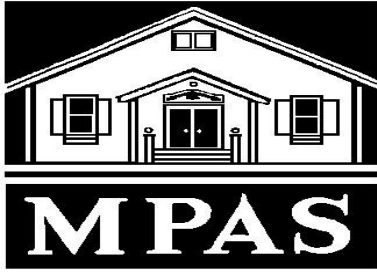


Mt Pleasant Art Society Newsletter

Presidents Letter



**APRIL
MEETING
HAS
BEEN
CANCELED**

**MPAS Demo Schedule
Meeting Time: 2:00- 4:00 PM
(first Sun of each month)**

**May 3, 2020: Bob O'Brian
Drawing (Caricature)
Refreshments: Karen
Gatherer & Diana Williams
Sm Gallery: Frankie Brown**

Hello MPAS!

We are sorry that the workshop was postponed and our April meeting was canceled. In these times it is important to use our common sense, our faith, and our patience. Let us keep our country and its people in our prayers.

Since we have a lot of time on our hands, I hope you are painting! I must say that our Membership show proved what I have always said; MPAS has some of the most talented members in North East Texas!! The 60 paintings we have in that show are a cut above and I want to thank all of you for your entries and your efforts. Congrats to the winners. I am glad I wasn't the Judge, because it would be impossible for me to make the choices!! It's time we start thinking of our next Membership show next year. In Feb Cristy Kidwell did a fantastic demo and Barbara Caravella had a great show in the back room.

This crisis, with God's help, will be over soon and normal life will resume. The MPAS will be here and painting will continue.

God bless you all,

Steve Corbell

Membership dues (\$35) are due in May. Pay at the May meeting or better yet, mail them in.

Send to checks to: MPAS, PO Box 54, Mt Pleasant, TX 75456

PROPOSED NEW OFFICERS

Due to the virus outbreak and the cancellation of the April meeting voting has been moved to our May meeting.

1st Vice President – Steve Corbell
Secretary – Ann Glaess
Treasurer – Dolores Wright
Webmaster/Admin – Donna Monroe

2nd Vice President – Mary Hodges
Corresponding Secretary – LaVerne Arnett
Assistant Treasurer – Gary Perron

President, nomination will need to come from the floor. Members can nominate anyone they wish but they must speak first to the person being nominated to make sure they are willing to serve. (No member can serve in 2 officer positions at the same time. Steve can't continue as President and be 1st V.P, just in case someone thinks he will continue in that position.) Members can nominate themselves if they wish.

Membership Show Winners



The full show can
be seen on the
website.



www.mtpleasantartsociety.com

Congratulations to All

- 1st Place: LaVerne Arnett**
- 2nd Place: Sandy Hinds**
- 3rd Place: Claudia Duncan (not pictured)**
- Alliance Bank of Mt Vernon Award: Michele Lawler**
- Edward Jones Investments Award: Michele Greene**
- Pilgrim Bank Award: Donna Monroe**
- American National Bank Award: Dusty Goodman**
- Cypress Bank Award: Ann Glaess (not pictured)**
- First Federal Community Bank Award: Carol Durrum (not pictured)**
- MPAS Memorial Award: Steve Corbell**
- Honorable Mention Award and People's Choice Award: Dolores Wright**

A special thanks to this year's judge, renowned artist, Kay Franklin from Graham, TX and to all our loyal sponsors who provided the cash awards.