



June 2024

The Central Coast Artists Collective
Photographers, Craftmakers, Sculptors, Painters

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<https://www.centralcoastartistscollective.org>

A Call to Brushstrokes...

The Painters Group announces its exciting fall exhibition, with a submission deadline of **June 16, 2024**. View the Call For Entry below.



Bob Canepa Photo

There's Still Time... to see CCAC members' works from the Photographers, Craftmakers and Sculptors, through **June 24**.

Calls For Artists

Brushstrokes, The Painters Group's juried California-wide exhibition, Art Center Morro Bay, **August 8 - September 16**, Juror: Frank Eber.

Deadline: June 16. Open to members and non-members of TPG.

Submit 3 works in any painting medium. View the CFE:

<https://www.centralcoastartistscollective.org/callsforentries>

All entries must be digitally submitted through EntryThingy:

<https://www.entrythingy.com/d=centralcoastartistscollective.org#show=11898>

California Mid-State Fair, July 17-28. Fine Arts deadline: **June 4.**

[Cmsf.fairwire.com](https://cmsf.fairwire.com)

Art Outside the Box-Arroyo Grande, deadline **June 15.** Public art program on utility boxes. <https://agpublicart.org/call-to-artists/>

Open Studios Art Tour, Apply now for October 12-13, October 19-20 weekends. Deadline: **June 21.** <https://slocountyarts.org/osat>

Show Off: Your best 2 works; juried. Take-in: **June 25, 10-2.** Art Center Morro Bay. <https://artcentermorrobay.org/>

Here and Back Again, Online submit: **June 25-July 2**, Take-in: **July 2, 10-12, Reception, July 6, 4:30-6:00.** Through **August 25.**

Cambria Center for the Arts. <https://cambriaarts.org/gallery-exhibits/>

Artist's Choice: Members Take-in: **June 26-27.** Paso Robles Art Assn., Studios on the Park, Paso Robles.

<https://www.pasoroblesartassociation.org/exhibits>

Collective Art on the Central Coast

Collective Presents 2024 – Artist Group Members' works from the Photo Society, Sculptors, and Craftmakers: **Through June 24.**

Show Off; Central Coast Printmakers' Wildlife; and **Phillip Lopez's Ceramics: June 27 – August 5. Reception: June 30, 2-4 pm.** Art Center Morro Bay. <https://artcentermorrobay.org/>

Hers and His: Tika Solnar Phipps & Richard Phipps. Reception: June 7, 5-7 pm. Through **June 30.** Art Central, SLO.

<https://artcentralslo.com/gallery/>

Flower Power, through June 25.

Artist's Choice, June 29-August 27. Reception: June 29.

Paso Robles Art Assn. Studios on the Park, Paso Robles.

<https://www.pasoroblesartassociation.org/exhibits>

Inspired by a Master, through June 30, Cambria Center for the Arts. <https://cambriaarts.org/gallery-exhibits/>

Poetic Prints, Central Coast Printmakers and local poets; **The Art of Rusty Smith, through June 30. Reception: June 1, 6-9 pm.**

Studios on the Park, Paso Robles.

<https://studiosonthepark.org/events/poetic-prints/>

Who Am I? In celebration of PRIDE. Sponsored by GALA Pride & Diversity Center. The Bunker SLO, San Luis Obispo, **June.**

<http://www.thebunkerslo.com>

Gallery Los Olivos, Barry Lundgren, Jim Tyler and others.

www.gallerylosolivos.com

The Birds and the Bees and More Pollinators, through September 2. Work by 4 artists. California Nature Art Museum, Solvang, <https://www.calnatureartmuseum.org/exhibitions>

Beacon Art Show: Creative Elements – Virtual Exhibition:

<https://beaconartshow.com/#>

Workshops by Collective Artists

ROBERT BURRIDGE: Classes & workshops nationally and abroad. Abstract Painting & Collage, **June 10-14;** Abstract Florals, **June 26;** Larger, Looser Abstracts, **July 20-21 & 26-28;** Mentor Workshop, **August 8-11;** Tropical Esca-paint, Mexico: **January 18-25, 2025.**

<https://robertburridge.com/workshop-schedule/>

LARRY LE BRANE: Fused glass workshops.

<https://www.larrylebraneart.com/beginning-fused-glass/>

KEN CHRISTENSEN: Plein Air.

<https://www.kenchristensen.net/workshops>

DAVID LIMRITE: Create Anyway Collective.

