



Fairfield-Suisun City Visual Arts Association

Artifacts

October 2024

Solano Town Center Gallery

1350 Travis Blvd, Suite D-8, Fairfield, CA

'Open Show'

September 11 thru October 26

Spotlight Artists: The ArtDivas

Featured Artist: Sheree Rayford's
Photography Students
'Capturing Change'

Artwork Pickup: Sunday, Oct 27, 11am—6pm

**Solano Town Center Gallery
Closed: Oct 28 thru Nov 8
For Maintenance**

*Volunteers Needed for patching, painting,
etc—Contact Dennis Ariza*

STCG Next Show:

61st Annual Nor-Cal Regional Juried Art Show

Entry Day: Saturday, November 9, 9am to 6pm

Jury Day: Saturday, November 10, 9am to 5pm

Awards Gala /Reception:

Saturday, November 23, 3-6pm

Village 360 Art Gallery

4949 Suisun Valley Road, Fairfield

Hours:

Fri, 11am—7pm

Sat & Sun, 11am—4pm

(Hours Subject to Change)

Salon Collective GV Art Gallery

4171 Suisun Valley Road, Fairfield

Hours:

Tues-Fri, 8:30am—4pm

Sat, 9am—2pm

(Hours Subject to Change)

Special Event Committee Meeting

Saturday, October 12, 9am

Solano Town Center Gallery

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Solano Town Center Gallery
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*If you receive a notice from the mall or security, please contact
Dennis Ariza at once*

Spotlight & Featured Artists

We are looking for Spotlight Artists and Featured Artists for next year's shows.

The Spotlight Artist will have their artwork displayed in the front room.

Featured Artists will have their artwork displayed in one of the backrooms, with an option to display up to fifteen pieces of artwork.

'The Crush' — Open Studios

The 4th Annual The Crush—Open Studios was a great success for its first year.

As expected, there were a few glitches. We had a cancellation by the docent at the Collective GV Gallery, additional signage was needed at Bally Keal, Bally Keal forgot to update their website saying they were open, but even with those items, it was still a success.

Caymus Winery is considering joining us next year and IL Fiorello is considering hosting more than three artists next year.

Also, Jane Loveall Studio would like to host an artist; her location was very busy.

We had visitors from Rocklin, Roseville, Placerville, Walnut Creek, Sonoma County, and Napa all following the trail as they called our map. Join us next year for a great time.



New Member



Judith Lloyd

Things To Do – People to See

Art Classes

**Adult Art Classes
Elements of Design**

Mangles Tasting Room-Outside Area
4529 Suisun Valley Road, Fairfield

These lessons are focused on the process of creating art using the elements of design. Each session focuses on a different element using artist examples and exercises to increase awareness /use on that particular element.

Line-Shape-Color-Texture-Form-Space-Value

Monthly Sessions: 10am—12 Noon

\$40 per Session (*Materials Included*)

Laura Klein-Instructor
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Text to (707) 208-6466

Gallery Review

By Adrienne Emmering

Gallery 621 is an intimate elegant art gallery, located at 920 First Street, Suite 203, in nearby Benicia. The Gallery's current show, "The Process", features work by a variety of local artists. Different media and different techniques are represented, each representing a unique process the artist must undergo and understand to create his work. First the idea, then the medium, then the subject and finally the finished product.

A fine handmade quilt, "The Last Portal" by Amelia Fernholz is a large composition, a simple wall hanging rendered in warm earth tones. Another work, a mixed media painting (by Charlynn Throckmorton) is called "Underwater". A vivid abstract, it features warm yellows and reds laid over cooler shades of greys and blues. Shiny brilliant oil colors are laid over cooler, matte textured acrylics to create a dynamic abstract composition in which color and movement takes the center stage.

"Love, Labrador Style" is a huge acrylic portrait of a dog, looking happy and eager to please. By Robert Anke, this humorous work dominates a whole wall. Local artist Nikki Basch Davis has a small, heavily textured oil, "Brothers", an intimate small figure study, done in a limited palette, emphasizing subtle beige and brown tones.

Two featured artists dominate the show - James Storey, who works with wood, ceramic and metal sculpture, and Daniel Hunter, who specializes in colorful abstracts, which feature repetitive round shapes, rendered in bright colors, backed by pastels, greys, patterns and other subtle background tones.

Hunter's work, "Panel R43204", is a playful abstract which features vivid blues, yellows and pinks in a composition featuring rounded and curving forms, decorated, and backed with repeating bright patterns. A cute ceramic, "Monster Bowl" by Robert Anke, is a pink bowl rimmed with large teeth shapes - a humorous take on experimental ceramic "idea pieces".

One artist, Stephen Daniel Schumm, dares to do a large stained-glass piece, composed of squared shapes. "Garden Gate" is a large work, done mostly in beige tones, pastels - yellows, and off whites.

The current show stresses the validity of different creative approaches. The theme is variety. Artists must deal with varied subject matter, media, ideas, and color to produce their unique work. The show stresses the individuality of the artists above all else.

Gallery Hours: Thursday to Sunday, 12 to 6pm.

Fairfield Arts

710 Jackson Street, Fairfield



Fall Into ARTumn

Saturday, October 25, 4-7pm

Art, Music, Snacks, and Beverages,
Kids Create Holiday Cards with Laura Klein,
and several guest artists.

The beginning of the Downtown Fairfield,
3rd Friday Art Walks

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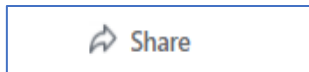


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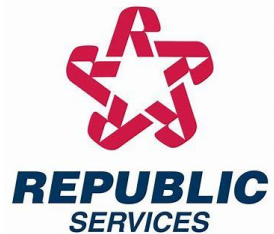
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