

Holiday Gathering, Art Talk, and Art Swap

Monday, December 5th at 6:45

Endicott Estate, 656 East Street in Dedham



Dear Members and Guests, You are invited to our last meeting of 2022. The meeting begins at 6:45 in-person and on Zoom. This will be our Holiday Meeting and our annual Art Talk at Endicott Estate located at 656 East Street in Dedham. Gail Fischer will deliver the Art Talk entitled *Photography for Artists*. This last meeting will also include the Art Swap. Festive hats, holiday sweaters, and other finery are encouraged! Members will receive the Zoom invitation in an email. Non-members are invited to participate by sending an RSVP email to DedhamArtAssociation@gmail.com. There's no charge for members, and guests are asked for a \$5 donation. The next newsletter will be published at the end of our winter break for January and February.

—Julie Cordonnier, newsletter editor

“Photography for Artists” Art Talk by Gail Fischer



Gail Fischer's photography unites her imagery with process. She prints on many different substrates including handmade papers, tiles, glass and metal. In addition, her new works are photo transfers better known as emulsion lifts. They are textural and appear three dimensional even

though they are soft emulsions transferred to paper. Her latest series using transfer material is “Our



Our Disappearing Planet,
Photography by Gail Fischer

She has exhibited in featured juried shows at the Newport Art Museum “The Newport Biennial 2022”; Main Gallery at the Newton Free Public Library; Illumination Program at Massachusetts General Hospital; The New England Biennial, Danforth Art Museum; The Art Complex Museum; Plymouth Center for the Arts (where she has received awards); and Zullo Gallery 2017-2022. Her work is in collections of Massachusetts General Hospital, Valley Hospital/ New York Presbyterian and private collections in the US and Europe.

A native of Kentucky with many years in New York City as a public relations photographer, Fischer now resides in Needham, MA. She holds a BFA in Photography and Art History from Northern Kentucky University.

Gail's website: <https://alwaysgail.wordpress.com>

Artist of the Month Lauren Karp Kinghorn



Lauren Karp Kinghorn is a Boston-based printmaker, painter, and mixed-media artist. She is the founder of Charles River Art in Needham, her creative and professional home for fine art, studio

work, teaching, and art therapy.

Lauren received a BS in Psychology from Union College, a MA in Expressive and Art Therapy from Lesley University, and also studied at the Decordova Museum School.

Formative experiences working for the Red Cross in Torrejon, Spain, McLean Hospital, Children's Hospital, and Hasbro Children's Hospital help inform her practice working as an art therapist and teacher. She has also shared her passion for the arts with her students at the Montessori Schools of Cambridge and Natick, Falmouth Academy Summer Camp, and Dana Hall School.



One panel of the triptych, *Find Me*, monoprint by Lauren Karp Kinghorn

Lauren has previously been a regular contributing writer for the New Hampshire Parent's Paper. Lauren received a Best Composition award in the Falmouth Art Center's 2022 Juried Abstract Exhibit for her monoprint triptych titled *Find Me*.

"My experience as a mural artist and painter led to my passion for monotype printmaking and mixed-media work, and this relationship between paint and print is highlighted in the composition and color employed in my work. Themes of identity, expression, and memory are often explored in my prints. My interest in monotype printmaking offers the unique challenge to let go of controlling the outcome of a print and focus on its composition, color and the process of creating."

View all three panels of *Find Me* and more at <https://www.charlesriverart.com>.

Holiday Gathering and Art Swap Reminders

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Our last meeting of 2022 will be in person at Endicott Estate and on Zoom. Festive hats, holiday sweaters, and other finery are encouraged! This last meeting will also include an art swap. Please note the meeting is on Monday, December 5th instead of Tuesday.

In-Person Art Swap:

1. At home, paint or create two artworks using any media on a 4"x4" substrate. Be sure to sign your work.
2. Bring your completed mini-artworks to the December 5th meeting in person. The 4"x4"s will be displayed and exchanged with another member who has also created one. The second mini-artwork will be part of an art sale for charity.

To Art Swap on Zoom:

1. If you already completed and dropped off your mini-art:
2. Your mini will be exchanged with another member who is on the Zoom. The second one will be part of the art sale for charity.

