

**fa** Orange County Fine Arts *Artist's Eye*  
An Association of Artists

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**NEW OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE COMING 2009/2010 YEAR**

*As usual, the attending members at our June General Meeting marked ballots to elect our Officers and Board of Directors for the coming (2009/2010) year. At the meeting there was some concern that not everyone had access to the slate of officers and board members prior to the election date and the general members suggested a five day additional time during which members could also vote.*

*At the last Board Meeting, July 8th, the votes were re-counted after a decision of the Board that the first count of the ballots submitted at the meeting was valid and conformed to the By Laws of the Organization,*

*Therefore, our new Officers and Board Members are as follows:*

- President—**Laura Rice Robinson**
- Vice President—**Nova Stewart**
- Secretary—**Noreen Statler**
- Treasurer—**Jacqueline Zimbalist**
- Past President—**Thomas Tom**
- Director Showcase Gallery—**John Stewart**
- Director Avantgarden—**Victoria Wood**
- Director Bear Street Gallery—**Bill Hudson**
- Director Artist Eye Gallery—**Ann Jones**
- Director Artist Studios—**Jila Hakimi**
- Marketing Director—**Margie Zuliani**
- Membership Director—**Max Yamada**
- Student Activities Director—**Terry Walker**
- Community Liaison Director—**Marillyn Brame**
- Director at Large—**Duncan Asper**



Artist Eye Laguna Gallery.

*For those who are interested - the additional ballots that were received between the electoral general meeting and five days later when the ballots were counted did not change the outcome of the election selections.*

*Due to the confusion that was encountered at this particular election, the Board has voted to revise the election procedure for the 2010/2011 election. Look for this information in the September or October newsletter.*

*Orange County Fine Arts Inc. is a non-profit corporation that seeks to stimulate community interest in the Fine Arts by providing special programs, exhibits and demonstrations by well-known artists; to furnish a place for viewing works of art; and to provide scholarships to deserving art students. Membership is open to anyone; there are no restrictions.*

## 2009 ARTIST'S EYE JURIED ART SHOW AWARDS

### OIL:

- 1st: "Contact" by Suggy Watts
- 2nd: "Planning the Composition" by Veronica Kortz
- 3rd: "Poter Ranch in Modjeska Canyon" by Maria Elena Bicer



Suggy Watts, Best in Show, "Contact"



Noreen Statler

### ACRYLIC:

- 1st: "Manarola Madness" by Sherry Marger
- 2nd: "Blue Boat" by Max Yamada
- 3rd: "Studio Group" by BJ Wilson



Maria Elena Bicer



Dorothy Marootian

### WATERCOLOR:

- 1st: "Visitor" by Detra Francis
- 2nd: "Garden Variety" by Gloria Silber
- 3rd: "View from Las Brisas" by Noreen Statler



Sherry Marger

### MIXED MEDIA & PASTEL:

- 1st: "Viola Da Gamba" by Dorothy Marootian
- 2nd: "Cosmic Rescue" by Linda Brooks
- 3rd: "Chi of Fragmentation 2" by Frances Wang



Gloria Silber



Anthony Pond

### PHOTOGRAPHY:

- 1st: "Child of the Ruins" by Anthony Pond
- 2nd: "Aspens Rising" by Robert Utz
- 3rd: "Waiting in Line" by Annette Globits



Michelle Hickey

### DIGITAL:

- 1st: "Lunadaraga" by James Van Eimeren
- 2nd: "Velvet Caress" by Evelyn Morris
- 3rd: "I'll Be Back!" by Robert Utz



Rob Utz

### 3-D, JEWELRY, CERAMICS:

- 1st: "Chi of Fragmentation 3" by Frances Lai Wang
- 2nd: "A Family Affair" by John Stewart
- 3rd: "Shirikiana Bowl" by Michelle Hickey



## MEMBER NEWS

**Dennie Hahn** was awarded first place in the masters category of Saddleback Art League's 2009 Spring Reflections Show. The award was given for her photograph "Perfect Landing" of a butterfly landing on an Angel's Trumpet bloom.

