



the PAINT BOX

NEWSLETTER OF THE YARMOUTH ART GUILD

February 2021

2020–2021 YAG Executive Committee

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President: Joan Johnson

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Yarmouth Art Guild's WEBSITE

www.yarmouthartguild.org

Check our website for our latest newsletter, listings of exhibits, and monthly demonstrators.

Contact: info@yarmouthartguild.org

*Also check: [www.facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com/YarmouthArtGuild)
YarmouthArtGuild - Kathy Kelley, Creator*

Indoor Exhibit Contacts

Pam DeYoung

Cape Cod 5 Bank Show: TBD

Oliver's & Plank's Tavern: TBD

Yarmouth Town Hall: *Elaine Giberti*

So. Yarmouth Library: *Betsy Walker*

Outdoor Summer Tent Shows:

Saturday Tent Exhibits
at Cultural Center of Cape Cod
Joan Johnson & Pam DeYoung

YAG Paintbox Newsletter

Joan Johnson, Editor

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BE SURE TO CHECK WEBSITE ... NEW "On-Line" Art Sales!
Website: yarmouthartguild.org

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A Message from your President, Joan Johnson

Most of the time, we are resilient and life goes on. We continue our efforts to revel in the joys of connecting with others, celebrating accomplishments and making plans for the future. Reinventing ourselves has not been a simple task. There are new technologies that need mastering (ZOOM) and website features that need expansion ("on-line" sales) or updating, along with planning and communicating. We honestly miss human interaction and our caring friends. Be patient patients . . . we are getting there! Let's trust! The "blahs" will turn into "ahas".

There is one condition: We must be genuinely caring and

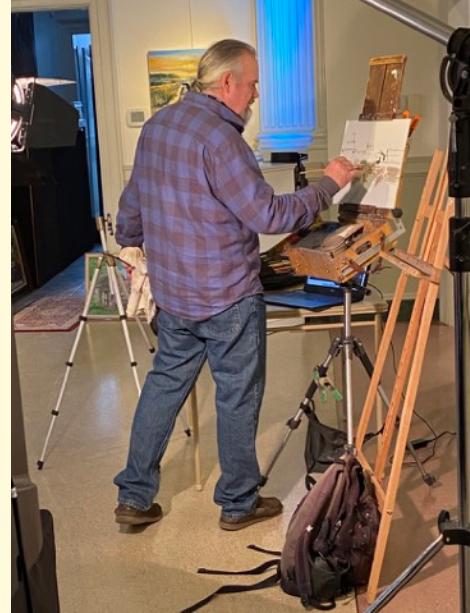


*Be kind to yourself!
Then give it away!*

Joan

General Meeting, January 6, 2021 *Demo Artist - Jerome Greene*

Many thanks to Jerome Greene, our Demo artist. Jerome worked on an oil painting titled "*Captain Jack's Wharf*" located in Provincetown, a favorite subject for him. Jerome especially enjoys plein air painting. He comes from a family of artists and has worked with award artists in the community. His image, "*The Pat-Sea*" was selected for the 2019 Provincetown Portuguese Festival. Jerome's work is featured in many magazines and collections. Jerome Greene paints in a style reminiscent of the great masters of the Provincetown Art Colony. His image, "*The Pat-Sea*", was chosen as the official painting of the 2019 Provincetown Portuguese Festival.



Visit Provincetown, where Jerome lives, works, and showcases his work at the Arthur Egeli Gallery!

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Jerome has been involved in the arts since childhood. His late father was a commercial artist and professor at Central Connecticut State University and his older brother was a painter and sculptor. His family outings would almost always involve a visit to a museum or a craft show.

Jerome left the trades to pursue his lifelong ambition to become a fine artist and he landed in place that has nurtured artists since the first painter, Charles Hawthorne, opened a school here. He has developed a unique style by studying the Provincetown masters and working with award artists already established in the community. His range of work includes figures, landscapes and studio paintings but his passion remains painting from life, plein air style, in the visually rich peninsula of Provincetown. His work has been featured in many magazines and now is part of many important corporate and private collections.

