

President's Message—SFC

Fellow SWA Members—

Our demos are now being held in-person as well as online, at the discretion of the artist. Of course, we require masks and social distancing will be practiced. For now, we are restricting the number of in-person attendees; spaces will be available on a first-come-first-served basis via signup on our website. You will be notified when signups are open. This is an experiment, and we'll see whether to continue doing in-person demos this way in the future.

Our September/October exhibit was a small one. We had fewer entries than usual, so we asked our signature members to fill in with some of their paintings. We're hoping this is an anomaly. Please enter our exhibits! They give you good exposure and points toward your Signature Award. Don't forget to save the acceptance email you receive; you will need it for your Signature Award. If you now have enough points for a Signature Award, please gather up all your paper and email acceptance notices and submit them to me, preferably electronically, so we can honor you with your award at the next Annual reception.

Our October demo artist is Jerry Boyd. He will demonstrate painting a pastel portrait with a model on October 16th. His demo will be both in-person and broadcast on Zoom from our gallery; the link will be posted on our website. All demonstrations start at 1:00pm. Check our website, www.societyofwest-coartists.com, for the link to all our demos and to sign up to watch the demo in person.

Our current exhibit is a Signature Member exhibit. It runs October 6th to November 12th. Come to the gallery and take a look!

If you need help using EntryThingy to enter your paintings, please let us know at the email below.

Please stay healthy and safe.

Jim Stinger

SFC President

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Welcome to New Member Greta Waterman.

People's Choice Award for the September Exhibit: Martha Diaz's oil, "Evening Glow."

January–February Deadline: December 3

General Meeting and Demo

Saturday, November 20, 1–3 PM

Steve Curl

Landscape in Watercolor

Steve Curl is both an award-winning artist and instructor. Most of his work consists of landscapes and seascapes that have inspired him during his hikes and travels. He teaches watercolor painting classes at the Pacific Art League and in several other local studio settings. He also teaches in Yosemite National Park via the Yosemite Conservancy at the Yosemite Art & Nature Center. He was the Artist-In-Residence at Zion National Park for the month of February 2018.

Steve's work can be seen at Portola Art Gallery.

Steve's Credits:

Featured Exhibit, Annual Yosemite Renaissance Exhibition 2009, 2010

Best In Show, "Landscapes & Seascapes" Pacific Art League of Palo Alto 2003

Featured Exhibit, "The Light Of Landscape In Watercolor", Portola Art Gallery

Teacher Of The Year (Twice), Pacific Art League of Palo Alto

<https://www.stevecurl.com>

Go to societyofwest-coartists.com for the link to the demos. Please mute your computer when joining.

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Thanks to Anne Oseberg for a donation to SWA.

Thanks for donations in Judy Puccini's name from: Jim Stinger, Laura Johnson, Jane Presta, Robert Riechel and Lawrence Franzella.

President’s Message–SJVC

Members,

It seems Covid is picking up steam in the Valley. I’m concerned about gathering indoors; it’s not a time to let our guard down. We will plan to go on hiatus for the month of October and monitor what is happening with the health of the Valley.

We completed our short run show at the Ziveli Winery. It was an exhibition of our artwork. It included demonstrations by our members. Rudy Murrietta demonstrated portrait painting and Denise McGill presented her collage work. Also, the San Joaquin Valley Plein Air Artists painted for the visitors of the Winery. This group included members: Maxine Fargason, Marilyn Torchin, Randy Viger and Betty Berk. We sold five pieces of artwork during our time at the Winery. We look forward to returning next year and meeting with our friends at The Ziveli Winery.

I’d like to introduce the recipient of the SWA Scholarship. We’ve selected Samantha Zack of Fresno’s Design Science Middle College High School. Design Science Students are responsible to complete their High School work and attend classes at the Junior College connected to the program. Her School Advisor states that at the end of the year, Samantha will have her High School Diploma and AA from Fresno City Community College. Her course load at the college includes Advance classes in Math, Science and English. SWA-SJVC are pleased to present the scholarship to Samantha Zack. *See Samantha’s work on page 7.*

Thank you for you support of the Arts, please stay save and in good health.

Jesus Sepulveda,
SWA-SJVC President

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SFC Center Hours: 11–3, Wednesday–Saturday

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER

Signature Member Exhibit
October 6–November 12

November/December Exhibit
November 17–December 31; Entries 10/6–11/7;
Juried in 11/9 & 11/10. Delivery 11/12 or 11/13
until 1pm then judging for awards

November
20 **Board Meeting**
Steve Curl Demo

SFC Center Hours: 11–3, Wednesday–Saturday

Directions to SWA San Bruno

From 280: take the San Bruno Exit east (towards the Airport). At San Mateo Avenue (approximately 1/4 mile) turn right on San Mateo Avenue.

From 101: exit San Bruno Avenue west over the freeway. San Mateo Avenue is immediately after the CalTrain elevated track, turn left. SWA gallery is two blocks south on San Mateo Avenue.

