



**MARCH 2011**  
**SKETCHBOOK**  
 Willingboro Art Alliance

**March Monthly Meeting**  
**\*\*\*Room 300, Kennedy Center\*\*\***  
**Levitt Parkway & Kennedy Way, Willingboro**

**Wednesday, March 2, 7:00 PM**  
**Guest Presenter**  
**Janet Cebular**

**Refreshments for our March meeting**  
**will be provided by**  
**Ethel Dillon and Sandy Jones**

**EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING WILL BE**  
**MARCH 23<sup>RD</sup> – 4:30PM-6:30PM**  
**ROOM 300 AT THE KENNEDY CENTER**

**MARCH WORKSHOPS\***  
 (all levels welcome)  
**9AM, Wednesdays, Room 300, Kennedy Center**

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| <b>March 2</b>  | <b>Abstracting A Landscape</b>      |
| <b>March 9</b>  | <b>Pen and Ink with Tom Kimball</b> |
| <b>March 16</b> | <b>Critique</b>                     |
| <b>March 23</b> | <b>Reverse Painting on Glass</b>    |
| <b>March 30</b> | <b>Black and White Acrylic</b>      |



**Artwork by our March Presenter**  
**Janet Cebular**

**CELEBRATING OUR 47<sup>th</sup> YEAR**  
 Founded 1964 - Incorporated 1965  
 The oldest art organization in Burlington County

Website: [www.willingboroart.org](http://www.willingboroart.org)

\*Most workshop sessions are planned with a specific medium or technique to explore, but you are welcome to just come and paint. Materials and paints are supplied in many of the classes. A \$1.00 Donation is requested from all participants in the workshop to help in purchasing art supplies. To check out one of the many books or videos from our library, see our librarians, Bill Devine or Rene Yohannan.

## OUR MARCH PROGRAM

### JANET CEBULAR



Janet Cebular has been exhibiting her work throughout the Delaware Valley since 1972. She studied at Moore College of Art, Abington and Cheltenham Art Center, Rutgers College and the University of the Arts.

Janet has worked with oils, watercolors and all types of graphic art. While attending a workshop at the University of the Arts on handmade paper she realized that *this* was her medium. Her handmade paper is made from rag linter's and natural fibers. These materials are put through a food blender to create pulp. The pulp is then ready for casting, molding, or sculpting. It also can be made into a flat sheet of paper for printing or painting. Handmade paper is a medium unto itself. The beauty is in the paper created.

Working with pulp inspired Janet to begin creating in clay. She has developed a unique style of pottery using white earthenware. Bowls are created on the potter's wheel and completed using her hand building techniques. Wine decanters and vases are hand-built from slabs of clay. The pottery is fired, glazed (using pastel colors), then fired again to produce her unique one-of-a-kind pieces. Each creation includes either lounging ladies or small fairy-like figures. She views her little people as living in their own world within her pottery.

Janet's work is on display in various galleries and fine art craft shows. Her work is part of many public and private collections. She has won a number of awards in both juried and invitational shows and has been a featured potter and artist-in-resident. Janet teaches and conducts workshops in painting, papermaking, pottery and basket weaving.

Her studio is located in her home in Columbus, New Jersey.



## MEMBERS NEWS:

- Circle of Life Artists: **Alice Domineske, Ellen Barnett** and **Irvane Spracklin** were invited to present: *Fabric of Life and Celebrating Women Artists of the Past*, at the Center for the Arts, 123 South Elwood Road, Marlton, NJ 08053. Dates: March 7 to 30. Reception: Thursday, March 10, 7 to 9 pm. All the works in this exhibit will use fabrics to some extent to create a painting. It will be a varied and unique show.
- One of several paintings by **Doris Peltzman** on exhibit at Artists House Gallery in Phila, PA through March. Title: Asia (oil on canvas, 12"x16"). Doris Peltzman will be one of six featured artists at Artists House Gallery, 57 North Second St., Phila., PA from March 2 to 27. First Friday, March 4, 5-8:30pm, Sunday Reception: Meet the Artist March 6, 1-4pm. Sunday Snow date: March 13.
- **Carol Fitzpatrick** will have a solo art exhibit at the Palmyra Cove Nature Center from April 1 thru April 30. A reception will be held at the Nature Center on Saturday, April 9 from 1:30 to 3:30 pm. The Center is located under the Tacony Palmyra Bridge just off Temple Blvd, which runs parallel to Rt. 73. To see a map go to [www.palmyracove.org](http://www.palmyracove.org)
- Showing at the Burlington County Art Guild Members Show were the following WAA members: **Gisela Bly, Janet Cebular, Ben Cohen, Bob Corson, Gene D'Agostino, Nona Dolan, Carol Fitzpatrick, Bianca Galliani, Norm Gaffin, Joy Hoffman, Kathy Kellagher, Bern Kennedy, Pam Levin, Sherry McGrath, SaraLee Pindar, Arleen Potter, Connie Randles, Isabel Sherman** and **Jan Terry**.
- **Norman Gaffin** has work in the Pastel Society Show at the Palmyra Cove.



