

Pen and Palette
Fort Lauderdale NLAPW
<https://lauderdalepenwomen.wixsite.com/nlapw>
January 2024



President's Message

Happy New Year Pen Women!

Hope you all had a wonderful holiday season and are ready for an exciting New Year. Our Pen Women season continues with much to be thankful for as our snowbirds have returned and we continue to grow our branch with new and returning members!!! We have 3 more great luncheons scheduled before our final April Achievement Awards event at the Coral Ridge Yacht Club this year.

*In January we have Lark Keeler, leader in Arts Education, with us for our January 11th @ 11:30am luncheon at the Outback restaurant in Davie.

*Join us for our 3rd annual "Art Night at the Burrie" on February 28th, from 7 to 9 pm, with our artist members: Susan Casbarro, Rosemary Fineberg, Fran Mann Goodman, Kirsten Hines and Anabel Peicher.

*Then our Annual Juried Show at the Skolnick Community Center with award reception is on Friday, February 9th at 11:30am, with catering by Anthony's Coal Fire Pizza. This is an open exhibit so it's a good time to invite your artists friends who aren't already Pen Women to submit to the exhibit. The prospectus with all the details is within this newsletter, on our website and sent out as an email.

*In March, Louise Irvine, Executive Director of the Wiener Museum of Decorative Arts, will speak with us on all the exciting plans underway for their new museum and collection, at Galuppi's on March 14th at 11:30am.

*April is our final luncheon of the season to celebrate our talented students from Broward College. Awards will be presented at the Coral ridge Yacht Club on April 11th, 11:30am.

Your Board and I look forward to seeing you all healthy and happy in this amazing New Year!

Phoenyx



It is with heavy heart that we share the passing of Sandra Coleman on December 30th.

Sandy supported our Pen Women Branch since 2012 when she joined as a writer. Her smiling face and kind words will be missed by us all.

In this picture from January 2020 luncheon with Phoenix and Bennie Edwards.

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



January 11th

Speaker: Lark Keeler - Education and The Arts
Outback Steakhouse

2725 S University Dr. Davie - **954-233-6620** \$30



February 9th - FRIDAY

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

Board Meetings

Every month on the First Monday @ 2 pm
Jan 8, 2024 (Note: Second Monday of Month)

Feb 5, 2024

Mar 4, 2024

Apr 1, 2024

May 6, 2024

REMINDER!!

Deadline for our National Biennial Art Competition is coming up soon—January 10, 2024.

Please register if you haven't yet, The Columbus Cultural Arts Center needs time for cataloguing, creating labels and marketing the exhibit.

Take a look, at its fabulous gallery space, visit <https://www.culturalartscenteronline.org>.

You are also invited to read the article by our Biennial Chairs Bev Goldie and Darren Yeager-Torres in the Fall 2023 Penwomen Magazine. They have been working hard putting together an exciting schedule for the 2024 Biennial.

1st place \$1,000.

2nd place \$750

3rd place \$500

5 awards of merit at \$100 each.

And a one-time only additional \$1,000 award presented by the Central Ohio Branch in memory of a devoted member.

National League of American Pen Women
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See prospectus at the end of newsletter

Entry Deadline:	February 1 st (postmarked)
Cost:	\$25 Member/Patrons \$30 Non- Members (2 pieces)
Delivery Date:	Monday, February 5 th , 11:30-12:30pm
Pickup Date:	Tuesday, March 12 th , 11:00-Noon
Awards:	Friday, February 9 th 11:30
Judge:	Jessica Ransom - Director of Artist Services · Cultural Council for Palm Beach County
Please Note:	Rejected art may be picked up at 4:00pm. Call 954-288-7972 after 3:00pm.



CONGRATULATIONS PAULINE RUNKLE!!

Pauline's work, " Queen Elizabeth, Age 14", will go live as Featured Art on the NLAPW website on February 1, 2024.

We celebrate with you Pauline!!

