

The email is going out to all Meetup Members.

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*****Plein Fun Fest ******

Although it rained buckets on Friday our participants were troupers finding ways to keep themselves and their artwork out of the rain. The critique / lunch event continues to be very well received. Thanks to Manny and the critique leaders Pati, Ralph, Lorrie and Chris. We are proud to see some of our experienced artists leading the critiques that help all artists to improve. It is what PAPB is all about. Saturday we had better weather but decided to move inside anyway since the ground was so wet. There was universal agreement that this venue was better for the exhibit and reception. Boynton Uke Society played during the reception and added to the fun and merriment. Sales were very good despite the weather obstacles we faced. Super thanks to all the committee chairs Pati – Sales, Frances & Sheila – Hospitality, Lynn – Registration and all the volunteers who helped make PFF 2019 a success. Lorrie & Donna have decided to pass the baton on. They have been co-chairs for the last four years of Plein Fun Fest. **Lynn Rhodes and Kathryn Barry have accepted the baton and will be the co-chairs for the 5th Annual Plein Fun Fest in 2020.**

*****Exhibit Update*****

Delray Beach Library –“We Painted Delray Beach”. The reception for the Fun Fest Library Exhibit was on **Feb. 13th from 5 -8 pm.** Pickup for this exhibit is **Saturday, March 9th 9 -9:30 am**

Everglades Day Plein Air Paintout at Loxahatchee & Exhibit - Opening Reception is planned for **Sunday, February 17th 2-4 pm.** The show to be on the walls for a six week run to mid-April with artists picking up their paintings on **Sunday, April 14, 2019.**

JCC in Boca Raton Exhibit "Painting Paradise" Contributing members of Plein Air Palm Beach are invited to participate in our first exhibition hosted at the Levis Jewish Community Center in Boca Raton. The JCC is one of the largest in the U.S. and is very active and interested in the arts. The last two exhibitions drew 160+ people to opening receptions. The Pottery Guild will also be part of the exhibition
March 10 - April 30, 2019

- Frances Lynn is chairing this exhibit. This exhibit will be open to CA Members and will have a [\\$10 application fee](#). Post your photos for this exhibit at <https://www.meetup.com/palmbeachartists/photos/29688079/>

- Intake and installation - **March 8th, 10am - 12 pm**

Artist Pickup - **May 2, 11 am - 3 pm**

Opening Reception - **March 10, 2-4 pm**

NEXT SEASON

Northeast Regional Library (Broward) – One of our members Joanne Tibaldi, found that the library was interested in having a plein air exhibit. The board has asked Linda Fleishman and Julia Stevens to co-chair this and work with Joanne and the library. This will be for next season. It is great when our members bring these leads to us. Keep it up.

Artists of Palm Beach County – Lorrie Turner and Diane Hutchinson met with Maxine Schreiber about a plein air event and exhibit for next season. So far it is just in the planning stages.

*****PAPB 5th Anniversary*****

Hard to believe but Plein Air Palm Beach has been 'officially' a group since we incorporated in May of 2014. There is a lot to be proud of and we want to celebrate. Plans are being made to have a lunch/early dinner at 'happy hour time.' We are looking into having this at 50 Ocean, the upstairs dining area of Boston's on the Beach. We are planning for the end of April or beginning of May. This is just a heads up and more information will be coming when it is available.

*****What our Member Artists have been up to or will be doing*****

Lorrie Turner is giving a demo on Feb 26th, 2019 at the Boca Artist Guild in Boca Raton. Steve Nash coordinates the demos for the Guild.

Manon Sander will be giving a Sedona workshop coming up from September 12 - 19, 2019

*****Area Plein Air Events*****

Lighthouse Plein Air [Quick Draw Painting Contest](#) is open to all artists, and will take place at Flagler Park in Stuart on Sunday, March 10, 2019 from 9 - 11 am. Artists register at 8 am, and have 2 hours to paint the local landscape. The art will be judged, awards will be given at 12 noon and the art will be available for purchase from 12 - 2 pm. Then the unsold paintings will be displayed at the Lighthouse ArtCenter Gallery.

PAPB Advertising Rate Sheet available
at https://docs.google.com/document/d/1I9yg0FW_Jo_Yilvoo28igGXbBVd-Fb5ovqWEVttwIO8

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Definition of Plein Air Painting for PAPB

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