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# Arty Facts

Newsletter of the **Huachuca Art Association, Inc.**

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GALLERY HOURS ~ Tuesday-Saturday 11 AM - 5 PM

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Gallery will be closing early @ 3 PM on December 24th and will be CLOSED December 25th & January 1st



## *This Month's Featured Art*

Holiday Gifts, Cards, Ornaments & Winter Themed Art

*Please join us for a reception at the gallery!*

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 3-5 PM**

Enjoy treats while shopping this year's Holiday collection.

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## **UPCOMING**

- Sat, Dec. 7th: Featured Art Reception, SHOP LOCAL FOR YOUR HOLIDAY GIFTS!, 3-5 PM
- Sun, Dec. 8th: Huachuca Art Association Christmas Party, 12:30 PM
- Mon, Dec. 9th: **NO Board Meeting!**
- Sat, Dec. 14th: All Alcohol Inks w/Darlene Wilkinson, 10 AM-12 PM

## **WEEKLY CLASSES NO CLASSES ON DEC. 24TH & 25TH!**

- Tuesdays 9 AM-12 PM, Oil Painting Class w/Joanne Berry
- Tuesdays & Wednesdays 4-5 PM, Kids Art Classes w/Nathaniel Zoret-Russell
- Most Saturdays, HAA Plein Air Group w/Nathaniel Zoret-Russell, text Nathan @ 925-667-0314



*Take a Look at This Month's Featured Art and Gifts*

Through December, shop local for your Holiday gifts, cards and decor!





# • *A Letter From Our President*, Naomi Blackwell

Greetings Artyfolks!

It's that time again; another year is nearly over, and the winter holiday season is upon us! The annual HAA Christmas party will be taking place at the gallery on Dec 8th at 12:30 , and at that point in time we will be voting for new board members, so please attend if you can. There will be a potluck, so if you would like to bring something please do; however due to the potential for allergic reactions, we do ask that you not bring anything containing shellfish.

We will not be having a featured artist in December; instead the featured artist space will be filled with all things Winter themed, so bring your most seasonally appropriate work.

As we will be soon beginning another year, that means that your HAA dues will be, well, due soon. This is only the first of several reminders I will be giving, because if any of you are in any way like me, then the more reminders the better.

Finally, I would like to say that I appreciate each and every one of you who participate to make our little gallery and Art association the place that it is, and work to keep the creativity flowing.

Happy Holidays to all of you, and I'll see you in 2025!

*Naomi B.*

HAA President

# Classes & Workshops

OUR CALENDAR OF EVENTS, CLASSES & WORKSHOPS IS ALSO AVAILABLE ONLINE AT OUR WEBSITE & ON FACEBOOK



## **ALCOHOL INKS** with Darlene Wilkinson

BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED

**Saturday, November 9th**

10 AM - 12 PM    **\$20**

In this class we will start from the beginning, explore the middle and learn to master the technique of alcohol inks, by the end.

*All Materials Provided.*

**Register at the Gallery or call Darlene at 540-308-0993**

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Art By Student  
Karen Broussard

## **WEEKLY OIL PAINTING**

with Joanne Berry

**Tuesday's 9 AM - 12 PM --- \$60 for 4 Classes**

**Register at the Gallery or Call Joanne  
(520) 249-8395**

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## **HAA PLEIN AIR GROUP**

with Nathaniel Zoret-Russell

**On Most Saturdays**

*Come join us "in the open air" and capture the spirit and essence of a landscape or subject by incorporating natural light, color and movement into your works.*

**To confirm the date and time or if you have any interest or questions, text Nathan @ 925 667 0314**



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# YOUTH ART CLASSES !

Instructed by Nathaniel Zoret-Russell

**Tuesdays and Wednesdays  
from 4pm - 5pm**

*All Ages Welcome*

**All Materials Included - Drop Ins Welcome!**

*No Registration Required*

**FIRST CLASS FREE!**

\$12 for the first student, \$10 for each additional student.

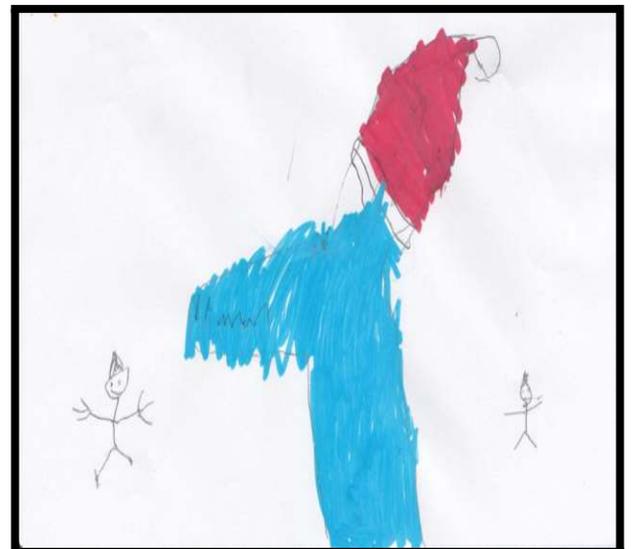
Purchase a punch card of 10 classes for \$100  
ESA reimbursement approved.