General Meeting, January 6, 2021

Showcase Member - Eileen (Cis) Poremba

Thank you to Eileen Poremba ("Cis") for being the Showcase Artist. Cis enjoys working with various mediums and enjoys painting landscapes, seascapes and structures. She has worked with many well known artists here and shared four lovely paintings AND beautiful Christmas cards painted for her family! The paintings were "*The Old Homestead*", "*Crosby Landing*", "*Linger Longer*" and "*Captain Cass's*".

Cis is our Membership Secretary on the YAG Board of Directors, as well as our Showcase Coordinator. We do have several openings. We encourage our members to contact Cis to arrange to show their lovely artwork at a future General Meeting.



"The Watercolors of Leslie Altman"

You are invited to view an outstanding video prepared by Geoff Bassett from the Chatham Orpheum Theater.

chathamorpheum.org or
<https://youtu.be/AQ2xA7wzIPE>

In this video YAG artist Leslie talks about her wonderful watercolor work and the local teachers that helped shape her creative work.

"Casting into the Light," (right) won Honorable Mention for the Art Center student exhibit in January.



General Meeting, Feb. 3, 2021

Demo Artist

Paul Schulerburg



In the 1980's and 90s he **wrote for various publications** and received many awards for his work and has appeared and been published worldwide. Former clients include Digital, Cigna, and Fidelity. He has sold many of his illustrations he made years ago to stock companies in New York who resold them to other companies 30 or 40 times. He was able to purchase his first home in Brewster.

He has been featured twice in "Art Collectors of America" Magazine, has numerous articles in the Cape Cod Annual discussing his Monday and Wednesday night Painters group. He has had shows all over the Cape including The Hopper House Museum, twice with solo shows at the Cape Cod Museum of Art, many group exhibitions at CCMA, Provincetown Art Association and Museum, and the Cahoon Museum of American Art. He invites people to paint with his group via Zoom, and has people join from all over the world.

He has been awarded a one month residency at the Fine Art Work Center in Provincetown. He is a member of the Oil Painters of America, American Impressionist Society, and the Salmagundi Club in New York.

We have been lucky to have him Demo for us twice before since I have been Demo chairperson. Paul is the type of communicator, talent and gentleman from whom you could learn something new from every time he presents!

Once again we are lucky to have Paul back with us. - *a paraphrase from Michael Helfen, Demo Chair Emeritus*



General Meeting, Feb. 3, 2021- Showcase Artist, Gail M. Burke



Dr. Gail M. Burke has been active in the visual and verbal arts since a child. Professionally, she earned a Ph. D. from Boston College, was an Educator, School Leader, Literacy Advocate, and President of the Massachusetts Reading Association. Since restructuring, she's made her Arts-Avocation a Vocation. Gail serves as a Docent at Cape Cod Museum of Art, as Historian of Yarmouth Art Guild, and as a presenter of programs in art and design. You can see more of Gail's art at yarmouthartguild.org online - **"ART FOR SALE"** and currently at the Cultural Center of Cape Cod and the Cape Cod Museum of Art. Known as ***The Artist on The River***, Gail spends much time in, on, and near Cape Cod waters, observing and painting *life* by the sea.

Like a river, her art flows dynamically, displaying many subjects and styles from the realistic-representational, the impressionistic, to the abstract-conceptual. She uses many mediums and enjoys creating through experimentation and evolving growth. In today's program, Gail will share a few of her recent creations.

Lend a Hand = Have a Happy Heart

YAG Volunteers actually have fun!



*Indoors
Outdoors
Learning
Teaching
Sharing!*



*Luncheons
Plein Air
Museum
Trips
Special
Socials
Fun!*



Your President will retire after five years of sharing and learning. We invite YOU to visit a Board Meeting (dates on website) to actually see how we productively work . . . and are happy!

You will be surprised and may actually “come on board”! Be Safe! Joan



*Let us know if you have a display coming up soon?
We'd like to feature it in our Newsletter!*

YAG ANNUAL DUES - \$40
Some YAG Members have overlooked sending in their dues!
You enable us to continue our mission to provide art education ... please!

Check our new Website Pages...
Web Administrator: joanswal42@mail.com

“Online” Art Sales! Your own “Gallery Page” of artwork (as many as 24 photos) of your paintings, etc. The set-up and yearly maintenance is only \$35 per year for YAG paid members. Write to Joan Swaluk.

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