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Art Association in Roxbury

# Palette News

February 2008

[www.artassociationinroxbury.org](http://www.artassociationinroxbury.org)

**February Meeting – Thursday, 2/07 at 7:00PM**

**Place:** Roxbury Senior Center, 72 Eyland Avenue, Succasunna, NJ

**No Executive Board Meeting**

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## **February Program**

A group critique is planned for the February meeting for members to bring unfinished and finished art in the form of paintings, photographs and collages. Works in progress that are of concern to the artist will be discussed as well as finished works of interest. As always, these critiques can be informative, educational, and fun.

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## **From the President's Desk – A Message from Nancy Weiss**

I wish all of you a very healthy, happy and creative New Year. Even though we didn't meet in January, our executive board did meet on January 10<sup>th</sup> at my home. We met for two and a half hours and went over a number of issues facing us in this New Year. The most time was spent on our members' shows. One will be in March and the other in May. You will hear all about this at our February meeting and in this bulletin. Elmer Dey will address all of you at our February meeting.

Please be aware of the importance of your continued support and involvement in our making this year a productive one and also an enjoyable one. It is my hope that we all get to know each other better and that we lend a hand, head and heart where ever needed. If you have any ideas or would like to get more involved, please talk to me or call me at home.

There will be no executive board meeting in February. I look forward to seeing you all at the general meeting, and please remember that if you are not sure of cancellations due to inclement

weather, call me at home (973-442-9033). There will be a message for you to listen to informing you of any cancellation.

Nancy Weiss, President.

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### **MEMBER NEWS**

Jinnie May won an Award of Excellence at the Somerset Art Association Annual Juried Show, January 2008. Jinnie has been selected to be the featured artist (twenty plus paintings) at The Wilson School's 29th Annual Exhibition and Sale. The show starts on Friday April 25, 2008 with a \$100 a plate dinner and is open to the public on Saturday April 26 and Sunday April 27 from 11-4 PM. Several AAR members are participating in the show. Please stop by and view their works. The show is at The Wilson School 271 Boulevard, Mountain Lakes, NJ.

If any of you, our members, have recently won an award or received recognition for your art, please notify your editors for publication in the newsletter.

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### **WORKSHOPS**

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#### **TONI CHAPLIN WATERCOLOR WORKSHOPS**

Watercolor Workshops with Toni Chaplin are in progress. Toni will be teaching two sessions in the newly remodeled Joe Kubert Art School building back in Dover! Saturday classes will run 9:30-12:00.

E-Mail or call the Joe Kubert Art Store (now open in the newly renovated school building) at 973-328-3266 or [jkartstore@kubertsworld.com](mailto:jkartstore@kubertsworld.com)

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#### **CHRISTINA DEBARRY**

Christina Debarry has openings for her Friday evening class. Instruction is fun in her art studio at her home in Florham Park. All mediums welcomed. For more information, please phone Nadine Weglinski at 973-989-8928.

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#### **ELISSA PRYSTAUK PASTEL WORKSHOP**

March 29, 2008 Roxbury Library 10 - 2pm  
 \$40 prepaid by March 15 Call Doris Schwint 973 - 729 -9778 to reserve space.

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#### **MARK DE MOS** **WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP**

Mark de Mos will be holding watercolor workshop with Cape May Light in Watercolor on May 4-7, 2008. Tuition is \$395. Please call: 908-790-8820 or email: [nancyori@comcast.net](mailto:nancyori@comcast.net)

Please note new email address for Mark de Mos: [deMosArt@verizon.net](mailto:deMosArt@verizon.net)

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**ART ENCOUNTERS WATERCOLOR WORKSHOPS**

Expose yourself to stimulating art concepts in watercolor.

**RATRINDRA DAS, AWS, NWS**  
**April 21-24, 2008**  
**DYNAMIC COMPOSITON IN WATERCOLOR**  
**FEE: \$450 [ninaharlan@verizon.net](mailto:ninaharlan@verizon.net)**  
**Randolph, N.J. 93-584-3373**

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**Art Encounter Painting Tour**  
**Tuscany, Italy**

*Nina C. Harlan, Director - (973) 584-3373 or [ninaharlan @ verizon.net](mailto:ninaharlan@verizon.net)*

***Air/Land Escorted Painting Tour***  
***Tuscany, Italy***  
***June 29 – July 07, 2008***

PRICING:      10 people based on twin room    2925 USD  
                   15 people based on twin room    2525 USD  
                   Single Supplement: 250 USD  
                   \*\*\*Additional cost for a Tour manager/escort is 175USD total per person for the  
                   various excursions (flat rate).

