

Pen and Palette
Fort Lauderdale NLAPW
<https://lauderdalepenwomen.wixsite.com/nlapw>
October 2023



President's Message

Welcome Back Pen Women!

Your Board and I are so excited for this new art season. Several have been working hard over the summer to create an exciting new season:

- Ellen Cohen-Berman, Luncheon Venues
- Susan Convery, Luncheon Speakers
- Tammy Seymour, Art Exhibits
- Phoenix, Achievement Awards

If you haven't already, this is a good time to:

- Complete the prospectus for our first exhibit of the season being held at The Plunge Beach Resort.
- RSVP to Tammy that you're attending our first luncheon of the season which is also being held at The Plunge Beach Resort. We'll be immersed in our art 😊.

See the prospectus, lunch invite and exhibit opening info within this eNewsletter.

And, special thanks to Narda McCarthy, our Letters Pen Woman, who has volunteered again this year to create our members' newsletter. This is a great way each month during our art season to highlight and promote what, you, our branch members are doing. Start pulling together your news (shows, events, recognitions, etc.) with pictures for the November newsletter and email to Narda so we can all participate in each other's triumphs.

We are such a talented group of women that we should be celebrated often!

Phoenix

President

SAVE THE DATES
PEN WOMEN 2023-2024 SEASON
Luncheon Meetings
Thursday's at 11:30 am



October 12th

Speaker: Ro Ferrelli - Resin Geode Art
Plunge Beach Resort,
4660 El Mar Dr, Lauderdale-By-The-Sea, **754 312-5775 \$30**



November 9th

Speaker/Writer: Elaine Viets - Mystery Writer
Anthony's Clam House
2861 E Commercial Blvd, Fort Lauderdale, **954 595-2104 \$30**



December 14th

Tammy Seymour's new home - NEW ADDRESS
415 NE 16th Ave, Ft Lauderdale
Bring a casserole, salad or dessert and donation for our Student
Achievement Program **954-288-7972 \$30**



January 11th

Speaker: Lark Keeler - Education and The Arts
Outback Steakhouse
2725 S University Dr. Davie - **954-233-6620 \$30**



February 8th

Awards for Media & Fine Art Show.
Herb Skolnick Center, Pompano Beach
Catered Lunch, Anthony's Coal Fired Pizza **954-786-4590 \$30**
Speaker: TBD



March 14th

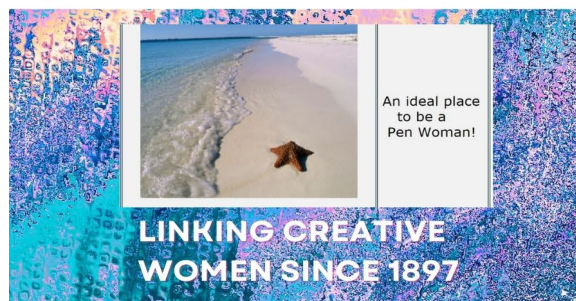
Speaker: Louise Irvine, WMODA - President
Galuppi's
1103 N Federal Hwy, Pompano Beach, **954 785-0226 \$30**



April 11th

Achievement Awards Final luncheon of season to celebrate our talented students in
Art, Letters and Music
Coral Ridge Yacht Club
St, 2800 Yacht Club Blvd Ft. Lauderdale **954 566-7886 \$40**

NATIONAL LEAGUE OF AMERICAN PEN WOMEN
FORT LAUDERDALE BRANCH



The Branch holds Luncheons
11:30 am, at various
restaurants/venues

Guests are always welcome!

2023-2024 Luncheon Dates

October 12th

November 9th

December 14th

January 11th

February 8th

March 14th

April 11th

Holiday Party

Skolnick Comm Ctr

Coral Ridge Yacht Club

For Membership Information

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EXHIBITS & WORKSHOPS



"Pen Women Plunge into the Arts"

Plunge Beach Resort
Oct-Nov 2023



Collaborative Show

Ft Lauderdale & Boca Raton
Boca Raton
Community Center
November 2023

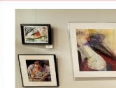


"Night at the Burrie"

Burrie Community Center
January 2024

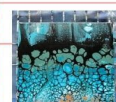


Juried & Judged
Skolnick Media & Fine Art
Open Show - CASH PRIZES February 2024



"Visions of Women"

Members Show
History Museum
April 2024



WORKSHOPS

Acrylic "Pour your Heart out!"
Date to be determined

PEN WOMEN

Who we are & what we do!

- Oldest women's arts organization in the Country
- Creative, dynamic group of professional artists, composers & writers
- Explore with our members the pursuit of meaningful goals and projects
- Mission: Offer 3 Achievement Awards each year to women college students pursuing an arts degree
- Raising Scholarship funds thru workshops, exhibits, luncheons, raffles and dues... While Having Fun!



