

The email is going out to all Meetup Members.

For previous NEWS updates see

<http://www.meetup.com/palmbeachartists/messages/boards/>

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******PLEIN FUN FEST******

“It was a home run” Steve Nash was quoted as saying and many agreed with him.

See all the photos from Plein Fun Fest art the PAPB Photo Album Archive

<https://get.google.com/u/1/albumarchive/114389245625143817540?source=pwa&pageId=none> After this event we had a meeting with Old School Square and

we agreed to partner together to make this an even better event. Our hope is put more FUN in fund raising to enable better marketing to attract more collectors, more sales and more Fun all around!

Future dates: Jan 26-28, 2018, Feb 1-3, 2019

******Regular Newsletter******

As you know, we send out regular news updates and announcements as needed.

But the news updates have been when we accumulated enough news. We have always announced the activities of Contributing Artists and area plein air events.

Lately we have been getting more ‘news’ from CA’s so we thought we would publish this newsletter more regularly. This way CA’s can plan their

announcements. So let us know if what you might like to see in a newsletter, how often and if you might like to get involved as a writer.

****Discussion Forums on Meetup ****

All of our news updates, information about exhibits, paintouts can be found on the [Meetup.com/palmbeachartists](http://www.meetup.com/palmbeachartists) site. There was getting to be a lot of messages so they have been arranged into a forum folder format. There are

discussion folders for News, Contributing Artist Exhibits, Plein Fun Paint-outs, & General (see image). This should make finding things easier.

The image shows a screenshot of the Facebook group page for Plein Air Palm Beach. The page features a header with the group's logo and name, a navigation bar with links to Home, Members, Sponsors, Photos, Pages, Discussions (selected), and More, and a Group tools section with My profile. The main content area is titled "Plein Air Palm Beach Message Board" and includes a search bar and a table of discussion folders. The table lists four folders: "NEWS: Updates", "Contributing Artist EXHIBITS", "Plein Fun Fest", and "Paint-outs", each with a description, number of discussions, number of posts, and the latest reply. The "Organizers" section lists Donna Walsh, Chris Kling, and 13 other members. The "We're about" section is partially visible at the bottom.

Forum	Discussions	Posts	Latest Reply
NEWS: Updates The PAPB Newsletter ↓ Move down ↑ Move up Edit Delete	25	27	Jan 1, 2017 by Donna Walsh at 1:38 PM
Contributing Artist EXHIBITS Applications and information about Exhibits for PAPB Contributing Artists ↓ Move down ↑ Move up Edit Delete	69	81	Jan 1, 2017 by Donna Walsh at 7:28 PM
Plein Fun Fest All the messages and updates concerning Plein Fun Fest ↓ Move down ↑ Move up Edit Delete	12	14	Jan 18, 2017 by Donna Walsh at 1:44 PM
Paint-outs Information and updates about our paint-outs both the regularly scheduled w/ critique and spontaneous randomly scheduled ↓ Move down ↑ Move up Edit Delete	25	31	Oct 19, 2016 by Manon Sander at 9:12 PM
General	29	37	Sep 24, 2016 by cecilia.robert at 9:43 AM

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

TEACHING CA's

Ted Matz is teaching a Plein Air Maine Painting workshop August 14-19, 2017 The Plein Air Maine Painting Workshop will be a great learning experience, offering daily painting excursions, personalized attention and friendly critiques. All levels of experience are welcome and students can work in any medium of their choice. Those interested should contact Janet Miller at The Travel Gallery at [561-745-1559](tel:561-745-1559) or janet@thetravelgallery.com

Manny Jomok will be teaching a watercolor class in a private studio. Email Manny at mannyjart@aol.com or call him at [732-208-3842](tel:732-208-3842) for class costs and detailed information.

Lorrie B Turner is teaching Pastel Painting Classes in a Boca Studio on Wednesday mornings, 9:30 – 12 noon. All classes are taught 'atelier style' to each student's ability and expertise. Email Lorrie at: Lorrieb99@hotmail.com

Patricia (Pati) Maguire teaches All Media painting at her Studio Wednesday's from 1-4pm. Contact at: patimaguire@aol.com www.patimaguire.com

*******Email Notifications Policy*******

- We have a large and active group and we want to make sure that our meetup members are notified of paint-outs we sponsor, and also area opportunities, but not unduly burdened with lots of email updates. Organizers can also send out announcements to the whole group or to subgroups, for example artists who attended a particular meetup. Here is our policy for updates to meetup members.

As stated on the meetup site, our meetup mailing list is used only to notify members of our scheduled meetups, and notifications from group organizers.

Plein Air Palm Beach does not provide access to our mailing list to promote products or events.

However, we are happy to include contributing artist news & area plein air events in the NEWS updates for the meetup group. Those wishing to be in the NEWS Update should send anything to be included in **text format** a couple of sentences long (**no pictures or pdfs**) with **link** to relevant information. We will not transcribe your promotional material into text, you must do that. One more thing, we know that you are all working hard to get your work shown, please post those news items in the meetup discussion forums or on the Facebook group page, unless it is an invitation to an opening or something like that.

On the web calendar <http://www.pleinairpalmbeach.com/calendar.html> there we have all the meetups as well as PAPB exhibits and community events. The criteria for a listing artist event such as an opening, classes or workshops is that it be open to all artists, PAPB artists, or PAPB CA's. The description section of a community event can have web links to your web pages, or pdfs. We only list PAPB events on the side bar of the menu page.