that he looks forward the most to ours. That's a great compliment. It can only happen with sponsors and volunteers and we have the best.

Sign up for the 2-day Fine Art Show (June 20th & 21st). Special price - ***been slashed in half!*** Was \$50 for members - **now \$25**. Lots of publicity!

June 13th:

9am-11:00am: Check in - Gallery

12:30-3:30pm: Quick Draw: - Grounds

4:30pm: Judging & Sale

Kick off Reception

Wine & Hors d'oeuvres by Selma's

****Need Volunteers***

June 20th:

8:00-9:00am: Plein Air paintings registration

Display outside & Judging

1:30pm: Paintings moved to Auditorium

10:00am-4:00pm: Fine Art Fair Exhibit
(booths)

*****Need Volunteers to help***

on this busy day & evening

6:00pm: Gala - Winners Awards

"Artful Taste" of the best Clemente Restaurants

Live music - Raffle - Party of the year

Tickets \$35 (includes food & drink)

Tickets: Call Mary 366-1601

****Invite your friends & family -
please support the event.***

Prospectus (entry form) is in the gallery or download:
paintsancllemente.com.

\$13,000 in awards - Deadline June 1st

****Please volunteer for the various committees,
guarantee you will enjoy it! scaa.info@cox.net***

***Sponsor donations send: SCAA Pam Hill, 38
Gema, San Clemente, CA 92672.**

*See you out and about,
Pam Hill
Gallery Chairwoman*

JEWELRY CASE

We had a great month of April and a successful Jewelry Show. Thanks to all Gallery Members visiting our show!

The new session starts with a summer judged show and the jewelry exchange is scheduled for Friday, April 17th from 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM. This session goes till the 31st of July.

We will have a longer display time than normal, because I will be on vacation from May 12th to end of July. One session will be missing.

For the 17th April show, two Judges will be available to judge our jewelry items. Their names are: **Sherry Salito-Forsen** - a Glass Artist, and **Robert Schock** - a Fine Art Jeweler. Thanks to both for providing their service! Some more information: The Gallery website is available and if you like you can place your jewelry pictures for advertisement and information. Please contact **Jim Proett**, he will be the contact for our Gallery Website.

If you have any additional question please call me at 949.364.6905, or email; katharinastute@cox.net.

Katharina Stute
Jewelry Case Chairman

Card Rack News

The Board's newly enacted annual Card Rack fee of \$12 is due June 1st. Members who currently have cards in the rack should have received the fee form which needs to be filled out and mailed to me with a \$12 check to SCAA (or left for me in the Gallery).

Any member who wants to begin to put cards on the rack will need to get a form in the gallery (or email me for the form). The form and fee will need to get to me before cards can be put on the rack.

If I can answer any question, feel free to call or email me.

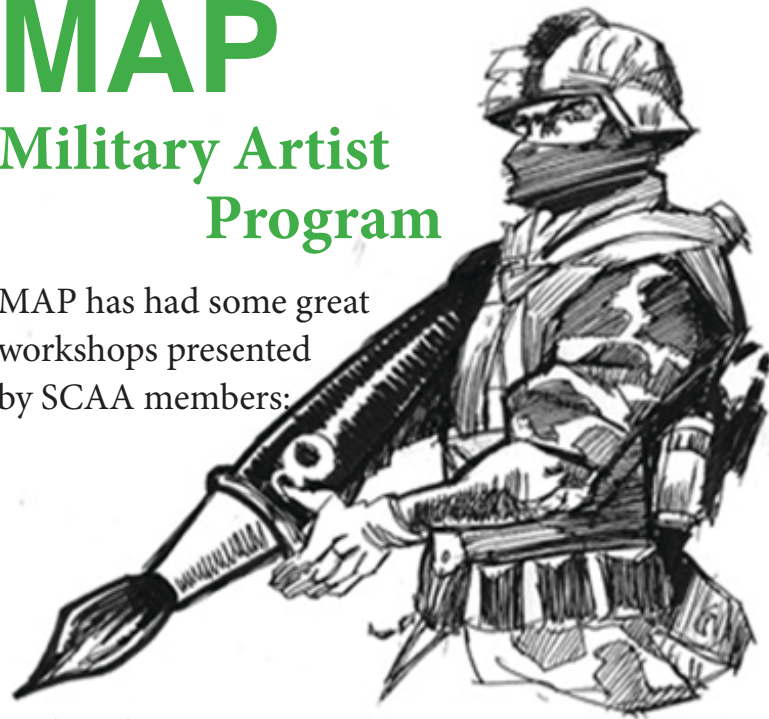
Christy MacBride

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MAP

Military Artist Program

MAP has had some great workshops presented by SCAA members:



Rick Delanty

Steve Kell

Susan Winslow

Maurine Lacher

Thank you all for volunteering your time and expertise!

Next month's demonstration will be on Saturday May 23, 3-5 pm, at San Clemente Art Supply. **ALAN NOWELL** will lead this workshop for military artists. He will cover perspective in landscape painting.

THANK YOU ALAN!

For information on the SCAA's FREE Military Artist Program and its workshops please contact Sandy Beeler at 949 492 0994.



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MAY DEMONSTRATOR

Mark Kerckhoff: Sunday, May 17, 3pm

Mark Kerckhoff was born in Covina, California in 1959 and studied painting and drawing at California State University Long Beach.



Mark was deeply influenced by his teachers – hyper realist painter Nicolas Boscovich, and figure drawer John Lincoln.



Mark is a self-taught landscape painter.

The base of his interest in landscape painting stems from growing up in rural Los Angeles County raising Cochin bantams and other exotic birds in his suburban backyard.



Many of Mark's early drawings were of his birds.



Mark also enjoyed exploring the Sycamore-lined gullies near his home and riding horseback through the South Hills, observing the beauty of nature and its peaceful solitude. These early childhood memories continue to be a presence in his paintings.



Mark rarely paints with companions, preferring the solitude of remote areas far from the maddening crowd and critic.

Inspired by old and modern masters, Mark executes paintings that embrace his love of color, high aesthetics and craftsmanship.

Mark's favorite quote is by John Ruskin the great Victorian art critic, *"All great schools enforce delicacy of drawing and subtlety of sight: as of yet, found without exception respecting art is that all great art is delicate"*.

Mark Jacobucci Demo



NEW MEMBERS:

Carlene P. Chew

Victoriz Killeem

Joe Rooks

Atul Sahay

Thank you
to our volunteer Gallery sitter:

Christy MacBride-Hart

DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday, May 7, 3:30p.m.:

Executive Board Meeting, Gallery

Sunday, May 17 - 3:00p.m.:

Membership Meeting, Ole Hanson Rm., Mark Kerckhoff, Demo.

Friday, June 12 - Noon-4p.m.:

Pick up paintings, Gallery

Saturday, June 13, 9:00-11:00a.m.:

Check in, Paint San Clemente Plein Air Competition

Saturday, June 13, 12:30p.m. - 3:30p.m.:

Quick Draw, Plein Air

Saturday, June 20 - 8:00a.m. - 9:00a.m.:

Plein Air paintings Registration

**Saturday & Sunday, June 20 & 21 -
10a.m.-4:00p.m.:**

Two Day Art Show

June 20, 6:00p.m.:

Gala Evening

July 31, Noon – 4p.m.:

Pick up paintings, Gallery

(Print & Save for Reference)