



NCAG is a 501.c.3 Non-Profit Dedicated to the appreciation and understanding of the arts, the encouragement of new artists, and promotion of art interests throughout the community. **Donations are tax deductible.** 

Our goal is to provide a comfortable environment in which artists can learn and benefit from each other's skills, knowledge, and methods.

### Welcome All

Attending our meetings is a great way to meet fellow artists – bring a painting or two for a friendly critique. Monthly demos are given by some of the best Portland area artists and make for a great learning experience!

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### **Report on Recent Donations**

We have recently received donations from families of artists who have passed away. The guild made \$290.50 profit after factoring in rent of \$436.50 for a storage unit for eight months. The unsold materials were donated to SCRAP Creative Reuse Center, 1736 SW Alder Street in downtown Portland. SCRAP accepts artist supplies, craft related books and magazines, mat boards, frames, paper and much more. Their store at that location is open to purchase items at bargain prices. Check website or phone for hours. They accept donations by appointment 503-294-0769, or ScrapPDX.org. Submitted by Char Tritt.

### **November In-House Contest Theme**



For our first in-house contest of the year, let's try our hands at painting a **Cornucopia**, as celebration for our new meeting "home", as well as happiness at seeing our friends again after a very hard winter, spring and summer. The abundance of fall typically shows beautiful fruits and vege-

tables spilling out of a spiral shaped basket . We as artists, however, reserve the right to reinterpret the bounty of fall, so please paint what you feel. This example from the internet shows vegetables and flowers, but it could be a bowl, or a basket of a different shape, in any media you choose. Everyone coming to the November meeting should expect to have their socks knocked off!

(Search for "Free Images of Cornucopia" online for more ideas)

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Betty Kellogg

### President's Message

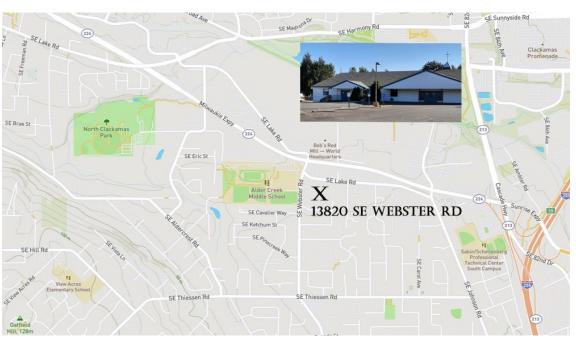
Hi everyone! I'm sorry this is a little late, but events have been keeping all of the board members very busy. We have tried to get in telephone contact with all members and former members, who may want to come to our meeting on October 12 at our new location. The previous newsletter said we would meet at the Grange Hall in Mil-waukie, but after several people looked at it, it was decided to keep looking. Thanks to Connie Emmons, who kept searching for a new meeting space, and I believe she has found something that will be perfect for us. The new location is the Saving Grace Church, at 13820 SE Webster Road, In Milwaukie, which is a clean and attractive building with everything we need on the same level as the parking lot.

### October Meeting Plan

For our first meeting in the new location, we will have access to the building from 10:30 to 2:00. We will need able-bodied helpers to set up and put away tables and chairs, and prepare for a special showing of the prize-winning paintings by our members who won ribbons at the county and state fairs this summer. Some of their paintings may not be available to show, due to prior sale! Gary Michaels will take care of the Critiques. No lunch is planned, so please take care of your own needs before the meeting.



Saving Grace Church 13820 SE Webster Road Milwaukie, OR



This is our new meeting space, from both sides of the room. My eye was drawn to the padded chairs, which will be a big change from our recent use of picnic tables and benches!





### **CRITIQUES!**

**Pam Davis reviewed** our work in the outdoor setting at the park. Here she leads a discussion of one of Connie Emmons' paintings.





**Connie Emmons** 

**Kathy Conrad** 

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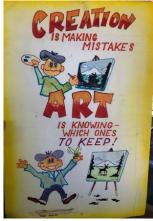


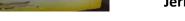
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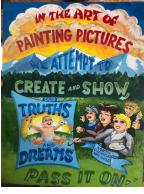
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**Jerry Schmidt** 



John Kellogg



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#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

We will need volunteers for October 12, the day of the meeting to help set up and take down, and some to help tidy up when we are done. We'll need a photographer during the critique sessions, which will be performed by Gary Michael.



