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(from the book “Art & Fear” by David Bales & Ted Orland)

Board Meeting March 10, 2016
General Meeting March 17, 2016
(Refreshments and Clean-Up provided by: Cheryl Hipke, Sandy Essex, Karen DeFelix, and Barbara Omerod)
7:00pm Refreshments and Socializing
7:30pm Meeting and Presentation

PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

We are family—
a group of people who are affiliated through art.
We welcome visitors and newcomers—
just as we were once welcomed.
We use our talents to benefit others.
We give back to our community.
We celebrate together. We honor our nonagenarians.
We hold dear those who are suffering.
We mourn for those we have lost.

Thank you for all you do
to advance artistic achievement through NCAA

Warm regards,
Barbara J. Omerod
President, NCAA

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP AWARDED

On the occasion of her 90th birthday in 2015, NCAA is pleased
to award Honorary Membership to Estelle Lantzy of Grantville, GA. Congratulations from all of us at NCAA! Wishing Estelle a most beautiful 10th decade in life. Bless!

A note of thanks...

We received a “thank you” from Ellie Farrington regarding all the thoughtful and loving notes and other gestures of kindness you have shown her these past few months when she has been ailing. Although not quite herself, she is moving in that direction these days, but please don’t stop praying. You may know she has moved from her split level home to Brookside Senior Living on Millard Farmer Industrial Blvd where she has a ground floor apartment 113 in the Independent Living section and LOVES it.

NCAA 2016 OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

President – Barbara Omerod
Vice President – Tammy Troyer
Treasurer – Karen DeFelix
Recording Secretary – Donna Parker
Parliamentarian – Pam Trued
Corresponding Secretary – Cheryl Hipke

Board Members:
Fred Buyarski (Membership Chairman)
Eric Strother (Webmaster)
Sylvia Anderson
Sandy Essex

Faitte Bucks & Bures! Oh, so lucky to know you...

Happy St. Patrick’s Day!

Just a reminder...

2016 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

NCAA memberships are annual and valid for the calendar year. January is typically membership renewal month. As a valuable asset to our organization, we invite you to renew your membership, either online via PayPal or using a printed application. We depend on each other in so many ways. To those who have already renewed, thank you for supporting art, in all its forms, which brings beauty into the world and into each other’s lives!
MARCH 17th MEETING
GUEST SPEAKER — SILVIA FEENAGHTY
"Wearing of the Green"
www.artbysilvia.com

Silvia Garcia-Carreras Feenaghty, a native of the island of Cuba, has lived in Georgia since 1961 and in Peachtree City since 1969. She started painting as a teenager, with training in Ottawa, Canada, and later in her native Cuba while acquiring a Home Economics degree with a Minor in Arts. She has attended classes in the past with many local and national artists but had set aside her brushes for a period of at least 20 years while her children were growing and later on while working in her husband's accounting firm.

Silvia took up her art again after retirement, and refined her craft under the guidance of well-known, accomplished, and award winning artists: the late Tom Powers in Newnan, GA; Pam Hardin in Tyrone, GA; the late Helen Hayes in Newnan, GA; and Marlin Adams in Barnesville, GA. After having concentrated her efforts as an Oil painter, Silvia is now experimenting with Oil Pastels. Many of Silvia's paintings grace the homes of art patrons throughout the USA, Europe, Mexico and South America.

"I love to paint, and my inspiration is the world at large, God's creation. In my travels, I take photos, and they become the basis of my paintings."

Pictured here is one of her oil pastels entitled: "What a beauty of a bird"... and that, it surely is!

Member:
- Newnan Coweta Art Association (NCAA)
- Fayette Society of Fine Art (SOFA)
- Endowment Committee for Cultural Arts of Fayette County (ECCA)

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Newnan-Coweta Art Association and West Georgia Technical College Proudly Present

"CATALYST"
A Spring Art Show at West Georgia Tech Featuring Local Artists Greg Blair, Lydia Ellis, and Tiffany Thomas

Opening Reception ~ March 22, 2016
from 7:00 pm until 9:00 pm
with a presentation in the Community Room
Lydia Ellis will demonstrate "Plein Air" Painting
Exhibit will continue through April 29, 2016

West Georgia Technical College Coweta Campus
200 Campus Drive
Newnan, Georgia 30263

WORKSHOP
Learn the art of BAS RELIEF from Mindy Harrell
Saturday, April 23, 2016
10 am to 2 pm at the Art House

Link to Registration Form: mindyharrellworkshop

The only thing you need to bring is a lunch; Mindy will provide all your supplies. The fee is $30 per person for NCAA members and $55 per person for non-members. If you have any questions, call Bette Schumann at 770-251-8255.
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FEBRUARY DEMONSTRATOR
MICK BRANDENBERGER

“The Pros and Cons of Curvilinear Perspective”

Thank you, Mick, for sharing with us your creative vision and the "why" and "how" to use curvilinear perspective in painting.
www.brandenbergerfineart.com

And the winners are...
February 18th 'Friendship' Meeting
Drawing for a Complimentary 2016 NCAA Membership

Winning Guest: Andrew Gaillard
Members who brought Andrew: Jack & Sandy Essex

Many Congratulations! Woodturning is a unique skill, and we are delighted to welcome another woodturner to the House!