## MEMBERS NEWS (continued):

- WAA members that participated in the Artist and Poet: Image and Word Show are: **Ellen Barnett (2<sup>nd</sup>)**, **Ben Cohen (1<sup>st</sup>)**, **Norman Gaffin**, **Mary Gayliard**, **Marilyn Gill**, **RJ Haas**, **Bern Kennedy**, **Tom Kimball**, **Edwin Messey (HM)**, **Eleanor Mink**, **Fran Morrison**, **Jacqueline Myles-Vargas**, **Margarete Naperski**, **Deborah Pey (HM)**, **Carol Schell**, **Jan Terry (HM)**, **Margaret Mary Vail (3<sup>rd</sup>)** and **Rene Yohannan**. The judge was very impressed with the artistic as well as the poetic creativity.
- WAA members participating in the Members Show at the Annex Gallery in Smithville which is open until March 24 are: **Ellen Barnett**, **Carolyn Burke**, **Robert Chappell**, **Ben Cohen**, **Marlene Craig**, **Gene D'Agostino**, **Alice Domineske**, **Donna Fascenda**, **Tracey Femiano**, **Norman Gaffin**, **Maureen Gass-Brown**, **Marilyn Gill**, **RJ Haas**, **Nichole Harmon**, **Terry Herron**, **Joy Hoffman**, **Linda Hollinger**, **HA Jennings**, **Sandy Jones**, **Susan Kauffman**, **Bern Kennedy**, **Tom Kimball**, **Pam Levin**, **Ellen LoCicero**, **Lois Lohse**, **Joanne Markowicz-Bilarczyk**, **Sheila Mashaw**, **Joyce McAfee**, **Frank McCulla**, **Fran Morrison**, **Margarete Naperski**, **Virginia Ogden**, **Deborah Pey**, **SaraLee Pindar**, **Connie Randles**, **Myra Ryan**, **Irvane Spracklin**, **Jan Terry**, **AR Tucker**, **Margaret Mary Vail**, **Jacqueline Myles-Vargas**, **Athanasia Ward** and **Ed Ward**. Thank you also goes out to those who have given their time volunteering to sit the gallery!! The People's Choice award will be given out at the reception on March 9<sup>th</sup>.
- The following members were accepted into the Medford Art Center Photography Show which is on-going: **Denise Bush**, **Linda Hollinger**, **Richard Montemurro**, **Jacqueline Myles-Vargas**, **SaraLee Pindar** and **Isabel Sherman**.

## MEMBERS NEWS (continued):

- **Bette Johnson** will have a solo show at the Home Fine Art Gallery entitled Etcetera. Reception: March 5 from 5 to 7 pm. Show will be from March 3 to March 26.
- On exhibit at the MAC now through March 20 is the Photography 2011 Show and currently featured in the MAC Gazebo room is "Plants of the Pinelands," an artistic series by **RJ Haas**.
- **Richard Montemurro** has three photos in the Markeim Art Center Candid Photography Exhibition which runs thru March.
- **Norman Gaffin**, **Pamela Levin**, **Eleanor Mink**, **SaraLee Pindar**, **Irvane Spracklin**, **John Tegley** and **Ed Messey** have entries in the Burlington County College Students and Community Artist Show 99 *Shades of Grey* at the BCC Gallery on High Street, Mt Holly, through April 8, 2010.

## OPP-ART-UNITIES...

- The Philadelphia Sketch Club 148<sup>th</sup> Annual Exhibition of Small Oil Paintings – **Delivery: March 25 and 26 from 1 to 5 pm**. Reception: April 10 from 2 to 4 pm. Prospectus to be available soon.
- 2011 Works On Paper Juried Art Exhibition, Medford Arts Center, 18 N Main St, Medford, NJ 08055 – **Delivery: Sunday, March 20 & Tuesday, March 22, 1-7 pm**. Exhibition Dates: April 1-May 22. Reception: Friday, April 1, 6 pm. Contact Person: Tracey Femiano email: tfemiano@aol.com. The prospectus is available now at [www.artsinmedford.org](http://www.artsinmedford.org). (Click on Exhibitions)

## OPP-ART-UNITIES...(continued)

- Invitation to participate in the 5th Annual Community Art Show at the Chairville Elementary School in Medford. The show dates are March 21 to April 1. **Delivery: March 17 & 18 from 4-7 pm.** Reception: Wednesday, March 30 from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. Up to 6 original pieces - Browse Boxes are welcome. If you have not received the paperwork for this show and are interested in participating, please contact Denise DeAngelis at 609-654-9610, ext. 3058 or email: [ddeangelis@medford.k12.nj.us](mailto:ddeangelis@medford.k12.nj.us)
- The Historic Medford Village Association (HMVA) is now accepting applications from artists to participate in their 21st Annual Summer Art, Wine & Music Festival. This event is scheduled for Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup> from 12-4:00 pm. The Event will be held along historic and scenic Main Street (Route 541) in Medford Village. All types of artists and crafters are invited to apply. A tent is required to participate in this festival and items sold by artists must be hand-crafted. The deadline to submit an application is **April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2011.** Applications will be made available at [www.theheartofmedford.com](http://www.theheartofmedford.com). For more information, please contact Julie Basello-Holt at [jbaselloholt@verizon.net](mailto:jbaselloholt@verizon.net) or at 609-714-1131.

