

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.

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October 2014 Newsletter

(with 5 attachments)

Monthly Meeting
Noon
(luncheon will start at 11:30)
Brass Rail Room At Doc's
the Plaza Restaurant
Wednesday, Oct. 8, 2014



Vincent van Gogh

The Mulberry Tree (Maulbeerbaum)

Oct. 1,1889 54x64cm Norton Simon Museum o/c

Following the meeting, photographer Charles Teel will give ideas for getting the best photos to use for paintings.



Happy Birthday

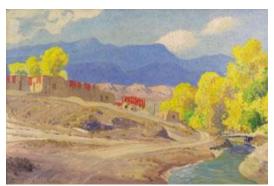
Karen Butts, Oct. 7 Louise Walden Oct. 7 Jen Score, Oct. 10 Pete-Anne Tenney Oct. 20

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BIG NEWS- We are up and running with both the newly revamped Webpage: http://willcoxartleague.com/ and Facebook page: Willcox Art League.

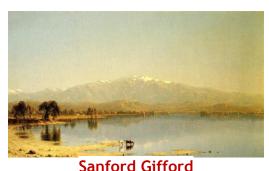
We have member pages on the Website for your benefit. Currently only two artists are utilizing them. They are a way to put your artwork before the public. Why not post some pictures with a link to your own website (if you have one). Please email Peggy at 3greyts@gmail.com and she will see that it is posted.

Our Facebook page is a great way of communicating and sharing anything of interest in the arts, event, articles, pictures, ideas, etc. that you know about.



Sheldon Parsons October Alcade o/panel 16"x23"

We have booked the Community Center for the Anne Boyd Wade Art Show for May 14-17. The documents have been signed and the deposit paid. The City is in the process of preparing a change in fee schedules to present to the City Council, therefore it is important that many members attend the City Council meeting on Thursday, Oct. 16, and voice your opinion during the call for comments regarding making the Community Center affordable for non-profit organizations.



October in the Adirondacks

Mildred Lane Kemper Art Museum 1860 14.5"x24" o

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Hanging your work 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.

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There is no Artist of the Month for October.



Instead, there is a group show at the Commercial that features members of the Art League: Louise Walden, Yolanda van der Lelij, Monica Cronberg, Jill Dredge, Sylvia Turner, Martha Christensen, Peta-Anne Tenney, Becky Fortenberry. The show will be open the weekends of Rex Allen Days and the Fall Wine Festival (Oct. 18 & 19). The show runs from Oct. 4 through Oct. 19. It's not too early to be thinking about Christmas presents.

THE SULPHUR SPRINGS VALLEY 18TH INTERNATIONAL MINIATURE AND

SMALLWORKS ART SHOW 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 League maintains an ongoing sales outlet for work of all of its members. There are racks for hanging works at the Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber charges a commission but your work will be seen by hundreds of people each day as they travel along I-10. Smaller works that can be easily transported tend to sell well.

The San Pedro River Art Association "Celebrate the Arts" entails an annual, judged, Open Photography Show October 1 -28, 2014. Please go to their website, http://sprarts.org/celebrate-the-arts-photography/ for more information.



Study for 'Vines in October'
<u>Theo van Rysselberghe</u>

1912 12.8"x16.14" o/cdbd/panel

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^{*}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/