



Art Matters

Oshawa Art Association Inc.

Est. 1967

August 2019

OAA Inc.

Our volunteer-driven organization has been promoting art and artists in the community for over 50 years.

The OAA Inc. welcomes all levels of talent and meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month (except July) at 7:00 PM at the Arts Resource Center 45 Queen Street Oshawa

Upcoming Events and Guest Speakers:

August 14 - Membership Meeting -

Guest Speaker: Lynn Dooly-Marek

Topic: Colour...Working with complementary colours (Oil pastels on canvas)

September 11 - Membership Meeting - Guest Speaker:

Sandy Mackenzie

Topic: The Wonders of Knife Painting

October 9 - Membership Meeting - Guest Speaker:

Colin Whitbread

Topic: Steps Toward More Dynamic Colour

November 13 - Membership Meeting - Guest Speaker:

Olex Wlasenko

Topic: The Secret Lives of Paintings

Meet the OAA's next guest speaker...

Wednesday, August 14th at 7PM, Arts Resource Center, Oshawa

Welcome

Lynn Dooly-Marek

Working with Contemporary Colours

"Lynn is an artist of colour, vibrancy, and feeling"

Lynn is an international award-winning artist. Born in Montreal, raised in England, studied in France. Childhood summers were spent in Athens, Greece, where her grandfather was stationed as Canadian Ambassador.

For decades, Lynn exhibited in art shows. Her series *Bistro & Marché of the World* continues to be an ongoing success story.

Her art hangs on walls around the world. An original hangs in the office of the Mayor of Toronto. Her work was featured twice on the back covers of Readers Digest.

Lynn teaches figure/life drawing to the animation students at Durham College.

Lynn has received the order of the *Arts-Sciences-Lettres de Paris*, an old academic/arts society in France dedicated to the education and encouragement of the arts and sciences...Albert Schweitzer, Marie Curie, Yehudi Menuhin, and Jacques Cousteau are a few of their members. It began in 1915.

Her paintings were displayed in *le Salon des Beaux Arts* @ the Carrousel de Louvre, Paris, France in 2016, 2017, 2018. Founded in 1855, it was created for the Impressionists to display their paintings.

"To paint in Provence is to change an artist forever" - Lynn



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Member Artwork of the Month

Angela Hennessey, SCA

'Ikon'

30"x30" collage

Having been involved in arts and creative pursuits from her earliest years, Angela began seriously painting in 2001 and continues to learn about the use of oils, water-colours, pastels, acrylics, various inks and many different media and techniques. Angela has studied with experienced artists Doug Purdon, Victoria Cowan, Linda Kristen Blix and Stephanie Rayner. At present she is involved in printmaking techniques. She is an Elected Member of the Society of Canadian Artists and an active member of the Ajax Creative Arts Club and Oshawa Arts Association, as well as belonging to other arts groups.



Signs! Signs! Signs!

For those of you who have previously helped with signs for the art show we would appreciate it if you could check your garages, sheds and basements to see if you have any show signs hiding. These signs cost about \$10 each and have been going missing at an alarming rate. If you find some, please email Shirley Bankey (sbankey@hotmail.com) and she will make arrangements to have them picked up.

Fall Art Show at Camp Samac

There are only a few spaces left for the Fall Art Show which runs October 18th - 20th at Camp Samac. If interested, please touch base with Shirley Banke. (sbankey@hotmail.com). The forms were not mailed out this time but are available on-line at <https://www.oshawaartassociation.com/art-festivals>

"Art is a line around your thoughts." Gustav Klimt

Artist Event Opportunities



Instructors Needed!

The OAA is once again getting the workshops going after the summer break. Workshops are well attended by our members and we like to offer them in a variety of mediums and artistic flare. We invite you to offer your artistic talent as an instructor for our workshops.

Please contact Sandy Mackenzie at portraisbygoguen@hotmail.com to signup.

At the moment, workshops are held at either the instructor's studio or at Sandy's studio located on Centre St. Oshawa. Details can be discussed and worked out.