“What a great surprise,” says Andy, "on my first meeting with the group! I truly had joining the group in mind but didn’t think it would happen that way. Jack and Sandy are really special people and artists."

Andy graduated from Clemson University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Architecture Design in 1996. He worked for two prominent architecture firms in the upstate of South Carolina before moving to Georgia to pursue a career in graphic design and animation.

Over the past 16 years Andy has displayed his artistic interests outside of computers and technology through tactile forms of art - primarily wood carving and pyrography.

Andy’s most recent project was a replica Fenway Park Christmas ornament for an avid Red Sox fan. There is immense detail in the brick and store front windows and even a place to insert Christmas lights to light up the ticket gates, windows and giant Boston Red Sox baseball floating over the field.

Andy states: "I want to create and inspire. It gives me great pleasure to sketch an idea on paper and then transfer that idea into a tangible, three-dimensional object someone can cherish."

What a great artist statement! Welcome to NCAA!

12” x 12” wood burned cutting board depicting an artists' work
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GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

A general meeting of the Newnan-Coweta Art Association (“NCAA”) was called to order by President Barbara Omerod at 7:25 o’clock p.m., on Thursday, February 18, 2016, at the Art Association building.

President Barbara Omerod thanked Tammy Troyer, Gaye Lindquist and Tina Persons who provided refreshments.

President Omerod welcomed members and their guests at the ‘Friendship’ Meeting. Guests were asked to introduce themselves. Visitor Andy Gaillard’s name was drawn for a free 2016 NCAA membership and Jack Essex, the member who invited Andy, also received a free 2016 NCAA membership.

The January minutes, electronically distributed by the Recording Secretary, were approved and filed.

Fred Buyarski, acting Treasurer in Karen DeFelix’s absence, reported NCAA account balances, as follows:

- Value Checking (PP/FB Trx) $ 865.32
- Value Checking $ 4,178.57
- Business Savings $ 3,677.89; and
- Money Market $17,594.80.

The Treasurer’s report was approved and filed.

Fred Buyarski also reported there are 65 members paid, 24 memberships expired and a total of 137 members on the roster. He asked all members to pay their 2016 membership as soon as possible either by mail or utilizing PayPal.

OLD BUSINESS:

President Omerod reported that the 2016 Budget Committee consisting of Karen DeFelix, Fred Buyarski, Pam Trued and Barbara Omerod met. The 2016 budget was presented and approved by the Board.

President Omerod stated that there is nothing to report on Powers Crossroads at the present time.

President Omerod reported that the Association will present a $50 check payable to the Senoia Area Historical Society in memory of NCAA member Victor Dallas and a book, “Art-A Visual History” by Edgar Degas, will be presented to the Central Library in memory of NCAA member Elizabeth Royal.

Bette Schumann reported on the upcoming Mindy Harrell workshop to be held on April 23, 2016, 10AM-2PM, at the Art House. The cost is $30 for members and $55 for non-members with a maximum of 12 participants. Applications are available on the website: www.newcaa.com. Participants should bring their own lunch.

Bette Schumann also reported that the Calloway show is pending at the present time. A decision will be made this summer on the venue.

President Omerod asked for volunteers to assist in the revision and update of NCAA By-Laws. Anyone interested is asked to contact Tammy Troyer.

Rusty Sharpe reported that she will be changing out the exhibit at The Carnegie on Monday, March 7 at 8:30AM. Members were asked to contact Rusty and bring one piece if you plan to exhibit.

President Omerod reported that Jenny Jones met with Main Street Newnan regarding a pending Labor Day show.

Nancy Twomey reported that she will be participating at the STEAM Expo at the Fairgrounds where attendees will create bracelets.

NEW BUSINESS:

President Omerod reported that Don Nixon’s memorial service will be held on Sunday, February 21, at Central Baptists Church at 5PM. NCAA will contribute $50 to the “Donald W. Nixon Fund” benefitting the Patrons of the Centre. Due to the service, Ken Deward’s progressive art show and sale will be rescheduled for Tuesday, February 23 at 5PM.

President Omerod announced that Sylvia Fennaghty will be our guest speaker for March. Sylvia introduced herself and stated she will be demonstrating oil pastels.

Eric Strother presented the new NCAA logo which will be adopted and used in all future correspondence, etc.

President Omerod reported the Association will be purchasing a screen for presentations. The cost is $60 - $250. Any members who wish to donate were asked to contact President Omerod.

