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November 2020 Newsletter

Rainbow Artists No November meeting, Zoom or in person

While we long to meet in person, we must be patient and stay safe.

Let's keep in touch and let's keep creating. Please send us what you are creating so Janine can post it on our Facebook site and it make it into the newsletter (emails below).

You can also text a photo to Janine at 505-200-1638.

ARTportunities

New Mexico Art League will be offering juried exhibitions online for now in order to give artists an opportunity to continue to exhibit their work. Next call for artists is:

Black and White

January 19-February 27

Deadline for entries: December 12, 2020

An exhibition of black and white drawings and pho-

tographs.

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2020 Dues are due NOW:

Please mail your \$25 to:

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Art and Politics

The intersection of arts and political activism are two fields defined by a shared focus of creating engagement that shifts boundaries, changes relationships and creates new paradigms. Both activist and artist work in the challenges of the unknown and the unpredictable, never truly able to determine the outcome and forever questioning if there is more to be done. This experimentation also forms the essence of what can be the engine of success and motivation towards true change whether we are immersed in a specific social cause or a global peace movement, composing an original score, sharing a story by means of carving a sculpture, or using performance to highlight a critical message.

Whatever our chosen palette, the practice of understanding the importance of our own creative engagement is a source of potential change on its own, and a space where valuable insight can be found through reflection and sharing.



Apronistas Susie Sirl, Pat McDaniel Young, and Wynona Fetherolf





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ARTspiration

As we shelter in place, artists often retreat into their studios and kitchens where they find peace and inspiration. What have some Rainbows been doing?

Grace Collins is sending experimental images, made on notepaper, to shut ins and friends who are unable to leave their homes or rooms.



Marian Berg has been busy doing art with hospitalized kids and painting the autumn landscape, keeping busy! She has a few paintings in the New Mexico Art League Small Works Holiday show which runs from Dec. 5 to Jan. 9. "So happy about the election!!!"



Eliza Schmid: Matrix Gallery (3812 Central SE) presently has a "Members' Show". Each artist who is a member of the gallery plus the landlord, who is an artist too, is showing 3-4

paintings in November. The reception was poorly attended, probably because of the Corona Virus. The gallery is open on Fri-Sat. afternoons, 1-5pm.



Janine Wilson is part of the Yucca Branch of the National League of Pen Women show at Yucca Gallery until November 30. In December, she will also be showing at Yucca Gallery with Friday painters.







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Leslie Kryder sold the painting "The People" at the Tortuga Hindsights 2020 show.



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Newsletter deadline is the 1st of each month.



Art in Nature, Martha Heard

Mission Statement

Rainbow Artists, an award winning women's collective established in Albuquerque in 1990, supports, promotes, and encourages women artists.

- * We embrace ethnic and artistic diversity.
- * We strive to grow in our art and our association with each other.
- * We share our talents and enrich our creativity and our community through collaborative exhibits and projects.

Share our <u>Facebook</u> page with your friends. The more traffic we get, the more exposure your art has.