Miniature Art Treasure
by Mona Podgurski



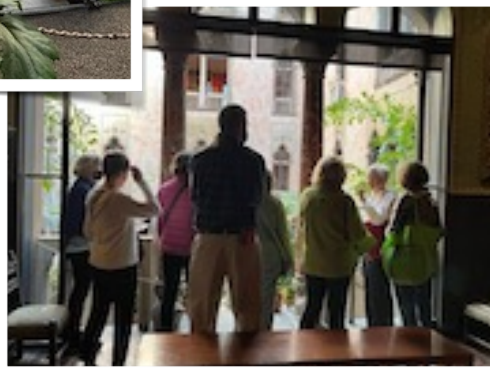
Trip to Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum

Nine members and guests toured the museum and had a fun lunch together in the museum cafe. Thanks to Jean Veigas for suggesting and leading the trip.

If you have an idea for a museum trip and want to set up a tour, please email us at DedhamArtAssociation@gmail.com.



Mums were featured in the atrium courtyard



Jean Veigas sharing research she's done on the museum.

Welcome New Members!

Please welcome new members who joined us since the last newsletter:

Thomas Johnson, photography; Mena Levit, pastel and Richard Pepp, watercolor.

New Volunteers

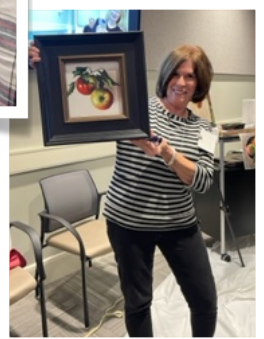
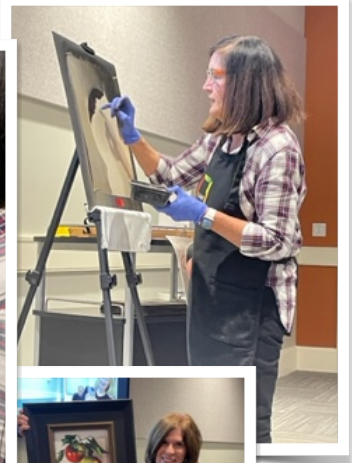
Thank you to our new volunteers! Your help is greatly appreciated.

Event Tracker — Pat Voyager

Archivist — Mona Podgurski

November's Meeting Recap

For our November meeting, we were honored to have professional artist Robin Frisella. She created a photo-realistic still-life in pastel. Her wonderful demonstration was very well attended. Nora Ouellette won the Community Fund Drawing and received a pastel print by Robin.



Mark Your Calendar!

Monday, December 5: Holiday Gathering, Art Swap, and Art Talk *Photography for Artists* by Gail Fisher at Endicott Estate, 656 East Street, Dedham, MA. Time: 6:45 pm.

December 17th: Artisan Market in Dedham, where our Art Treasures Fundraiser will be held. Look for our display! Location: Indoors at The Senior Center at the new Town Hall, 450 Washington Street, Dedham, MA. 10 am – 5 pm.

Winter Break: January and February 2023

Spring 2023 Programs:

March 14: Julie Airoidi, Oil

April 11: Susan Lynn, Watercolor

April 29: Oil Workshop with Carol Arnold.

Painting Group meets weekly on Tuesdays, St. Paul's Church, Dedham. Contact Naomi Wilsey for information:

DedhamArtAssociation@gmail.com

Members' News

Mark Richards' artwork has been accepted in the exhibit, *Abstract Art: Contemporary Approaches*, at the Mosesian Center of the Arts beginning December 1st. Click [here](#) for more information.

Mark Richards is having a solo exhibit entitled *Color Oscillations* at the Weston Public Library for the month of January. Reception January 7, 2023, 3-5pm.

