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Next Board Meeting

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APRIL 18 7:00p GAL members welcome

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"Start where you are. Use what you have. Do what you can."
- Arthur Ashe

As your president, I feel an obligation to keep you informed of the status of the Art League. Much has changed since I took office and it is an exciting time to be a member of GAL. This league is thriving! We have a strong presence in the community, active volunteers, and with the Feb membership drive, we met our goal of 50% plus more Glenview residents as members. A HUGE thank you to Amy Taylor and Tom Pope who *did* what they could and recruited almost 20 new members in Glenview!

Less interesting, perhaps, is our financial status. I'm willing to share the 2015 financial report, but most of you would likely find it boring. Briefly, when I took office we had been operating at about a \$3-4,000 deficit every year. We transfer money from our investments to cover that loss. We have since lowered every bill *that we can*, but here's *where we are* - the proposed 2016 budget still shows a \$1500 deficit.

PLEASE *do what you can* and answer the member **SURVEY** on pg 2 of this newsletter - email me or GAL or drop it off at Spring Fling. GAL is <u>your</u> organization and the board needs <u>your</u> input to move forward!

Speaking of SPRING FLING is APR 20 ... for members and their guests. Oil Lamp Theater will be providing wonderful entertainment again this year, we're bringing back the silent critique, and the Glenview Golf Club Cafe is re-opened so we are back to a larger space. This is purely social and fun - don't miss it! RSVP DEADLINE APRIL 18

Use what you have and enter the Wagner Farm Call for Art. They only need your art in a square format to add to the poster that their graphic department will format. Art needs to represent anything about Wagner Farm. DEADLINE APR 15

Then enter the Nature in Glenview Art Competition. Art needs to represent anything in nature in Glenview. Applications are on our website at www.glenviewartleague.org - click on the Art Competition link. Check back as there will be some changes in the dates/locations for exhibiting after SAF.

DEADLINE JUNE 1.

Exhibits Changeover Week is Apr 4/5. Check with your Gallery Manager if you are hanging or taking down art. DO NOT CONTACT THE VENUE. Gloria Moschel is the Chair at gmoschel@mac.com

2016 GAL MEMBER SURVEY

Please take some time to answer the following questions to help us evaluate our organization and plan for future years.

- 1. Why did you join GAL?
- 2. Are we meeting your expectations?
- 3. Is there anything you would like the art league to do or do differently?

In order to remain solvent, we need to increase our income by about \$3000 per year.

Currently, our primary sources of income are the Summer Art Fair and membership dues. The board has discussed raising dues, having no dues and relying only on a donations, raising SAF fees, actively soliciting for donations, having a fundraiser.

But this is your organization,



MEMBER NEWS

Brian Kabat won 3rd place for his photo at the Starved Rock Annual Photo Contest.

Margaret Newman is in a show at the Brickton Art Gallery in Park Ridge featuring work of Oakton Community College students/ faculty until Mar 25. Also, see her work in a two person exhibit at the Des Plaines City Hall for the month of April.

Filippo Aliperta has 2 paintings hanging at the Glenview Bank and Trust on Waukegan/Golf Rd across from Marianos.

Well Wishes for a speedy recovery to *Carol Reagan*.

Sandy Sheagren was interviewed by GVTV about her life in art. It will be shown soon.

Call for Artists: Now accepting apps: Artist on the Bluff Festival June 18/19. Email 3 jpgs of your artwork to:

artistsonthebluffinfo@gmail.
com with your full name and
"2016 Arts Festival" images
in the subject line.

Robert Sherman Scholarship deadline is March 30. Applicants need to either live in Glenview or be graduating from GBS or GBN. An application and more details on our website:

www.glenviewartleague.org

SAVE THE DATES ALL DEMOS

HELD AT THE PARK CENTER 2400 CHESTNUT, GLENVIEW, IL

MAR 30 Robert Sherman Scholarship deadline*

APR 4 & 5 2016 EXHIBITS CHANGEOVER WEEK Contact your gallery manager if you have questions

APR 15 DEADLINE for Wagner Farm "Dairy Breakfast" poster competition. Drop off artwork at Wagner Farm (Lake Av/Wagner Rd)

APRIL 18 Board Meeting 7p 1920 Waukegan Rd, GV #204

APR 20 Spring Fling 6:15-9P Glenview Golf Club

APR 28 Art Post Gallery (Willow/Waukegan Shop Ctr) Reception 5:30-7:30. Awards at 6:15. See the work of 22 GAL members!

MAY 3 DEMO Nancy Behles Oil Pastels room 204

JUNE 1 DEADLINE for "Nature in Glenview Art Competition" Details:

www.glenviewartleague.org

JULY 5 2016 EXHIBITS CHANGEOVER WEEK & hanging of All Members' Show

JULY 15 ALL MEMBER'S SHOW RECEPTION 6-8 p at the BookMarket in the Glen

JULY 30/31 63rd Annual Summer Outdoor Art Fair.

SEPT tbd DEMO Les Scott Scratchboard room 204