### Revolving Art— Show your art

We have some possible Galleries to look into for 2022, and encourage every one of you to go through all of your past paintings sitting in your garage, closets, or corners in your home and get out and expose your work! Be thinking about starting some new paintings so we can have a good turn out for a presentation from our Guild. This will be a good opportunity for all of us besides making a profit from your work and contribute to the FAME of NCAG.

The Guild looks for opportunities to show our members' art. Contact us if you know of a location where you would like us to arrange a Guild show.

Please contact: Rita Townley at 503-659--7662, or Betty Kellogg at 503-659-8284 or <a href="mailto:bwt.kellogg@comcast.net">bwt.kellogg@comcast.net</a>

Our members currently show regularly at the following locations:

Oak Lodge Water Services District (14-16 paintings)

Gladstone DMV (5 paintings) Space is available NOW—Call Rita Townley to get forms.



## **Membership Options**

Join or renew your membership <u>online</u> with PayPal or debit/credit card. As always also join at a meeting or send your payment to <u>Treasurer</u>, <u>North Clackamas Arts Guild</u>, <u>PO Box 220004</u>, <u>Milwaukie OR</u>. <u>97269-0004</u>.

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If you know of a member who's ailing or in need, please let us know. Contact Connie Emmons at 503-454-0447

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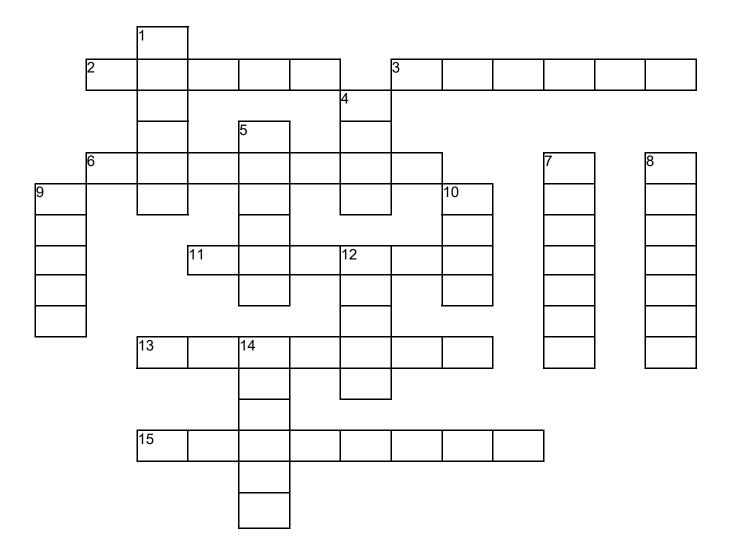
Please accept our heartfelt sympathy for any lost friends or loved ones during the current outbreak of COVID-19 virus, or for any reason. These losses are hard to bear, and we want you to know that you are in our hearts.

### **PAINT 4 FUN IS BACK!**

Bring out your easels and your traveling paints, we are going to test the waters of our outdoor painting skills and meet in the small covered shelter by the ball field at North Clackamas Park. There is a paved area with 4 picnic tables and benches, a restroom, and water. So long as we bundle up against wind and cooler temperatures, we should be fine.

If you would like to submit an article and photos for future newsletters, please advise one of your Board members.

## **Famous Artists**



#### **Across**

- Mexican artist who was wife to another Mexican artist.
- **3.** Best known for painting "Nighthawks"
- 6. Spanish painter with the "Blues"
- **11.** Russian born American painter of bold abstract paintings, several at Portland Art Museum.
- 13. Painted Girl with a Pearl Earring
- 15. Study in Black and Grey artist

#### Down

- 1. Inspired by the islanders on Tahiti
- 4. "Happy" landscape painter
- **5.** Famous Pop Art artist and filmmaker.
- 7. Renaissance painter and inventor
- 8. "Jack the Dripper"
- 9. Painted ballet dancers
- 10. Regional artist painted American Gothic.
- **12.** American painter (1836-1910) known in part for painting boats and water.
- **14.** Sculptor of The Thinker

#### **CLUES**

Warhol, Degas, Pollock, Picasso, Rothko, Vermeer, Gaugin, Wood, Homer, Whistler, Kahlo, Ross, Rodin, Davinci

