

# ARTIST CONNECTION

Irving Art Association

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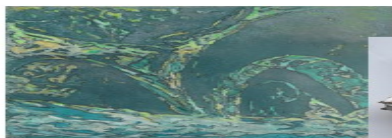
Hello Members,

As we rapidly approach the busy holiday season, we should take a moment to look back and remember what exactly we are thankful for. IAA as an organization is grateful for many things including our wonderful membership and the hard work of our board. Sometimes it is easy to become frustrated or discontent with our lives as a whole. It is only through the realization of beautiful subtle aspects of our lives can we truly be thankful and satisfied. We would like to wish everyone a wonderful holiday season, and hope to see everyone at our final membership meeting of 2014 on the 25th!

## Upcoming Events at Jaycee Park Center for the Arts

- ◆ Collage, Assemblage, and Printmaking Show / For the Love of Mother Earth Exhibit Reception / NOV 2 / 2pm-4pm / Both Galleries / Info: [exhibits@irvingart.org](mailto:exhibits@irvingart.org)
- ◆ IAA Watercolor I Class / Instructor: Radha Chatterjee / NOV 6, 13, 20 / 7pm-9pm / Large Gallery / Info: [radha\\_chatterjee@yahoo.com](mailto:radha_chatterjee@yahoo.com)
- ◆ Painting Brilliant Florals with Nancy Medina / NOV 7, 8, 9 / Large Gallery / Info: [nancy@nancymedina.com](mailto:nancy@nancymedina.com)
- ◆ Doll Collectors Club of Irving Meeting / NOV 11 / Large Gallery / Info: [carmodg@aol.com](mailto:carmodg@aol.com)
- ◆ Copic Art Club Class with Laura Griffin / NOV 15 / Small Gallery / Info: [laura\\_griffin@yahoo.com](mailto:laura_griffin@yahoo.com)
- ◆ IAA General Membership Meeting and Demo / Demo: Watercolor Landscape with Tina Bohlman / NOV 25 / Large Gallery / Info: [info@irvingart.org](mailto:info@irvingart.org)

## IAA 2014 Collage, Assemblage & Printmaking Exhibit



Curator / Juror **KeLaine Kyle**  
**Oct. 26 - Nov. 26, 2014**  
 RECEPTION & AWARDS  
 Sunday, November 2, 2-4pm  
 Jaycee Park Center for the Arts  
 1975 Puritan, Irving TX 75061

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# In Our Galleries

## Current:

East (Large) - Collage, Assemblage, and Printmaking Show / OCT 26 - NOV 26 / Awards and Reception Sun, NOV 2, 2-4pm

West (small) - For the Love of Mother Earth Exhibit / OCT 26 - NOV 26 / Reception Sun, NOV 2, 2-4pm

## Upcoming:

East (Large) and West (small) Gallery – IAA Membership Holiday Art Exhibit / DEC 01 - JAN 22

## Contact Us

Give us a call for more information or if you have any questions.

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## Member Submitted Information

IAA member Helen Baily was invited to exhibit in the International Equine Artists' Signature Members Invitational Exhibit, "The Horse; Spirit, Art and Soul." It was held at the International Museum of Art of El Paso. Her painting, "Maclintock V" sold at this exhibit.

The American Academy of Equine Arts Fall Open Juried Exhibition, Sep/Oct, just awarded Helen the Contemporary Arts Award for, "The New Arrival Is Here."

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### Painting Brilliant Flowers

November 7, 8, and 9, 2014 at Jaycee Park Center for the Arts

9 am to 4 pm Daily

\$345 per student

Contact: [nancy@nancymedina.com](mailto:nancy@nancymedina.com)



Put a little joy in your brush and join award winning artist Nancy Medina for three days of making brilliant flowers bloom in oils. Named one of the best floral and botanical artists by American Art Collector magazine, Nancy is an instructor for the Dallas Arboretum whose paintings are collected around the world. Open for beginners to advanced students, as well as those who work in water

based oils and acrylics, you will learn to loosen your approach to the floral still life. This will be a fun 3-day workshop with six demonstrations by the teacher. Nancy shares all her favorite tips with you for creating brilliant color on a transparent background, and methods for making your flowers look authentic and beautiful. Students are encouraged to take lots of photos and ask many questions, and will take home the tools needed to create flowers paintings they will enjoy for years to come. Class begins each day with a thorough and well explained demonstration by the instructor. Painting together each afternoon in step by step lessons, students will take home three completed paintings. You will learn to:

Simplify shapes

Brighten colors

Add drama

Paint loosely with confident brush strokes

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