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## IMPORTANT DATES

**DCAL Annual Meeting**, Mon, Oct 23, Baileys Harbor Town Hall, 7-9p with election of officers and suggestions for upcoming membership activities

**Plein Air Wednesdays** organized by **Jim Leatham** from Late April through early October. Look on the web for weekly locations.

NWPAP plein air locations AT nwpap-subscribe@yahoo.com or contacting **Nancy Patterson** through the website. NEW -- Sunday dates!!

**Sister Bay/ Liberty Grove Library Changeover:** Wed, Nov. 1, 3-5 PM. Call Carol Stevenson at 854-5260 for specifics.

**Nov 4**, 10a-3p, pick up/drop off work at Dal Santos

**Nov 6**, 12-3p, pick up/drop off work at Dal Santos

Check the website for details on the **winter exhibit at Gallery 10.**

## From the President's Drawing Board

As I sit here writing my last President's report to you, memories of these last three years keep circling through my mind. Very pleasant and fulfilling memories, I must say!

These years have been good for the Art League and good to me as well. We've accomplished a lot and opened up room for more in the future. I want you all to know what an excellent Board you have had working for you. No job, difficult or obscure, was ever refused and no idea rejected without consideration.

When we needed a new brochure for the League, **Barb Kenyon** said "I can do that" and she created beautiful new pamphlet to show who and what we are. When we wanted to improve our programs for the 2006 year, **Sally Everhardus** contacted an entire season of exceptional artistic talent for our demos, and attendance at our meetings doubled. When more publicity was desired, **Marty Gerber** began a monthly column for the Resorter Reporter in the Advocate and our presence as a notable art organization spread throughout Door County. When the need for an interactive website became even more than evident, new member **Mark Allen** said he'd try to develop one for us and he built a beauty. When the membership asked for Winter meetings,

**David & Kathy Franke** stirred up Chili and Soup nights with fun and games. When there was a request for display at Outdoor Art Fairs around the peninsula, **Jane Delcarson** arranged for us to be there and **Hermke Timm** gave us our tent. And when so many people expressed a desire for Plein Air painting, **Jim Leatham** set up a schedule full of locations.

There's more of course. We now have a Winter Showcase at **Gallery Ten** in Ellison Bay and an early summer exhibit at the **Link Gallery** at the Door County Auditorium. I am afraid other great efforts by other dedicated members have temporarily slipped my memory. Please forgive me if I have not specifically mentioned your much-appreciated efforts for DCAL.

I'm writing this to say "thanks" to all of you in the League and to urge you to please continue to be involved in our growth process. We're going to be working on a plan for the future and maybe some day a gallery space to call our own (a personal goal of mine).

It's been a great ride....thanks for letting me serve as DCAL president.

*Jeanne*



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## Showcase Gallery at Trattoria Dal Santo

FALL SHOW/WINTER SHOW Changeover  
November 4th 10 - 3:00 (Saturday)  
November 6th 12 - 3:00 (Monday)

Pick up your work from Fall and drop off up to three (3) new pieces of framed artwork for Winter on the dates above. You may also bring two (2) professionally wrapped prints or matted originals in addition to other work. Remember to put your name, title, medium and price on the back. All paintings must be wired for hanging. If you wish, you may leave your work on display and pick it up before the Spring/Summer show.

If you cannot pick up your artwork, you may send a friend or family member with a signed note releasing your artwork to their care. **DO NOT** go to the restaurant to pick up your work on any other day — a DCAL liaison **MUST** be there to sign the artwork out. This will be the Franke's **last act** as liaisons — volunteers are needed to keep this exhibit open! Dal Santos is located at: 147 N. 3rd Ave. downtown Sturgeon Bay, across from Kick Coffee.

**David & Kathy Franke** 920-868-1609  
or [dafranke@dcwis.com](mailto:dafranke@dcwis.com).



## Member News & Views

**Cheryl Stidwell-Parker** had one painting, "Fresh Fish," accepted in the Miller's 31st annual juried exhibition. She also sold a plein air painting as the artist for a private event on Washington Island.

**Myrna Cohn**, member at large-elect for DCAL, was juried into the Miller's 31st Juried Annual. Congratulations on both!

Former art instructor and golf aficionado **Bob Pum** sent this fun website to us: <http://www.jacksonpollock.org/> It's great play!

**Beverly Hart Branson** joins **Mary Anderson** and **Sally Everhardus** a part of the Appleton Art Center's "Multicultural" exhibit. She is also the artist of the month at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship in Sister Bay. All this with a sick husband to tend to!

**Aneta Schloemer** reports that the Nightingale Motel is under new ownership and that she will be exhibiting her photos there. Our thanks also for her work in coordinating and providing refreshments for our meetings.

