



CALIFORNIA ART CLUB, *est. 1909*

Celebrating the Heritage and Practices of Traditional Fine Arts Worldwide

September 2022



Keith Wicks

Wharf at Cannery Row

To be featured in *California Art Club Biennale: Celebrating California*

Greetings Friend!

September will be an art-filled month for the the California Art Club. We have three new exhibitions unveiling — including the first **California Art Club Biennale**, which will be presented in Northern California at Blue Line Arts in Roseville.

And, due to popular demand, our *111th Annual Gold Medal Exhibition* at the Bowers Museum was extended for three weeks and will now close on September 11. (And if you want a **copy of the full-color catalogue**, you may order it from the CAC online store – click [HERE](#) for details.

I hope you have a chance to take in all the beautiful works that these displays offer – either in person or online.

I also want to remind all Associate Artist members that the **Annual Artist Member Jurying** will take place this fall. Members in this category are encouraged to submit exemplary examples of their works for consideration in the juried membership

categories of Artist and Out-of-State Artist. Acceptance is a great honor that includes expanded opportunities to participate in our exhibitions. In September and October we will offer programs that will provide helpful insights for taking part in this important process.

Yours in Art,



Michael Obermeyer
President

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Programs & Events

'Meet the Artists' Spotlight Talks *111th Annual Gold Medal Exhibition*



Date: Saturday, September 3

Time: 11:00 a.m.

Location: Bowers Exhibition Gallery

Tickets: Free with General Admission

The final "Meet the Artists" Spotlight Talk will take place over Labor Day Weekend, with exhibiting artists in the gallery to provide insights on their works.

The participating artists are:

- **Susan Hoehn**
- **Jeff Horn**
- **Michael Obermeyer**
- **Kevin Short**
- **William Galvez**

[Learn More](#)

Closing Day 'Meet and Greet' *111th Annual Gold Medal Exhibition*

Date: Sunday, September 11

Time: 2 to 4 p.m.*

Location: Bowers Exhibition Gallery

Tickets: Free with General Admission

Don't miss Closing Day for the *Gold Medal Exhibition*, which will feature a "Meet and Greet" with the artists in the galleries.



Also taking place that day at the Bowers Museum is a free family festival celebrating the Autumn Moon. Families will enjoy live performances, face painting, art projects and more.

* The "Meet and Greet" will occur from 2 to 4 p.m., while hours for the Autumn Moon Festival are 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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Signature Artists and Mentorship Program Members... **Plein Air Paint-Out – Tall Ships Festival**



Date: Saturday to Monday, September 10

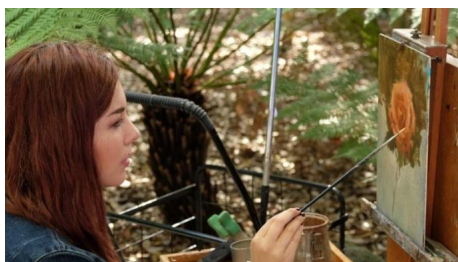
Location: Dana Point

Tickets: Free

Signature Artists and Mentorship Program members are invited to paint dramatic scenes of Tall Ships during the Ocean Institute Maritime Festival. Details will be shared with registered participants.

RSVP: Call 626/583-9009

Collectors' Circle and Benefactor Members... **Autry Museum Plein Air Paint-Out**



Date: Saturday, September 24

Location: Near Griffith Park

Watch artists from CAC and the Autry's *Masters of the American West Art Exhibition and Sale* at work and learn about the Autry's upcoming 35th Anniversary and exhibitions celebrating the American West!

Details, including ticket prices, will be emailed to members in these categories.

Information: Call 626/583-9009

Save the Date!

- "Making of Great Art" Critique on Zoom – October 8
- Mount Wilson Observatory Plein Air Event – October 15
- Kids Day at the Gamble House – October 23
- Holiday Party – December 4

Details to come!

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Exhibitions

111th Annual Gold Medal Exhibition

Bowers Museum
2002 North Main, Santa Ana, CA 92706

Website: californiaartclub.org/goldmedal

Exhibition Dates: Through Sept. 11

Our signature event is being presented with the prestigious Bowers Museum for the first time. Presenting Sponsors include Alyce Williamson.