With no further business to be discussed, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm by President Barbara Omerod.

Tammy Troyer introduced the guest speaker, artist Mick Brandenberger, who gave a presentation on curvilinear perspective.

Respectfully submitted,
Tammy Troyer, acting Recording Secretary
**WELL DONE!**

**ELEANOR "HONEY" CORBIN — FINE ARTIST**

Arts Clayton Gallery
2016 Annual Juried Fine Art Show and Competition

In February, the Arts Clayton Gallery presented its 2016 Juried Fine Art Show & Competition. Four paintings by Honey Corbin were juried into the Show. One palette knife painting "Rain on the Lake" won 2nd prize along with a monetary award. Well done, Honey!

"Rain on the Lake" by Honey Corbin ~ palette knife, oil, 18 x 21

Honey joined NCAA in 2015, encouraged by artist Martin Pate with whom she has participated in his figure drawing classes. Subsequently, her painting "Chrome on the Range" was juried into the 2015 NCAA Juried Art Show held at The Centre for Performing and Visual Arts in Newnan, GA.

"I am a late blooming artist finally able to concentrate on my creativity after years of focusing on family needs. My wakening began..." read more at [www.honeycorbin.com](http://www.honeycorbin.com)

Awards & Honors include:

- Summa Cum Laude graduate of Mt. Aloysius College in fine art with minor in commercial art
- 2013 distinguished alumni award, Mt. Aloysius College
- Exhibited in juried shows in Arizona, Colorado, Pennsylvania and The Booth Western Art Museum, Cartersville, GA
- Painting selected for 2010 Southern Living Idea House, Senoia

Arts Clayton Gallery is located in a restored building in downtown Jonesboro. Arts Clayton Gallery founded in 1986 is a non-profit gallery exhibiting emerging and professional artists and housing a gift shop featuring ceramics, jewelry, fine art, textiles and other hand-made items. Arts Clayton is dedicated to enriching lives through art offering a variety of educational projects, art camps, the ArtVan, fine art exhibits and the performing arts. [http://www.artsclayton.org](http://www.artsclayton.org)

**MEMORIAL GIFTS**

"Art - A Visual History" by Edgar Degas has been donated by NCAA to Central Library - Coweta Public Library System in memory of Elizabeth Royal.

NCAA also presented a donation to the Senoia Area Historical Society (SAHS) in the amount of $50 in memory of our friend, Victor W. Dallas, Jr.
Newnan-Coweta Art Association NEWS

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Thinking of you

THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS TO...

June Chambers
condolences on the loss of your grandson.

Sandy Holcomb
on the loss of your father-in-law.

Sylvia Anderson
prayers for a full recovery; love surrounds you.

11th Annual Juried Art Show
Event Dates: June 7th - June 29th, 2016
Event Location: Centre for Performing Arts, Newnan
Stay tuned for a Call to Artists and more information

SPRING ART WALK
Friday, March 18th, 5 PM to 9 PM
Downtown Newnan

Join the merchants of Main Street for a spring evening of art and excitement. Stroll the streets and enjoy a walking gallery show. Visit each downtown store to view the works of different professional artists, such as:

- Martin Pate and his daughter, Bracey, will be located in front of The Redneck Gourmet
- South Metro Woodturners (Jack Essex, Ken Hamilton) will demo with moveable lathes at "Corner Arts Gallery" on March 18 & March 25
- Multiple Artists will be at "Fine Lines Art & Framing"
- Sandy Holcomb is the demonstrator at "Out of the Blue Debut Gallery & Studio"

Free public parking is available along downtown streets and in the City of Newnan’s Public Parking Lots.

1st MAKERS DAY ARTISAN EXPOSITION

Michael Sebacher, local blacksmith and Creative Director of the Artisan's Heritage Guild is about to see his vision of launching a folk art school come true! Generating interest, he invited local artisans and craftsmen to participate in the 1st Maker's Day event yesterday, March 12th, at the Old Mill Museum in Moreland. Several of NCAA's finest talent were amongst about two dozen more, and what a grand day it was! We have lots of photos to share (coming soon). In the meantime, check this out... front page of The Newnan Times Herald!

"Tammy Troyer creates a piece of pottery on her potter's wheel at Maker's Day on Saturday in Moreland. Maker's Day brought about two dozen local artisans and craftspeople to the Moreland Mill and environs. Weavers, blacksmiths, basket weavers, bonsai creators, wood turners, quilters, crocheters, flint knappers, sculptors and stained glass artists were among those showing their work. The event was sponsored by the newly-formed Artisans Heritage Guild and the Moreland Cultural Arts Alliance." ~ The Newnan Times Herald, Sunday, March 13, 2016
FUN STUFF AT THE ART HOUSE

Life Drawing with Martin Pate: Every Monday
7 pm - 8:30 pm

Paint-In with Karen DeFelix: Every Tuesday
New times! 10 am to 2 pm (formerly 11 am to 3 pm)
Bring your lunch. Paint-In continues in summer months.

