

Bios - Nominees and Board Members with New Terms

Carol Beagan: Exhibiting Artist (AR), Resident (RE), 2004

First 3-year Term

A career school art teacher who has co-taught PAC Open Studio (without pay) for almost two decades. Dedicated to expanding workshop opportunities for Club artists with talented New England artists. Knowledgeable about the Club's culture and history and works effectively with all levels of leadership. Past member of the Education Committee.

Lisa Browning: Patron (PA), Resident (RE), 2021

First 3-year Term

As a registered dietitian and nutritionist, she consults with doctors on the power of food to address health challenges and regularly volunteers her skills at the RI Free Clinic. She takes art classes and has worked effectively with the Club leadership and Chef to expand menu options. Member of the Cafe Committee.

Wayne Franklin*: Patron (PA), Resident (RE), 2020

First 3-year Term

Retired Rabbi of Temple Emanu-El in Providence. Experienced in both institutional and human resource management and increasingly engaged in diverse PAC activities. In addition to taking painting classes, he is a member of the Bannister Community Project and also of the Education and Nominating Committees.

* To avoid any conflict of interest, Franklin recused himself from final voting of the Nominating Committee.

Brent Runyon: Arts Professional (ARP), Resident (RE), 2015

First 3-year Term

Retired from leadership of the Providence Preservation Society and now pursuing a career in real estate with a special interest in historic properties. Extensive experience in Board management and nonprofit best practices, including strategic planning and development. Member of the Property Committee.