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November 2026

CALENDAR OF SBAA EVENTS

Gallery 113 Open Show for November

Ingathering: **Sunday, November 1**
11:00am-12:30 pm & Monday, November
2– 12:00-3:00pm & takedown of old show
Reception: Thursday, November 5, 2026
5:00 pm-8:00 pm

Gallery 113 Group Show for December

Ingathering: **Sunday, November 29**
11:00am -12:30 pm & Monday November
30, 12:00-3:00 & takedown of old show
Reception: Thursday, December 3, 2026
5:00 pm-8:00 pm

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Is it really November already?

I would like to welcome Linda Savoie to our SBAA board of directors. **Linda Savoie** is currently working in business development for an architectural products manufacturer. She also teaches classes that help architects and designers get credits for their license renewals. She is experienced in sales and marketing management and has put on trade shows and worked in general sales outreach.

We are very excited to have her on our board and look forward to building a camaraderie and friendship with her as we chart the future of the SBAA.

We have one more opening on the board. The board of directors meet on the first Tuesday of every month to coordinate activities. If you would like to contribute some of your time to SBAA and join a great group of active volunteers, please contact me or any board member.

Remember... it takes active members to have an active association. Thank you.

—Terry Wimmer



Lucky Lotus by Deirdre Stietzel

Deirdre Stietzel mixed media titled *Lucky Lotus* is showing at Santa Barbara Arts and Craft Show.



The Golden Hour by Carol Zepke

Carol Zepke recently **SOLD** two paintings at the Carpinteria Arts Center, *The Golden Hour* and *Cachuma Lake Reflections*.

VICE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Autumn season not only brings us wonderful colors but 15 new SBAA Members, juried in with the help of **Tony Askew, Jacqui Bravo and Patti Post**. Please welcome **Sandra Lugo Bernal, Pam Marsh, Svetlana Aivazian, Valorie Cole, Linda Savoie, Marty Noble, Alicia Crismali, Roberta Gross, Richard C. Lanes, Judith Carr, Stacie Dawes, Paul Van Slambrouck, Luiza Naslausky, Rian Gladnick and Diana Arsenian**.

The September new member ingathering went swimmingly with the help of SBAA volunteers, **Terry Wimmer, Gary Jensen, Sally Hamilton, Jeanne Carr, Jacqui Bravo, Frances Reighly, Matt Lancaster, Odessa Burrow, Olga Bologo, Mary Kelly, and Gloria Peyrat**. At the New member orientation **Barbara Hershberg** enlightened the newbies to learn to sit at Gallery 113 before they could display their art at the Gallery and also gave a tour of the Gallery to a few new members after the meeting.

SBAA President **Terry Wimmer** welcomed the members and encouraged them to enter the November/December S.B.T.C. Gallery "Small Works" show, the Faulkner Library Show, and answered many questions.

V.P. —Fred Lehto

SBAA MEMBER NEWS

Olga Bologo's watercolor *Silent Turn* (2026) has been accepted into the California Watercolor Association's 57th International Exhibition, juried by Z.L. Feng. The exhibition will be held at the Piedmont Center for the Arts, Jan16 - Feb16, 2027.



Silent Turn by Olga Bologo

Elizabeth U. Flanagan is pleased to have two pieces in the Goleta Valley Art Association's (GVAA) October show at the Voice Gallery in La Cumbre Plaza. *The Heart of the Matter* and *River of Color* both mixed media.



River of Color
by Elizabeth U. Flanagan



Flutter Pot by Gwen Danridge

Virginia Kamhi was awarded an honorable mention by show judge Anette Power for her painting *Morning Praise* in the Ventura County Creative Artists' show, "A Celebration of Art" at West Hills Gallery in Ojai. She will have three paintings in Arts Tehachapi 2026. The show will be held at the Aspen Builders Activity Center, [490 West D Street, Tehachapi](http://www.artstehachapi.org), with a VIP opening reception on Friday, November 13th, and a free public showing on Saturday, November 14th. For tickets and information, go to <http://www.artstehachapi.org>



Sunday Splash by Virginia Kamhi



Fish Painting by Mooneen Mourad
on display at the Du Page Art League
And Gallery

SBAA MEMBER NEWS

Kelly Hildner has two watercolors, *Monarch Refuge* and *Mission in Reflection*, in the Carpinteria Arts Center Artists Choice Exhibition through November 21. Her watercolor *De la Guerra Plaza* is in the GVAA Voice Gallery exhibition. Her work will be featured in the SCAPE exhibition *Sea to Summit* at Music Academy of the West October 30–31, with a reception on October 30 from 4–6:30 p.m. In November, Kelly will be Artist of the Month at Gallery 113 with *Birds of the Central Coast*, a new series of watercolor paintings she is currently completing.



