



Women's Caucus for Art of Georgia September 2010 Newsletter

On August 19th WCAGA member and vital member of the community, Sally Wylde, died of cancer. The following are links to articles about Sally.

<http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/sallywylde/journal?jid=5976248>

<http://southernurbanhomestead.wordpress.com/2010/08/22/sally/>

<http://www.ajc.com/news/sally-wylde-67-founding-597754.html>

Book Salon

We are currently looking for a volunteer to serve as head of the Book Salon committee. This is a wonderful opportunity to coordinate an ongoing event which gives participants an evening to share their thoughts on a variety of artistic topics. If you are interested please contact Ann Rowles at annrowles@comcast.net.

ARTSHARE September 2010

When: Tuesday, September 14th, 7:00 pm.

Where: The home and studio of Nancy Hunter, 1741 Hummingbird Lane, Atlanta 30307
404.729.6157 , website, www.nancyhunterart.com,

Please bring: finished work or work in progress, and an appetizer or nibble, and a beverage of your choice.

RSVP: Please, to **Nancy Hunter** at hunternancyj@gmail.com so that we can have an idea of attendees. If you decide to come at the last minute, that is ok too.

The program, **ARTSHARE**, is a forum for members of WCAGA to show their work for the purpose of gaining feedback and insight, and to network with other artists and art professionals.

Please email Susan Ker-Seymer, susanks@gmail.com if you would like to host an ART SHARE, have a suggestion for a venue or format, or would like to be involved in hosting in some way.

Next **ArtShare** will be held on October 20th . Look for info on upcoming Art Shares in our newsletter!!

Current Exhibition of Interest

Hand to Hand Project

August 14- September 25, 2010

ATHICA: Reception to Meet the Artists: Saturday, August 21st from 7:00 to 9:00 PM

Athens Institute of Contemporary Art

160 Tracy Street, Unit 4

Athens, GA 30601 USA and then onto

October 8-November 20, 2010

The Chaffee Art Center

16 South Main Street

Rutland, Vermont 05701

Classes and Workshops

Adult Beginners/Refresher Watercolor Classes

Instructor Rosemary Benavides Williams will be teaching this class at the Sugar Hill Community Center on Tuesday mornings from 10:00am to noon with set up at 9:30AM. The eight week session runs from October 5th to October 26th and from November 9th to November 30th. The fee is \$125. For registration please call the Community Center at 770-831-7413. The following synopsis is provided by the instructor:

“Designed to introduce adult students to the necessary fundamentals of watercolor and then to further explore its many techniques. Instructor will help you on renewing your love of expressive watercolor and give you creative ideas to work and dance with your brush. Initial class will be on color wheel and chart making, preceded by techniques and their applications, and continuing onto still life set-ups and photography reference with a final class applying creative methods that will expand your imagination and to make a composition pleasing to both the artist and the viewer. There will be lots of wet washes and color exploration in an encouraging and supportive atmosphere.

Supply list to be provided upon registration.

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Mixed Media/Encaustic

Instructor Helen DeRamus will be teaching a class titled Mixed Media/Encaustic at her studio located at 585 Cobb Pkwy S., Ste. G-2, Marietta, GA 30060. The classes will be held Saturday and Sunday, September 25th and 26th, from 1:00pm to 4:00pm each day.

For more info contact: email deramusstudio@att.net or visit the website

<http://www.helenderamus.com>

Brief synopsis: A comprehensive look at the many mediums compatible with the encaustic technique including: fabric, paper, pastel, watercolor, ink, charcoal...too many to list them all.

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WCA News

On July 8th WCAGA sponsored a pot-luck dinner at the Atlanta Contemporary Art Center to celebrate the installation of Shana Robbins's piece, Supernatural Conductor which WCAGA helped to underwrite. Below are two photographs of the installation in progress that evening.



Call to Artists

Tannery Row Artist Colony's upcoming show, The Music in Me, is open to outside artists. This will be a juried show, and the Judge is Angela Nichols, Director of Education and Public Program at the Hudgens Center for the Arts. There are cash awards for the winners. Please find the prospectus and entry form on our website- <http://www.tanneryrowartistcolony.com/>. Application deadline is September 24th, and the show's opening night will be October 16th, running until December 4th. This is once again a wonderfully creative way to show your artwork to the public and be challenged to marry the art of music with visual art.

Call the Tannery at 770.904.0572 if you have any questions and address these to Christine Canova or Jim Klippel at christine.canova@gmail.com or call (678) 520-6418. Please join us for this innovative show!

Sabrina Bland Tannery Row Artist Colony, Studio #94 cell-404-729-1203

WonderRoot Love

Open call for submissions for the WonderRoot September show!

We're looking for work that would normally be considered to be unfinished: doodles, sketches, sketchbooks, and moleskines.

Drop off your work at WonderRoot, 982 Memorial Dr., Atlanta, GA!

DEADLINE IS SEPTEMBER 11th!
(Make sure you fill out a submission form when you drop off work)

The gallery opening will be Wed., September 18th.

For any questions or concerns, contact allison@wonderroot.org.

WCA News

National WCA Website

Get the latest information on National activities and benefits at <http://www.nationalwca.org>

You may also link your website to the Member's Gallery Page by emailing our National Administrator, Karen Luner at info@nationalwca.org.

To enter the members' only area you must have your member number and password. If you do not have this information, contact Ann Rowles at annrowles@comcast.net.

General Chapter Info

Check out WCA-GA's website: <http://www.wcaga.org> . If you want us to include a link to your website, notify Helen DeRamus at deramussstudio@att.net. WCA-GA has a group page on Facebook! Please join us and encourage your friends to do so, too. We will be posting notices of upcoming events and offering the chance to comment and discuss related topics.

Send your Photos and your exhibit invitations to Archives, P.O. Box 8033, Atlanta, GA 31106. Please label your CD with your name, date and title for the content. If sending a jpeg attachment, convert it to a low-res image (max 300dpi) and email it to Angie Dachs angiedachs@yahoo.com .

Visit WCA-GA Blog <http://wcageorgia.blogspot.com> . This is a great way to communicate all month long. Check out members' postings on our activities and add your comments. To learn how to post to this blog contact Ann Rowles, at annrowles@comcast.net. She can issue invitations to anyone who requests one.

Volunteers needed! If anyone is interested in taking charge of the blog we would love your help. Please contact Ann Rowles at annrowles@comcast.net

Thanks to all of our contributors and we'll talk to you next month! – Kate Colpitts