The work of DCAL artist **Gale Ritchey** is featured in a new show open through October 16, 2006 at the Gallery at 3W Design. The Gallery at 3W Design is located at 340 Meadow Lane in Sister Bay, adjacent to the studios of 3W Design Group. The show runs through October 16. A reception for the artists will take place on Sunday, October 8 from 6-9PM. Call 920-854-9459, ext. 108 for more information.

**Pat Ullom** suggests the following website to "give us contact with the outside world": <http://pluginamp.com>

Our congratulations to all the wonderful "BSer's" whose exhibit at PAS will be on display at PAS through November 4th. The opening reception was great, the art is diverse and wonderful and you can get your own "Broad's Salon Calendar" — complete with plain brown wrapper — by contacting Dorie Zimmerman or any member of the "BSer's."

A class in Self Portraiture will be taught by **Julia Bresnahan** October 19 & 20, 1-4p at PAS. She's a wonderful teacher and you may just discover some now wrinkle, er characteristic about yourself by taking this class!

The new outline for DCAL's current news page is at [http://www.doorcountyartleague.org/Current\\_News/Current\\_News](http://www.doorcountyartleague.org/Current_News/Current_News). This means to go to the website for late breaking news, prospectus for an upcoming exhibit, perhaps even an unplanned plein air paint out. **Mark Allen** has done a fabulous job of keeping the site updated and adding in new innovations as he finds them. Contact (and thank!) him at [mallen@dcwis.com](mailto:mallen@dcwis.com).

**Cal Bonnavier** and **Herb Klein** who donated a tent to the Art League for our summer art festival endeavors. Since Julia's property is on the market, the **Kimbell's** are now storing our growing supply of tents and exhibit supplies. Our thanks to all!

We're thrilled that **Bonnie Sandstrom**, who has been a member for 4 years will be the Secretary-elect of DCAL. Along with **Myrna Cohn**, **Joanne Rosenfeld** will join **Hermke Timm** as members at large. Our slate is in good shape with the exception of a presidential candidate.

than several follow up mailings. Any corrections, changes of address, email or interests in membership information, please send to Dorie Zimmerman: [dazzim@aol.com](mailto:dazzim@aol.com). This month we have the following changes to report:

**From Membership Chair Dorie Zimmerman:** We are planning on sending out the 2007 renewal letters to all DCAL members at the end of October. Attach your mail and please return your renewal ASAP as this costs DCAL less

## Bits & Pieces

### Highlights from the board meeting

After the usual ratification of minutes and the treasurer's report (we're doing fine!) there was lively discussion on many topics, including having a short summary of the meetings included in the newsletter! So, here it is.

Terry Stanley's demo at the August meeting was deemed a huge success. **Sarah & Jeff Bradley** at the Artist's Guild have other suppliers willing to give demos/mini workshops for the League.

**Glenn Gerber** will follow up with the owner of a local barn for summer exhibit space.

Members most frequently ask for critiques. See note below.

We have no meetings in Nov & Dec. We have been meeting in January and February for a combination of socializing and "art play." We need a person(s) to organize these potlucks.

To support long range planning, **Dorie Zimmerman** will design a survey form, plus a more detailed membership application to accompany the renewal letter.

There was discussion on how the League could provide services to and for artists that would compliment those existing at other organizations like the Hardy, Fairfield, PAS and Miller.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: After our election and business meeting at on October 23 we will be opening the floor for critiques. Bring one or two pieces of recent unfinished artwork that you'd like some opinions and advice on.

**Sally Berner's** new phone: (920)822-7054

**Penny Pfister's** winter abode: N89 W17087 Highland Court, Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

Please note also that the **Zimmerman's** winter address (Nov-April) is: 31 W. Los Reales Road #506, Tucson, AZ 85706

### Winter Exhibition at Gallery Ten

Another invitation from **Charlene Berg** to exhibit at **Gallery Ten** from December 2, 2006 through February 23, 2007.

There will be two receptions: the first December 9, 2006 1-3p and the last February 10, 2006 1-3p.

Winter gallery hours will be 10:00 am to 3:00 pm, Thurs-Mon, closed Tue & Wed.

**Carolyn Kimbell** will be in charge of this opportunity. Artists may bring up to three pieces, with Charlene reserving the right to hang work appropriate to her gallery. We expect guidelines and dates will be published on the website soon so keep checking!

The next exhibit exchange at the **Sister Bay/Liberty Grove Library** in Sister Bay will be on Wed., Nov. 1 from 3-5 PM. If you are a new participant, please call **Carol Stevenson** at 854-5260 for specific requirements. Please check frames and mats for any flaws. Wire hangers are required. The rotation occurs every two months. Although sales are infrequent, it is a great opportunity to have your work seen by the public and sure beats having it under the bed at home!

**Rosemary & Verle Utzinger's** address until June 15, 2007:

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