



May 2022



MAY EVENTS

- Sun, May 8 Mother's Day Brunch** 11am
Mon, May 9 New Shows Open, Reception 5/16/2022
 Maxwell Mays Gallery:
A. Dean, G. Nassikas, & N. Whitcomb: Fahrenheit
 Mary Castelново Gallery:
S. Kenney: Recent Work
 Dodge House Gallery:
JG Stark & C. Horovitz Wilson: Emergence: Perception & Depth
Fri, May 13 Friday Night Pub Dinner 6pm
Mon, May 16 Artist Process Demonstration: Dean, Nassikas, & Whitcomb: Fahrenheit 2:30pm
Mon, May 16 Gallery Talk: JG Stark & C. Horovitz Wilson: Emergence: Perception & Depth 1:30pm
Wed, May 18 Board of Managers Meeting 5:30pm
Fri, May 20 Members' Night 6pm
Thurs, May 26 PAC Zoom Lecture: Kameko Branchaud: Collaborative Art Projects 6pm
Sat, May 28-Sun, May 29 Memorial Day Weekend
 Club Closed
Mon, May 30 Memorial Day Club Closed
Tues, May 31 New Shows Open, Reception 6/5/22
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

With spring in full bloom, it could only mean that a return to outdoor dining in our courtyard is just around the corner (albeit with a fire pit or two!). This year, in addition to our kitchen's own delicious offerings, we're looking to do some pop-ups with community partners - hosting local food and beverage artisans for events throughout the summer - with a nod to our Founders, Providence Arts and Culture incubators in their own time back in 1880.

Our 141st Annual Meeting and Strawberry Festival are also just around the corner. On Wednesday, June 8th, 2022, based on member feedback, we once again will be holding a virtual meeting at 12 noon to conduct business and to deliver 'State of the Club' reports - including an update on the Bannister Community Art Project from our committee and its community. No Annual Meeting would be complete without a little revelry - our Strawberry Festival will be held in-person at 6:00pm. Business-free, all celebration - and hopefully without the heat!

Many of you may remember how the Club essentially shut down during summers of years past, and how much that's changed in recent years (Covid excepted). We're delighted to once again offer a full slate of workshops all summer long, with opportunities in a variety of media and differing approaches from some truly amazing talents. There's still time to enroll - details available on our website, or you can reach out to Abba Cudney. As always, we welcome your comments, suggestions, and conversation - president@providenceartclub.org.

We look forward to seeing you at the Club - and as our good friend Tom Sgouros would've said, "For God's sake, take care of yourselves!"

Cheers,

Shawn Kenney
 President, Providence Art Club

NANCY PLUNKETT: WISHING YOU ALL THE BEST!

Let's take a moment to say a big **THANK YOU** to a significant member of our team who has recently moved on to a position elsewhere. Over the past 3 years, Controller **Nancy Plunkett** has made incredible strides to keep the Club in peak financial form. Her talents are unmatched, and her efforts cannot go without recognition. Many of you may have had a chance to wish her farewell and thank her for her continued dedication, but if not please join us in wishing her all the best in her future endeavors. We will miss you, Nancy, and our doors are always open!

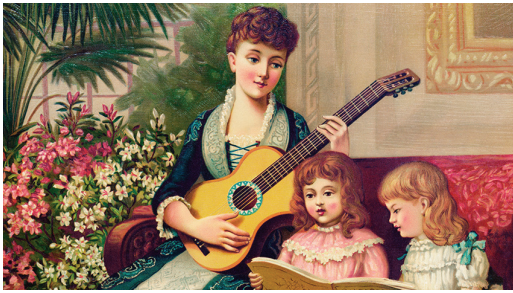


WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

APR. 2022

- Karen Baker, *Patron*
 Danny Bullock, *Patron*
 Barbara Crane, *Exhibiting Artist*
 Keith Michael Ratcliffe, *Patron*
 Tenley van der Wal, *Arts Professional*
 Margaret Walsh, *Exhibiting Artist*
 Ann Hagan Webb, *Patron*

MAY EVENTS AT THE PROVIDENCE ART CLUB



MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH BUFFET

Sunday, May 8th, 11am

Our traditional Mother's Day Brunch Buffet is back! Treat your mother (or yourself) to a lovely selection of brunch delicacies with us at the Providence Art Club. As our first buffet post COVID-19, we ask that you please be patient with our staff as they work diligently to give you the best possible experience.