<https://www.createanyway.today>

The Expressive Figure/ Experimentation & Innovation: 4-day workshop, **October 24-27**. Applications close **August 24**.

<https://www.willowpondslo.com/artist-workshops-san-luis-obispo>

TRICIA REICHERT: A variety of workshops in different mediums, here and abroad. https://www.triciareichert.com/?page_id=227

LINDA ELDER: Cyanotype Blues, **June 22, 1-4 pm**, Art Central.

<https://artcentralslo.com>

WILLOW POND SLO WORKSHOPS

Kipaipai Retreat: Professional Practices in the Art World, **June 14-16**.

Fiber Processes to Make Sculpture, **June 28-30**. Visual Record as Artifact, **Sept. 9-13**. Transcending the Photo, **Oct. 11-14**.

<https://www.willowpondslo.com/artist-workshops-san-luis-obispo>

WORK OF ART: Business Skills for Artists. Free online workshop,

now-June 6. <https://www.centralcoastcreativecorps.org/workshops>

CCAC Artist Group Membership for 2024

Renew your membership! Membership is year to year, with renewals due the first of the year. But you can renew at any time!

\$20 for one artist group (Craftmakers, Sculptors, Photographers, or Painters) and \$10 for the Collective for a total of **\$30**. Add \$20 for any additional artist group(s) you choose.

To **RENEW** your Membership or to **JOIN** for the first time: Go to <https://www.centralcoastartistscollective.org> Select **JOIN US**.

- Select "Join or Renew" in the first box. This is required.
- Enter your first and last name and your email address (required).
- Fill in the Optional fields. These are not necessary if you are renewing unless your information has changed.
- **Check the boxes for the groups you wish to join.** They may be the same or different from those to which you currently belong. Please check at least one of these boxes.
- The final step in the process before payment is to **Save your information**. This is a required step.
- After Saving, scroll down to the payment section. Select PayPal or Credit Card, Send a check by mail, or No payment-Exit.

Pay Pal or Credit Card

Select the number of Artist Groups.

PayPal: Enter the email and password for your PayPal account. The amount to be paid will be shown. Press "Review your Order." It will be placed and you will be returned to the Home page of the website.

Credit Card: If you prefer to use a credit card, scroll down past the request to enter your PayPal account. Select Pay by Credit or Debit Card. Follow the instructions.

Send a Check: Make check to "CC Artists Collective" and send to: CC Artists Collective, c/o Carl Berney, 758 Evans Road, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401. On the Memo line on your check, please write "Renewal" [or "New"] and your ARTIST GROUP OR GROUPS.

Featured Artist – Jewel DeMoss



Breaking Through, mixed media, 8 x 10"

Jewel DeMoss has had decades of art experience and practice in the forms of acrylic and mixed media. Her work displays scenes of "women and their varied lives" through abstract themes of joy and distress, darkness, and light. Jewel uses acrylic paint in her pieces but often adds mixed media such as paper, fabric and/or anything else she finds interesting.

"I have had art in my heart all my life, but when I retired from the University of California, I was able to claim art as my life's work. I experimented and moved from medium to medium beginning with watercolor and ending where I am now: acrylic and mixed media. There are not sufficient words to describe my excitement in finding mixed media. It provides so much opportunity to play and to

experiment. I create on paper or canvas and try to reflect a piece of life or a significant issue or event in my paintings. I love creating figurative art and enjoy pushing myself to become more abstract. Recently I have begun trying to create abstract images from landscapes and cityscapes or from just my mind."

Jewel has had her art accepted into many juried exhibits throughout California and has won various awards from Best of Show to Honorable mention. Her work lives in many homes throughout California.

Her art can be found on her website, at jeweldemossart on Facebook and Instagram, at SLO Gallery in San Luis Obispo, and in exhibitions at Art Center Morro Bay and Paso Robles Art Center.

