

# The Glenview Art League Newsletter

Advancing the study and development of fine art in our community.

OCTOBER 2023

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Monday, October 9, 7-8:45 p.m. - All Members Meeting, and Art Demonstration by Tim Erickson

Monday, October 16, 7 p.m. - GAL Board Meeting, members welcome

Tuesday, October 31 - Halloween

Monday, December 4 - GAL Potluck and Art Share

#### Busey Bank 1868 Exhibition Call for Art

The Glenview Art League and Busey Bank are thrilled to announce a new art exhibit, *1868 The Exhibition*, to be displayed in Busey's Downtown Glenview service center located at 800 Waukegan Rd in Glenview. Each piece will be for sale, with 100% of purchasing price going to the artist. A digital exhibition will also be available on Busey.com.

Busey Bank is looking to showcase the work of multiple local artists with the Glenview Art League chosen through a jury selection process. All selected pieces will be displayed from January 2024 through June 2024. The service center is currently open from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday or Saturday 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. for artists who would like to view the specific wall site and surrounding area. Please note that display areas will be located in between the first floor and mezzanine level.

<u>Deadline submission is 11:59 p.m. on Monday, November 6</u>. Late work will not be considered. Selected artists will be contacted on before November 30 with further instructions. The date for the opening reception is tentatively scheduled for early 2024.

See page 2 for requirements.





# Monday, Oct. 9: All Members Meeting and Demonstration by artist Tim Erickson

The Glenview Art League welcomes artist Tim Erickson to demonstrate weaving techniques and share his artwork on Oct. 9, at 7 p.m. in the Glenview Public Library's Community Room East.

Erickson's art practice has been a pursuit of understanding his cultural identity through discovery and research of indigenous Bolivian weaving practices, culminating in a three year study of the traditions, techniques, symbolic and spiritual meanings of Bolivian weaving.

His artwork is influenced in part by the global waste-pollution crisis. Waste appears as a critical medium in nearly all of his artistry. He often use discarded materials such as clothing, mophead braids, and plastic shipping straps. He shares, "My objective is to rediscover the native weaving traditions of my people and pass down this treasure of Bolivian heritage to a new generation."

## Our artist demonstrations are free and open to the public. This event is ADA accessible.

The October demo will be preceded by a short **All Members meeting** where GAL members will vote on the 2024 Board of Directors. Email the GAL at glenviewartleague@att.net to nominate candidates for the board. A selection of art supplies donated by the family of former GAL president Don Scholz will be available first-come, first serve, free of charge.

Proposed 2024 GAL Board: President: Deb Anderson, Vice President: *vacant*, Treasurer: Julia Miller, Secretary: Sandy Sheagren; Directors: Christiane Bouret, Lee Colpi, Brian Kabat, Robert Leopold, and Tom Pope

#### Busey Bank 1868 Exhibition Requirements

- Each artist may submit up to 3 images of original work for consideration
- All 2D mediums will be considered
- Submissions must be appropriate for all viewing audiences
- No submission fee required
- Artwork must be no larger than 30 inches tall including frame (horizontal pieces preferred)
- Selected artwork must be ready to hang
- Artwork cannot weigh more than 40 pounds
- Artwork can be one individual piece or made up of multiple panels that are part of one cohesive piece and fit within the size requirements
- Building owners and/or management are not liable for any damage to selected art
- A contract will be signed by both parties upon art drop off
- All entries must be submitted online with this form (in person delivery of submissions to Busey Bank will not be accepted)
- This opportunity is available for members of the Glenview Art League
- Artwork delivery to Busey Bank 800 Waukegan Rd and pick up arrangements must be made by the artist upon acceptance
- Apply online only: <a href="https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/5b12a3f4d31a4a2c9b1e1bce978c">https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/5b12a3f4d31a4a2c9b1e1bce978c</a>
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### MEMBER NEWS

Marilyn Jamora has artwork in the following art shows: Koehnline Museum of Art at Oakton College in Des Plaines, Oct. 5 - Nov. 3; Show theme: Don't Drag Me Down: Today's Battle for Liberation, above left: "To Be Or Not To Be." Glenview Art League 6x6 Show, Glenview Public Library, Sept. 14 - Nov. 16; Show theme: Water, Water Everywhere, above right: "Just Chillin." http://marilynjamora.com, marilynjam@comcast.net

Renata Maliszewski she will be selling her work at the Autumn on the Fox, St. Charles Scarecrow Weekend, Oct.6, 7 and 8 from 10 a.m. -5 p.m. at Pottawatomie Park, 8 North Ave. She also has several artworks for sale at the Artsy Heart Gift Shop located at 1911 Tower Drive. They are open six days a week (closed on Mondays). The hours are 11-7 p.m. Shop online at: <a href="www.RenmaDesign.com">www.RenmaDesign.com</a> or on <a href="Etsy.">Etsy.</a>

Beverly Behrens has a painting, *Wild Climbing Rose*, in the North Shore Art League's 99th Annual Members Show, with the opening reception Thursday, October 5 from 6:30 -8:00 pm at the Winnetka Community House, 620 Lincoln Avenue, Winnetka. Behrens is also participating in the Lakes Region Watercolor Guild's show with two paintings, *Black Cherry* and *Autumnal Crabapple Branch*, at the gallery of the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation, 952 Main Street, Antioch, Illinois with the opening reception Saturday, Oct. 14, 2-5 p.m.

Adele Soll Aronson has one painting judged into the Oakton College, Des Plaines, new exhibition "Don't Drag me Down". Reception on Oct.5, 5-8p.m. Also, Adele has a new painting entered in the 99th Annual Member's Show at the North Shore Art League being held at the Winnetka Community House from Oct. 2-23. The public is invited to both exhibits.

**JoAnn Varga** is moving and has a drafting table and a custom made art and canvas filing cabinet. If interested please contact JoAnn at (847) 648-3450 to negotiate a price, a time for you to pick them up. They need these to be out of their downstairs studio before Oct. 14.

Left, from top: "To Be Or Not To Be" and "Just Chillin'," paintings by Marilyn Jamora; beaded butterfly and painting with beaded embellishment by Renata Malezewski.

#### WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Annalee Fjellberg



# Reception celebrates 4th annual 6x6 Art Show

Thanks to all who joined us to celebrate "Water, Water Everywhere," the 2023 6x6 Small Works Exhibit presented by the Glenview Art League and the Glenview Public Library.

Winners of the 6x6 Canvas Exhibition: 1. Lee Colpi, 2. Deb Anderson, 3. Karen Sak

#### RENEW FOR 2024!

2023 has been an exciting year with amazing artwork, exhibits, contests, social events, demos and so much more. We look forward to seeing what you create in 2024, and have more in store for GAL members!

# Join the GAL's 2024 Exhibit Program as a gallery manager, artist or both

The GAL Exhibit Committee welcomes you to sign up for the 2024 Exhibit Program. Apply online or complete the application form and return it to the GAL by mail.



"I don't give importance to technique. I condition everything so that the painting has spirit, in every way. If not, technique does not do me any good... Not that technique doesn't have importance, but it's like the word is the link to the ideas and nothing more. So you acquire technique, but then what do you do with it?"

- ANTONIO LÓPEZ GARCÍA





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Renata Maliszewski