

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.

November 2014 Newsletter

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Monthly Meeting
Noon
(luncheon will start at 11:30)
Brass Rail Room at Doc's
Plaza Restaurant
Wednesday, November 12, 2014

Presentation: Sheryl Miles, watercolor echniques



Margaret Bourke-White.
Patients draw lots to sit at the President's table at Thanksgiving dinner. Nov. 24, 1938
Warm Springs, GA. Seat of honor at President's left was won by Robert Rosenbaum, 11.

Life, 5 December 1938. Photos copyright Time Inc.



1- Janice Samoeil 3-Paul Teza 5- Adele Crouch 6- Darlene Rodriguez 12- Niels de Kok 23- Patricia Cole

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Artist of the Month LOUISE WALDEN



Louise Walden's show will hang at the Keeling-Schaefer tasting room on Railroad Aveneue for the month of November. A reception will be held from 5-7pm on November 13th.

Born in Albuquerque NM, in 1952, Louise a has lived in NM, OR, CA and AZ. Louise took some art classes in Junior High School and has dabbled with different painting and craft projects over the years. She and her husband moved to Willcox, AZ in 1990 to manage the Cochise County Airport.

In 2010 she attended a one day water color workshop and started pottery classes at the Bucket List Studio in Willcox.

In the spring of 2011, Louise signed up for "Painting for Personal Pleasure" classes at Cochise College, taught by Karina Stanger.

Traveling, painting and throwing pottery help to make her life pleasurable

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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.

The Art League of Willcox Presents the 2014 Western Christmas Festival Fine Arts & Photography Show on Dec. 5 & 6 at the Willcox Community Center.

Categories are: 2-D (paintings, pastels, drawings); 3-D art (carving, sculputre, fabric or textile, and paining on objects such as gourds); photography (color and black and white).

Two special theme categories: "Christmas Holiday" and "Ranch and Ranch Life" Fees and Deadlines:

Adults: \$6 per item; students (K-12) \$4 per item

Cochise College students \$4: student fee & placed in (adult) division for judging. Total of four entries.

All entries fees must be delivered to the Willcox Community Center (312 West Stewart Street) on Wednesday, December 3 between 11:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Works will be hung and judged on Thursday, December 4.

Works must be picked up at the Community Center between 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 6. Artists may price their works for sale at this show. No commission will be taken.

Eliot Porter. Apple Trees After Frost. Tesque, NM 11-21-66

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THE SULPHUR SPRINGS VALLEY 18TH INTERNATIONAL MINIATURE AND SMALLWORKS ART SHOW will be presented by the Art League of Willcox, February 2 – 28, at the Chamber of Commerce. *Jill Dredge* and *Martha Christensen* are hard at work on this show. There is an explanation of rules and an entry form attached. This is a major Art League Show so please participate.

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The Community Center has been reserved for the Anne Boyd Wade Art Show for May 14-17. The documents have been signed and the deposit paid. The Art League spoke to the City Council at its meeting on Thursday, Oct. 16, and presented a letter asking for a fee waiver.

DON'T FORGET- both the newly revamped Webpage: http://willcoxartleague.com/ and Facebook page: Willcox Art League.

The member pages on the Website are *for your benefit*. Currently only three artists are utilizing them. They are a way to put your artwork before the public. Post your pictures with a link to your own website (if you have one). Email Peggy at 3greyts@gmail.com with your information.

Our FACEBOOK page, <u>Willcox Art League</u> is the to share and learn about anything of interest in the arts, event, articles, pictures, ideas, etc.

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Ansel Adams. Moonrise, Hernandez NM 12-1-41

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November SPARTS Member's Only Western Show

The show will hang at Cochise College Benson Center during the month of November.

A potluck reception and party will be held at the college on Thursday evening, November 13th, from 5:30 till 7:30 p.m. –please bring some tasty, but easily consumed, munchies. And, if you have "art" that can't be hung on a wall, please consider bringing a table and sharing & selling this at the reception—jewelry, notecards, sculpture, etc. People should be thinking about Christmas presents by then.

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News from the **Huachuca Art Association**

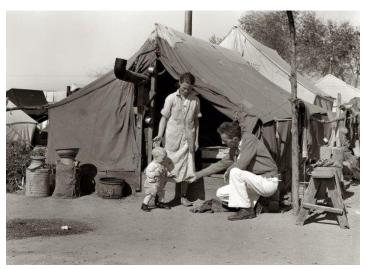
Ann Loud Open Reception November 2nd 3:00-5:00 P.M. Sierra Vista Mall Gallery Laureen McArdle, Fun with Floating Frames Saturday, November 15th, 10:00 a.m. Astro Street Studio Linda Langner, Candle Holder Card Monday, November 17th, 12:30 p.m. Astro Street Studio For the full Huachuca Art Association November Newsletter, <u>Artyfacts</u>.

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

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

*Huachuca Art Association http://huachuca-art.com/Newsletter: <a href="http://huachuca-art.com/Newslette

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



Dorothea Lange

November, 1936. Arvin migratory farm workers' camp in Kern County, California. Tom Collins manager of Kern migrant camp with drought refugee family. Nitrate negative.