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PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Congratulations are certainly in order, not only to the winners of the Fall Show, but to all of the participating artists. I would think that most of you are in agreement that the Ottawa Little Theatre has done a superb job on the renovations of the lobby and that it really shows off our work in the best possible light.

The voting members must have had a most difficult time picking their favorite but were quite decisive in their voting with fewer ties this year compared to 2010.

The wine selection by David Holton lived up to our expectations, and it was good to see enough sauce for the egg rolls. Thanks Carol!

My best wishes to you and yours for the Christmas season. See you in the new year.

Our next guest speaker will be Margaret

Ferarro, well-known pastel artist, whose subject matter covers landscapes, figures, and flowers. Margaret is deeply involved in teaching, and her works will be an inspiration to

all of us, regardless of the medium we use. Margaret's topic will be concerned with **creative play**, bringing certain elements together, such as simple and elegant objects to create a striking composition with clearly defined positive and negative space. This can be done quickly on a strongly coloured background. Her approach allows her to reserve a greater amount of time for observing a colour's reaction to neighboring colours, and for playing in the moment. Winter is the perfect time to get playful with colour by using pastels.

Our Fall Awards Show 2011 Winners!

Acrylics

- 1st Joanne Beaubien for "Birth of the City"
- 2nd Maryse Brunet Lalonde for "China Town"
- 3rd Jennifer Daigle for "White Peony"

Oils

- 1st Patricia Wilmot Savoie for "Happy"
- 2nd Helene Martin for "Frozen Pond"

Next OAA Meeting and Schedule

January 10, 2012, Tuesday
Executive Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
Speaker Margaret Ferraro, 7:30 p.m.
Heron Road Multi-Service Center
1480 Heron Road
January 8, 2012, Sunday, from 2 to 2:30 p.m.
Next pick-up and hang, Ottawa Little Theatre

Oils (*continued*)

3rd Alexey Rekadze for "Winter Moon Night"

3rd Hanah Wdaah for "Build Human Symbols"

Others

1st Aili Kurtis for "Reflections"

2nd Glenda Yates Krusberg for "Five Sunflowers"

2nd Claude Potvin for "Hiver Hivernale"

3rd Carla Cervantes Bertrand for "Fall in Gatineau Park"

Watercolour

1st Alain Godbout for "Sisters"

2nd Dave Acton for "Rainy Night in the City"

3rd Josie Braden for "Golden Birch Leaves"

3rd Christiane Kingsley for "The Gatekeeper"

3rd Elvi Edwards for "Love that Red"

Our webmistress, Christiane Kingsley, has recovered nicely from shoulder problems and expects to have the winning artwork in the Events section of our Web site by the end of December. Thanks to all of you for submitting photos of your work.

EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS

"Progress" solo show, **Maya Hum**, <http://www.maya-art.ca/>

Stafford Studios ASP Gallery, Nepean Creative Arts Centre - Unit 1, 35 Stafford Road, Bells Corners

November 28 to December 11, 2011,

Reception: Nov 29, 2011 (Tuesday 6-9 p.m.)

http://www.ottawa.ca/rec_culture/arts/gallery_exhibit/asp_en.html

Great Big Smalls VII, Group Show: Annual Exhibition of Artworks in Small Format

Participating OAA members:

Aili Kurtis, <http://www.ailikurtis.com/>

Denis Larouche, <http://pages.videotron.com/artmuse/>

Pina Manoni-Rennick, <http://www.pina-manoni-rennick.com/>

Cube Gallery, 1285 Wellington West, Ottawa

November 29 to December 31, 2011

Reception: December 1, 2011 (6-11:30)

http://www.cubegallery.ca/exhibitions/2011_11_29_great_big_smalls_vii

CALL TO ARTISTS

AXENÉO7 submissions for 2012 to 2013

80 rue Hanson, Gatineau, QC

Deadline: **January 6, 2012**

<http://www.axeneo7.qc.ca/appels-en.php>

City of Ottawa: Arts Funding Program 2012

– Creation and Production Fund for Professional Artists

– Project Funding for Arts Organizations

Deadline: **January 16, 2012** (Monday, 4 p.m.)

For more information, e-mail Infoculture@ottawa.ca or call 613-580-2424, x29404

For Guidelines and Application forms, go to

http://www.ottawa.ca/rec_culture/arts/plan_fund/cultural/index_en.html