ALL ARE INVITED

Donna Bruno presents book reviews every Wed at 2 PM
Belmont Senior Living
Seminole Dr., Ft. Lauderdale across from Galleria Mall

January will focus on books about Hollywood celebrities. The first Wed in January will focus on "Hitchcock's Blonds" Tippi Hedren ("The Birds"), Grace Kelley, "Rear Window"), Kim Novak ("Vertigo"), Ingrid Bergman, Janet Leigh ("Psycho"), etc.
On Sunrise Blvd, go past Galleria Mall to light at end of Mall just before going over bridge to the beach on A1A. Take left at Seminole Dr. Belmont is a few yards on the left. Turn into garage. Park wherever there is space (3 levels)

Great news from Mary Belle Cordell in Atlanta

- 2023 was an exciting year for Mary Belle, she became the president of the Georgia World Organization of China Painters. She met porcelain painters from all over Georgia and the world!
- On May 18, 2023, she was introduced and gave a short talk about China painting on the floor of the Georgia Capital while The Senate and the House were in session. She says "quite an experience for a senior porcelain artist."
- On January 8th Mary Belle will be giving a talk and demo about porcelain art to the Atlanta Porcelain Art Guild at Aldo's Restaurant, 6690 Roswell Road, Sandy Springs, Ga. 30328. If in the area and in need of more information, Call 954-980.
- In 2024, she will be interviewed as the Georgia guest artist in a local magazine. More to come on this.
- And, her New Year's resolution is to get involved in the Atlanta NLAPW.

We look forward to more of your news Mary Belle!



CONNEXIONS

October 21, 2023 - January 8, 2024
Renee Rowlands Renee Rowlands Susan S. Buzzi
Tony Fernandez Jacob Humbert Cesar Garcia
Renee Jell Marlowe Florida Cane

OPENING RECEPTION:
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2023
4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
FREE ADMISSION AND PARKING



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ST. THOMAS UNIVERSITY
MAIN LIBRARY / SECOND FLOOR
14601 NW 37th AVENUE
MIAMI GARDENS, FL 33054

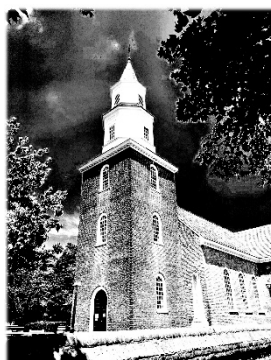
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Susan Buzzi invites us all to this exhibit that opened in October and has been extended to February 3.

Below two of her works.

Congratulations Susan!

Bruton Parish Williamsburg, VA



Downtown Reflections



no wrong answers

Join artist and art educator Janet Gold in a two-hour workshop with interactive exercises in creativity, that will stimulate your mind and have you talking about it at the dinner table that night. The class, previously taught at the Art Institute of Fort Lauderdale, has been re-worked into a two-hour workshop to engage, enlighten, and inspire creativity. The workshop includes inspiring stories, creative concepts, and innovative exercises ranging from brainstorming and word games to deep introspective intra-personal reflection. It is a mix of art, inspiration, and education. Essentially a bootcamp for the brain.

All supplies will be provided in the workshop (basically paper and pen), and the coffee is complimentary (*caffeine*: one of the 10 things that enhance creativity)

Small classes. Limited seating. Cost \$65.

Workshop Dates:

Friday, January 26th from 10:00am-12:00pm
Art Studio, 8443 West McNab, Tamarac 33321

Or

Saturday, February 10th from 10:00am-12:00pm
Sample-McDougald House, 405 NE 10th Street, Pompano Beach 33060

To Register:

Email janetgoldtheartist@gmail.com to confirm your spot.
Zelle or Venmo (Janet E Gold) prior to workshop.

About the Artist:

Janet Gold has been an artist and art educator in Broward County for over 35 years. She has a Master's Degree in both Education and Fine Art, and has taught Kindergarten through College. In her long and illustrious career Gold has been an artist, writer, photographer, curator, art judge, and playwright. It just makes sense that she now teaches Creative Thinking.