**“Manhattan” by Ben Cohen on display now at the Poet and Artist: Image and Word Show at the Herman T. Costello Lyceum in Burlington,**



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

- Mar 2 WAA Monthly Meeting – 7pm**
- Mar 5 BCAG Palmyra Cover Reception – 1:30 to 3:30pm
- Mar 5 Bette Johnson Reception HFA -5 to 7 pm
- Mar 9 Member Show Reception – 6:30 – 8:30pm**
- Mar 13 PSC Art of the Flower Reception – 2 to 4pm
- Mar 23 WAA Board Meeting – 4:30 – 6:30pm**
- Mar 20 Chairville Reception – 6:30 to 8pm

To all WAA Members

The **Teen Arts Show** which is held every year and sponsored by the Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office of Burlington County and hosted by Burlington County College (BCC) will be held March 22 through March 25. In addition this year, our Scholarship Committee, which usually judges for our scholarship winner, will also be judging the entire show.

In order to reach out to the teens and future artists, several WAA members volunteered to conduct workshops of approximately 1 hour. If you are interested in conducting a workshop, please contact RJ Haas ([rjhaas@verizon.net](mailto:rjhaas@verizon.net)). This is a great opportunity for the WAA, so I am hoping that you will sign in on this event and share your talents with the teens and their educators.

If you would like to donate to the Teen Art Scholarship Fund, it can be sent to WILLINGBORO ART ALLIANCE, P.O. BOX 2276 Willingboro, NJ 08046, Attention: Joyce McAfee

## SHOWS TO SEE:

- **The Philadelphia Sketch Club Art of the Flower** – Reception: March 13 from 2 to 4 pm. Prospectus to be available soon.
- **Willingboro Art Alliance Artist and Poet: image & Word Open Show** –until March 3 at the Herman T. Lyceum, located 423 High Street, Burlington, NJ.
- **Medford Arts Center Juried Photography Exhibition** – open until March 20 located 18 North Main Street, Medford.
- **Willingboro Members Show** – open until March 26 at the Smithville Annex Gallery. Reception: March 9 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. Gallery hours: Monday, Tuesday and Saturday from 11 am to 3 pm.
- **99 Shades of Grey, Burlington County College Student Gallery and Art Store** – open until April 8 located at 1 High Street, Mount Holly.
- **Burlington County Art Guild Members' Exhibit** – Palmyra Cove Nature Center, Palmyra, NJ from March 1 until March 31. Reception: Saturday, March 5 from 1:30 to 3:30 pm.
- The **Teen Arts Show** sponsored by Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office of Burlington County and hosted by Burlington County College (BCC) will be held March 22 through March 25.

### President's Message:

Despite the snowy, nasty weather, and we have had to cancel some of our activities; the board has been diligently working towards the future. Significant new adventures await us. At the next General Membership Meeting, we will discuss in detail these exciting possibilities.

At this time, I would personally like to thank all those who entered the Poet and Artist: Image and Word Show and those who submitted work to the Members Show. I appreciate your taking time out of your busy schedules to "sit" the Gallery for our Members Show. It is volunteers like you who make this a viable, community effort. Thanks for volunteering!

RJ Haas  
WAA President

### 2011 Kennedy Building in Willingboro Closure

Friday, April 22 -- Good Friday  
Sunday, April 24 -- Easter  
Monday, May 30 -- Memorial Day  
Monday, July 4 -- Independence Day  
Monday, Sept. 5 -- Labor Day  
Monday, Oct. 10 -- Columbus Day  
Friday, Nov. 11 -- Veterans' Day  
Thursday & Friday, Nov. 24 -25 -- Thanksgiving  
Sunday, Dec. 25 -- Christmas  
Monday, Dec. 26 -- Day after Christmas

### Inclement Weather Information

To see if the building is closed due to inclement weather, please call **609-877-2200 ext.1116** and a live person will answer.

**Our condolences go out to the following:**

**Angel Sheckman  
on the loss of her husband  
and WAA Member, Nate Sheckman**

**To the family of a past member, Dan Hines.**

**Tom DiTaranto  
would like to thank the WAA  
for their outpouring of good wishes  
while he was recovering from his illness.**

**Get Well Wishes go out to**

**Sandy Jones  
Betty Richter  
Bert Sacker  
Jack Tucker**

**We wish you all a speedy recovery**



**Please email our editor with art news for  
April *Sketchbook* March 23rd  
to [dfascenda@comcast.net](mailto:dfascenda@comcast.net) or call  
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