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# POMONA VALLEY ART ASSOCIATION

DEC 2015

## PVAA 2016 Board of Directors Nominations and Installation

You will find below the list of your PVAA Board of Directors. The nomination, voting and installation dates are show below.

### DECEMBER 11

Deadline for receipt of nominations. If you, or someone you know would like to serve on the Board, the name must be received via eMail ([dmarkofski@hotmail.com](mailto:dmarkofski@hotmail.com)) or post-marked by this date. The BOD member requirements and qualifications can also be obtained by either eMail (preferred) or mail.

### DECEMBER 18

Ballots for the 2016 Board of Directors will be dutifully sent to all PVAA members for their vote.

### DECEMBER 28

Ballots will need to be postmarked by this date or received via eMail ([dmarkofski@hotmail.com](mailto:dmarkofski@hotmail.com)).

### JANUARY 16

Installation of your 2016 board of Directors at the PVAA Annual meeting to be held at Gallery SOHO 3-5 pm.

### PVAA BOARD MEMBERS AND POSITIONS:

President - Jerius Williams

Vice President - Kathleen McCall

Treasurer - Chris Porter

Membership - Linda Hauser (**Open in January**)

Recording Secretary - Kassidee Williamsen

Board Members At Large

*e-Mail:* [dmarkofski@hotmail.com](mailto:dmarkofski@hotmail.com)

*Mailing Address:* ATTN: Don Markofski-Nomination  
Chair, Gallery SOHO-Montclair Place,  
2027 Montclair Plaza Lane, Montclair, CA 91763

**PVAA  
Annual  
Holiday  
Boutique!**  
December 12th  
Great Opportunity to Purchase  
Innovative and Creative Holiday Gifts.  
10:30 am to  
4:00 pm  
The Holiday Boutique is located at the PVAA Gallery SOHO  
in the Montclair Place (FORMERLY MONTCLAIR  
PLAZA), 2nd level near Nordstroms.

## Welcome NEW MEMBERS

Roxanne Tamberen • Emily Anne Bachelder  
Chelsee Colombo • Christa Nottingham  
Aaron Gutierrez • Arianna Nalbach • Alicia Cyrus  
Larissa Shen • Carol Sigafoos  
Lucas Greer • Joe & Lynnette Anderson  
Connie Liataud • Emily Christopher  
Doris (Zichun) Wang • Tracy L Crites • Thomas Morgan  
Steve Hill • Bruce Davis • Andrea Lee

## RSVP for the 2016 PVAA Annual Meeting

Join us at our 2016 Annual Meeting at Montclair Place on Saturday, January 16th from 3pm-5pm.

We will be hosting a reception and an opportunity for all PVAA members to thank our outgoing board members, to vote and welcome the 2016 board. In addition, information and planning for the upcoming year will be on the agenda.

For your convenience, you can RSVP online at PVAAAnnualMeeting2016@gmail.com or by mail at PVAA Annual Meeting, P.O. Box 932, Claremont, CA 91711. We request your reply no later than January 6, 2016.

Several mall merchants and local businesses have donated appetizer samples and gift certificates for the reception and raffle. We encourage your patronage to those who so generously support Pomona Valley Art Association.

### Local Merchants

Linco Picture Framing      Frame-Art  
326 W Arrow Hwy      8653 Baseline Rd  
San Dimas, CA 91773      Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

Aaron Bothers      Purvis Gallery of Design  
8831 Central Ave      257 N 2nd Ave  
Montclair, CA 91753      Upland, CA 91785

Artisan's Picture Framing      Bunny Gunner  
8900 Benson Ave, #D      254 W Bonita Ave  
Montclair, CA 91763      Claremont, CA 91711

### Montclair Place Merchants

Café Nordstrom      Panda Express  
Starbucks      JCB Refreshments  
Auntie Anne's Pretzels      Hot Dog On A Stick  
Great Khan's BBQ      Cinnabon  
See's Candies

Drop us a note in the collaboration box located at Gallery SOHO to share your ideas for the upcoming year. Be sure to leave your contact info if you are available to champion your ideas. Your voice is encouraged and welcomed.

**Imagine... Collaborate... Create... PVAA**

## Linda Garcia-Dahle's Painting Purchased by The Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History

PVAA member Linda Garcia-Dahle recently had an oil painting titled "Moss Landing" purchased by the Pacific



Grove Museum of Natural History located in Pacific Grove, California. The painting will go on permanent display in the Bird Gallery to help show the environment of certain birds living in the Elkhorn Slough.

## FaceBook Page For Members to Sell and/or Buy Stuff!



There's a NEW FaceBook page for all members to sell, buy or trade Art Stuff. You can launch it from the PVAA FaceBook and it's easy to set up your sale.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/PVAABuySell/>

### We want to hear from you!

**Whats going on in your art world!**

Share your accomplishments and exhibits with members. Email your information to Don at [dmarkofski@hotmail.com](mailto:dmarkofski@hotmail.com)



## HEY KIDS! Ornament Painting Workshop and Face Painting!

offered by Renee Matter and  
Kass Maura. Paint your own Christmas Tree  
ornaments to give as a gift or keep for yourself!