Jeweldemossart.com

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Losing the Sound of Music by Jewel DeMoss, mixed media, 36 x 48"



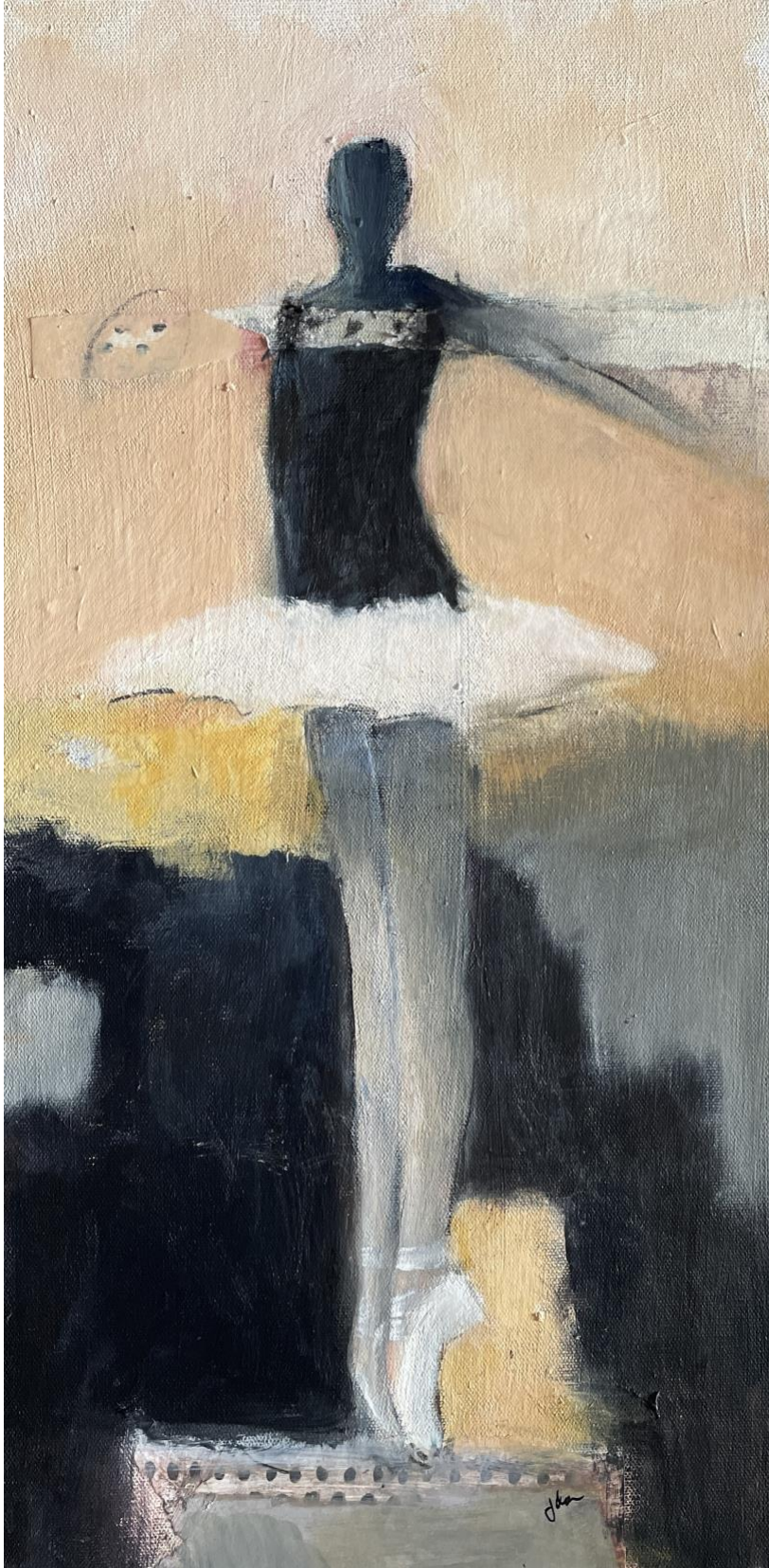
Cha Cha Cha by Jewel DeMoss, mixed media, 42 x 37"



Flying Fish by Jewel DeMoss,
acrylic, 14 x 11"



It's All About Friends by Jewel DeMoss,
acrylic, 14 x 11"



On Pointe by Jewel DeMoss,
mixed media, 20 x 10"

Central Coast Craftmakers

New Director for Craftmakers

We are pleased to announce that Craftmakers has a new director,
Lisa Stromsoe.

Lisa has been involved in Fine Craft for 45 years, as a successful gallery owner, consultant, curator, and juror on a national scale. When SLOMA was an Art Center, she worked for decades to promote the Craftmakers Group and present their widely popular exhibitions.