Revised 2021 SWA Exhibit Schedule

January 2, 2021/December 17, 2021

SWA Board Meeting/Demo January/February Exhibit	January 16 Zoom January 6 – February 12 Receiving January 2
SWA Board Meeting/Demo February/March Exhibit	February 20 Zoom February 17 – March 26 Receiving February 13
SWA Board Meeting/Demo April Exhibit Online entry trial	March 20 Zoom March 31 – April 30 Call for entry closed 3/24. Juried 3 March 27 delivery. Judging for awards after 1 pm.
SWA Board Meeting/Demo Ray Mendieta workshop by Zoom San Mateo School District Exhibit SWA Board Meeting/Demo 71st Annual Exhibit	April 17 Zoom April 24 and 25 May 1 – May 14 May 15 Zoom May 26 – July 18 Open call for entries 5/1. Close call 5/19. Juried in 5/20. Delivery of paintings 5/21 & 5/22. Awards May 22 after 1 pm. Opening Reception by Zoom Award Reception July 18; 1:30 – 2:30
SWA Board Meeting SWA Board Meeting SWA July/August 2021	June 19 Zoom July 17 Zoom July 28 – August 27 Open call for entries 7/1. Close call 7/19. Juried in 7/20 & 7/21. Delivery 7/23 & 7/24 until 1 pm. Judging for awards 7/24 or 25 after 1 pm.
SWA Board Meeting September/October	August 21 Zoom September 1 – October 1 Open call for entries 8/4. Close call 8/22. Juried in 8/24 & 8/25. Delivery 8/27 or 8/28 until 1 pm. Judge for awards 8/28 after 1 pm.
SWA Board Meeting/Demo Yvette Head Workshop by Zoom SWA Board Meeting/Demo Skyline Exhibit—Canceled New Signature Member Exhibit	September 18 Zoom September 24 & 25—postponed October 16 Zoom October 4 – November 6 October 6–November 12 Delivery 10/1 or 10/2. No judging or awards
November/December SWA Board Meeting/Demo	November 17 – December 31 Open call for entries 10/6. Close call 11/7. Juried in 11/9 & 11/10. Delivery 11/12 or 11/13 until 1pm, judging afterwards November 20 Zoom

2021 SFC Demonstrations

January 16	Taryn Curiel	Understanding and Enjoying Yupo Paper with Watercolor/Abstract Painting	www.taryncuriel.com
February 20	Guy Magallanes	Watercolor Painting of Peahens Using Shadows to Break Up the Composition	https://www.guymagallanes.com
March 20	Karen White	California Landscape in Oil	www.karenwhiteart.com
April 17	Joseph Altwer	Still Life in Oil	www.josephaltwer.com
May 15	Aina Clotas	Portrait in Charcoal	https://www.ainaclotas.com/
June 19	Yvette Head	Abstract Botanicals in Acrylic with Texture	http://autumnlanestudios.blogspot.com/
September 18	Amy Rattner	Pet Portrait in Watercolor	https://www.amyrattnerart.com/
October 16	Gerald Boyd	Portrait in Pastel	http://www.geraldboyd.com; geraldboyd_bio.html Also visit Gerald Boyd's Facebook
November 20	Steve Curl	Landscape in Watercolor	https://www.stevecurl.com

(Demos are on YouTube Live or Zoom until further notice.)

Support the Society of West-Coast Artists

Help SWA create art experiences that foster inspiration, enjoyment and discovery. Your tax deductible gift provides general operating support for exhibitions, demonstrations and education programs. Whether it's to honor or memorialize a family member or friend, or to celebrate a special occasion, this donation has a direct impact on our goal of sharing art with the widest possible audience.

Many people who are dedicated to seeing art develop, flourish and remain dynamic in our community have included SWA in their estate plans. Making a planned gift—whether by including a bequest to SWA in your will or by naming SWA as the beneficiary of a charitable remainder trust, life insurance policy, or retirement fund—provides essential support for SWA's future. Planned gifts can offer significant tax advantages and in some cases generate lifetime income for you or your chosen beneficiary.

Including SWA in your will demonstrates an extraordinary commitment to the artistic and civic values this institution strives to uphold.

SWA is dependent on donations to maintain our Art Center. Recent donations to our Building and Memorial Funds came from the Trusts of our dear friends Judy Puccini and Barbara Todd.

The Society of West-Coast Artists is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Donations may be tax deductible—consult your tax advisor.