MENU

Complimentary Mimosa
Spirits, wine, & beer available
à la carte from the bar

APPETIZERS

Butternut Squash Soup
Tomato, Fresh Mozzarella, Basil, and
Sweet Onion on a Bed of Spring Lettuces
Served with Balsamic Vinaigrette

BREAKFAST

Herbed Home Fries with Peppers & Onions
Breakfast Sausage & Crispy Bacon
Fluffy Scrambled Eggs
Pancakes with Maple Syrup
Eggs Benedict with Hollandaise

LUNCH

Chef's Choice Starch & Vegetable
Baked Stuffed Shrimp
Artichoke & Parmesan Stuffed Chicken Breast
Cheese Tortellini with Pink Vodka Sauce
Honey Dijon Roasted Pork Osso Buco
Sliced Roast Turkey

SWEETS

Assorted Dessert Table

Members & Guests \$60++



FRIDAY NIGHT PUB DINNER

Friday, May 13th, 6pm

MENU

APPETIZER

Jumbo Shrimp Cocktail*
*Three Jumbo Shrimp Cocktail Served with
Traditional Cocktail Sauce & Lemon*

House Salad*

ENTRÉE

Old Fashion Prime Rib Dinner
*Slow Roasted CAB Choice Prime Rib Served
with Au Jus and Horseradish Cream, Served
with Mashed Potatoes and Green Beans*
\$49.50++

~OR~

Spring Seafood Risotto
*Jumbo Shrimp & Sea Scallops Pan Seared
and Served over a Spring Risotto*
\$44.50++

DESSERT

Bourbon Pecan Pie*

**Appetizers and Dessert Included*

For Members and their Guests

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



"La Serenata (The Serenade)" by Michael Rich is currently on display in Venice, Italy at the 2022 Venice Biennale.

ARTISTS IN PRESS

With each day that passes, our members never cease to amaze us with their pure, raw artistic talent; and it makes our hearts sing to learn of their work featured in exhibitions! Our artist members display their work in galleries and museums far and wide, and we love to recognize these exhibitions and the hard work our members put into their masterpieces. Pictured above is Michael Rich's "La Serenata", currently on display in Venice, Italy at the 2022 Venice Biennale. This piece specifically was inspired by the beautiful flowing waterways of the famous Italian city.

Pictured below (left) is Craig Masten's "Truro Park, Newport", and (right) late PAC member, Gail Armstrong's "Allium". Both of these vibrant works of art are on display a little closer to home, at Newport's Spring Bull Gallery, as part of their 2022 Spring Members Exhibition. Take some time to go support your fellow artists and their work. The exhibition runs from April 30th through June 12th.



"Truro Park, Newport"
by Craig Masten



"Allium" by late
PAC member,
Gail Armstrong

PROVIDENCE ART CLUB IS PROUD TO PRESENT:
THE STUDIO TIPS HANDBOOK



Available for purchase May 12th!

Brought to you by the Membership Committee, this collection of clever, insightful tips come straight from the mouths of our very own artist members. Learn some of the best tricks and tips for maximizing the efficiency of your studio space, and streamlining your art making process.

IN THE GALLERIES



Malone



Small



Hynes



Murtha



Shelton



Ball

May 9 - May 27

MAXWELL MAYS GALLERY

A. Dean, G. Nassikas, & N. Whitcomb: *Fahrenheit*

MARY CASTELNOVO GALLERY

S. Kenney: *Recent Work*

DODGE HOUSE GALLERY

J.G. Stark & C. Horovitz Wilson: *Emergence: Perception & Death*

May 31 - June 17

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CALL FOR PUBLIC ART: XOS PLUS MURAL PROJECT

Deadline: Friday, May 6, 2022

XOS Plus, a non-profit arts advocacy organization in Pawtucket, RI is seeking applications from visual artists for the commission of a mural in downtown Pawtucket. Located at the corner of Exchange Street and Summer Street, the wall is on the Beswick Building, which is currently being restored to its former glory. More information about this call for art can be found at <http://www.gallery175.com>.

Gallery Hours: Sunday - Friday: 12pm - 4pm, also opened by appointment. For questions, please contact Gallery Manager Michael Rose at 401-331-1114 ext. 5

UPCOMING WORKSHOPS

Read about the fun workshops and pop-up classes coming to the Club this month. Mark your calendars!

Early June Workshops

Saturday - Sunday, June 4 - 5, 2022 | 9am-4pm
Beyond The Landscape: Pastel 2-Day Workshop with Laurinda O'Connor

Join Laurinda O'Connor for a workshop that pushes the boundaries of traditional pastel work. Through demonstrations and other various studies, attendees will learn to let go of their references to work intuitively and creatively. With techniques such as mark-making and under-painting, you're sure to find a new technique that you love with this workshop.

Watch your email for updates regarding full descriptions and dates. To register, e-mail Abba Cudney at abba@providenceartclub.org

MEMBERS' NIGHT: PAC SPRING CONCERT: "KATIE & THE ITALIANS"

Friday, May 20th, 6pm

On this evening, vocalist Katie Kleyla will be joined by "The Italians", pianist Joe Parillo and jazz guitarist Gino Rosati, for an evening of jazz, musical theater and soul. The trio will perform American songbook classics, jazz standards, musical theater showstoppers, and unique twists on pop favorites. Plan to join us for a delicious dinner and a memorable musical program.