Welcome Chrissy Quaglieri

Our newest member receiving her membership certificate at our Holiday Luncheon.

Save the Date:



Art Night at the Burrie

Wednesday, February 28, 2024
7:00-9:00pm



Open to the Public

Charlotte J Burrie Community Center
2669 N Federal Highway
Pompano Beach, FL 33064

You're invited to attend our 3rd Annual Art Night at the Burrie. Join five of our talented artist members for a fun evening of art: Susan Casbarro, Rosemary Fineberg, Fran Mann Goodman, Kirsten Hines and Anabel Peicher.

Holiday Luncheon Cheer





CONGRATULATIONS FRAN GOODMAN!

Her artwork "Pot of Gold" was featured on the NLAPW website on January 4.

You may visit it at

<https://www.nlapw.org/2024/01/04/featured-art-pot-of-gold/>



"12th Annual Winners Show"
Art Gallery 21
600 NE 21st Ct, Wilton Manors, FL

Chrissy Quagliery is inviting all to the closing reception on January 12 from 5 to 7 pm.

She was awarded the 2nd place ribbon in September for "The Secret of Happiness" painting. This award gave her a spot in the Annual 3-Person Winner's Show!

Chrissy is displaying 11 pieces in this month-long show!

Have a wonderful trip to Kenya, Phyllis Elrich!!

Send us many picks, we will be with you in spirit!

*"Every vision I capture reflects my heart being touched by the soul of wild places and their inhabitants."
Phoenix Marks
Fort Lauderdale*

Narda McCarthy
Editor-in-Chief
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Judge:	Jessica Ransom - Director of Artist Services · Cultural Council for Palm Beach County	
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Entry Form

Note: Deadline for postmark on this entry form and check is February 1st, 2024. Made out to NLAPW
Mail to: Tammy Seymour, 415 NE 16th Avenue, Ft Lauderdale, FL 33301 tseymour53@comcast.net

Artist's Name: _____
Phone: _____
Address: _____
City/Zip: _____
Email: _____

ENTRY TITLES

Title #1 _____
Medium _____
Price _____
Title #2 _____
Medium _____
Price _____

Waiver of Liability: The City of Pompano Beach is NOT responsible for any loss or damage to works submitted for this display. The undersigned hereby agrees to release and forever discharge the City of Pompano Beach, its Officials, Commissioners, Employees, Directors, Board Members, and Agents from any and all liability for damage or loss of any kind on all works submitted to the City for exhibition, and from any and all circumstances which may arise from the display of said works.
Signed: _____ Date: _____

ELIGIBLE WORK:

2 & 3-Dimensional Art/Photography: Upon entering this exhibit, you are certifying that this work is an original, not a copy of another artist's work or a copy of any photograph not taken by you, this work has not been entered before in this annual show, this artwork was done by only one artist and completed within the last FOUR years. No religious, political or nude works in any medium please. ORIGINAL ARTWORK ONLY! NO PRINTS OR GICLEES!

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. **There will be a limit of 50 works accepted.**

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

Sales: The sale of artwork is between the artist and the buyer ONLY. The 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.

ELIGIBLE ARTISTS:

Pen Women Members and Patrons. Non-Members and Patrons are invited to enter up to 2 pieces of art and are limited to participation in two of these Annual Juried Exhibits. This show is our way to introduce local women artists to the Ft. Lauderdale Branch of the NLAPW.

Awards & Luncheon Friday, Feb 9th, 11:30am

Catered by
Anthony's Coal Fired Pizza

Luncheon reservation checks, \$30 each

Send CK by Feb 2nd, to:
Tammy Seymour- 415 NE 16th Ave, Ft Lauderdale, FL 33301
or Zelle at
penwomenftl@gmail.com

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

Title #1 _____

Name _____

Medium _____

Title #2: _____

Name _____

Medium _____