De la Guerra Street by Kelly Hildner

Paula Gregoire-Jones' stained-glass piece, *Rhapsody in Blue* and her mosaic piece *Agate Go Round* were accepted into the Carpinteria Arts Center's Artist's Choice show. She also has three pieces in the GVAA's Voice gallery show for October, two stained glass pieces, *Green and Gold* and *A Whale of a Time* and a mosaic piece, *Sunflower*.

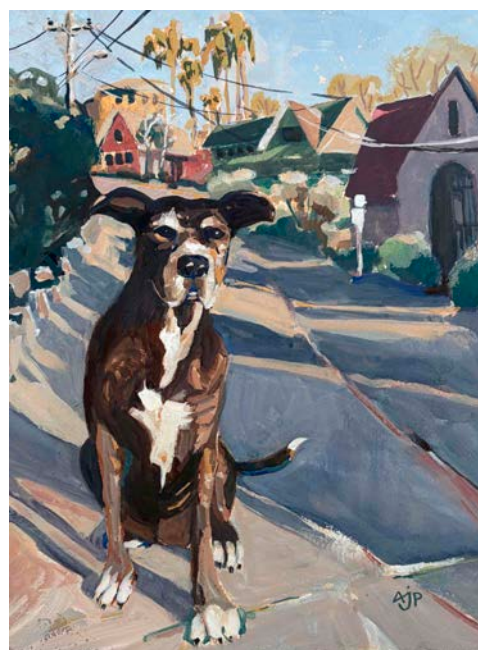


A Whale of a Tale by Paula Gregoire-Jones

Jewel DeMoss will be showing her artwork during Open Studios 2026 as part of the Trilogy Art Group (TAG) at its third annual Open Studios event. Eleven artists will be showing in Trilogy including Jewel DeMoss and 6 others at [1640 Trilogy Parkway](#) in Nipomo. Much of Jewel's artwork is whimsical, colorful and Joyful.



Alex Jean Pratt painted a portrait of their friend's dog, Juno, who died last year.



Juno in Oakland by Alex Jean Pratt

Martha Shilliday and her husband **David Litschel** will be showing their watercolor's and photograph's respectively at the Santa Barbara Main Library Faulkner West Gallery from November 2 - 29. They will be hosting First Thursday 11/5 from 5-7.

OPPORTUNITIES AND WORKSHOPS

Paula Gregoire-Jones will be teaching a class titled: **Creative Hammered/Wrapped Earrings** at the Carpinteria Arts Center on Saturday: November 21, 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM. Register online at carpinteriaartscenter.org/classesandworkshops. Create beautiful hammered jewelry using silver, brass, or copper wire. Make your own earrings, add texture and beads.

Price: \$65/\$58.50 members

Paula Gregoire-Jones is teaching again at the SBCC School for Extended Learning. She is currently teaching the Bead Creations II class on Tuesdays from 9am to noon. The second session of the class starts on October 20 and there is still room in the class for more students. Signup at sbcc.edu. All classes are free.

In celebration of its 40th Anniversary,

The Oak Group presents:

Abiding Legacy

"Leave the land better than you found it."

An art exhibit and sale benefiting the California Rangeland Trust, Santa Barbara Central Library's Faulkner Gallery October 1st through October 30th.

Building on four decades of promoting preservation through art, The Oak Group is proud to announce its Fall 2026 show benefiting the California Rangeland Trust whose mission is to protect California rangelands through conservation agreements.

Misa Art – Towers of Light Exhibition

November 1–30 | Fine Line Gallery, La Cumbre Plaza, Santa Barbara. Featuring artwork from *Towers of Light*, an interactive public art project.

Mesa Artists Studio Tour

November 14–15 | Visit Misa Art's studio.