MENU

ENTRÉE

Casino Baked Stuffed Shrimp
Jumbo Shrimp with a Casino Bread Stuffing Wrapped in Bacon Topped with Lemon Tabasco Butter and Served with Julienne Vegetables & Rice Pilaf

DESSERT

Raspberry Mango Fool
Mango Mousse with Raspberry Puree, Whipped Cream, Fresh Raspberries, & Mint

Members and Guests \$40++

DEAN, NASSIKAS, & WHITCOMB: ARTIST PROCESS DEMONSTRATION

Monday, May 16th, 2:30pm

Join Angel Dean, Georgia Nassikas, and Nancy Whitcomb for an engaging demonstration illustrating some of the processes these used in their recent work. Georgia Nassikas will demo encaustic, Nancy Whitcomb will share her use of incising, and Angel Dean will demo Gel Plate printing and collage. This is a great opportunity to learn more about how the works on view came together. This program is free and open to the public. No tickets or registration are required.

NEW MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Nancy Springett

Not all of our members featured are necessarily new... Nancy Springett has recently changed her status to Exhibiting Artist, having been with us since 2015. Passionate about sustainability, travel, and the environment, Ms. Springett's oil paintings are inspired by her travels both locally and overseas. She loves visiting other countries to learn about different cultures and architectural styles to use in her work. Great paintings, Nancy!

Listen on
MAY 12



Hasbro Children's Hospital
Radiothon
hchradiathon.org

LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT MONTH...

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
		P. Malone, L. Hynes, & J. Small, K. Murtha, M. Ball & C. Shelton				Workshop 2-Day Pastel Workshop w/ Laurinda O'Connor 9am-4pm
		Shows Open Reception 6/5 P. Malone, L. Hynes, & J. Small, K. Murtha, M. Ball, & C. Shelton				
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
P. Malone, L. Hynes, & J. Small, K. Murtha, M. Ball & C. Shelton						
Workshop 2-Day Pastel Workshop w/ Laurinda O'Connor 9am-4pm			Board of Managers Meeting 5pm Annual Meeting/ Strawberry Festival 6pm			Saturday Night Dinner 6pm
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
P. Malone, L. Hynes, & J. Small, K. Murtha, M. Ball & C. Shelton						
		Workshop(s) 3-Day Color & Composition Workshop w/ Nick Paciorek 9am-4pm Tintype Photography Workshop w/ Cole Caswell 9am-4pm	Workshop(s) 3-Day Color & Composition Workshop w/ Nick Paciorek 9am-4pm Tintype Commissions w/ Cole Caswell 10am-4pm	Workshop 3-Day Color & Composition Workshop w/ Nick Paciorek 9am-4pm Gallery Talk RISD Curator Conor Moynihan 6pm		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
National Open Juried Exhibition, T. Girard, & M. Dondero						
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26	27	28	29	30	1	2
National Open Juried Exhibition, T. Girard, & M. Dondero						
Block Party & Open Studios 12pm-5pm		Workshop(s) 3-Day Artist Tricks & Techniques: Oil Painting w/ Orlando Almanza 9am-4pm 3-Day Collagraph Workshop w/ Joan Hausrath 9am-4pm	Workshop(s) 3-Day Artist Tricks & Techniques: Oil Painting w/ Orlando Almanza 9am-4pm 3-Day Collagraph Workshop w/ Joan Hausrath 9am-4pm	Workshop(s) 3-Day Artist Tricks & Techniques: Oil Painting w/ Orlando Almanza 9am-4pm 3-Day Collagraph Workshop w/ Joan Hausrath 9am-4pm		

IN OTHER NEWS...

NICK PACIOREK
AT THE PITCHER - GOFF HOUSE

RI ABSTRACTIONISTS

AN ART SHOW BY RHODE ISLAND'S BEST ABSTRACT ARTISTS

FRIDAY, MAY 6TH
VIP + MEMBER
RECEPTION
6-8PM \$25

SATURDAY, MAY 7TH
OPEN GALLERY
SHOW
4-7PM FREE

TICKETS REQUIRED FOR BOTH SHOWS + AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE

FRANK GASBARRO KEVIN GILMORE* ANTHONY SALEME JANE ANDREZZI ROBERT RUSTERMIER
MICHELE AUCCOIN THERESA GIRARD* EVELINE LUPPI* BOB RIZZO LINNEA LEEMING* RACHEL BRASK HUTCHINSON

*PROVIDENCE ART CLUB MEMBERS

SHOW WILL RUN UNTIL JUNE - TO SCHEDULE A VIEWING, PLEASE CONTACT NICK PACIOREK AT 401.641.5125



RISD Craft 2022

Saturday, June 4

10am - 4pm

RISD Craft returns for their 2022 Spring Sale! Always a community favorite event, the sale features work from over 130 RISD artists. Make sure to mark your calendar!

Foxborough Street Painting Festival

Saturday, May 14 | Patriot Place

Join in the celebration of community art at this year's Street Painting Festival! This year's theme is 'Storytime', and all participating artists will receive a 5 x 5 inch square. Register for your own online at foxboroughstreetpainting.com.