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President's Jottings - by Deborah Czernecky

Once again I would like to thank everyone for coming out, participating and making the Spring Awards Show a huge success. Congratulations to all the winners. We had a total of 107 works submitted, and I've noticed you like to paint BIG for these juried shows! Thus, giving me near heart failure and the hanging committee a challenge so early Sunday morning. I think we are going to have to re-think sizes for our Juried Shows Only. Don't forget to check our web site for the images of the winners!

www.ottawaartassoc.ca/artists/fallshow/

**OTTAWA LITTLE THEATRE
EXHIBITION**

The takedown for the April Awards Show is May 14th, 9:00-9:30 a.m. New work will be accepted when you register with Keith Yach, Gallery Co-ordinator. The takedown for the May exhibit is June 18th.

Nominations for the OAA Executive:

Anyone wishing to work on the OAA executive or nominate members for the executive please contact the President or 1st Vice President. Nominations will be presented at the Annual General Meeting on June 13th, 2006.

Odds and Ends:

Interested in studio space? A friend of Manju Sah sent her the following rental opportunity.

"Art patrons Raquel and Michel Frojmovic, 729-7992 have purchased a house next to the old firehall on Parkdale. Behind the house is a 2300 sq. foot garage/workshop that they would like to rent out to artists in a type of co-op arrangement. I think they are asking \$2600 a month (totally inclusive)."

For SALE

80-90 Full sized sheets of watercolour paper @3.00 per sheet (volume discount) and

100 sheets of Pastel Paper (assorted colours) @ 1.00 per sheet

Please contact Mrs. Mehta at 820-6798

**Next OAA Meeting -
Tuesday, May 9th 2006,**

7:30-9:00 p.m.

On the 3rd floor,
Multi-Service Service Centre,
1480 Heron Road, Ottawa. **The executive meeting will be held in the 3rd floor Board Room, at 6:15 pm. Feature guest is John Alexander Day.** John will be giving a demo of working from a plein-air painting sketch to a studio painting. For more information on John and his work, check out his website at www.johnday.ca



SPRING AWARDS SHOW WINNERS

Congratulations to all participants and winners for another great show!

Oil

1st "My Pup in the Sun" by Andrea Ross
 2nd "Winter Day" by Marje Fletcher
 3rd "Mother Maple at Fulton's" by Mary Bryant
 HM "Le Pecheur" by Sharon A. McKenna
 HM "I Love" by Maureen O'Neill

Watercolour

1st "Bird's Eye View" by Anne Remmer Thompson
 2nd "Friends" by Pina Manoni-Rennick
 3rd "Twilight Saanich Peninsula" by Margaret J. Clyde
 HM "Blow Torch and the Daisies" by Dave Acton
 HM "The Silence of Winter" by Alan Bain

Acrylic

1st "Bloodroot Fantasy" by Catherine Edmonds
 2nd "Spring Surprise" by David Houlton
 3rd "Illuminate" by Judith Savic
 HM "Driving by the Reef" by David W. Henderson

Pastel

1st "Winter Glow" by Stephanie Wellman
 2nd "Concentration" by Albina Elliott
 3rd "Mountain Lake Sky" by Glenda Yates Krusberg

Other Media

1st "Le Discret Des Marais" by Isabelle Regout
 2nd "Canada-Russia '72" by Edith Liepa
 3rd "Proud Mom With Her Puppies" by Majka Broulik
 HM "Madawaska River" by Francoise Steadman.

SPECIAL THANKS TO ROTHWELL HAUCK GALLERY AND WALLACK'S FOR SUPPLYING THE WONDERFUL DOOR PRIZES FOR THIS EVENT.

Upcoming Events:

Rideau Hall Art Collection and Paint-out

Hope you've reserved your place for the tour of the Governor General's art collection at Rideau Hall on May 13th . at 9:00 a.m. If not, there are still a few spots left. There is no cost, but reservations are a must. To save a spot please contact Sue Ouellette at 830-5813 prior to Monday, May 8th.

Annual General Meeting

The election of the new executive is not the only agenda item of the June 13th meeting. As this is our last meeting of the season, we decided to replace the guest speaker with a few goodies, some quality time with friends, and a swap meet. If you have any art magazines, art books, or other "art stuff" and are able to part with them, why not swap them. No money will change hands, but you may go home with a new cache of stuff to keep you busy all summer long.

June paint-out

A plein-air day for members on Friday, June 16th, rain date Saturday, June 17th, hosted by Audrey Nixon. Directions and more details to follow in the June newsletter.

Week-end Trip to Quebec City

We have asked Ottawa Valley Tours to customize a 2-night, 3-day bus trip to Quebec City for early May 2007. The motor coach holiday will be open to OAA members and their guests. More details to come in a future newsletter.