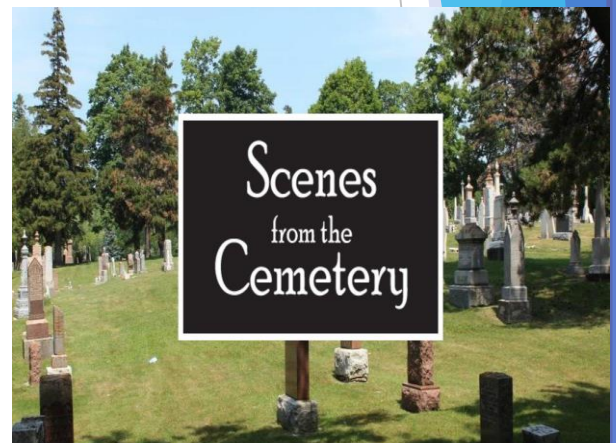
Thank you.

On Saturday September 7th and Sunday, September 8th history comes alive at Union Cemetery in Oshawa in the form of *Scenes from the Cemetery*.

In this entertaining and informative history re-enactment present day actors each take on the role of a famous local historical figure buried in Union Cemetery.

Our very own **Betty McCowan** will be interpreting renowned Whitby artist Florence H. McGillvray, a mentor of Tom Thomson and an early modernist painter. Tickets for this event can be purchased through the Oshawa Historical Society for \$20. Come out to support a good cause. For more details

<https://members.museumsonario.ca/museum/Oshawa-Museum/whats-on/events/Scenes-from-the-Cemetery>



Other Local Events:

Vendor applications for the following events are available through Karen Coyle @ karenjuliecoyle@gmail.com

- **Kars on King** - Classic Car Show - Downtown Oshawa - August 23
- **Butter Tart Festival** - Oshawa City Hall, 50 Centre Street South, North Parkette - September 14
- **Oshawa General's Street Festival** - September 29

Artist Event Opportunities

Market Squared

Market Squared is held in front of Oshawa City Hall every Thursday between 10am and 1:30pm from July to September. This is not an OAA event. This is an opportunity for individual artists to display and sell their art. The cost per booth is \$36.62 per week. You are also required to provide insurance which you can purchase from the city for \$15. For more information visit www.oshawa.ca/things-to-do/market-squared.asp or contact karenjuliecoyle@gmail.com with the subject line Market Squared.



Concerts in the Park

Concerts in the Park are held at Memorial Park every Thursday between 7:30pm and 9pm throughout the summer. This is not an OAA event. This is an opportunity for individual artists to display and sell their art. The cost per booth is \$36.62 per week. You are also required to provide insurance which you can purchase from the city for \$15. For more information visit www.oshawa.ca or contact karenjuliecoyle@gmail.com with the subject line Concerts in the Park.

Uxbridge Art on the Fringe

This event is in Uxbridge on Sept 14 and 15. It is the same weekend as the Uxbridge Studio tour and tends to be a popular stop on the tour. This is not an OAA event. This is an opportunity for individual artists to display and sell their art. There are only outdoor spots available at a cost of \$80. For more information and registration, please visit www.artistsofuxbridge.ca/art/art-on-the-fringe/



Bell Box Mural Project Call for Artists

We are awaiting an official announcement on the Bell Box Mural Project but in the meantime, artists could work to pull together their portfolios.

Upcoming Member Art Shows



BUCKHORN
FESTIVAL
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ARTS

August 17-18, 2019

Buckhorn Community Center,
Buckhorn's Cultural Center

Participating OAA Members:

Linda Virio
Kristina Billinger



PineRidge Arts Council and the Town of Ajax
are proud to present the 2019 Annual Juried Art Show.

Calling Visual Artists!

OVER \$4000 in CASH Prizes
to be awarded!