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Nina Harlan (see above)

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**AAR "CLOTHED MODEL LIFE DRAWING WORKSHOP"**

One Saturday per month we hold the AAR "Clothed Model Life Drawing Workshop" at the Roxbury Library, from 10 am to 1 pm. The model is clothed and the poses range from 1 minute to 40 minutes. There is no instruction. The cost is \$10.00 in cash per session.

Reservations must be made in advance as space is limited. If you wish to bring friend with you who is not in AAR, please email Joan Winter the week before the session, to confirm that there is space available. To make reservations or if you have any questions, please call or email Joan Winter. Telephone: (908) 832-0347 Email: [JoanEWinter@aol.com](mailto:JoanEWinter@aol.com)

For your information, the next few Saturday workshops are:

February 16th	Model: Laura
March 29th	Model: Robert
April 19th	Model: Deete

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## SHOWS AND EXHIBIT OPPORTUNITIES

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### 41<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL AAR MEMBERS SHOW

**Exhibit May 2 – August 1, 2008**  
**The Atrium Gallery, Morris County Administration & Hall of Records**  
**Building, Court St. Morristown, NJ 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Floors**

Receiving: May 2<sup>nd</sup> 3-6 PM 4<sup>th</sup> floor

Artists' Reception & Awards: May 16<sup>th</sup> 7-9 PM

Pick Up: August 1<sup>st</sup> 3-6 PM

**Judge: Tim Weaver**

All work must be kept in the gallery for the entire time

**Entry Form, requirements and details will be included in the March Newsletter**

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### AAR Members New Exhibition Opportunity

The Art Association In Roxbury members may exhibit work at the **Morris County Library Atrium Gallery during the month of March**. Work previously exhibited in any AAR show, crafts, computer generated or enhanced art, copies, giclees, and reproductions are not acceptable. Paintings should be suitably framed for hanging with wire and screw eyes. Maximum dimensions 40" in width or height including frame. The AAR reserves the right to decline any work deemed inappropriate. Work must remain in the exhibit until the pick up date.

**Receiving will be on March 5, 2008** 10 am-12 pm, and 2 pm -4 pm. **Pick up will be April 2<sup>nd</sup> from 3 – 6 PM**. This new venue is for exhibition and sales only. There will be no judging, awards, artist reception, or entry fee. Artists who make sales are asked to consider making a donation to the Morris County Library Foundation through our AAR treasurer. Members are limited to one entry.

Members interested in exhibiting should mail the following information to:  
 Elmer Dey, 25 Long Valley Blvd., Long Valley, NJ, 07853 or send by email to: [edey@att.net](mailto:edey@att.net)  
 (include AAR March 08 in the title line) Elmer will send confirmation to online entries.  
 Submission Deadline: Feb. 18, 2008 (firm)

Artist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Artwork: \_\_\_\_\_

Size Dimensions including frame: H \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_

Medium: \_\_\_\_\_

### **ROXBURY LIBRARY EXHIBIT**

In January and February our featured artist is Donna Kusama. If you would like to exhibit work at the library, call Donna Kusama at 973-770-4869.

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### **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

If you have any questions about your current membership or are new and thinking of becoming a member and would like to know more, please call Connie Halliwell at 973-347-6071 or email her at <[tomconh@optonline.net](mailto:tomconh@optonline.net)>. Membership forms are available on the information table at each meeting. Your new membership card may be found behind your name tag at the senior center.

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### **AAR Officers and Committee Chairs 2007 – 2008**

For your reference, all 2007 – 2008 Executive Board members, Committee Chairs, and Trustees are listed in the September issue of the Newsletter.

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#### **FOR YOUR INFORMATION:**

The Art Association in Roxbury does not discriminate on the basis of disability in treatment, or in admission or access to its services, programs, or activities. Upon request, accommodation will be provided to allow individuals with disabilities to participate in the Art Association in Roxbury's services, programs, and activities.

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#### **AAR DISPLAY RACKS:**

The club's display racks are now being stored at the home of Susan Holford in Denville. Members may call Susan at 973-784-3232 to arrange to borrow them for one week for a nominal fee (\$10.00 for all 4 racks or \$5.00 for 2 racks).