

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to all our Windward Artists Guild members who have been showing their work at various locations. Please let me know if I missed you.

Congratulations to **Francisco Clemente** for his acceptance in the 40th Hawaii Craftsmen Statewide Annual Exhibition held at Linekona Art Center, Honolulu Academy of Arts, in October. His name was missed in the last newsletter.

Congratulations to **Barbara Okamoto, Lori Uyehara, Debbie Young, Jodi Endicott, Jane Raissle, and Francisco Clemente** for their acceptance in the Matchbox Plus, Miniature Art Show at Cedar Street Gallery in November.

Congratulations to **Cassandra Nellist, Frank Oliva, Pati O'Neal, and Jennifer Rothschild** for their participation in the AHA exhibit at Honolulu Country Club.

Did you see the picture in the paper of **Jean Noguchi**, art teacher at King Intermediate School, with her students who were winners of the International Peace Poster Contest? Congratulations Jean.

CALL TO ARTISTS

The Third Annual 'Iolani Art Show/Sale will be held April 16, 18, 19, on the campus at 563 Kamoku Street. Artists receive 60% of a sale and 40% will be donated to 'Iolani School. For information, call 943-2339, or e-mail artshow@iolani.org.

OPPORTUNITIES

Two members of Windward Artists Guild are offering noncredit classes in continuing education at Windward Community College. **Rowena Liu** is teaching watercolor classes for seniors in January and February. **Hisae Shouse** is teaching Japanese brush painting in February and April. Paul Nash continues to offer open studio for those who know ceramics. For more information you can call 235-7433 or visit <http://ocet.wcc.hawaii.edu>. Or you can stop by the office at Windward Community College.

The Windward Boys and Girls Club, located on the Kailua Intermediate School campus, continues to seek artists to teach in their after school program. They are looking for an art teacher to teach one afternoon a week for one hour, usually 3:00 to 4:00 pm., for six weeks. If you are willing to do something, contact **Shirley Hasenyager**, 262-5069, or e-mail her at shirleyinhi@aol.com. She'll be happy to hear from you.

TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

Look at your address label. If the date is circled in red, you need to renew your membership immediately. Just use the form on the back page and send it with your check right away. If you renewed in the last few weeks, we may not have it recorded yet. Let us hear from you.

TAKE A LOOK

Exciting things are happening at the **Hawa'i State Art Museum**. **The gift shop on the first floor of the museum has opened its doors.** The shop, operated by Na Mea Hawaii, features art, gifts and goodies made in Hawai'i. It is open Monday to Saturday from 11 am to 3 pm. Just in time for the holidays, you will find fine art, jewelry, Christmas ornaments, one-of-a-kind cards, aloha shirts, Kona coffee, and more.

The new exhibit, **uncommon objects**, opened in November. It features works from the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts Art in Public Places collection. You will see objects made of clay, wood, fiber, metal, and glass. The exhibit celebrates the beauty found in common objects painstakingly created with expert craftsmanship. This is a very interesting exhibit and worth the time you spend looking. Windward Artists Guild members, **Lori Uyehara, Marcia Morse, and Ron Kent**, have work in this exhibit. The museum is free to all and is open Tuesday-Saturday from 9 to 4.

And while you are there, plan to have lunch at the restaurant, **Downtown**. The food is delicious and healthy. Treat yourself and a friend with a visit to the museum, have lunch, and shop, all at the same place.

The **Hawaii Craftsmen annual gallery sale**, featuring works by member artists, is at The ARTS at Marks Garage through December 29. This is another place to do some holiday shopping. Call 521-3282 if you need more information.

The students of **Daunna Yanoviak** have their annual exhibition at Ho'omaluhia Botanical Gardens Gallery in Kaneohe, through December 30. Daunna celebrates 33 years of teaching student art in Kailua. Congratulations Daunna.

"Pastelista Six" will be featured at the Gallery at Ward Centre December 29 to January 31. **Kathy Yokouchi and Ela Zapf** are two of the six pastel artists exhibiting work.

Out of the Sketchbook 3 features works by fifty artists at **The Balcony Gallery** in Kailua, through January 9. The gallery is free. Be sure to stop here for the **Second Sunday Art Walk** in Kailua from 2-5 pm. on the second Sunday in January.

Merry Christmas

Happy Holidays

Happy New Year

to each one of you from

Windward Artists Guild