She has owned and managed three fine craft galleries, and at one time represented 138 artists nationwide. In addition to being selected as a past juror for the prestigious American Craft Council Shows, Lisa has worked alongside the Craft in America Learning Center and other groups that support and celebrate fine craft.

Lisa and her metalsmith husband, Randy Stromsoe, were among the original founding artisans of Studios on the Park in Paso Robles, under the directorship of visionary Anne Laddon. Lisa and her sister, Lori Buzzetti, were instrumental in the early stages of development of the S.O.T.P. Art Smart Program through their personal support and their small foundation, www.avalonfoundationslo.org

Lisa's goals include actively expanding the group by helping to meet members' needs in terms of exhibitions, education, and a broader shared artist community. She'd like to bring the group into the national dialogue on Fine Craft, which she believes is attracting attention from a new audience in the international art scene.

We welcome Lisa to Craftmakers and look forward to an exciting future for this art group!

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<https://www.centralcoastartistscollective.org/craftmakers>



Bob Canepa Photo

Craftmakers shine at Collective Presents 2024. **Larry LeBrane's** vibrant 11 x 11" piece, *Everything Is Broken*, "has a *kintsugi*-inspired design as a reminder to stay optimistic when things fall apart—to honor Life's flaws," according to the artist. **Leigh Ramirez's** elegant *Leaves in Motion*, sterling silver, "move gracefully as the wearer moves."





Carolyn Chambers' beautiful Kimono Shrine, 30 x 24", an abstract shinto shrine from kimono silk, can be seen in Collective Presents 2024. The artist comments, "The Kimono Shrine is made of reused kimono silk applied to an acrylic background. I often use buildings as my subject matter because they tell us about the people who build them. Making a shrine out of kimono silk is both possible and impossible."

Craftmakers at Beacon: <https://beaconartshow.com/#>

Master Silversmith Randy Stromsoe holds Open Studio Events **June 9, July 14 & August 11, 12-4.** Reservation. www.randystromsoe.com

Susanna Lindsey shows her Abstract Drawings at the Clark Center in Arroyo Grande in **June.**

Central Coast Sculptors

Collective Presents 2024 Awards

First Place: Mike Hannon, Swoon

Second Place: Mark Danitschek, Cityscape

Third Place: Bob Schuerman, Talisman

Honorable Mention: Carl Berney, Raja Kapotasana

Honorable Mention: Cyndi Moreno, Water Tower



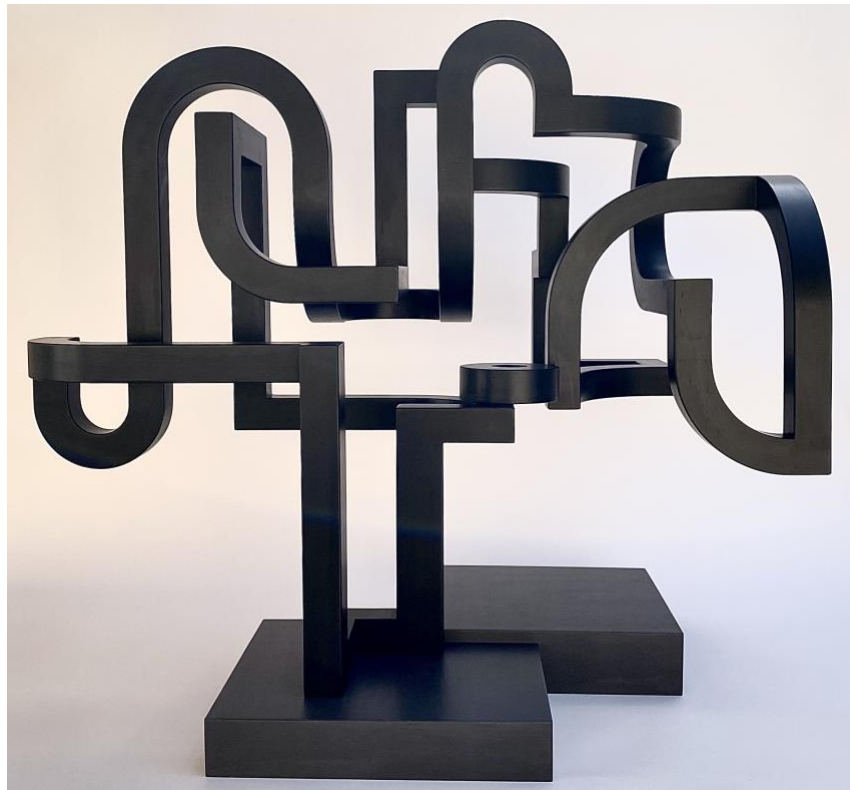
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Swoon by Mike Hannon, First
Place Award

Congratulations to the award winners and to those with works in the show, as well as those who entered. The exhibition was juried by L. Tracy Paz, Kay Burnett and Peter Charles, pictured.