Youth and Adult Categories

ENTRY DEADLINE
September, 27th

ART SHOW



OPENING RECEPTION IN BANQUET HALL
Wednesday, October 30th at 7:00 PM

McLean Community Centre
95 Magill Drive | Ajax | L1T 3K7
Entry form, rules and regulations,
deadlines on website.



pineridgearts.org/jas.html



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61st Members Juried Art Exhibition & Sale

July 27 - August 17

Kawartha Artists' Gallery & Studio
420 O'Connell St., Peterborough

Local exhibits, events and classes

Please let the newsletter editor Kristina (kristinalbryson@gmail.com) know about your upcoming member exhibits. We are happy to post events in our newsletter.

OSHAWA ART ASSOCIATION INC.

TONY JOHNSON

Watercolour workshop

SEPTEMBER 28

9:30 am - 3:30 pm

FEE: OAA members: \$75. Non-members: \$85

Cheque to OAA or electronic payment to

oshawaartassociation.ca

LOCATION: 191 Centre Street South,
Oshawa

CONTACT: Sandy Mackenzie 905-435-0976

email: portraitsbygoguen@hotmail.com



Open Studio at Marissa Sweet Art Studio

Tuesdays from 6-9 pm \$20/session

Drop-ins \$25/session

Join Marissa Sweet at her Open studio where students can develop their own unique style in painting. Coaching and objective critique sessions allow creativity and sharing.



Always looking for **VOLUNTEERS** to help with events. Please contact Karen Coyle if you have time to help at any of our events. Volunteer form on page 8.
Karenjuliecoyle@gmail.com.
905-439-1678





Local ART & CULTURE Happenings

OAA Workshops

Locations for workshops may have changed so please read carefully.

Watercolour Workshop

Saturday, September 28th

9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Tony Johnson

OAA members: \$75. Non-members: \$85.

Location: 191 Centre Street South, Oshawa

Cheques for Workshops payable to the OAA or electronic payment to

oshawaartassociation.ca

Juried Show Dates have been set!

52nd Annual Juried Art Exhibition

May 1st - 17th, 2020

Opening Reception is Thursday, April 30th

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

FUTURE WORKSHOPS: Dates to be announced

October: Carol Pullen, pen and ink wash

October: Mary Gartlan, plein air in Orillia

November: Lorrie Priddle, acrylic on black background

Durham & Beyond

Station Gallery - Artists In Recovery Showcase - September 14th to October 13.

PRAC Juried Art Show Opening - Wednesday, October 30th. Entries are due September 29th. Registration on-line at pineridgearts.org/jas/html.

Trans/mission, An installation by Ron Benner @ Visual Arts Centre of Clarington until Nov 20

Trans/mission: Barley-Corn-Maise: An installation by Ron Benner. Jan 20- Nov17. Visual Arts Centre of Clarington.

Uxbridge Art on the Fringe - September 14 & 15, 2019, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm. Uxbridge Historical Centre, 7239 Concession 6 (just N of Brock St W), Uxbridge.

Orillia Night Art Crawl - Saturday, August 24

Main Street, Orillia

8:00 pm - 11:00 PM



Volunteer Form



Oshawa Art Association

Thank you for your interest in becoming a volunteer. We are using this application process to gather and organize volunteer information. Please fill out the form below and indicate if you are applying for a specific position or event, and/or general help.

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

Previous Volunteer: Yes / No

If Yes, where? _____

What were/are your volunteer responsibilities:

Where would you be willing to volunteer? (Circle all that apply): Special Events / Set up / Administrative / Planning and Organizing / Instructional / Greeting / Social Media / Promotion / Newsletter / Cash / Curating / Any / General Help / Other:

List experience/skills: _____

Willing to learn and develop new skills as needed? Yes / No

Availability: Mornings / Afternoons / Evenings / Weekends / Any

Police check: Yes / No

Willing to have a current Police Check: Yes / No

*Note – Volunteers are only required to have a Police Check if they are running an event/workshop that involves vulnerable people. You are not obligated to have a Police Check to become a volunteer, nor do you have to answer questions involving Police Checks if you do not wish to.

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