



## OAA Executive 2013-2014

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## PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Spring is coming two days earlier this year! The Spring Awards Show will be held March 18 instead of April this year.

Please check out the complete rules in the Members Guide on the website as they will be strictly enforced for the juried show. In summary, you must be a paid up member as of March 1, and you will not be able to sign up or renew on the hanging date. The size is limited to 40 inches in any direction, including frame. The work must be properly framed or on gallery size (1.5 inch thick) stretched canvas. The work must be original, not a copy or limited edition, and it must not be based on someone else's photograph or artwork. It must not have been done under instruction in a class or a workshop, nor formally critiqued. It must not have appeared in any other juried show. Tickets are \$6, including hanging fee and refreshments. Kindly bring exact change.

Our planned guest speaker in February had to suddenly cancel for health reasons. Fortunately, Chris Tinkler, our Second Vice President, was able to put together, with barely two days' notice, a fascinating slide show and talk on Constable's use of colour. Thanks so much Chris!

Our guest speaker in April will be coloured pencil artist Allison Fagan. You can check out her web page at [www.allisonfagan.com](http://www.allisonfagan.com). Allison will demonstrate coloured pencil techniques and discuss repetitive strain injury and taking an artist sabbatical.

I hope to see you all at the Spring Awards Show, March 18.

Robert Murrell

## Member Event

### Virginia Dupuis at Galerie Old Chelsea

Virginia invites you to an exhibition at Galerie Old Chelsea of her latest oil paintings, "On the vine" - in which she looks at berries ripening on the vine.

The vernissage will take place March 9<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

Galerie Old Chelsea  
783 route 105, Chelsea QC  
Open Wednesday to Sunday

## Next OAA Meeting and Schedule

Next Hanging: March 15, 10:00-10:30 am  
(enter by side door)

Spring Awards Show at Ottawa Little Theatre: March 18, 7:30 pm  
**(ENTER BY FRONT DOOR ONLY)**

OLT Play

"Drama at Inish" March 25 – April 12

## **Opportunities**

### **Break-a-Brush!**

Saturday painting workshops:

08 March: The Clothed Figure - "attitude - classic and contemporary"

22 March: Problem Painting Clinic - "bring one, bring all!"

Information at [http://www.davidkearn.com/courses\\_e.htm](http://www.davidkearn.com/courses_e.htm).

Or email: [david@davidkearn.com](mailto:david@davidkearn.com)

**Mary Kritz** – book art classes.

Information: [www.bookartiste.blogspot.com](http://www.bookartiste.blogspot.com)

**The City of Ottawa Public Art Program** presents a PUBLIC ART OPPORTUNITY FOR ARTISTS

Call for applications: 2014 Direct Purchase

The City of Ottawa wishes to purchase artworks in all visual art media. Artwork purchased through the 2014 Direct Purchase program will become part of the City of Ottawa Art Collection.

Read the call for applications on [ottawa.ca](http://ottawa.ca):

<https://ottawa.ca/en/residents/arts-culture-and-community/arts-theatre-music/call-applications-2014-direct-purchase>

**A two-day workshop** for artists and aspiring artists working in oils or acrylics with John David Anderson in Kingston

[www.johndavidanderson.ca](http://www.johndavidanderson.ca)

[www.myendofthebrush.blogspot.com](http://www.myendofthebrush.blogspot.com)

[www.twitter.com/jdapainter](http://www.twitter.com/jdapainter)

Saturday/Sunday April 26-27, 2014

9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Cost \$115.00 Registration is limited to 12 participants

Register [drbasmith@gmail.com](mailto:drbasmith@gmail.com)

**"Spring into Art " 2014** Spring Art Conference & Luncheon...an exploration of ideas about the crea-

tion/promotion of ARTDate: Saturday April 12, 2014 Time: 8:45am to 4:15pm

Place: **Carp Memorial Hall (Intersection of Carp Road and Donald B. Munro Drive).**

Lunch: **Included**

Cost: \$70. FOR REGISTRATION AND FURTHER INFORMATION VISIT THE WEST CARLETON ARTS SOCIETY WEBSITE [www.westcarletonartsociety.ca](http://www.westcarletonartsociety.ca)

### **Elora Centre for the Arts: Minarovich Gallery**

Mediated Landscapes

Colin Carney, Linda Risacher-Copp, Barry McCarthy, Alex McLeod

March 8 - April 6, 2014

Opening Reception: Saturday, March 8, 2pm - 4pm

Information: [http://www.ecfta.ca/index.cfm?page=Gallery\\_2014\\_Landsca](http://www.ecfta.ca/index.cfm?page=Gallery_2014_Landsca)

### **Haliburton School of the Arts**

Beginners to professionals, individuals and families – there's something for everyone. Choose from more than 300 options. Visit [www.hsta.ca](http://www.hsta.ca) for the schedule of courses and workshops.