JOIN US!



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<https://www.facebook.com/nlapwftl/>

ALL ARE WELCOME

Galt Ocean Mile Reading Center

3403 Galt Ocean Dr., Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308, Tel. 954-357-7840

Thursday, October 26, at 2 PM

Donna Bruno will be reviewing a brand-new bio of Elizabeth Taylor written after access was given to all her letters; or, she may review "American Prometheus" about Robert Oppenheimer, father of the nuclear bomb.

The venue is in the plaza behind what used to be Nick's Italian Restaurant at the north end and the Greek Restaurant at the south end, a few yards north of Oakland Park Blvd. Ft. Lauderdale.

Congratulations Donna!!

Awesome News!

Phyllis Elrich and Fran Mann Goodman are excited to be attending the Florida State NLAPW Convention in Daytona Beach at the end of October.

Each entered paintings into a juried exhibit to be judged over that weekend. Only 25 of the entries were selected for final judging and both had one piece chosen!

Fran's piece is titled, Windswept. Phyllis' piece is titled Golden Dreams.

We wish them both the most success and look forward to seeing a photograph of their creations in this newsletter after the convention.

We Are Proud to Share with All

Our dual member Phyllis Elrich (Fort Lauderdale and Boca Raton) will be installed as Second Vice President of the NLAPW for Florida at the Florida State NLAPW Convention in Daytona Beach at the end of October.

Bravo Phyllis!!

Hurrah!!!

Our Pen Women continue to make us proud during the Florida State NLAPW Convention in Daytona Beach.

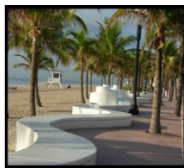
Fran Mann Goodman will be teaching a workshop exploring acrylic skins. If you are attending The Convention, make sure to stop by and say hi 😊!

Narda McCarthy
Editor-in-Chief
Pen and Palette

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"If you have the passion, fulfill it..."
Audry Lynch
Santa Clara County, CA



Fort Lauderdale Branch
National League of American Pen Women Inc



“Pen Women Plunge into the Arts”
at the
Plunge Beach Resort Exhibit

Cost: \$20 for up to 3 pieces -You can mail, Zelle or bring monies with delivery

Entries: Email completed Application by October 2nd

Reception: October 25th 6-7:30pm

What: Exhibit at Plunge Beach Resort

When: Intake Friday, October 6th, 10am

Who: Pen Women Members and Patrons

Those attending our first Pen Women Luncheon on October 12th at the Plunge will be able to see the completed installation.

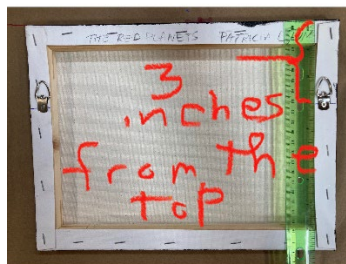
If you have not had the opportunity to visit the Plunge Beach Resort, this is a unique venue in the lobby and bar of the Plunge Beach Resort. Artwork with Big Pops of Color are preferred. Work is seen by a few thousand people over the exhibit timeframe. Sales are very common.

Eligible Work: Open theme. 2 & 3-Dimensional Art/Photography and Prints/Giclee's are welcome as long as they are framed to hang. (D rings 3 inches from top of frame)

Entries: Each artist may submit up to 3 pieces of art (maxi. framed width 20 inches) or 1 piece of art (maxi. framed size of 30 x 30 inches). You can hang up to 3 pieces on this 48 inch column.

Entry Fee: \$20 for up to three entries. You can mail check, Zelle or bring monies with delivery. Make checks payable to NLAPW and mail check to, Tammy Seymour, 415 NE 16th Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301. ZELLE at penwomenftl@gmail.com.

READ: The wiring system at the Plunge hangs on the **D Rings** (screwed 3 inches from the top) on the back of your artwork. Otherwise, the artwork doesn't hang straight on the columns.



Contact Information: Tammy Seymour
Email: tseymour53@comcast.net 954-288-7972 Cell



2023 Plunge Beach Resort Exhibit

APPLICATION FORM

Contact Information: Tammy Seymour

Email: tseymour53@comcast.net 954-288-7972 Cell

Please print clearly

Name: _____

Telephone (with area code): _____ Email _____

Title of Entry #1: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price: _____ *

Title of Entry #2: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price: _____ *

Title of Entry #3: _____

Medium: _____ Size: _____ Price: _____ *

****Incorporate a 15% commission in your prices for the Plunge Beach Resort. The artist will handle all sales personally and at the end of the exhibit we will disburse your commissions to the Resort. You will be able to replace your sold work with another piece if appropriate.

