



## OAA Executive 2013-2014

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## PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

The Spring Awards Show was one of the best in terms of variety and consistently high quality. I was surprised at the exceptionally high number of acrylics and low number of watercolours compared to past shows. It was a difficult task for the judges. Congratulations to all participants and to the winners.

### Watercolour

The winner of the Blythe Macdonald trophy:

1. "Forest Fire" by Deborah Thomas
2. "Distant Fields" by Brian Seed
3. "Antiquary Countryside" by Grace Call

### Other Media

The winner of the Ottawa Art Association Trophy:

1. "Beyond the Field" by Mary Dorland
2. "The Bowery Mission" by Mary Ann Varley
3. "Hoping for Crumbs" by Magda Hannah

Honourable Mentions:

- "Winter Rocks" by Glenda Krusberg  
"Cats" by Galina Ponomarenko

### Acrylic

The O'keefe Trophy winner is:

1. "The Great Bouquet" by David Houlton
2. "Sunset Splendor" by Pina Manoni-Renick
3. "Algoma Calm" by Pat Hendry

### Oil

The winner of the Begum Mohammed Ali trophy is:

1. "Daisy Daisy" by Maureen Rooney Mitchell
2. "The Spelling Lesson" by Joseph Coban
3. "Tatted Lace" by Virginia Dupuis

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

Our guest speaker in May will be Patrick Fraser. Patrick will demonstrate and discuss caricature drawing. Patrick studied graphic arts in Toronto and worked as a graphic designer at Corel Corporation, he presently teaches Cartooning for Kids at the Nepean Visual Arts Centre.

Robert Murrell

## Next OAA Meeting and Hanging

Meeting: April 8, 7:30-9:30

Location: Heron Community Centre, 1480 Heron Rd. (Amphitheatre on 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)

Hanging: April 13, 2:00-2:30 pm

Location: Ottawa Little Theatre  
(enter by side door)

OLT Plays

"Drama at Inish" March 25 – April 12  
by Lennox Robinson

"Mauritius" April 29-May 17  
by Theresa Rebeck

## New Gallery in Ottawa

The Kevin Dodds Gallery and Studio at 1101 Bank St. near Sunnyside is now open. This new gallery features the paintings of internationally known artist and teacher Kevin Dodds as well as the artwork of over twenty talented local artists such as: Jill Alexander, John Archer, Linda Bergeron Baril, Amanda Bowden, Malcolm Cowell, Karen Phillips Curran, Cathy Dolan, Cheryl Dolan, Bev Durand, Kerry Vaughn Erickson, Margaret Ferraro, Cheol Hwang, Nola Juraitas, Christiane Kingsley, Aili Kurtis, Christopher Marchand, Robert Murrell, Sian Palmer, Luminita Serbanescu and Sawsan Shorbajee.

For more information, contact: Kevin Dodds at 613-286-8512 or go to [www.kevindoddsart.com](http://www.kevindoddsart.com).

## Events

**Christopher James** is having an exhibit at Galerie Old Chelsea from April 17 to May 8. Vernissage on Saturday, April 20, 1-4pm.

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**You and your friends** are invited to an Art Show on Saturday, May 3rd, 9:00- 4:00, at 800 Niven's Place off Blaire Rd North. This show will feature a collection of original art by Grace Call, Dulce Juvet and Judy Lockett. 15% of profits will go to Tutoring in local schools. Please direct any queries to [kandjlockett@rogers.com](mailto:kandjlockett@rogers.com).

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**Art Credo Exhibition.** 26 April to 11 May 11. Free entry. St John's Church, Elgin & Somerset. Over 100 works by 60 local artists. Close to the Rideau Canal and restaurants. Noon to 6pm everyday, Thursday and Friday until 8pm. More information at 613-232-4500.

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**Denise Bisson** is having a solo show at Platform Gallery and Studios, 51b Young St (off Preston St). The vernissage will be on Thursday April 3rd from 5-9 PM and the gallery will be open Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 1-5 PM , April 4th to April 13th. For more information, please e-mail [dbisson@rogers.com](mailto:dbisson@rogers.com)

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**Margaret Grant** is having a solo art exhibition at the Red Poppy Gallery from March 25 - May 8th 2014. The Vernissage is on March 27th, from 4:00 - 7:30 pm. The show titled, "Breathing Space" features watercolour and oil paintings, with a variety of subject matter including landscapes, figures, and still life. The Red Poppy Gallery is located at John McCrae Secondary School (on the 2nd floor beside the Walter Baker Sports Centre), 103 Malvern Drive, Ottawa.