



# Fall 2010 Member Newsletter

## NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER TREATS

### GALLERY HOURS

- Tuesday—Saturday
- 10 am to 3 pm
- Closed Sundays and Mondays

### HARVESTFEST 2010

Harvestfest will be filled with fun and surprises this November 6th, 2010. All the auction items will be on display in the Ross Gallery during the month of October for a preview. But a sneak preview of many items will be featured in the next Harvestfest e-blast going out this month. Artists from all over Texas and elsewhere have donated some of their very best works to be auctioned in support of the Art Guild's programs for children. If you visited Fayetteville Artwalk weekend, you saw a sampling of this fine art. Almost every artist at Artwalk donated a unique piece of their work to our cause. Additionally, Janice McCubbin donated a special oil painting, "The Curious Duo", which will go to a lucky raffle ticket holder during Harvestfest, November 6th. Tickets are now being sold for that drawing, and you need not be present to win. In addition to the fine works of art, Harvestfest live and silent auction items will include ceramics, jewelry, weekend get-a-ways, vacations, concerts, events, and livestock! Make sure to preview these items in October and reserve your seat now for Harvestfest by calling 979-378-2113.



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Oh the Places You Will Go....to San Antonio, on a hunt or fishing excursion, to a margarita fajita party, to a fabulous house in Steamboat Springs, CO., to peaceful waters as you enjoy the images of lakes and rivers crafted by Muenzenmayer, Vernon, Gold, and Kilpatrick...those are all possibilities...but for now, just plan to go to the Ellinger C of C Hall on November 6th and enjoy the fun, food and festivities.

Will we succeed? Yes indeed! We will, 98.5 % guaranteed.

### CHRISTMAS 2010

This December be sure to visit the Art Guild and enjoy the Member Show. With holiday gift giving in mind, this years show will primarily feature items sized 16 by 20 or smaller—the perfect gift size to fit on a wall or sit on an easel. Be special this Christmas — give artsy!



## ART AFTER SCHOOL



### Fall Art After School begins!

Thanks to the generous supporters of the Art Guild, this program, like all our others for the schools, are free to the children! The Fall session starts on September 21st and the classes are on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. Register your child today! We currently serve Fayetteville, Flatonia, La Grange, Round Top, Schulenburg, and Weimar.

### LISA RICHARDS FINE ART ASSEMBLY

On September 29th and 30th Lisa Richards will be bringing music education to four different schools in rural Texas. Lisa Richards is an internationally known artist. She currently resides in Austin, but was born and raised in Australia. Not only is Lisa a well known musician, but she is also a music teacher. For the fine art assemblies, Lisa will be teaching the geography and history of Australia including traditional songs and bush ballads. She will teach different types of songs and explain the meaning of the words as used in typical Australian speech patterns and language.

### UNDERWRITING THE ARTS

One of the very special missions of the Art Guild of Rural Texas is bringing Fine Art Assemblies to school children. In past years, thousands of children have enjoyed these performances. Last spring the Austin Ballet delighted its young audiences with both the skill of the dancers and their engaging interaction with the children after the performances. The Austin Ballet was generously underwritten by Mark and Cheryl Chapman. The Houston Grand Opera To Go will be performing this Spring. The Art Guild is currently seeking an underwriter for this very special assembly. Please call 979-378-2113 to learn how you can become an Art Guild Special Event Underwriter.

### ROSS GALLERY UPCOMING EXHIBITS

#### Caroline Ratliff Exhibit

September 4th-September 26th

Artist Reception September 4th

2:00-5:00PM

#### Harvestfest Exhibit

October 2nd-November 5th

Reception- October 2nd

3:00-6:00PM

#### Bruce Williamson Exhibit

November 13th-November 30th

Reception- November 13th

3:00-6:00PM



# HANDMADE TILE WORKSHOP BY PAT JOHNSON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

## Workshop

Want to learn how to make your very own ceramic tile mural? Here is your chance! Participants will make handmade tiles and develop a 16" X 16" ceramic tile mural. Students will learn how to plan a design, choose materials, installation techniques, and create a finished product. Bring your own drawing or pick from Pat's collection of images.



## Ceramics Lecture

The night before the workshop on Friday, September 24th at 6:30 PM, Pat will be giving a special lecture on architectural ceramics. Whether you take the workshop or not, you are invited to join us for this fascinating discussion. The lecture is free to all!

For more information and to register please call or email the Art Guild.

## MEMBER HIGHLIGHT MARY QUIROS

About three years ago, Mary and Evan Quiros purchased property just outside Fayetteville.

Mary's keen artistic eye helped her confirm that a hilltop off Haw Creek Road was the perfect spot to build a very special house and create the "Q Farm". Now comfortably ensconced in their beautiful custom home, she and Evan are happily 'at home'. Both Mary and Evan have workshops on premises where they create.

Mary's style ranges from vibrant abstracts, lush botanicals, birds of fancy, enchanted landscapes and magnificent flowers. Her paintings are alive with color. On her website, she says,..."most of my creative journeys come from within, touching on the thoughts and the experiences of a lifetime."

Her works can be pure watercolor or mixed media. Her creativity is not bound by traditional limitations. Mary participates in many organizations and she currently serves on the Texas Watercolor Society Board.

Mary's works have been displayed all around the United States and in Japan as well as the Art Guild's Ross Gallery.

Mary is a soft spoken brunette with a quick smile, ever gracious and elegant. Wise, faith filled, generous and talented---these characteristics reflect a loveliness within and without. The Art Guild salutes one of its artist members and stalwart supporters,

Mrs. Mary Quiros.



## MEMBERSHIP RATES

Membership Rates: per year

Youth \$10

Adult \$35

Couple \$50

Family \$75

Friend \$100

Corporate \$500

Lifetime \$1,000

## ART GUILD WISH LIST

PowerPoint projector

iPod (for gallery stereo)

Table clothes (6ft tables)

Full-size Easels

Pathway to Apartments



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## FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

Movie Nights continue to be popular at the Art Guild. Pop corn flows freely as the public is invited to enjoy popular movies at no charge. Improved screening and seating are new for the fall. Friday night, September 10th, James Bond promises lots of action in "Dr. No".

The October movie "Coal Miner's Daughter" is being shown on a special date, Saturday October 23rd to coincide with the Spacek's local family reunion. November's screening is "The Blind Side" on November 12th, and we ring in the holidays with "A Christmas Story" on December 10th.



### Movie Facts

- **Second Friday of each Month**
- **7:00 pm**
- **FREE Admission**
- **Popcorn provided**
- **Bring your favorite beverage**

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