



Our goal...to promote interest in Fine Art and to extend opportunities in education and activities for the Fine Artists and Photographers of our community.

April 2016 Newsletter

(with attachments: Agenda, Minutes, Financials Film Fest)

Monthly Meeting

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Brass Rail Room at Doc's

Plaza Restaurant

Wednesday, April 13, 2016

1 p.m.



PLEASE print out and sell your RAFFLE TICKETS!!!

PLEASE get your Sponsor donations as soon as you can!!!

Save TIME and MONEY by submitting and paying for your Anne Boyd Wade Spring Show Entry Forms online. www.wilcoxartleague.com

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Message from the President

Spring is here, even if we have had a few days of cold weather to remind us of winter. I hope you all have a chance to be outside and enjoy the weather on the nice days.

We had a successful Willcox Theme Show at the Sulphur Springs Valley Historical Society. Willcox residents were interested in coming to see the art and photography and having the opportunity to cast their votes for the People's Choice Award. Jack Light and Louise Walden, along with the rest of the volunteers, are to be commended for a fine show.

Now the dates for the Ann Boyd Wade Fine Art & Photography Show are fast approaching. Get all your entries ready to go in the show so we will have a great exhibition! You can go online to enter and pay with Pay Pal this year. Entering online will simplify the record keeping for the show and is encouraged. The deadline is May 2 for online entries and for the postmark on mailed entries.

Members should have received two emails. One with downloadable raffle tickets and one with sponsor forms. Everyone please support the art league and show by selling tickets and obtaining sponsors. At the next two meetings sign up sheets will be available so all will be able to fit in time to volunteer at our May show.

I hope to see you at the meeting April 13 at the Brass Rail meeting room in the Plaza Restaurant at 1:00!

Jill Dredge

April Birthdays



Becky Fortenberry April 23

Becky gets the whole cake all to herself since we are missing dates for the following members:

Denise Atwood Kathie Brauchia Jen & Ralph Score Maggie Bryce

Monika Cronberg Brent Hall Rudy Martin Deborah Mechigan Mary Pencin

Doug Quarles Harry & Linda Stacy Nancy Turner

Please send you birthday month day (the year can remain your secret) to 3greys@gmail.com

Willcox Theme Show:

As winner of the adult PEOPLES CHOICE AWARD, Willcox Art League Member, HELEN FRAZE is now the owner of



The beautifully painted by Jill Dredge Coffee Pot

A Amar Alvarado won the artist's set for the under-12 group.



The Art League gratefully thanks the Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative and Wayne Crane for all the printing they do for the art league. We are very appreciative for this money saving service they perform for us. Our many entry forms for the Spring Show were printed by them.



**3rd Annual
Southern Arizona Independent Film Festival
April 15 - 16, 2016**



**WILLCOX HISTORIC THEATER
WILLCOX, AZ**

willcoxfilmfest.com/

FREE!!! See 35 short films from our area and all over the world...Willcox, Safford, Iran, Russia, England, Spain, Germany, Australlia, Uruguay, New York, California, more....

The Festival opens with a reception on Friday evening in Windmill Park. 20 non-dramatic films will be shown in Saturday morning and 15 dramatic films in the afternoon. Please see the attachment for the complete schedule and description.



REMINDER: 2 Opportunities just for WAL members!

Each member may have their own page on the WAL website to exhibit their work along with a short bio and sales information. Check out the member pages on our website www.wilcoxartleague.com/members.shtml

Hanging your work on the Art League racks at the Chamber of Commerce is a great opportunity to show and sell your artwork as thousands of people visit each year. Keeping your work small will entice people to impulse buy as it won't take up much room in a packed car. Consider using local themes that are unique to this area.



OUR SISTER ORGANIZATIONS IN THE ARTS – SEE WHAT THEY ARE UP TO!

****Art League of Willcox <http://willcoxartleague.com/> Facebook Willcox Art League***

****Willcox Historic Theater willcoxtheater.com facebook 520-766-3333***

****Huachuca Art Association 1/2016 Newsletter <http://huachuca-art.com/wp-content/uploads/2010/08/ArtyFacts-January-2016.pdf>***

****San Pedro River Art Association <http://sprarts.org/>***