Adults’ Pottery with Tammy Troyer: Every Tuesday
12 pm - 2 pm

Children’s Pottery with Tammy Troyer: Every Wednesday
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

Adults’ Pottery with Tammy Troyer: Every Saturday
9 am - 2 pm

Oil Painting with Cheryl Vickers: Every Thursday
2 pm - 4 pm

Children’s Art with Bette Hickman & Teri Lewis: Every Wednesday & Thursday ~ 2 pm - 4 pm

CLASSES OFFERED BY MEMBERS (cont’d)

Out of the Blue Debut
Lydia Ellis, Owner/Instructor ♦ Tiffany Thomas, Artist/Instructor
Contact Info: 770-789-1160 (Lydia) ♦ 678-416-9891 (Tiffany)
lydiaellisart@yahoo.com

Acrylics, Watercolors, Oils and Drawing
Kay Stanley
Contact Info: 770-254-9409
kayart1@bellsouth.net

Learning to Grid/Pencil Drawing
Cecelia Hilton
Contact Info: 770-683-3463
ceceliah@bellsouth.net

Corner Arts Gallery
Jenny Jones
Contact Info: 678-633-5705
www.cornerartsgallery.net

Come Bead With Me (Jewelry)
Nancy Twomey
Contact Info: 770-630-1078
endesigns@charter.net

Stain Glass/Fused Glass/Beginning Watercolors
Karen Stetson DeFelix
Contact Info: 727-421-0779 / 770-463-9442
nevertoolate46@msn.com

Drawing
Martin Pate
Contact Info: 770-251-5286
pateart60@gmail.com

Pottery
Andrea Boswell
Contact Info: 770-486-9768
andreboswell@gmail.com

Pottery
Tammy Troyer
Contact Info: 704-578-6375
tammytroyer@aol.com

Drawing (Pencil, Pastel, Color Pencil, Watercolor)
Pam Giles
770-251-0083
pgiles@numail.org

Drawings
Martin Pate
Contact Info: 770-251-0083
pateart60@gmail.com

Painting
Cheryl Vickers
Contact Info: 770-416-9891
cherylva1@gmail.com

Classes
Newnan-Coweta Art Association
P.O. Box 2637 Newnan, GA 30264
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Mark Your Calendar!
Cheryl Vickers Adult Art Class
Annual Art Exhibit & Sale
Saturday, April 30, 2016 at the Art House
3 pm to 5 pm

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!
January, February, & March

A birthday is the most special day in one’s life. And you are special to many in your life. Enjoy your special day/week to the fullest! NCAA Gemstones! I like that! Stand up and take a bow, dear Garnets (eternal friendship and trust), Amethysts (clear-headed and quick-witted), and Aquamarines (calm and level-headed). Health and happiness as you make another journey around the sun!

Birthday cake at the March 17th General Meeting.

REMINDER: If you have reimbursable expenses, please complete an Expense Report Form, attach original receipts, and submit to Karen DeFelix, Treasurer, at the next meeting. expense_report_form-2

NCAA MEMBER DISCOUNTS

- 15% off custom framing for Fine Lines Art students and NCAA members and just $5 for custom cut in-stock only mats. Fine Lines Art & Framing, Inc., 10 E. Broad Street, Newnan, GA 30263 Tel: 770-683-3463
- 15% discount at Michaels
  575 Bullsboro Drive, Newnan, GA 30265
- VIP (10%) discount card at Jo-Ann Fabrics & Crafts
  1074 Bullsboro Drive, Newnan, GA 30265

PEACHTREE CITY LIBRARY
The works of Helen Hayes will be on display at the Peachtree City Library throughout the month of April.

ART SCENE

MAINSTREET NEWNAN
http://www.mainstreetnewnan.com
Spring Art Walk, March 18, 5 PM to 9 PM
Spring Screen on the Green, March 18, 7:30 PM, showing “Alvin & the Chipmunks 4”
April Market Day, April 2, 10 AM to 2 PM
Spring Taste of Newnan, April 14, 5 PM to 8:30 PM

CENTRE FOR PERFORMING & VISUAL ARTS
Pianist, Peter Dugan, May 1 at 3 PM

ARTS CLAYTON GALLERY
During the month of March: Clayton State University Exhibition & Student Art Month
In April/May: Lucinda Bunnen (Photographer) / "Imagination" Member Artist Exhibit

NEWNAN THEATRE COMPANY
Cat On a Hot Tin Roof
March 17-19 at 8 PM and March 20 at 3 PM

DOGWOOD GALLERY
http://dogwoodgallery.net/Dogwood_Gallery/Welcome.html