Bob Canepa photo



Mark Danitschek's Cityscape took the Second Place Award

Central Coast Photographic Society

Note: All meetings, including Competitions, begin at 7 pm and are held via Zoom, unless otherwise noted.

June 13: CC Photo Society Meeting—Member Challenge-Flowers!

Member Challenge:

Flowers!

Central Coast Photographic Society

Meeting June 13, 2024 at 7pm, PDT



Gale Owen

Tim Bryan

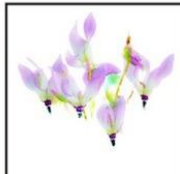


Spring Equinox has been upon us and what a better way to celebrate than to capture and share our photos of the beautiful spring flowers that we see in our gardens, yards, houses, along our walks and hiking on the local trails – they're everywhere! We may not have a Super Bloom this year, but there are still so many opportunities to photograph wild and domestic flowers everywhere – and share them with our fellow CCPS members!

We're looking forward to seeing what you have to share – please send up to 3 of your flower images to Ralph at photoralph@att.net no later than midnight, Tuesday June 11 (images should be sRGB & no longer than 1800 pixels on the longest side. Please use the naming convention of John1, John2, etc.). Ralph will send out the Zoom link closer to the meeting.



Kathleen Bosch



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June 20: PS Competition—Our CCPS Zoom photo competition judge will be Jan Lightfoot. She judged for us last year and we are happy to have her return to judge for us again. Jan is a photographer and photo educator based in Northern California. www.janlightfoot.com
<https://www.centralcoastartistscollective.org/ccpscomps>

July 11: CC Photo Society Meeting—Off the Beaten Path by **Bruce Cook**. Bruce will discuss and demonstrate his creative philosophy on Conceptual Photography. He is a member of CC Photo Society.
<https://www.balancookphotography.com/>

August 8: CC Photo Society Meeting—Street Photography presentation by Nancy Kaye.
<https://www.nancykayephoto.com/>

August 15: PS Competition—Judge TBD.

August 25: Picnic at El Chorro Regional Park.
<https://slocountyparks.com/day-use-parks/el-chorro-regional-park/>

Congratulations! to **Bill Rumbler**, who took 1st Place in Photography for “From Temblor Top to Soda Lake” in the Paso Robles Art Association’s exhibition, Flower Power, at Studios on the Park.

Collective Presents 2024 Awards

1st Place, Michael Foster, Seagull at Sunset

2nd Place, Bob Canepa, Like a Rock

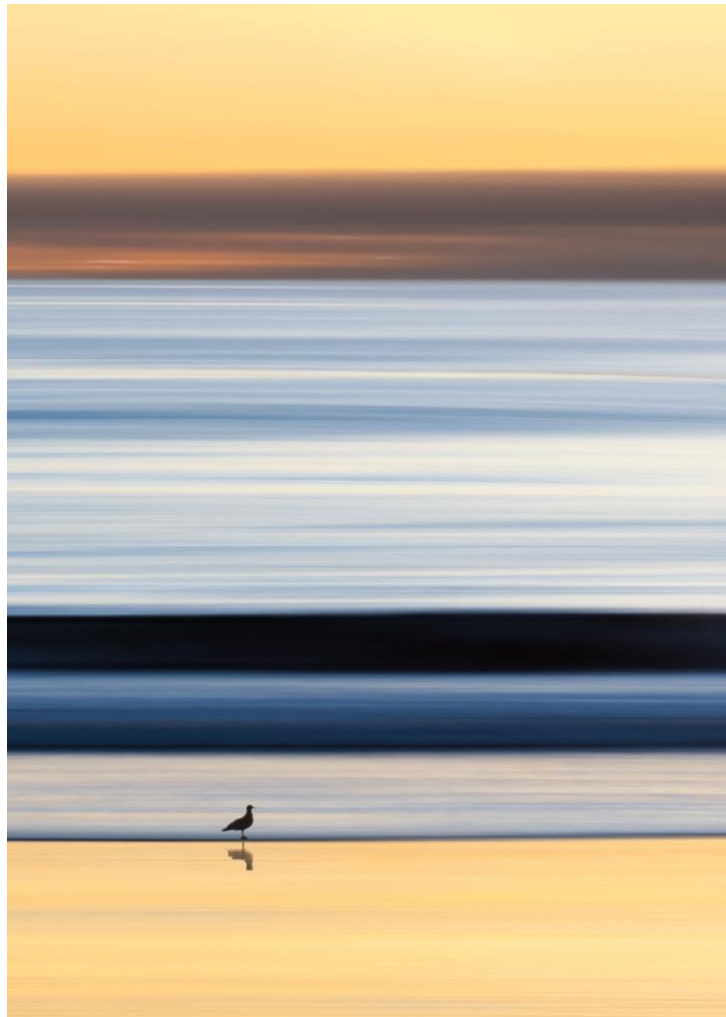
3rd Place, Lisa Roeder, Morro Bay Sunset