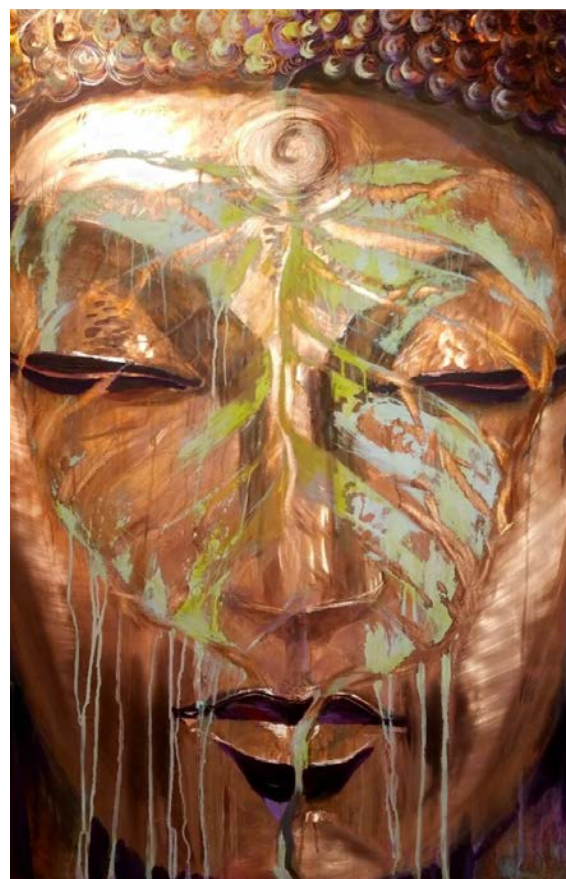
www.mesaartistsstudiotour.com

La Cumbre Plaza Anniversary – November 20 5pm-7pm Special presentation of a 7-foot *Towers of Light* sculpture and interactive app.

Pamela Benham's painting, *In the Shallows*, is in the CAW *Ready to Hang 2026* exhibit, on November 20th and the 21st. Her 48"x 36" *Untitled* painting is on display in the GVAA at the Voice exhibition until October 30th. In Stockton, CA, at the Haggin Museum, *A Breeze Runs Through It* was chosen to be in the 63rd Stockton Art League Juried to October 25th.

Her painting *Ecstasy in Bloom* traveled to Lincroft, NJ for the Monmouth Museum's juried exhibition *Bloom*, up until October 18th. The Monmouth Museum then also selected it to remain on display throughout January 2027 to complement its sculptural exhibition *DINOSAURS: The World of Giants*.

Her drawing, *The Shape of Unspoken Words*, can be seen online in *Art-Rage: A Creative Rebellion*, a WCA Art Activism Pod exhibit up through November 30th. <https://nationalwca.org/current-exhibitions/>



Buddha – 8th Spirit Plate by Misa Art.



By Kelly Hildner

Kelly Hildner will be the Artist of the Month this November with Birds of the Central Coast, a new series of watercolor paintings.

Show Dates: - **November 1, 2026 - November 29, 2026**

Reception: **Thursday, November 5, 2026, 5:00pm - 8:00pm**

Artist of the Month: **Kelly Hildner**

Small Walls:

Darlene Roker

Sue Slater

Mezzanine:

Open Members Show

“...and then, I have nature and art and poetry, and if that is not enough, what is enough?” — Vincent Willem van Gogh



Interested in having a bin at
Gallery 113.

If so, email Carol Dixon
atdixon@education.ucsb.edu

Thanks to all of our hosts for keeping the door open to our beautiful gallery. We appreciate it. We're looking forward to our "Art Without Boundaries" open show.

Ingathering times are Sunday, 11/1 from 11-12:30 and Monday November 2nd from 12-3:00. No pieces larger than 16 x 20 will be accepted. We would like to accommodate as many artists as possible, so smaller pieces would be better. Each artist is limited to one piece. Everything must be ready to hang. First Thursday is on 11/5.

Pick-up is on 11/29, or 11/30th at in gathering times. Please remember we have very little storage so make a note on your calendar.

Thanks for all you do!

The Gallery 113 Board

In Memoriam

It is with deep sadness that we inform
you of the passing of our friend.

Joyce Walters
SBAA President 2008-2010

SUBMITTING NEWSLETTER ITEMS

We want to hear from our artists! Awards, upcoming shows, workshops, art sales and more. **Please write a sentence or two about the image you are sending in the body of the email**, not in an attachment **Please do not send bios or postcards**. We will make every attempt to include ONE image from each artist as space allows. Label all images to include **your name and title in the jpeg file name**. Information will be edited for content, length, available space and adhering to the **newsletter policy**. We can only accept news items for the newsletter emailed to SBAA Newsletter Editor Charlotte Mullich at SBAANewsletter@gmail.com. Deadline for submission is the 10th of the month for the *following month*. Ex: October 10is for the November .



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The Santa Barbara Art Association is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization with over 450 artists who exhibit their original works in diverse media at local venues including the Faulkner Gallery in the Santa.Barbara.Public Library and Gallery 113.