The submission of entries to this exhibit allows Pen Women and the Plunge to use photographs for publicity and promotion. The Plunge and Pen Women assume no liability for artwork hanging in this exhibit.

**Mail Application along with \$20 Check payable NLAPW to,
Tammy Seymour, 415 NE 16th Ave, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301**

OR

Email Application to tseymour53@comcast.net and Zelle payment to penwomenftl@gmail.com



National League of American Pen Women

Ft. Lauderdale & Boca Raton Branches

3rd Annual Members Exhibit

Exhibit Dates: Wednesday, November 1st to Thursday, November 30th, 2023

Boca Raton Community Center - 150 Crawford Blvd, Boca Raton, FL 33432 - 562-393-7807

Entry Deadline: Saturday, October 28th 2023

Cost: \$20.00 Member/Patrons (2 pieces)

Delivery Date: Wednesday, November 1st, 2023 11am - 12pm

Pickup Date: Tuesday, November 30th, 2023 11am - 12pm

Judge: TBD

MAKE \$20 CHECK OUT TO NLAPW and mail entry to address below or

Pay by Zelle: penwomenftl@gmail.com

(Then email entry form info to: tseymour53@comcast.net)

Ribbons & Cash Prizes:

1st Place \$100

2nd Place \$75

3rd Place \$50

Honorable Mention: 2 @ \$25 ea.

Pick-up & Delivery times must be observed.

Please Note: This is a Non-Juried Exhibit

Accepting up to 2 entries per artist

Entry Form

Note: Entry form and check made out to NLAPW needs to be postmarked by Wednesday, October 25th.

Mail to: Tammy Seymour, 415 NE 16th Ave, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301 954-288-7972

Email: tseymour53@comcast.net

Artist's Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Email: _____

ENTRY TITLES

Title #1 _____

Medium _____

Price _____

Title #2 _____

Medium _____

Price _____

LIABILITY:

I understand and agree that the NLAPW Ft. Lauderdale and Boca Raton Branches shall have no responsibility for the care and safekeeping of any exhibit piece and any loss or damage shall be the sole responsibility of the Exhibitor. Exhibitor shall indemnify and hold the NLAPW Ft. Lauderdale and Boca Raton Branches and Boca Raton Community Center harmless against any and all claims arising out of this exhibit.

Signed: _____

ELIGIBLE WORK:

2-Dimensional Art/Photography. Work that was done in a workshop is allowed to be entered provided that the work is based on the artists own original image. Work must have been completed within the last FOUR years. No religious, political or nude works in any medium please. Artwork entered in previous collaborative Shows is not allowed.

All work must be framed and wired securely with clean mats and framed, no larger than 30"x40". Unframed works must have finished edges, no staples showing, no saw tooth hangers.

Each artist must sign the Waiver of Liability prior to displaying their artwork.

ORIGINAL ARTWORK ONLY! NO PRINTS OR GICLEES!

Sales: The sale of artwork is between the artist and the buyer ONLY. The Boca Raton Community Center staff will not take money, nor arrange or facilitate a sale of artwork in any way. NLAPW does not take any percentage of sales. Sold artwork must remain on exhibit throughout the entire show.



Cut out labels below and affix to back of work for ID purposes.

Title #1 _____

Name _____

Medium _____

Title #2: _____

Name _____

Medium _____

TRAVELING NORTH ON FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE: Exit the Florida Turnpike at FL-814/W. Atlantic Blvd in Pompano Beach/Exit 66. Use right two lanes and go east to I-95 N. Use right lane to merge onto I-95 ramp to W Palm Beach. Follow I-95 to W. Palmetto Park Road to Boca Raton. Take exit 44 from I-95. Go east to Crawford Blvd. Turn left onto Crawford Blvd. Follow to Boca Raton Community Center parking lot at 150 Crawford Blvd, Boca Raton, FL 33432.

TRAVELING ON I-95: Take I-95 to Palmetto Park Road exit. Go east to Crawford Blvd. Turn left onto Crawford Blvd. Follow to Boca Raton Community Center parking lot at 150 Crawford Blvd, Boca Raton, FL 33432.

TRAVELING ON THE SAWGRASS EXPRESSWAY: Exit onto SW 10th St (east) and go to Powerline Rd. Go north (left) onto Powerline Rd. Go east (right) onto Palmetto Park Road. Continue east on Palmetto Park Road to Crawford Blvd. Turn left onto Crawford Blvd. Follow to Boca Raton Community Center parking lot at 150 Crawford Blvd, Boca Raton, FL 33432.