

# Flourish

September 2022

## **Upcoming Meetings:**

September 15th Meeting 6:30 and Demo Meeting starts at 7:00

October 6th, 6:30p Board Meeting

#### **President's Notes:**

Hello Members,

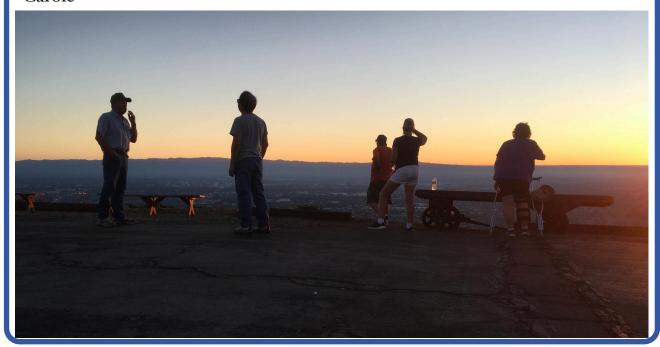
September is already here. How did that happen? We just had a fun EVA BBQ, and a big thanks to Jennifer Wool for graciously hosting at her beautiful home. The tacos were delicious. A few stayed to the end to see the sunset.

We are planning the end-of-year events and forecasting activities for next year. This month we have a distinguished artist and teacher Denise Howard. She will present Colored Pencil as a Fine Art Medium. Because of her thriving workshop teaching, this demonstration will not be videotaped and posted. This is one not to miss. Don't forget to bring your artist of the month offerings.

To mix it up a bit, we thought we would have some fun in October. Instead of artist of the month, we will have Pumpkin of the Month. Bring your decorated pumpkin or pumpkin-themed art. Wearing costumes to the meeting is highly encouraged. We will have some fun and play art games.

Hope to see you all soon.

Carole



### **September Demonstrator**



September 15th Denise Howard will be presenting "Colored Pencil As A Fine Art Medium". It's an overview of the medium, its history, its pros and cons, the differences between types, and some basic tools and techniques. The Demo will follow the short business meeting.

Here's Denise's bio: Denise Howard earned a BA in Art and a BS in Math/Computer Science from Truman State University, and an MS in Computer Science from Ohio State University. She worked for several Silicon Valley companies, was one of the developers of iPhoto at Apple, and earned movie credits on Antz and Shrek at PDI/DreamWorks. Once she committed to

pursuing art as a second career in 2010, she quickly earned regional, national and international recognition and awards for her realist colored pencil and graphite work. She is the author of 101 Textures in Colored Pencil from Walter Foster Publishing. She has been featured in Colored Pencil Magazine and COLOR magazine, has work published in several books, and is popular as a workshop presenter. She is a signature member of the Colored Pencil Society of America and the UK Coloured Pencil Society, and is the national communications director and president-elect of CPSA.







#### Member News And Art Happenings

Sept 17th, 11am -4pm Jennifer Wool will be demonstrating basket weaving and needle felting throughout the day during Autos in the Park, at the History Park in San Jose, off Senter Road. Beautiful antique autos and trucks will be on display.

Sept 17, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Hadi Aghee will be chalking at Luna Park Chalk Art Festival at Bakesto Park, San Jose.

Sept 24 Cupertino Day- N-Night festival and FALC Annual Art Show and Competition Family Fall Festival - Social Room, Quinlan center, Cupertino

Thru September, Julie Cline has her work on display at The Coffee Cup.

Now - September 18 "An American Mosaic" exhibit at the Mexican Heritage Plaza Hadi Aghee will have 3 pieces on display.

Now – September 11 Salon at Triton Museum of Art's annual juried 2D art Competition/Exhibition 2022 Hadi Aghee will be participating.

Now - October 5 Candy Yu's "Wet and Wild" will be displayed at Los Gatos Coffee Roasting Co 101 W Main St, Los Gatos.

Seven artists from the local professional artist group "abstract7" will exhibit their large and diverse work at Los Altos Main Library , 13 S. San Antonio Road , from Sept. 1-30.

Call for Submissions: Pacific Art Leauge has an open call for art for their event Small Medium Large. Submission Deadline is October 11th. <a href="https://www.pacificartleague.org/support-101-anniversary-exhibit">https://www.pacificartleague.org/support-101-anniversary-exhibit</a>

The exhibit "Inflection Points" features large artworks, by members of the Artists Beyond the Obvious group, and will be open from September 2022 to March 2023. Artists' reception, on Sunday, September 18, from 2 - 5pm, at Los Altos Hills Town Hall. The reception is free and open to the public and features refreshments, wine and live music.

#### EVA Annual BBQ!

We had a great time at the BBQ! Jennifer and Bruce hosted a great get together. It was really great to chat with old friends and a couple of new ones. We had a very competitive game of pictionary. Patrick convinced us all to pose for a picture from his drone.



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