*Students will be taught various elements of art and receive one on one coaching to help guide them to make their visions a reality.*



Email [zoret.nathan@gmail.com](mailto:zoret.nathan@gmail.com) with any questions.

*Happy Holidays!*



# Member News & Information

## **MEMBERS ONLY OPEN STUDIO**

Every Thursday and Friday  
from 11 AM - 4 PM in the Studio.  
Join other members to work on your projects.  
Bring a lunch if you'd like!

## **WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE A FEATURED ARTIST???**

If so, please contact Sue Ziegler at  
520-803-0087 or [sueonly6@gmail.com](mailto:sueonly6@gmail.com).

**Friendly Reminder** If you are an upcoming featured artist; or will be teaching a class or workshop; or have any other information you would like to share with the association and art community please email your information to the Arty Facts Editor by the **15th** of the previous month that your information needs to be published. **For example:** If you are May's featured artist, please email your portrait, pictures of your art and your bio by April 15th!

*Thank You, Nicole Shelton, Arty Facts Editor* [ncshelton84@gmail.com](mailto:ncshelton84@gmail.com) ~ 520-508-3705

The **Warrior Healing Center** is still looking for artists to volunteer to teach at the center and to hang their artwork in the halls. If you are interested or would like more information please call Sue Thatcher at 520-266-4508.

## **Workshops & Classes**

If you are interested in teaching one, please call Darlene Wilkinson at 540-308-0993 or email her at [artsydarlene@gmail.com](mailto:artsydarlene@gmail.com).

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**FRIENDLY REMINDER:** Board meetings are held on the second Monday of the month at 10 AM.

## **MEMBER WEBSITES**

<b>Robert Harris</b>	<a href="http://www.lionsgatephoto.com">www.lionsgatephoto.com</a>	<b>Phil Micheau</b>	<a href="http://www.alberta.smugmug.com">www.alberta.smugmug.com</a>
<b>Doug Hocking</b>	<a href="http://www.doughocking.com">www.doughocking.com</a>	<b>Leta Myers</b>	<a href="http://www.letasgallery.com">www.letasgallery.com</a>
<b>Ruth Ann LeFebvre</b>	<a href="http://www.ralefebvre.com">www.ralefebvre.com</a>	<b>Yvonne Navarro</b>	<a href="http://www.yvonnenavarro.com">www.yvonnenavarro.com</a>
<b>Robert Luedtke</b>	<a href="http://www.luedtkefineart.com">www.luedtkefineart.com</a>	<b>Roderick Stevens</b>	<a href="http://www.yesitsapainting.com">www.yesitsapainting.com</a>
<b>Cindi Mapes</b>	<a href="http://www.designsbycindi.com">www.designsbycindi.com</a>	<b>Deb Warner</b>	<a href="http://www.cochiseartists.com">www.cochiseartists.com</a>

Extra helpers are always welcome on Hanging Day! Several 2 person crews to help hang and arrange table art help the day go smoothly. If you can help, please stop by the studio on Hanging Day.

**Let's spread the joy of art and add more FREE classes on the schedule for the kids in our community!** Please sign up with Darlene Wilkinson (540-308-0993 or [artsydarlene@gmail.com](mailto:artsydarlene@gmail.com)) if you are willing to teach a workshop or class for the youth in our community, at no cost to you. Thanks to a generous donation in memory of Gail Klien we are able to offer this program and pay our artists for their time.

# HAA BOARD MEMBERS AND STAFF

<b>President</b> Naomi Blackwell	520-732-8906	naomi.blackwell@gmail.com
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# Gallery, Studio & Gift Shop

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520-803-1078

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1835 Paseo San Luis  
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635



## HAA Library

### *The Dale Boatman Collection*

Members only may borrow two books for two weeks at a time. Children under 18 may borrow books if an adult member signs for the book(s).

Renewals are available.

Please treat the books with TLC!

**Library donations of recent publications are most welcome!**

### ~ FOR ALARM ~

Please call Lois Bravo (425-218-2686)  
As an alternative, please call Wendy Curtiss (505-401-9386)

# HAA Annual Members Christmas Party Potluck

**Sunday, December 8th @ 12:30 PM**

**DON'T FORGET A DISH OR DESSERT TO SHARE**  
*(No Shellfish Please)*

*Family and Friends Welcome!*



## HAA Ballot 2024

### HAA BOARD ELECTION - December, 2024

Please check members to be retained or elected to the Board.

- Naomi Blackwell..... Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- Lois Bravo..... Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- Gabrielle Lafargue..... Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- Joan Sarraf..... Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- Bill Citera..... Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- Robert Harris..... Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Ballots may be dropped off at the gallery, or mailed to the HAA at: 1835 Paseo San Luis, Sierra Vista AZ 85635, but they must be received by Sunday, December 8. Ballots will also be available at the gallery and at the Annual Meeting/Christmas Party held on that day

**The Ballot is also available online at [huachuca-art.com](http://huachuca-art.com) to print from your computer.**