Esther Engleman
Winter Blues



Ernesto Nemesio
Blake Garden

California Gardens

CAC Gallery at The Old Mill
1120 Old Mill Road, San Marino, CA 91108

Website: californiaartclub.org

Exhibition Dates: Through Sept. 25

The exhibition features paintings showcasing images of the lush gardens throughout California.

Coming Together Excellence in Traditional Fine Art Competition

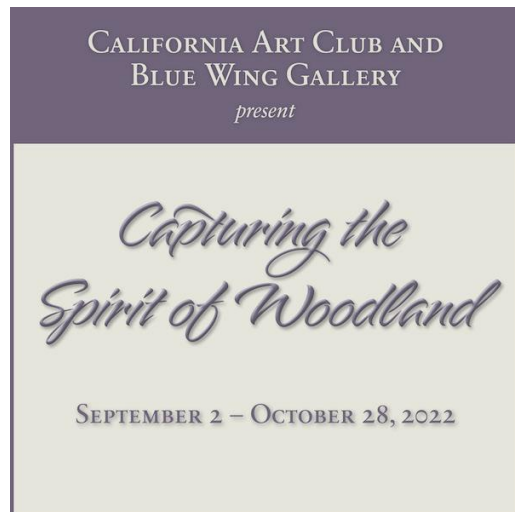
A Virtual Exhibition on the CAC Website

Website: californiaartclub.org/summercompetition
Exhibition Dates: Through Sept. 30

The summer installment of the Excellence in Traditional Fine Art Competition explores our relationships with one another and nature.



Yi Mao
Spring Dreams



Capturing the Spirit of Woodland

Blue Wing Gallery
405 Main St., Woodland, CA 95695

Website: californiaartclub.org
Exhibition Dates: Sept. 2 - Oct. 28
Opening Reception: Sept. 2, 5:30 p.m.

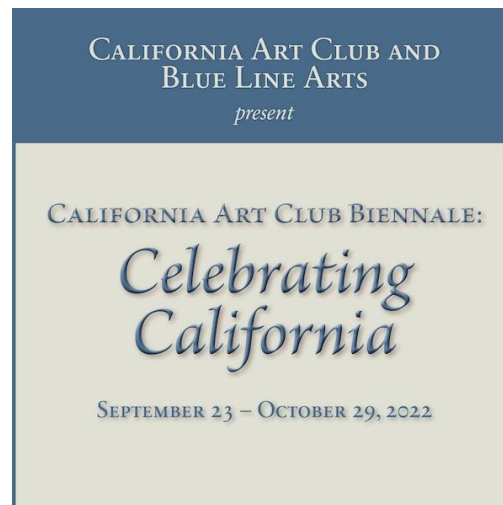
Inspired by the artist retreat in June 2022, the exhibition features a diverse selection of plein air work from many genres, including landscapes, architecture, and figures.

CAC Biennale: Celebrating California

Blue Line Arts
405 Vernon St #100, Roseville, CA 95678

Website: californiaartclub.org
Exhibition Dates: Sept. 23 - Oct. 29
Opening Reception: Sept. 23, 6 p.m.

The first in a new series, *Celebrating California* will feature a diverse selection of realist work from members in Northern California and Central Coast chapters.



Monumental Miniatures

CAC Gallery at The Old Mill
1120 Old Mill Road, San Marino, CA 91108

Website: californiaartclub.org
Exhibition Dates: Sept. 29 - Jan. 22, 2023
Opening Reception: Sept. 29, 5:30 p.m.



The 2022 installment will showcase small gems no larger than 9 x 12 inches, which may be diminutive in size, but monumental in their appeal.

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Just for Members

Is Your CAC Artist Profile Up to Date?

An important benefit of membership for CAC artist members is to have your Artist Profile listed on the [Artist Rosters](#) on the CAC website. If your membership is in good standing, and you would like to take advantage of this benefit, please click on the button below to modify an existing profile or create a new one.

[Learn More](#)



Deadline for Annual Artist Member Jurying is November 11

Every fall, the Artist Member Review Committee conducts the annual review of applications for Artist and Out-of-State Artist Membership in the California Art Club.

Associate Artist Members of the Club are eligible to apply and this year's deadline is November 11. More information about this process will be sent to all Associate Artist Members who are in good standing.

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