Lisa Roeder's Morro Bay Sunset, 3rd Place Winner



Bob Canepa took 2nd Place with Like A Rock



Michael Foster's Seagull at Sunset, 1st Place Award

The Painters Group

TPG's Next Meeting: **Sunday, June 9, 2 pm**, at the Methodist Church Annex. **Frank Eber**, the Juror for **Brushstrokes 2024**, addresses the group on "How to find your creative potential as an artist." Frank will talk about the creative process we all face as artists, how to find one's own 'style' and how we can develop and grow on our artistic journey. In part two he will talk about the connectivity of everything in life and how that translates into painting. Finally, he will comment on the jurying process. Don't miss this!

Frank Eber is an award-winning artist and educator who conducts workshops and demonstrations locally, nationally, and internationally in subjects related to oil and watermedia. www.frankeber.com



Quantum Entanglement by Frank Eber, oil, 16 x 20"

Brushstrokes returns to Art Center Morro Bay, **August 8 - September 16, 2024. Submission Deadline: June 16.** This annual juried exhibition has a long history of gathering fine art from California artists and presenting it to the Central Coast in a formidable display of diversity and creativity.

TPG members and non-members can enter up to three works in any painting medium. No shipping is permitted. Juried works will be exhibited at Art Center Morro Bay, with a reception on **August 11.**

For **Brushstrokes** details, view the CFE on the CCAC website:

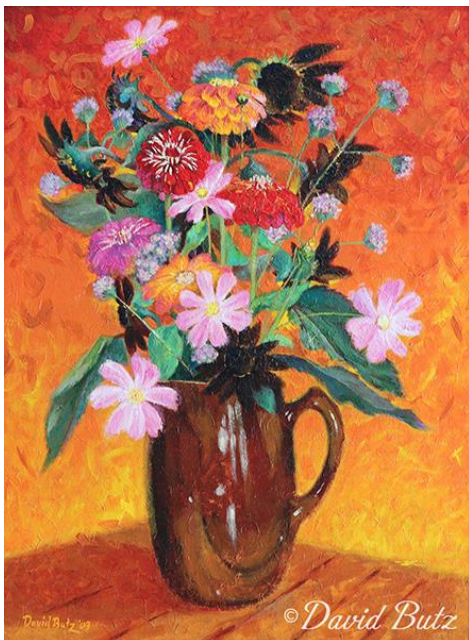
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<https://www.entrythingy.com/d=centralcoastartistscollective.org#show=11898>

The **June 16** deadline comes up soon. Don't wait until the last minute!

Congratulations! to **David Butz** for his 2nd Place award in Painting at the Paso Robles Art Assn.'s Flower Power, Studios on the Park. David is now a resident artist at Studios, sharing the Printmakers Studio with four other artists. See his work in Poetic Prints, through June 30.



Flowers in a Brown Pitcher by David Butz, acrylic, 24x18"



"I'm an Amiable Dragon" by David Butz, hand-colored etching, 9x6"

Kudos to TPG and Craftmakers member **Blaire Kilbey** for her presentation to Central Coast Watercolor Society last month on Building Layers and Textures. Her encaustic, Moon Magic, is currently on view in Collective Presents 2024.



