



The Art of Camaraderie

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SEPTEMBER 2019

SEPTEMBER EVENTS

September 1 & 2 Closed for Labor Day

Tuesday, September 3 New Shows Open All Galleries Fall Members' Show 2019

Friday, September 6 Surf & Turf Night 6pm

Sunday, September 8 Reception 2-4pm All Galleries Fall Members' Show 2019

Thursday, September 12
Board of Managers Meeting 5:30pm

Saturday, September 14 Margarita Madness Membership Event 6pm

Wednesday, September 18 Pop Up Talk and Demonstration with Jennifer Gennari 6-8pm

Sunday, September 22

New Shows Open, Reception 2-4pm Maxwell Mays and Mary Castelnovo Gallery:

Reenie Barrow, William Heydt, Johanna McKenzie, Timothy Philbrick Dodge House Gallery: Craig Masten Solo Show

Monday, September 23 Fall Classes Begin

Saturday, September 28 End of Summer NE Clambake 6pm

OCTOBER EVENTS

Wednesday, October 2 President's Reception 5:30pm-7:30pm

Thursday, October 10
Board of Managers Meeting 5:30pm

Sunday, October 13

New Shows Open, Reception 2-4pm Maxwell Mays Gallery:

Al Albrektson Solo Show

Mary Castelnovo Gallery: **Jim Myette** Dodge House Gallery: **College Show 2019**

Monday, October 14 Closed for Columbus Day

Friday, October 18 Members' Night 6pm

Thursday, October 31 - Happy Halloween

President's Message

September means gearing up for a busy Fall season, and as your new President, my first order of business is to welcome three individuals to the Board of Managers: Susan Aitcheson, Carl Helmetag and Caroline Reed, all of whom bring experience in the areas of finance and administration and have served on various non-profit boards in Rhode Island. I would also like to recognize Judy Vilmain as a new addition to the Executive Committee. On behalf of the Board of Managers, we look forward to working with you in the coming months.

I could not have been more pleased by the attendance at the Annual Meeting and Strawberry Festival and wish to thank you for coming out and sharing in the PAC experience and celebration, and for your overwhelming support. In my President's message, I spoke about the importance of Governance. Since June the Governance Committee began laying the groundwork with help from consultant Gayle Gifford from Cause and Effect. Interviews of senior staff, as well as several focus groups, have been completed as part of the process. We all look forward to the work ahead. One of the most important moments was in presenting the PAC medal. I cannot think of three more deserving individuals receiving the PAC medal as Dr. Albert Glucksman, Clark Schoettle and Dr. Alfredo Esparza (posthumous). We are grateful for their commitment and contributions to PAC.

We kicked off the summer with a stellar *National Open Juried Exhibition* with over 700 entries vying for position and 63 acceptances, of which 12 PAC members and one staff member exhibited work. Congratulations to all on a diverse and dynamic exhibition! The PAC never sleeps... a few summer evening favorites included a culinary feast *Collage Buffet* created by Chef Drew and his staff...Pop-up: *The Art of Mixology*...and *Craft Beer Night*. Artists were also busy in the Masiello Studio enjoying workshops with nationally known artists, many of whom are members of PAC. Thanks to the Education Committee for creating such an amazing lineup of mastery.

In the galleries, I could not help but feel the ever so present ominous spirit of H.P. Lovecraft in the exhibit, ARS NECRONOMICA 2019: Dark Dreams in the Divine City. Congratulations to all PAC members for their acceptance in this exhibit. Be sure to see Mr. Lovecraft's statue, quietly, but prominently, on view in our brick alleyway.

Mark your calendars for upcoming Fall events including the anticipated Members' Show 2019, when \$5,000 in prizes will be awarded by Robert Dilworth, MFA, Professor, Painting, Drawing, Design, and African American Art History at University of Rhode Island. AND... I know I haven't had my fill of lobster just yet and you'll want to reserve early for several special evening dinners (bring a guest or two!) such as Surf & Turf Night and our End of Summer New England Clambake. AND... you won't want to miss Margarita Madness, another festive evening of enthusiastic, high-spirited fun and entertainment cooked up by the membership committee. The Kimberly McHale Jazz Band are sure to get everyone on the dance floor, and if it suits you, come in your finest Margaritaville attire to win a prize for "Best Dressed". Reserve early!

Along with the routine business of managing the Club are projects that will help engage others including our valued staff. We are closing out the summer with the printing of the PAC Employee Handbook which took a great deal of time by many HR professionals, staff and legal counsel. Thank you to those who offered valued input and expertise. You know who you are.

In closing, I am looking forward to the *President's Reception* on October 2nd in celebration, with you, of this historic gem and its important traditions.

See you around the Club,

Nancy Gaucher-Thomas President, Providence Art Club

SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER EVENTS AT THE PROVIDENCE ART CLUB



SURF AND TURF NIGHT

Friday, September 6, 6pm

Assorted Cheese & Crudité Display Crispy Brussel Sprouts & Pancetta Salad Entrée

Swordfish & Prime Petite Sirloin Georges Banks Swordfish Topped with Grilled Shrimp

Casino Crumbs. Prime Petite Sirloin with Roasted Mushrooms & Shallot Truffle Butter

Orzo Mac & Cheese | Roasted Broccoli

DESSERT

Saffron Golden Raisin Bread Pudding \$40 ++ Members and Guests

Margarita Madness

Saturday, September 14, 6pm

Do you have friends who may want to join our flock?
Invite them to



Hand Crafted Assorted Margaritas

GOURMET TACO BAR

Marinated Grilled Shrimp, Carne Asada (Marinated Grilled Steak), Pulled Pork & Tequila Chicken, Pulled Lobster, Mahi-Mahi Fingers

