



OCTOBER 2021



OCTOBER EVENTS

- Fri, Oct 1 Members' Night, Remembering Angela O'Leary** 6pm
- Mon, Oct 4 Meet the Artist - Heidi Baxter**
In Maxwell Mays Gallery 12-2pm
- Tues, Oct 5 Meet the Artist - Coral Bourgeois**
In Maxwell Mays Gallery 12-2pm
- Wed, Oct 6 Painting Demo - Jossy Lownes**
In Maxwell Mays Gallery starting at 12 noon
- Sun, Oct 10 New Shows Open**
Maxwell Mays **Monahan, Monahan, Taplin**
Mary Castelnovo Gallery **Wharton**
Dodge House Gallery: **Davis, Simpson**
- Sun, Oct 10 Artist Talk - Monahan, Monahan, Taplin** 12-2pm
- Mon, Oct 11 Closed for Columbus Day**
- Thurs, Oct 14 Board of Managers Zoom** 10:30am
- Sat, Oct 16 "Fragments" Poetry and Art** 5-7pm
- Fri, Oct 15 Annual Fall Concert and Dinner** 6pm
- Sat, Oct 23 Moonshine Madness Membership Event** 6pm
- Sun, Oct 31 Happy Halloween!**

NOVEMBER EVENTS

- Sat, Nov 6 Little Pictures Members' Preview** 12-5pm
- Sun, Nov 7 Little Pictures Opening** 12-5pm
- Wed, Nov 10 Board of Managers** 5:30pm
- Thurs, Nov 11 Veterans Day** Club Closed
- Sat, Nov 13 Saturday Night Dinner** 6pm
- Fri, Nov 19 Friday Night Dinner** 6pm
- Thurs, Nov 25 Thanksgiving Day** Club Closed
- Nov 26 & Nov 28 Galleries Open** Club Closed

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome Back!

If you've been to our Club recently – dining, taking part in classes, attending any of our evening events – you know firsthand the rush of pleasure that comes from once again seeing so many familiar faces (Alda! Chef Drew!) together at 11 Thomas Street.

With your support, we have spent more than a year working toward this moment – sustaining the Club, while also safeguarding the health of each one of you and our shared community. Please get vaccinated; help us as we continue to work to have our well-loved Club be a healthy and safe place for all.

Your Board of Managers is starting the work of looking to map out the future of the Club. Thanks to the foresight of previous boards, we've never been better positioned to imagine where we might want to go. Without their hard work, in conjunction with volunteer committees and our amazing staff, we wouldn't have inherited this baton in such good standing.

During the week I'm up the road at Hasbro, where I work on MARVEL entertainment. It might surprise you to know how much these institutions have in common. Spider-Man will turn 60 next year – arguably at the height of his global popularity (and easily a billionaire!) – yet the kids he charmed back in the early 60s would easily recognize him now – even as his adversaries, environment, and technology have changed to reflect the decades. It's the core – a compelling, relatable story that resonates with audiences generation after generation.

The Club is in a similarly enviable position – 140 years strong, our unique mix of art and history and camaraderie never fails to charm. Our founders could not have foreseen our state-of-the-art kitchen, online sales, or ZOOM programming, but they would also no doubt see these as true to their original mission.

This Creative Capital city has emerged from the pandemic bustling with cultural upstarts – from culinary pop-ups to artistic collaborations. It's well worth remembering that we were an original incubator, started in 1880 by young artists and patrons as a way to promote artists, conversation, and sales.

As the Board looks for more opportunities to extend the visibility of our Club and artists, to engage a younger and more diverse audience, and to forge strategic partnerships, we will continue to remain true to that original vision – and to safeguard the values of our Club, rest assured. We are excited at even just the possibilities, and welcome your ideas, thoughts and involvement. Feel free to reach out to one of your BOM members, or to email me at president@providenceartclub.org.

...as our good friend Tom Sgourous would've said, "For God's sake, take care of yourselves!"

Shawn Kenney,
President, Providence Art Club

OCTOBER EVENTS AT THE PROVIDENCE ART CLUB



ANNUAL FALL CONCERT

October 15, 6pm



The Many Faces of Franz Liszt with pianist Ben Nacar

Dinner 6 PM
Program 7 PM

Liszt-lovers take note! On this night pianist Ben Nacar will share stories about this prolific Hungarian composer and perform selections on our historic Steinway that will include Hungarian Rhapsody no.12, Funerailles, and Consolations nos. 2 and 3. The fan frenzy for Franz Liszt at his piano concerts was so intense that the term "lisztomania" was coined in 1844.