Moon Magic by Blaire Kilbey

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TPG's Mission Statement: We believe in the power of art to ignite the imagination, stimulate thought, and provide enjoyment. Through our exhibitions and programs, we support one another and strive to integrate art into the lives of our community. tpgsloart@gmail.com

<https://www.centralcoastartistscollective.org/painters>

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Art Happenings

The Clark Center, Arroyo Grande. Susanna Lindsey shows her drawings in **June**. <https://clarkcenter.org/about/visual-arts-exhibit/>

10 West Gallery, Santa Barbara. Patrick McGinnis, Carol Paquet, Tom Peck, and others. https://www.10west_gallery.com/gallery-artists

Block Print Demo, June 8; Drypoint Demo, June 22. Studios on the Park, Paso Robles. <https://studiosonthepark.org/for-art-lovers/#exhibitions>

Park Street Gallery, Paso Robles. Joan Brown, Paula DeLay, Dianne Drazee, Dotty Hawthorne, Patricia Newton, Dana Randall, Beryl Reichenberg, Jim Tyler, and others. www.parkstreetgallery.com

Gallery at Marina Square, Morro Bay. Joan Brown, Patricia Newton and others. <https://www.galleryatmarinasquare.com/>

Plein Air Coastal Artists: Wednesdays, 9:30-12 am, pleinaircoastalartists@gmail.com

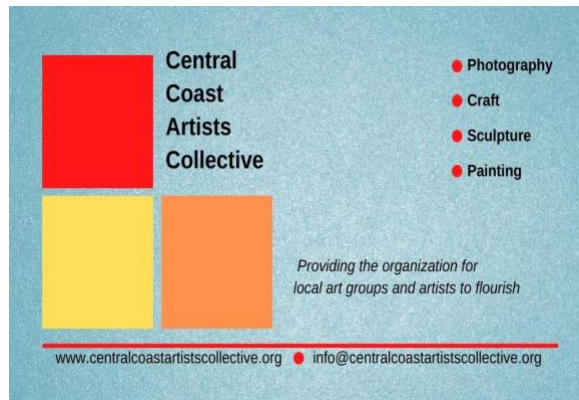
The Irregulars – Cambria Plein Air Painting, Wednesday mornings. Cam Arnold, camarnold@yahoo.com

Thursday Morning Plein Aire Watercolor: thursdaywatercolor@gmail.com

Willow Pond SLO: Workshops through October. <https://www.willowpondslo.com/artist-workshops-san-luis-obispo>

Artist Interviews: Keasha Willingham interviews CCAC artists for social media. keashaann@gmail.com or text 661-301-8509.
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMb2n6ZdyitkAZ-HtbCXhcxw>

Exhibiting Your Work? Teaching a Workshop? Send the information to Charlotte for the newsletter: charlottedaigne@aol.com



CCAC Board Members

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CCAC members are welcome to attend board meetings, held the last Tuesday of the month.

Adjunct Staff

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Cheryl Strahl - CCPS Membership

Art Organization Links

<https://artcentermorrobay.org/index.php/about-mbaa/mbaa-newsletter/>
<https://artcentralslo.com>
<https://cambriaarts.org>
<https://www.hancockcollege.edu/gallery/index.php>
<https://www.pasoroblesartassociation.org/>
<https://slocountyarts.org/>
<https://sloma.org>
<https://studiosonthepark.org/for-art-lovers/#exhibitions>
<https://www.calnatureartmuseum.org/>

Renew or Join a CCAC Artist Group

**Renew Your Membership or Join an Artist Group(s) of
the Central Coast Artists Collective for 2024**

You can do this online: www.centralcoastartistscollective.org
Select Join Us and follow the instructions.

Or, to pay by check, print this page and complete. Mail with your check made to "CC Artists Collective" to: Carl Berney, 758 Evans Road, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401.

A fee of \$20 makes you a member of one artist group, then add \$10 for the Collective, for a total of **\$30**. Add \$20 for participation in each additional artist group.

RENEWAL: _____ **NEW:** _____

First Name:

Last Name:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Mailing Address:

IMPORTANT: Artist Group(s) you wish to join –Please circle:

Photo Society

Sculptors

Craftmakers

Painters

Benefits of Membership in an Artist Group (Craftmakers, Sculptors, Photographers, Painters) of the Central Coast Artists Collective:

Members-only Exhibitions * Artist Group Activities * Monthly Newsletter and Website with Artist News * Calls For Artists * Workshop Postings * Social Media * Camaraderie with Like-Minded Artists of the Central Coast — Join Today!

QR Code: Scan for the Central Coast Artists Collective website:

