



October 2018

BRAZOS VALLEY ART LEAGUE NEWSLETTER

MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS



Plan to join us at the next membership meeting on

Monday, October 1st!
12:00-1:00pm

DeGallery
702 University Dr E #102D
College Station

September's demo will feature Greta Watkins. She will discuss the various properties of archival mattes and glasses used in framing fine art for exhibiting and judging.

MEMBERSHIP...JOIN OR RENEW TODAY!

It's that time again...time to renew your BVAL membership! This renew is more important than ever as BVAL searches for a new home. There are multiple levels of membership: individual, family, student and business. Your help in expanding our membership is greatly appreciated and will help our organization grow and strengthen.

The Brazos Valley Art League is a nonprofit, volunteer organization open to all. Members receive monthly BVAL Newsletters, may attend and vote at General Meetings, and may participate in all Member Shows. Dues are \$45 annually. Payable by check or PayPal and must be accompanied by a current membership application.

[Join or Renew Now](#)

BVAL News...

BVAL Fall Member Only Show

When: December 7, 6-8:00pm

Where: Voices for Children
115 N. Main Street
Bryan, TX

Deadline: November 16 - Image submissions and applications.

Notification of acceptance: November 30

Intake: December 7, 12-2:00pm

More details soon.



October 18, 2018

6:00pm to 9:00pm

Every third Thursday of the month,
Downtown Bryan
businesses showcase local art and
artists.



Wednesday Painters will now
meet at **Hobby Lobby**
each Wednesday from 9am to
4pm starting September 5th.
Artists meet there at their own
discretion and whenever
they get the chance. There's
no formality - simply show up
and paint.

Boonville Days: Texas Heritage Festival 2018

Join the Brazos Valley Museum of Natural
History on October 13, 2018 for
the ANNUAL BOONVILLE DAYS ~ Texas
Heritage Festival!

Bring the entire family to enjoy this
celebration of our heritage from 9 am to 4
pm. Activities will take place both inside the
Museum and on the Brazos Center
grounds. This year also marks the **10TH
ANNUAL BUFFALO STAMPEDE HALF
MARATHON AND 5K RACE** at 7:30 am
starting at the Brazos Center and
the **CHUCK WAGON COOK-OFF** on
Friday and Saturday! Come join in the
race fun, and afterwards bring the entire
family to celebrate the history of the
Brazos Valley at Brazos County's only
heritage fair!

Those interested in volunteering or being
a re-enactor for Boonville Days, please
contact the Museum at (979)776-2195 or
email:
events@brazosvalleymuseum.org.

The Brazos Valley Art League Begins Search for a New Home

The Brazos Valley Art League (BVAL) and the Arts Council of Brazos Valley
have shared a building and worked together for several years. However, in
March, the Arts Council announced plans to relocate to another site in College
Station and that BVAL would not move with them. As a result, the Brazos Valley
Art League finds itself in need of a new home that will allow the BVAL to meet
the needs of its members and the community by holding meetings, presenting
workshops, providing art education, and hosting art shows.

We do have a dispute with the Arts Council over \$100,000 paid to the Arts
Council. However, that dispute is "on hold" while both organizations arrange for
new locations. Respecting the privacy of both parties, we will not discuss the
dispute.

We are actively searching for a new location for BVAL to call home. We wish the Arts Council well in their new location.

Questions may be addressed to Nancy Schaan, President of the BVAL.

[Donate to BVAL](#)

Looking for a way to get more involved in the art league?

BVAL has an opening on the board for Recording Secretary. Contact Nancy Schaan for more information.

[Get Involved with BVAL](#)

Member News...

Charles Wallis at The Village Cafe

Charles will be showing a collection of modern impressionist landscapes at The Village for their 10th Anniversary beginning with the reception during Art Step on October 18th and running through November 13. It will be feature both oil and acrylic paintings ranging from 36X36 to 8X10.



Now showing...

Downtown Uncorked

Jane & Kenneth Manthei

Perrine Winery.

Chris Rogers

Brazos Center Display

Poul and Joanne Onderko

If you would like to exhibit your art or have a venue you would like local art featured, please click [here](#) to contact Karen Bigley, BVAL Exhibits Chair.

President's Palette

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Will summer ever be over?? Maybe! I just returned from a long road trip which included the Canadian Rockies and all the natural beauty you can imagine!

As we get back to our routines, we plan to focus on the "ART". We will soon communicate the details of our BVAL Member Show Fall/Winter 2018. You still have time to work on new art to submit, it will be a fun show.

Please share your art, your passion, your joy with BVAL. We hope you will join us at a monthly meeting, and/or an event to enjoy and celebrate local art and artists. Be inspired, be the inspiration! Join us!

We welcome visitors to our monthly meetings and hope you will become a member of BVAL!



*Nancy Schaan
BVAL President*

"To create one's own world in any art takes courage." Georgia O'Keefe

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