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## April 2020 Newsletter

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**The NBAL Gallery and classrooms are closed until further notice.**

### From Our President



Hello to our NBAL Members and to our New World. I sure hope you are staying well and are able to acclimate to being homebound. I am trying.

This newsletter might be a small one but it doesn't mean that we are not working for you. Bills have to be paid, artists have to be paid (Yea!) and we have to plan for our reopening, whenever that happens. As of today, we will be closed until May 4th.

We are broken hearted to report that the Executive Board and the Show Chairs have cancelled the Iconic NB Show. We are asking all of the members and artists in the community to save their beautiful work for the Texas Show. Hopefully the submission date on the schedule will be a good one. Please keep an ear (and eye) out for any changes that might come to your E mail. The Youth Show will stay up until the Private Show scheduled for June 1.

In regards to the decorations on the front of the NBAL, about two months ago, the NB Chamber and City, asked us to decorate our storefront with the items that the first settlers in NB might have used to celebrate their new settlement. That meant cedar, cedar boughs, Spanish moss, flags of the US and of Texas. This was in preparation for the anniversary celebration to take place on March 20. As you know all of that was cancelled. The decorations on the front of the building were designed and arranged by Nanette Scranton and her committee. Kudos to them for a rustic look on our storefront.

Take heart, keep smiling and keep creating beautiful work; we will get through this and come out on the other side feeling good that we all did the right thing.

Create something beautiful!

Kathy Perales

## Treasurer's Report February 2020

Top Ten Sellers: Linda Stiles, Mary McIntosh, Brent McCarthy, Barbara Blaschke, Leola Jahns, Pam Pohl, Nell Anderson, Brigitte Saidi, Janet Avery, Nanette Scranton

Total Sales: March 2020	\$ 3291.25
March 2019	\$ 6578.68

22 artists sold a total of 29 pieces with an average price of \$114. The highest priced item was \$ 475.00.

A detailed financial report of the Art League balances is furnished to the Board monthly and is available to anyone upon request.

**Congratulations again to Mary McIntosh, NBAL Artist of the Year, who has a fabulous article in the Herald-Zeitung's New Braunfels Monthly distributed on March 29, 2020.**

## 2020 Workshops

**May 15 – 17, Kath Macaulay - Pocket Sketching** NBAL Members \$350, Non-Members \$380 plus \$45 supply fee payable to Kath. All Supplies included.

**Sept 18 – 20, Holly Hunter Berry - Passionate Purposeful Painting (Acrylics)** NBAL Members \$350, Non-Members \$380.

**Dec 10 – 13, Joan Fullerton - Contemporary Approaches to Self-Expression (Acrylics)** NBAL Members \$465, Non-Members \$495.

**To Register:** Make checks payable to NBAL. Be sure to put the workshop you will be taking, your phone number, and your email address on the check. Mail checks to: Sandy Oberg, 1400 Greystone Drive, New Braunfels, TX 78132.

**NOTE: The balance of the workshop is due 30 days before the workshop date.**

**Refunds will only be issued if you cancel 30 days before the workshop date.**

Contact Sandy Oberg at [oberglabs@gmail.com](mailto:oberglabs@gmail.com) or (210) 861-0751 with questions about workshops. See more about these workshops at [www.newbraunfelsartleague.org](http://www.newbraunfelsartleague.org).

## Ongoing Classes

### Bower Classroom:

**Al Slavin - Oil Painting Class**, Tuesdays 6 - 9 pm. Cost: 6 week sessions \$175 plus \$18 studio fee. Contact Al at (210) 287-5785 or email [slavin@msn.com](mailto:slavin@msn.com).

**Jennifer Leslie – Facilitator - Portrait Group**, 1st Tuesday of each month, 1- 4 pm. Cost: \$3 studio fee. Contact Jennifer at (512) 636-3531 or email [rklunk@twc.com](mailto:rklunk@twc.com).

**Myra Knapp - Oil Painting Class**, Thursdays 10 am -- 2:30 pm. Cost: 6 week sessions \$175, plus \$18 studio fee. Contact Myra at (830) 481-3361 or email [kattknapp@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kattknapp@sbcglobal.net). A supply list will be sent to new students.

**Wednesday Watercolor Group** Wednesdays 9 am – 12 pm. Cost: \$3 studio fee. We paint and help each other. All mediums **except oils**. Everyone is welcome.