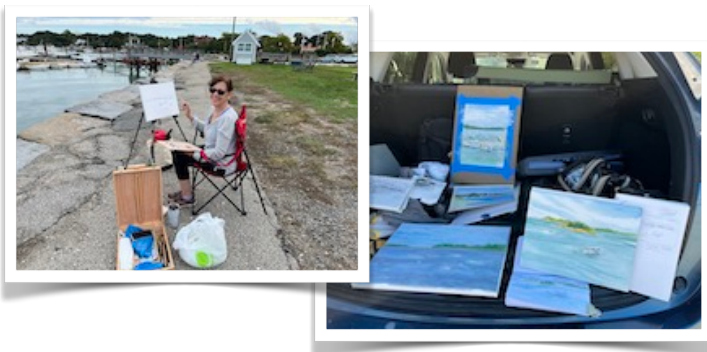
Gary Koepfel's painting, *Two Lights* was juried into the Rockport Art Association and Museum's National Show running from December 2 - 31. Click [here](#) to find out more.

Congratulations to all!

September plein air trip to the harbor in Hingham, MA



In the warmer month of September, our member Alex Cullen set up a plein air trip to the harbor in Hingham, MA. The group of members including Alex were Brenda O'Connor, Peter Shaw, Naomi Wilsey and Nancy Zacks, enjoyed a sunny day and little wind. The painters used acrylics, watercolors and pastels to capture the seascapes and dock moments. If you would like to suggest and set up a plein air trip for next spring or summer, please send an email to DedhamArtAssociation@gmail.com with Plein Air in the subject line.



Dedham Art Association Member Survey 2022 Results

There were 34 total responses to the survey.

Please describe yourself: The most popular answer was "Artist who wants to exhibit and sell followed by casual artist."

How did you learn about DAA activities? The most popular answer was "By email and word of mouth followed by newsletter."

What DAA activities have you participated in? The most popular answer "Member exhibits followed by zoom meetings and demonstrations."

What activities did you enjoy most? The most popular answers were: "Demonstrations, Workshops, Exhibits, and Painting groups."

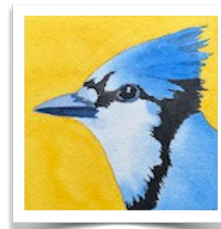
Are there other activities that you would like DAA to provide? Please describe. "Slideshow lectures, Member led activities, Photography outings, Inform members of any workshops /classes happening in the area or especially on zoom. Maybe a bus trip to museums in NY or other locations requiring a bit of a drive, Finding some way to exhibit in Dedham proper."

Do you want Zoom meetings to continue? The most popular answer: "Yes to continue Zoom meetings."

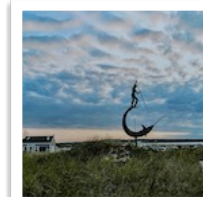
Thank you to all that responded!

Artisan Market in Dedham

For the first time ever, the Dedham Art Association will be selling your original 4"x4" miniature artworks at the Artisan Market in Dedham on December 17th. They can be used as gifts, stocking stuffers and tree ornaments. The Market will be held at The Senior Center at the new Town Hall, 450 Washington Street, Dedham, MA from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm (extended shopping hours). Please visit our table on the 17th!



Watercolor
by Nan Daly



Photography by
Kerry Hawkins



Watercolor by
Barbara Reynolds

Tom Hughes Plein Air Painting Workshop Recap

A group of members joined Tom Hughes for his full-day workshop at member John Koger's residence in Dedham on a beautiful fall day. Acrylics, watercolors and oils were all welcome mediums for this special workshop



Demonstration by Tom Hughes.



Completed watercolor demonstration.



End-of-day critique



Artist Resources:

Brookline Arts Center

Free workshop with Jessica Burko create your own artwork made reclaimed materials and a range of art supplies in containers. Go to the Brookline Arts Center website to learn more.

BrooklineArtsCenter

Dedham Public Library

Did you know the Dedham Public Library has many museum passes for reduced or free entry fee? Click [here](#) for more information. Or, check your own local libraries for museum tickets.

Milton Art Center

Holiday Artisan Market at the Milton Art Center on Saturday, December 10th from 10am to 4pm. Click [here](#).

Call for Art

The Newton Free Library is welcoming applications from New England region artists showing works that are compatible with the [Walker Display system](#). Submissions due by 11:59pm on Friday, December 9, 2022. Click [here](#) for more information.

New England Watercolor Society

The New England Watercolor Society is offering a workshop titled Watercolor and the Human Figure Workshop with Eudes Correia. Click newenglandwatercolorssociety.org for more information.