Mr. Nacar is a native East-Sider and graduate of Brown University. His many musical accomplishments include extensive collaborative work with singers, actors, and musicians. His original compositions include works for solo piano, chamber ensembles, concert band, and full orchestra.

Plan to join us for the return of a PAC tradition — our Annual Fall Concert!

MENU

Assorted Cheese & Fruit Display

ENTRÉE

Bacon Wrapped Chicken Cordon Bleu
Tender Chicken Breast Pounded Thin and Stuffed with Black Forest Ham & Swiss, wrapped in Bacon and Breaded, then Fried Crisp over Dijon Mustard Sauce. Served with Roasted Brussel Sprouts & Whipped Sweet Potatoes

DESSERT

Autumn Harvest Apple Pie

\$35++ Members and Guests.

Register with Alda at 401-331-1113 ext. 3 or reservations@providenceartclub.org

MOONSHINE MADNESS

October 23, 6 - 9pm



Bring a friend to Moonshine Madness!

The Membership Committee is hosting an exciting event for you to invite friends and potential members to show off your Club. The Providence Art Club will present Moonshine Madness on October 23 from 6 to 9pm, featuring live music by Nashville recording artists *Rock Hearts Bluegrass Band*.

Wear your best "country casual"; there will be a prize for the best attire. It will be a FUN night but space is limited so sign up soon. You won't want to miss this special event!

A special blended 'Moonshine' Cocktail and passed hors d'Oeuvres.

MENU

Assorted Cheese & Fruit Display
Fried Brussel Sprouts with Apple Cider Glaze
Assorted Vegetable Display
with Lemon Ranch Hummus Dip

PASSED HORS D' OEUVRÉS

Rootbeer Moonshine Pork Sliders
Apple Pie Moonshine Chicken Wellingtons
Sweet & Spicy Bacon Wrapped Pork Ribs
Moonshine Pickle Corn Dogs

DESSERT

Pumpkin Spiced Bread Pudding

35++ Member 30++ Guests

RSVP by Oct 18 Alda at 401-331-1113 ext. 3 or reservations@providenceartclub.org



CONCEAL | REVEAL FINDS A PERMANENT HOME!

After traveling to many different locations around Providence and Rhode Island, our member & community contributed mask exhibit will be accessioned into the State Archives. Imagine, 100 years from now, this artistic record of Covid-19 through the eyes of PAC will be available to view.

Thank you to the more than 75 PAC members who devoted their time and talents to the 130 masks in this project!

GALLERY PROGRAMS MEET THE ARTISTS

These programs are free and all are welcome.

Monday, October 4 from 12-2pm

Heidi Baxter will be gallery sitting her exhibition in Maxwell Mays Gallery and will be available to chat and answer questions about her work.

Tuesday, October 5 from 12-2pm

Coral Bourgeois will be gallery sitting her exhibition in Maxwell Mays Gallery and will be available to chat and answer questions about her work.

Wednesday, October 6 starting at 12noon

Jossy Lownes will give a casual demonstration of her painting process in Maxwell Mays Gallery to accompany her work on view.

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

++Tax and House Charge

IN THE GALLERIES



Bourgeois



Audrey Monahan



Tom Monahan



Wharton



Davis



Simpson

Through October 8

MAXWELL MAYS GALLERY

Heidi Baxter, Coral Bourgeois,
Jossy Lownes *Colors*

MARY CASTELNOVO GALLERY

Cynthia Triedman
Looking for Light

DODGE HOUSE GALLERY

Philip Lieberman
Photographs in My Mind's Eye

October 10 - October 29

MAXWELL MAYS GALLERY

Audrey Monahan, Tom Monahan,
Myron Taplin *Diverse Perspectives*

MARY CASTELNOVO GALLERY

Charles H. Wharton
Providence, As I See It

DODGE HOUSE GALLERY

Mary Hood Davis, Kathleen Simpson
People, Places, and Things

November 7 - December 23

ALL GALLERIES

The 117th Annual Little Pictures Show & Sale

Little Pictures, first hosted by the Club in 1904, is the oldest and largest show of its kind in the United States. Each year over 100 artists take part and hundreds of artworks are sold. Don't miss out on being a part of history!

