

A Message From The President

Well, maybe we have finally turned the weather corner this winter. Sorry for the cancellation in January, but we had a lot of company staying home that frigid night.

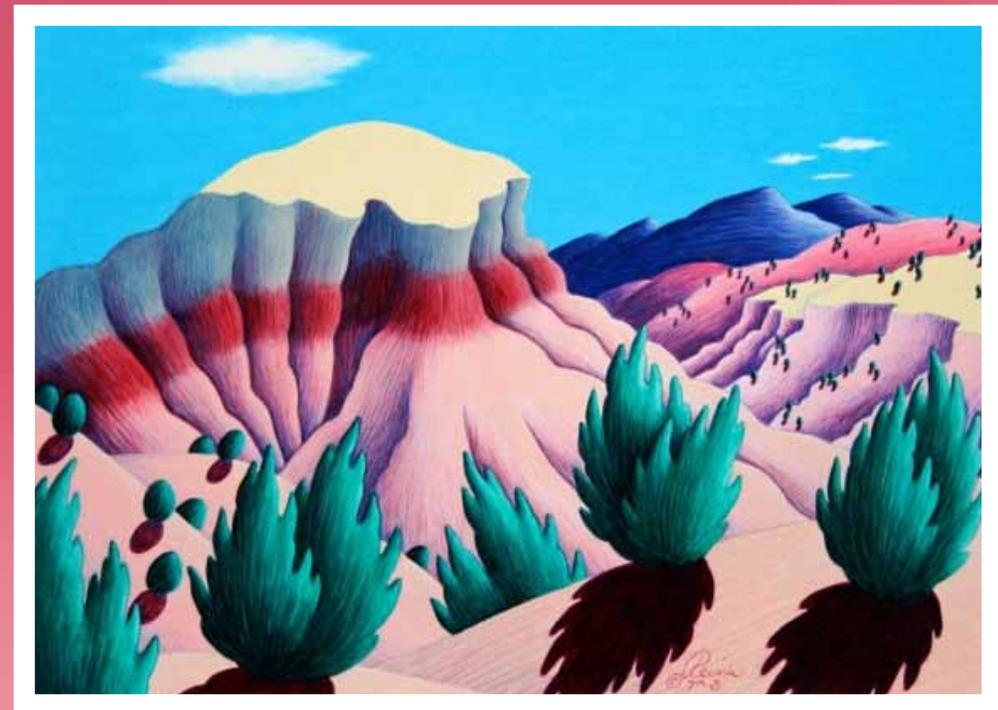
This month, February 24, we will meet at the Richard M. Ross Museum, 60 S. Sandusky Street, at the usual time, 7:30 pm. We will need to start planning for spring events. We are about due for a change in the YMCA exhibit, our annual show at the Arts Castle is coming up in April, and the Delaware Arts Festival is just around the corner. Justin Kronwetter, of the Ross Museum, will be presenting our program for the month.

I don't have any details of Justin's plans, but if past programs at the Ross are any indication, it will be fascinating.

I'm looking forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Ken Hildebrand

This month's meeting will be held at OWU's Ross Museum. Justin Kronwetter, the museum director, will be taking us on a tour of the current show, *New Art/New Mexico*, and discussing various pieces. The show consists of 154 pieces of art by artists living in northern New Mexico, including painting, sculpture, drawing, photography, ceramics, jewelry, collage, and monoprinting. The show runs from February 11 through March 30.



"Painted Bluff" by Reina

Possible new event and opportunity to exhibit. More information will be forth-coming.

Delaware Carriage House Hop 2014

Objective:

Promote the Delaware Northwest Neighborhood (as a vibrant, undiscovered Historic District) by adding an attraction to an existing event that is in or adjacent to the neighborhood. Use the NNA attraction as an additional fundraiser for the Northwest Neighborhood Improvements program, funding activities such as neighborhood banners, street signs, trees, brochures and more.

Approach:

Allow tours of 5 – 6 historic carriage houses / barns along selected alleys for a small admission fee. Leverage the Delaware Arts festival proximity to attract attention to the program.

Place local artists / antiques in the venues to drive more interest, and further appeal to the festival attendees.

Northwest Neighborhood / Delaware Art Guild Artists

Logan County Art League

Curry's Antiques – primitive antiques and period crafts

Déjà vu Antiques – owner of the Winter St. Inn

Partner with the Historical Society, Delaware Arts Festival and Arts Castle to co-promote activities.

Cross promote the “Walk on Winter St.” and the Arts Castle Exhibition to drive attention to the 2014 alleys:

John St: behind 161 – 185 Winter St. – 3 Barns / Carriage Houses

Behind 160 – 164 Winter St. – 2 Carriage Houses

Timing:

Weekend of Delaware Art Festival, May 17 & 18

One day, Saturday, 1 – 5p

If it rains – not a problem, indoor structures

Other:

A refreshments venue may be open in one carriage house.

*Have information about shows, exhibit opportunities,
etc. to share with the group?*

Contact your editor at hyland_kolb@columbus.rr.com

*Respectfully submitted,
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