**Vie Dunn-Harr - Painting and Problem Solving**, All Mediums **except oils**. 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month, 1:15 to 4:15 pm and 6 - 9 pm. Cost: \$70 plus \$6 monthly studio fee for either afternoon or evening session. Contact Vie at (210) 532-8036 or email [vie@dunn-harrstudios.com](mailto:vie@dunn-harrstudios.com).

**Eilen Thedford - Acrylic: Exploring Techniques**, Mondays 9 am to 12 pm. Cost: 6 week sessions \$150 plus \$18 studio fee. Contact Eilen at (817) 368-4637 or email [eilen@paintingsbyeilen.com](mailto:eilen@paintingsbyeilen.com)

**Eilen Thedford - Drawing: Time to Draw**, Mondays 1 - 4 pm, Cost: \$150 plus \$18 studio fee. Contact Eilen at (817) 368-4637 or email [eilen@paintingsbyeilen.com](mailto:eilen@paintingsbyeilen.com).

**Mary Shepherd – Facilitator - Watercolor Class**, 2nd Wednesday of the month, 1 - 4 pm. Cost: \$10 plus \$3 studio fee. Watercolor and acrylic only. Contact Mary at (830) 336-4001 or email [mshepard@gvtc.com](mailto:mshepard@gvtc.com).

### Downstairs Backroom/ Kitchen Area:

**Trace Guthrie - Clay Sculpture**, Thursdays 1 - 4 pm. Cost: \$20 plus \$3 studio fee for each session. No commitment for consecutive classes, pay as you go! Contact Trace at (210) 219-3864 or email [tguthrie7@gmail.com](mailto:tguthrie7@gmail.com).

**Anne McCoy - Watercolor**, Mondays 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Contact Anne at (830) 629-6836.

## Memorial Classroom:

**Lynette Clauser - Pastels Beg./Intermediate Classes for Adults**, Tuesdays 9 am – 12 pm. Cost: 5 weeks \$170, includes studio fee. Optional supply fee: \$30. Class and kits are limited to 6 students. Basic supply list or kit rentals available upon registration. Session 3: April 28 - May 26. Contact Lynette at email [lynette@artmatterstoday.com](mailto:lynette@artmatterstoday.com).

**Lynette Clauser - Mixed Media Art Journaling**, Wednesdays 1 - 4 pm. Cost: 6 weeks \$185, includes studio fee and all supplies. Session 3: April 29 - June 3. Contact Lynette at email [lynette@artmatterstoday.com](mailto:lynette@artmatterstoday.com).

**Frances Fontaine - Acrylic/Oil Painting**, Tuesdays 1 - 4 pm. Cost: 6 weeks \$150 plus \$18 studio fee. Jan 7 - Feb 11. Contact Frances at (318) 773-7732 or email [franfontaine3@gmail.com](mailto:franfontaine3@gmail.com).

**Rebekah Helton - Intro to Lightroom**, Mondays 5:30 - 8 pm. Cost: 6 week sessions \$180 plus \$18 studio fee. Session 3: April 20 - June 1 (no class May 25). Session 4: June 15 – July 20. Session 5: Aug. 3 – Sept. 14 (no class Sept. 7). Session 6: Oct. 26 – Dec. 7 (no class Nov. 23). Contact Rebekah at email [rebekah@rebekahhelton.com](mailto:rebekah@rebekahhelton.com).

**Rebekah Helton - Beginning iPhone Artistry**, One day classes, Saturdays 10:30 am - 4:30 pm. Cost: \$95 plus \$3 studio fee. Limit: 5 students. May 9, June 13, July 11, Aug. 15, Sept. 12, Oct. 17, Nov. 14, Dec. 12. Contact Rebekah at email [rebekah@rebekahhelton.com](mailto:rebekah@rebekahhelton.com).

**Rebekah Helton - Foundations of Digital Photography**, Thursdays 5:30 - 8 pm. Cost: 6 week sessions \$175 plus \$18 studio fee. Session 3: April 23 - May 28. Session 4: June 18 - July 23. Session 5: Aug. 6 – Sept. 10. Session 6: Oct. 29 – Dec. 10 (no class Nov 26). Contact Rebekah at email [rebekah@rebekahhelton.com](mailto:rebekah@rebekahhelton.com).

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