Signed Contracts and Initial Entry Forms Due
Friday, October 15

Artworks for this show must be delivered Monday,
Oct. 25 - Friday, Oct. 29 from 12-4pm each day

Gallery Hours: Monday - Saturday 12-4, also opened by appointment. Please contact Gallery Manager Michael Rose at 401-331-1114 ext. 5
See the online catalog for this and past PAC Exhibitions at providenceartclub.org/galleries



Happy Birthday, Al Albrektson

Al Albrektson, Art Club member since 1954, celebrated his 102nd birthday on September 2. An Exhibiting Artist Life Member, Al is an accomplished watercolorist.

We wish him happy and healthy year and look forward to celebrating his 103rd!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

SEPTEMBER 2021

Change of Status

Toni Bertoncini Dumville
to Exhibiting Artist
Mary Ann Rossoni to Exhibiting Artist

New Members

David Andreozzi, Arts Professional
Brenda Brock, Patron
Kelly Brown, Arts Professional
Bob Dilworth, Exhibiting Artist
Mark Swerdlow, Patron
Gregory Todd, Patron
Louise Wechlser, Patron
Vanessa Weiner, Patron

AUGUST 2021

New Member

Sarah Ganz Blythe, Arts Professional

AUGUST 2021

Change of Status

Nancy Driggs to Exhibiting Artist
Bee Givan to Exhibiting Artist
Nancy Springett to Exhibiting Artist

JULY 2021

New Members

R. Tripp Evans, Arts Professional
Laurel Davis Huber, Patron

JUNE 2021

New Members

Lianne Bythewood, Arts Professional
Karin Conopask, Patron
Geraldine Christ Cooper, Patron
Cecilia DelGaudio, Exhibiting Artist
Jillian Lauren Kelshaw, Exhibiting Artist
Howard Rotblat-Walker, Exhibiting Artist

Remembering Joan Boghossian

Exhibiting Artist
Life Member
1982 - 2021



Joan Thompson Boghossian, 89, of Pawtucket and Narragansett, award-winning painter, philanthropist, and beloved mother, grandmother and friend, died peacefully on September 7 in her family home.

Joan was a much-lauded watercolorist and printmaker and the unofficial "Grande Dame" of the Providence Art Club, where, for many years, she kept a studio, taught, and supported up-and-coming artists. Joan set an example of giving a gift to the Club on her birthday and encouraged members to do the same. Contributions to *The Joan Boghossian's Birthday Fund* go to the endowment to support the future health of the Club.

Always ready to lend a hand, learn a new medium, and share her techniques with the young artists around her, she was a steady presence around the Art Club, as well as in galleries from New York to Boston. She will be sadly missed.

Development Committee Chair Gail Ginnetty is pleased to announce that Betsy Zimmerman and Ann Gralnek have joined the Committee. We are looking forward to working with them.

PASSAGES

Ms. Sally Ann
Martone
AR 2001 RE
Passed 8/7/2021

Mrs. Joan Thompson
Boghossian
ARL 1982 RE
Passed 9/7/2021

PROVIDENCE ART CLUB CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCTOBER

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
Baxter, Bourgeois, Lownes, Friedman, Lieberman						Members' Night Remembering Angela O'Leary 6pm
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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Shows Open Monahan, Monahan, Taplin, Wharton, Davis, Simpson Artists Talk Monahan, Monahan, Taplin 12-2pm		Club Closed for Columbus Day		Board of Managers Meeting Zoom 10:30am	Annual Fall Concert and Dinner 6pm	Bruce Berger - "Fragments" Poetry reading and Art 5-7pm
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Monahan, Monahan, Taplin, Wharton, Davis, Simpson						Moonshine Madness Membership Event 6pm
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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31	1	2	3	4	5	6
Happy Halloween!						Little Pictures Members' Preview 12-5pm

NOVEMBER

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31	1	2	3	4	5	6
						Little Pictures Members' Preview 12-5pm
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
117th Little Pictures Show and Sale						
Little Pictures Opening 12-5pm			Board of Managers 5:30pm	Veterans Day Club Closed		Saturday Night Dinner 6pm
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
117th Little Pictures Show and Sale						
					Friday Night Dinner 6pm	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
117th Little Pictures Show and Sale						
				Thanksgiving Day Club Closed	Galleries Open Club Closed	Galleries Open Club Closed
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
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