**Ornament painting - ONLY \$25 per child**  
(ages 7-10, must be accompanied by adult)  
includes 2 plastic ornaments and all supplies  
Adult Face painting - \$2-\$5

**Date: December 5, 2015**  
**Time: 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.**  
**Location: Gallery SOHO**  
(Montclair Place, 2nd level near Nordstrom)

Please see gallery host for sign up sheet.  
Space is limited, so sign up now!

If you have question, please email  
Renee Matter at: figitm126@aol.com

## Demonstrators Needed for Our Gallery SOHO!

### The Joys of Demonstrating

The many joys of demonstrating your craft as an artist may be too numerous to mention in a brief article. The admiration and compliments received from passers by can be a real boost to ones' ego. Certainly the occasional comments something like..."I wish I could do that, you're really talented" are very nice to hear. I received encouragement from those that stopped by during a demonstration and actually worked out new solutions to problems from what I was saying to the people about my artwork. Now that's rewarding.



### Unfounded Fears Are Quickly Overcome.

I discovered that the fear of making a mistake and embarrassing myself was based on a mis-perception. Even when I made a mistake, those viewing the demonstration had no idea that anything was wrong. In fact they, thought what I was doing was marvelous. I was the only one who knew it was a mistake!

### No Social Skills Required.

I also discovered it took no social skills to talk about what I was doing, what I hoped to accomplish and to answer questions they might have. In fact it was easy to talk about my inspiration and creative desires for the demonstration I was accomplishing. It was like telling someone else this wonderful new thing I found because I wanted that person to know how they too could experience similar joys from painting or drawing.

### Experience the joys of demonstrating!

You can experience the seemingly endless joys of demonstrating. Contact Kathleen McCall via eMail today at [kathleen.mccall@mac.com](mailto:kathleen.mccall@mac.com) and schedule your demonstration session at SOHO. It's that easy.



## Join Sylvia Megerdichian's Monday Open Studio In Upland.

A Place for Friends to Gather, Be Inspired, and Create Art in a peaceful and supportive environment. Appropriate for all painting levels. Call or e-mail Sylvia for more information.

### ART BOX STUDIO

Every Monday from 9:30 am - 2 pm.  
1302 MONTE VISTA, STE. 9  
UPLAND, CA 91786 / Ph: 909-981-4508  
[artboxsylvia@netzero.net](mailto:artboxsylvia@netzero.net)

## 2015 Gallery SOHO Monthly Theme DECEMBER



### THEME: Weather

December 6th to January 8th  
Take-In: Sat., Dec. 5, 11am - 2pm  
Pick Up: January 9th 2016

*The Monthly Open Art Show conditions for entry, exhibiting & sales can be found on the association website at [www.pvaa.net](http://www.pvaa.net)*

## Michi and Ike Ikeda Featured Artists at 2nd Story Gallery

The husband and wife team of Minoru (Ike) and Michiko (Michi) Ikeda are the featured artists for the monthly showing of the 2nd Story Art Gallery in San Dimas.

The gallery is in the Walker House, 121 N. San Dimas Ave., San Dimas. The last day for the show is December 5th from 1 to 4 pm.

Michi works in watercolors and took workshops from renowned local artist Milford Zornes. Ike, a retired civil engineer, works in plein-air painting.



*Local artists are invited to exhibit their artwork at the renowned Walker House when the San Dimas Festival of Arts hosts its monthly 2nd Story Gallery. Prospective exhibitors are juried into the gallery which is located at 121 N. San Dimas Ave. Admission is free and refreshments are served. For more information, call 909-599-5374.*



## AMAZON Revenue FOR PVAA

Just a reminder to shop at [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com), Pomona Valley Art Association Inc could increase its AmazonSmile donations.

Support us when you shop this holiday

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## PVAA Members Accepted into The International Watercolor West Juried Exhibition

Paintings by PVAA members, JoAnn Formia, Setsuko Okubo and Jan Wright are proudly displayed at the prestigious Watercolor West 47th Annual Exhibition. The show runs until December 13th at the City of Brea Art Gallery.

Since Setsuko Okubo has now been accepted in the exhibition three times, she is now designated a Signature Members of Watercolor West. Congatulations to Setsuko.

## Urban Landscape Exhibition Announces Call For Entries

Urban Riche Gallery announces a call to artists for an online art exhibition, January 1-31, 2016.

\$500 for Best-in-Show,  
\$250 for Runner-



Up. Featured Artist interviews for top 4 Finalists. Finalists displayed on Exhibition page. Open to all artists 18+ except where prohibited. \$30 for 3 images. \$5 for each additional image. Deadline: December 17, 2015. Visit website for prospectus. Questions? Please contact the Gallery Team at [urbanriche@gmail.com](mailto:urbanriche@gmail.com)