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# NEWSLETTER

August 2022

## CALENDAR

### August

- 2 Board Meeting 6:30
- 19-20 Pick up "My Style", drop off "Heroes" - member show

### September

- 6 Board Meeting 6:30
- 23 Fourth Friday (7-9)  
Pick up "Heroes" after the award ceremony, drop off "Anything Goes"
- 24 Pick up "Heroes", drop off "Anything Goes"

### October

- 4 Board Meeting 6:30
- 7-8 Pick up "Anything Goes", drop off "Small Art"
- 28-29 Pick up "Small Art"

## REMINDER

Please pick up your work from the gallery after the monthly show. Work left for **more than 10 NAL business days** will be considered property of NAL.

## CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE!

Keep up with the latest events, classes, artwork & more!

Don't want to maintain your own website?

Set up your artist webpage on our website for **\$25/year**.

Need help? Let us know!

Already on our website?  
Time to update your photos!

For details  
call 630.355.2530  
[www.napervilleartleague.com](http://www.napervilleartleague.com)  
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## PRESIDENT & MEMBER'S CORNER

Around 100 national and international artists will participate this year's **Riverwalk Fine Art Fair (RFAF)** in Naperville. Naperville Art League is the organizer and it is a juried art fair that features a wide range of media from paintings, jewelry, pottery, photography, fiber art and wood art.

The 37th RFAF takes place between **September 17 and 18**. However, we need volunteers from September 16, to set up our info booth.

### Please sign up electronically:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F044BA4AF2AA3FF2-riverwalk2>

Or, you can also call the gallery at:  
**630.355.2530**

We still need volunteers for afternoon hours (1:30-5pm) for Wednesdays and Thursdays, and some Saturdays 10am-4pm. (August 13,20,27) for a **desk sitting** at the gallery.

We would really appreciate your help.

Please call: 630.355.2530.

Thank you,

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## BOARD NOTES FROM JULY 2022

-Farmer's Market in July, was a success, thanks to everyone who volunteered. Another will be held on August 6th.

--Fourth Fridays --Sept 23. \$5 donation should be enforced.

-Financial Report—upon request.

-Building repairs (various) - needed in the future.

**37th Riverwalk Fine  
 Art Fair  
 will be Sept. 17 & 18  
 2022**

The mural on the south side of  
 our building, called *World's  
 Greatest Artists*, is part of  
 Naperville's Century Walk.  
 Informational brochures are  
 available at our Gallery.



**WELCOME NEW  
 MEMBERS IN  
 JULY 2022**

Beth Berry  
 Cora Fick  
 Tony & Rowan Quirk  
 Maggie Rubin

**CONTACT US!**

If you have information you would  
 like to appear in the NAL  
 Newsletter, please submit via e-  
 mail at [naperartleague@aol.com](mailto:naperartleague@aol.com),  
 call 630.355.2530 or send it to  
 the gallery at 508 N. Center St.,  
 Naperville, IL 60563. Items must  
 be received by the end of the  
 month in order to appear in the  
 next month's newsletter and are  
 accepted on a first come, first  
 served basis as space is limited.

**“TACTILE LAYERS” - JULY MEMBER SHOW**

**Best of Show:** David Gray “A Winter Evening in Honfleur”

**Best of Theme:** Kip Pasta “Tactile Layers”

**Merit Awards:**

Chris Hughes “Orange Sunset”

Jim Braun “Blind Salute”

Diana Nawrocki “Park Place”

Sally Sharp “Beyond”

Gary Chipman “Forest Fungus #1”

Cleo Manuel Krueger “Jetty Jazz”

Jennifer Hauser “Field of Green”



“Tactile Layers” by Kip Pasta

**Judge: Barry Skurkis**

**MEMBERS NEWS**

**Beth Hobby** is showing at the Longbranch  
 Gallery in Mineral Point, WI from August 5  
 through August 31, 2022.

**Jim Braun** is showing at the Bergstrom Mah-  
 ler Museum in Neenah, WI, from August 12 &  
 13.

Art Around Town:

Elate Salon: **Marie Bergquist**  
 Sweetwater Coffee and Tea: **Jaime Foster,**  
**Michael Foster**  
 Ellman’s Music Center: **Madhu Prakash**  
 Tasting de Vine Cellars: **Marianne Lisson**  
**Kuhn, Marie Bergquist**  
 Colbert Frame: **Jennifer Hauser, Nicholas**  
**Malleos, Beata Nowak**  
 Lucky Penny Diner: **Kasia Szczesniewski**  
 State Representative Office: **Patricia Melekus**

Main Street Promenade: **Ammara Alvi, Savas**  
**Arazbey, Jim Braun, Gary Chipman, Manon**  
**Crowley, Martha Economos, Sara Filip, Sara**  
**Folmer, Jaime Foster, Michael Foster, Anshu**  
**Gupta, Bryan Hall, Jennifer Hauser, Chris**  
**Hughes, Alice Chris Jacobson, Rita Moon**  
**Kain, Robert Koch, Cleo Manuel Krueger, Eric**  
**Lee, Valerie Lorimer, Patricia Melekus, Bev-**  
**erly Morgan, Mooneen Mourad, Beata**  
**Nowak, Pat Nunez, Sally Sharp, Karyl Silerzio,**

**Michelle Rae Sobi, Kasia Szczesniewski, Nancy**  
**Turner, Sylvia Wuensche-Wienands, Barb Zer-**  
**na, donated art from artists.**

1003 South Washington St. Venue: **Sara**  
**Folmer, Jennifer Hauser, Nicholas Malleos,**  
**Patricia Melekus, Mooneen Mourad**

If you wish to show your artwork around town,  
 please contact **Beata Nowak at:**  
**beafabnowart@gmail.com.**

Thank you.

**BOARD MEMBERS**

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**RFAF Director:** Debbie Venezia  
**Art Around Town Coordinator:** Beata Nowak

# CLASSES, EXHIBIT & EVENT NEWS

The August's new exhibit called **"My Style"** will be on display now through **August 19**. You can follow the theme if you wish, but you don't need to. The theme can be a representation of your artwork, your fashion or your life-style. Be creative, the visitors of the gallery are always eager to see what is new on our walls.



We have some new classes for adults, called **"Drone Class"**, **"Drone Workshop"**, **"Video Editing"** and **"Oil Portraiture."**

Please check out all the classes for you, or for your children, and grandchildren on our website.

Don't forget to follow us IG:

**@napervilleartleagueandgallery**

Thank you.

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## INFORMATION PANEL

-The popular 4th Friday with award ceremony is back. Please come on **September 23** to celebrate all the beautiful arts and winners. **(7-9pm)**.

-**2022 RFAF** is coming fast, please sign up to help this event to be more successful.

You can do that through NAL's website or go to:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F044BA4AF2AA3FF2-riverwalk2>

### FOR SALE:

-Heavy duty stretcher bars \$5 each pair. (6 pairs at 36", 4 pairs at 40", 5 pairs at 48")

-French Plain Air Easel, used once \$30

-EZ UP tent, used - at art fairs \$50.

**Contact: Maureen McKee** at ZArtGal@comcast.net

### CHECK OUT OUR ONGOING CLASSES!

All Ages / All Skill Levels  
Day & Evening

#### OIL PAINTING/ACRYLIC

Adults: Tuesdays (see calendar for dates)

6:30—8:30 pm  
3week class \$84

#### OIL PAINTING/ACRYLIC

Adults: Wednesdays (see calendar for dates)

10:00 am—12:00 pm  
3week class \$84

#### ONGOING OPEN STUDIO

Adults: Wednesdays

6:30 pm—8:30 pm  
\$5/session—discounts available

#### WATERCOLOR/ACRYLIC

Adults: Thursdays

11:00 am—1:00 pm all levels  
4-sessions \$120

#### KIDS & TEENS CLASSES

6-17 yrs.: Thursdays

4:00 pm—5:00 pm  
\$20/class or \$98 for 6 classes

### NAL & NPD Classes

#### ADULTS

-Photography Classes

-Mosaic Fun Fridays

-Drone Classes

-Video Editing

#### CHILDREN

-Drawing Class

-Various camps

...and many -many more.

We are constantly adding new adult and children classes. Please check out our website for a class schedule.

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