Stained glass art by **Marie Mehrabian** will be featured at Showcase Gallery with a reception Saturday, August 8, from 6:00–8:00 pm. The exhibition continues through September 13.

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Contact: **Terry Walker**: theresawalker5@verizon.net

## OCFA INDOOR EXHIBITS: Mesa Verde Library in Costa Mesa

Talented children's librarian **Virginia Edwards** will be showing watercolors which enrich the stories she tells through August at the **Mesa Verde Branch Library** at 2969 Mesa Verde Drive East; Costa Mesa, CA. To exhibit at this venue please call Marie Taggart at 714-546-0784.

The Costa Mesa Cultural Arts Committee will be hosting an outdoor Gallery during the 2009 Summer Concert in the Parks Series at Fairview Park on 2525 Placentia Ave on Tuesdays (July 28, Aug 4, Aug 11 and Aug 18) from 6:15-7:45pm. All art must be family friendly. Artists must be present during Gallery Hours (5:45-7:45pm). Displaying pieces will need to be dropped off at Mesa Art, 789 19th Street, Costa Mesa, before each concert date. Pieces will not be sold at the Concerts. For participation and more information please contact Chairperson, Frank Gutierrez at (949) 548-3570

OCFA has applied for and has been awarded a California Arts Council planning grant for a collaborative Artists in the Schools program. This grant is funded by the California specialized license plate program.



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## ART LINES OF THE MONTH

by Pari Vafai

- 1) *An artist art will tell you the truth of his/her day.*  
—D.H.Lawrence
- 2) *The aim of art is to represent not the outward appearance of things, but their inward significance.*  
—Aristotle
- 3) *Art and life are not two different things.*  
—Felix Mendelssohn

Interested in painting a chair for charity? Join with 10 other OCFA artists to paint chairs to be auctioned off to help the Santa Ana-Tustin Philharmonic Society raise money for music in the local public schools. We will be having a painting party in the workshop soon. Contact [ocfa@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ocfa@sbcglobal.net)

**Orange Art Association** Presents The Orange Open 2009, A Juried All-Media Exhibition of Fine Art in six categories: Acrylic, Oil, Photography, Three Dimensional, Watercolor, and All Other. Delivery of Work - August 2 - noon to 5:00 pm and August 3 - 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm; Reception - Saturday, August 8, 2009 - 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm; Exhibit Dates - Saturday, August 8 through Sunday, August 16, 2009. Sunday thru Thursday: Noon to 4:00 pm. Friday and Saturday: Noon to 8:00 pm

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Santa Ana, CA 92707

The Artist's Eye newsletter reaches over 250 local artists. A business card size ad is \$10 for one month or \$20 for three months. Additionally, your printed flyers can be inserted for \$25 per issue. E-mail or mail your ad and then send payment made out to OCFA to the above address by the 15th of the month.

**OCFA Art Center:**

South Coast Plaza Village  
3851 South Bear St., Suite B-15  
Santa Ana, CA 92704

**•Showcase Gallery**

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714-540-6430  
Open Wed., 10:30am-2pm  
Thurs.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm  
Sun., 11:30am-3pm

**•Bear Street Gallery/Studios**

www.bearstreetgallery.org  
714-825-0592  
Open when studio artists are at work

**•OCFA Studio**

714-825-0592

**Avantgarden-The Art Gallery**

ocfa\_avantgarden@sbcglobal.net  
Santora Arts Building  
207 North Broadway, Suite B-7B  
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714-558-8843  
Open First Saturday of each month,  
7-10pm and by appointment

**Artist Eye Laguna Gallery**

1294 South Coast Hwy., Suite A  
Laguna Beach, CA 92651  
949-497-5898  
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(until 9pm the 1st Thursday of the month)  
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**NEXT MEETING: August 27**

**General Meetings** are held the fourth Thursday of each month except July and December at Showcase Gallery and begin with a short informational session followed by refreshments at 6:30 and an artist's demonstration at 7:00. Guests are always welcome.



**Officers and Directors**

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**Officers:**

President	Laura Rice Robinson	949-786-6202
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