Sautéed Fajita Vegetables | Spanish Rice Mexican Street Corn Nubs

Dessert

Tres Leche Cupcakes, Individual KeyLime Flan, Nutella Stuffed Concha Mexicana

Entertainment by the Kimberly McHale Jazz Band

Prizes for the best dressed Margaritaville themed attire

\$40++ members \$35++ guests

NEW ENGLAND CLAMBAKE

Saturday, September 28, 6pm

SIGNATURE COCKTAILS

"Arnold Palmer" Lemonade & Sweet Tea Vodka

Jalapeño Watermelon Agua Fresca Tito's Vodka, Watermelon, Coconut Water, Jalapeño, Simple Syrup, Lime, Mint

> Shrimp Cocktail Clams on the Half Shell Jonah Crab Claws

Tossed Garden Salad House-made Brioche Rolls Marinated Green Bean Salad Cole Slaw

Family Style New England Clambake

Chef Drew's Oyster Stew Local Steamers with Drawn Butter & Clam Juice

PEI Mussels

with Garlic, Ripe Tomatoes, Onions Herbs in a Saffron Broth

1^{1/4} lb. Steamed Lobster & Drawn Butter Fresh Local Corn on the Cob Vegetable Medley Kielbasa Buttered Leeks Boiled New Potatoes

Dessert

Watermelon Slices Strawberry Rhubarb Shortcake Grilled Peaches with Sweet Corn Ice Cream

\$55 ++ Members and Guests

PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

Wednesday, October 2, 5:30-7:30pm

Passed Hors d'Oeuvres

Loaded Baked Potato Bites
With Sour Cream, Chive & Bacon

Jumbo Shrimp Cocktail
With Traditional Cocktail Sauce & Lemon

Stuffed Swedish Meatball

Beef Meatball Stuffed, Caramelized Onions, Mushrooms, & Swiss with Sweet Brown Gravy Glaze

Sriracha Cheese Puffs

Sriracha Marinated Mozzarella Wrapped in Puff Pastry & Baked Golden Brown

Maryland Style Lump Crab Cornets

Old Bay Jumbo Lump Crab Salad with Assorted Veggies Served in Crispy Wafer Cones

Salad

Apple Poutine Salad Baby Brussels Sprout & Crispy Pork Belly Salad

STATIONARY

Mini Roast Beef Sliders
Mini Sesame Brioche Buns, Horseradish Sour Cream, Au Jus

Shrimp Bao Sliders

Marinated Shrimp Topped with assorted Pickled Vegetables, Bao Sauce on Steamed Buns

Risotto

Roasted Butternut Squash, Asparagus, Roasted Shallot, Pumpkin Seeds

Dessert

House-Made Mini Desserts

Members free • Guests \$30

For more full menus and information on events go to www.providenceartclub.org Register at 401-331-1114 ext. 3 or reservations@providenceartclub.org

Vegetarian, vegan, and gluten free meals always available. All menus are subject to change.

++Tax and House Charge

FALL CLASSES

September 23 - December 6

Registration now open Fall is 'Back to Studio' time, and time to bring your artmaking skills to the next level.

We are offering 24 classes in pastel, watercolor, oil/acrylic, photography, drawing, printmaking, film appreciation, and more!

A complete listing of classes has been sent to your inbox. The schedule is also available on our website at www.providenceartclub.org/classes-workshops.



To register, e-mail Angel Dean at angel@providenceartclub.org

Pop Up Event

September 18, 6-8pm

Artist talk and Alla Prima painting demonstration with Jennifer Gennari



If you missed your chance to sign up for Jennifer Gennari's sold-out workshop Alla Prima Portrait — Pets and Wild Animals you have another chance to see how this international award-winning artist captures the life energy of her animal subjects. She will discuss and demonstrate her 'Alla Prima' painting method in this fun Pop-Up Event. If you are lucky enough to be taking her workshop, you know what a great opportunity this is!

Angell's Lane Bar Menu will be available from 4-8pm to enjoy before or during this event. Invite a friend to share this interesting evening!

Fee: \$15 for members & guests. Reservations are not required, but if you plan to attend, please let Angel know at 401-331-1114 ext. 16 or angel@providenceartclub.org.



Angell's Lane, our lounge area and social gathering spot, is back from summer break starting Sept 10. Tuesday-Saturday from 4 till 8pm.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Exhibiting Artists

Coral Bourgeois • Frances Middendorf Patricia Sylvia

Transfer of status to Exhibiting Artist

Ann Kelsey Thacher

Patrons

Patrick Anthony Caffey • Heidi Kuster Holland Sardiaa Leney, Esq • Sheila O'Brien Quinn, PhD Heather Savoie

PASSAGES

Joseph S. Gallo - July 27, 2019 Arts Professional Life Member 1981 Art Club Medal 2010

In the Galleries

September 3 - September 20





September 22 - October 11





September 22 - October 11, 2019

Barrow Heydt McKenzie Philbrick

Craig Masten Unlikely Favorites: A Solo Show

Opening Receptions Sunday, September 22, 2pm - 4pm





Craig Masten

Gallery Hours: Monday - Friday 12-4, Weekends 2-4 Galleries may also be opened by appointment. Please contact our Gallery Manager Michael Rose at 401-331-1114 ext. 5

September 3 - 20, 2019

Fall Members' Exhibition 2019

Opening Reception Sunday, Sept. 8, 2-4pm · All Galleries







PROVIDENCE ART CLUB CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY			
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		Fall Member	s' Show 2019						
Labor Pay Weekend Club Closed	Labor Pay Weekend Club Closed	Show Opens Fall Members' Show			Surf and Turf Pinner 6pm				
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