September–October 21 Exhibit

1st Place	Martha Diaz	Evening Glow	Oil
2nd Place	Martha Bredwell SWA	Two Chickens	Watercolor
3rd Place	Susan Jochheim	Majestic in Magenta	Watercolor

Judges: Anneliese Drbal SWA, Guy Magallanes SWA and William Ramroth SWA

Participants: Barbara Alger SWA, Martha Bredwell SWA, Martha Diaz, Carrie Drilling SWA, Stephanie Getzler SWA, Sharon Slusarz Harris SWA, Susan Jochhheim, Leona Moriarty SWA, Olga Parr SWA, Helen Scheel SWA, Maria Sky, Sherry Vockel SWA, and Greta Waterman

See winning paintings beginning on page 5

SWA 2021 Signature Member Exhibit

Participants: Edna Acri SWA, Barbara Alger SWA, Catherine Streets Delfs SWA, Anneliese Drbal SWA, Carrie Drilling SWA, Stephanie Getzler SWA, Dmitry Grudsky SWA, Sharon Slusarz Harris SWA, Jane Henri SWA, Laura Johnson SWA, Joyce Barron Leopardo SWA, Guy Magallanes SWA, Leona Moriarty SWA, Yvonne Newhouse SWA, Anne Oseberg SWA, Olga Parr SWA, Bill Ramroth SWA, Fran Simontacchi SWA, and Lillian Wu SWA

See exhibit poster on page 7.

Please inform the board if you know of members who are ill or have passed away or have lost family members.

September–October 21 Exhibit Winners



1st Place
Evening Glow
Oil by Martha Diaz



2nd Place

Two Chickens

Watercolor by Martha Bredwell SWA



3rd Place

Majestic in Magenta

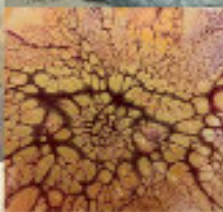
by Susan Jocheim

Society of West-Coast Artists

Contemporary Art Show

October 6 - November 12, 2021

Wednesday - Saturday 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM



Artists in Exhibit: Edna Acri SWA, Barbara Alger SWA, Catherine Streets Delfs SWA, Anneliese Drbal SWA, Carrie Drilling SWA, Stephanie Getzler SWA, Dmitry Grudsky SWA, Sharon Slusarz Harris SWA, Jane Henri SWA, Laura Johnson SWA, Joyce Barron Leopardi SWA, Guy Magallanes SWA, Leona Moriarty SWA, Yvonne Newhouse SWA, Anne Oseberg SWA, Olga Pam SWA, Bill Ramroth SWA, Fran Simontacchi SWA, and Lillian Wu SWA

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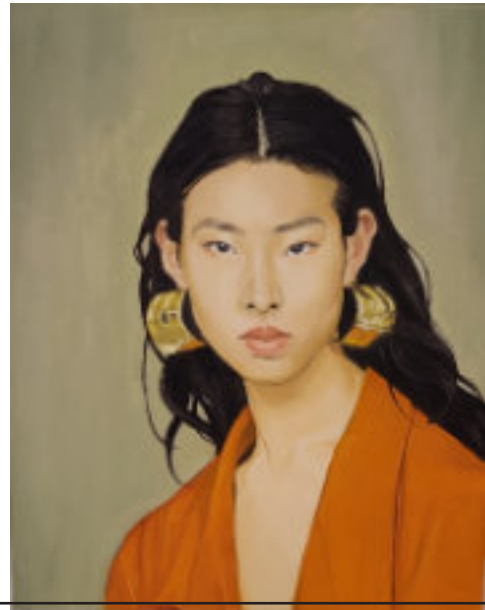
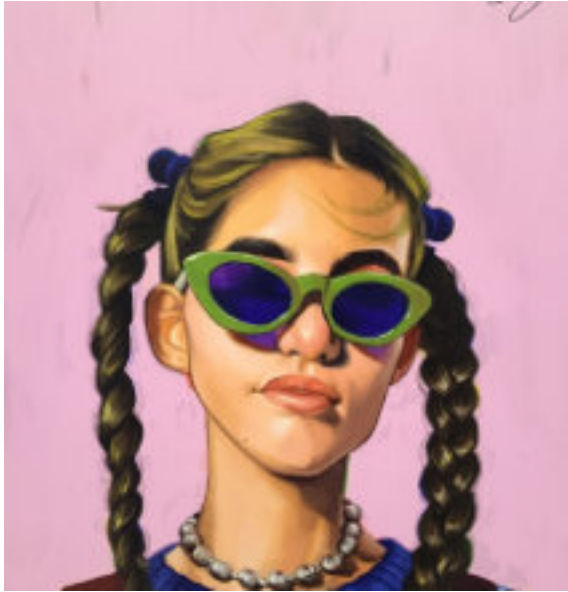
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SJVC Scholarship Winner Samantha Zack



Artwork by Samantha Zack



BILL

Annual Membership Dues

Due on or before January 1, 2022

Dear SWA Member:

1. Your membership expiration date is 12/31/21. Please remit on or before January 1, 2022.
San Joaquin Valley MEMBERS WILL BE BILLED BY SJVC.
2. BE SURE to include your address label if you receive the Bulletin by mail.

Annual SWA Dues: \$45.00

Tel. No: _____
(helps to complete our roster)

ADDITIONAL DONATION: _____

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