

Art Gallery & Education Center

The Antioch Fine Arts Foundation serves the community by providing education, resources and a forum for the creation and expression of the arts for members and residents in Antioch & surrounding areas.

CALENDAR:

November Featured Artists Exhibit, Dennis Boehm Gallery –

Sunny Parenteau and Cyndi Salata
Artists Reception –
Sunday, November 11, 12-4pm

Sunday, November 4 – Fall behind, but don't be late....Daylight Savings Time ends at 2:00am

Saturday, November 10 – The Musicians play during gallery hours

WEDNESDAY, November 14 –

AFAF Board Meeting – 6 pm
AFAF Membership Meeting – 7 pm
Come out and participate in 2019 Board Nominations
Please note new day for meetings going forward.

Wednesday, November 21 –

Creative Coffee, 9:30am. Feast on artistic conversation with a heaping side of camaraderie and good cheer for dessert!

Thursday, November 22 –

Happy Thanksgiving! The Gallery is closed for the Holiday

November 24 –

Small Business Saturday - Remember to Shop Local! AFAF has great unique gift ideas for everyone.

UPCOMING EVENTS

December:

Featured Artists of the Month – AFAF Members Small Works Exhibit - Theme is Lakes and Lake Life!

Saturday, December 1st, AFAF Holiday Party and Small Works Reception

Saturday and Sunday, December 1st and 2nd – AFAF Holiday Art Sale at the Gallery!

February:

People's Choice Exhibit

Featured Artists of the Month –

Sunny Parenteau & Cyndi Salata

Sunny Parenteau

I've loved drawing since my mother propped me into a highchair with a pencil and paper and encouraged my natural proclivities. To her dismay, I quickly graduated to walls. This she discouraged, but blank spaces called to me eventually. I became an interior decorator specializing in decorative painting on fabric, furniture, cabinets and, yes, WALLS.

I've studied mostly at the school of the Art Institute of Chicago, but also at the Evanston Art Center and anywhere there was a subject that interested me. I've been fortunate to have had many outstanding instructors including Leroy Nieman, Elvin Griffin, and currently Linda Kollacks. I work in various media and teach how I do it to adults and children here at the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation. I hope my students will learn to love art as much as I do.

Come join us. Relax and have fun.

Experience: Fashion Illustrator, Co-owner Parenteau Studios, Interior Decorator - specializing in decorative art and murals, Volunteer art instructor Peirce School grades k-8, In-shop artist for Gentle Friends Gift Shop, Member of Interior Design Department Advisory committee Ray College, Costumer for Candlelight Dinner Playhouse, Brownie Leader



Cyndi Salata

Cyndi Salata is a prolific musician and artist, whose creative accomplishments include international and domestic awards in trumpet and flute solo performance, sculpture, jewelry-making, and photography. A self-taught visual artist with over 5 years of experience, her award-winning photography has been featured in several publications while her polymer clay work recently earned her the 2018 Employees' Choice award in the Fire Mountain Gems and Beads "Creative Clays" competition, as well as being jury-selected to participate in the 2018 Chicago art show "MADE". In addition, Cyndi has performed in the capacity of principle solo cornet in two competitive brass bands, and principle flute in a local symphony. She also teaches and freelances in trumpet, flute, and French horn for concert performance, theatrical accompaniment, and religious or social ceremonies and celebrations.



**Antioch Fine Arts Foundation
Annual Silent Art Auction & Fundraiser**

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A Fabulous Evening of Art Entertainment and Community!

The AFAF 2018 Art Auction and Fundraiser had a marvelous attendance. Guests enjoyed some serious bidding on their favorite art pieces, winning raffle prizes, socializing and listening to fantastic music.

We want to thank the following businesses and individuals for Supporting the Arts in our Community! Please Support Them!

American Coins, Anastasia's Restaurant & Sports Lounge, Antioch Family Chiropractic, Antioch Fine Wine & Liquors, Antioch Community High School, Antioch Packing House, Antioch Pizza Shop, Bago-Bags For Less, Best Pets, Blu Rain, Bobby's Lakeside Restaurant, Café Book, Dr. Danielewicz DDS, Mary Kay Daniels, Deli Source, Inc., Dennis Downes, Dunkin Donuts, Elite Embroidering, Floral Acres, Granny's Lakeside Diner, Shelly Heiss, Impressions Count, J.J. Blinkers, Marjie Krutsch, Lakeside Restaurant, Las Vegas Restaurant, Jennifer Lichter/K&E Hair & Nails, Linda's Doll Clothes, Living Well Hair Studio, Lovin Oven Cakery, Mail Drop Shoppe, Mars Cleaning, Michael Lescher, Mirror Images, Mr. G's, Don Muscarello, Natural Beauty Salon, Leslie Nauta, Oliveri North, Ooh La La Boutique, Sunny Parenteau, Pickard China, Piggly Wiggly, Polson's Health Food Store, Prunella's Flower Shoppe, Raymond Chevrolet, S&S Landscaping, Roger Shule, Spring Valley Country Club, The Barker Shop, The Lodge, Cindy Trombino, Village Bakery and Café, Vigneto del Bino, Volo Bog, Jana Weigel, Whistle Stop, Wilmot Heritage Antique,

Thank you to our contributing artists for their generous art donations to the Silent and Live Art Auction which showcased this event:

Tony Armendariz, David Becker, Mary Cunningham, Dennis Downes, Carol Fink Sackschewsky, Ted Foss, Carol Giannasi, Grace Glory, Logan Ghormley, Shelly Heiss, Chuck Keller, John Kohlmeyer Larry Lemm, Ken Lutgen, Mary Lynnes, Lenny Lynnes, Leslie Nauta, Mary Norvell, Cindy Trombino, Meredith Schnelle, Roger Shule, Bernita Schutte, Bev Walczak, Jana Weigel.

Our great appreciation goes to additional auction donors:

Antioch Fire Department and Vidanta Vacation-Mexico

A special Thank You goes to our fantastic donors and sponsors:

Dennis Downes, Janelle Joseph, Michael Lescher, Antioch Fine Wine & Liquor, sponsor location Anastasias Restaurant, Paul & Donna Pavelski and Music by Ernie Garner.

Many thanks to the Fundraiser committee, and all the hard working volunteers who gave their time and effort to make this event a success. Much Appreciation!

And finally, we are grateful to, and humbled by, this great community and friends of AFAF who came out to show their support for the value of the arts in Antioch! THANK YOU!



AFAF & Member News:

Congratulations to these AFAF members:



Leslie Nauta - Won a ribbon for her pastel painting at the Lake County Art League in October.

"I was very excited" said Leslie.

Roger Shule - Has two matchbook pieces and **Carol Fink Sackschewsky** has two watercolors (Autumnal Reflections # 1 and Fiesta Forest) accepted into the Juried Exhibition at the Anderson Art Center in Kenosha for the Winter Show.

Opening reception is November 11 from 1:30 to 4 p.m. Prizes will be awarded at 2:30 p.m. The exhibition runs from November 11, 2018 - January 5, 2019. Roger said that "it looks to be a very interesting show."



New Member Profile: Don Muscarello -

I always got A's in art throughout school. I am an 8 year veteran of the Illinois Army National Guard, Mechanic school through the army, car truck and heavy equipment mechanic, welder fabricator, woodworking (which I learned from wood-shop in high school). I started oil painting in the 90s and got more serious in 2008. My biggest influence would be Bob Ross, but I also studied all the tv artists on public tv. I like working with oil best but have been experimenting with water mixable oils and acrylics. I concentrate mostly on landscapes. I also design and make rustic and unique furniture. Join Don for Paint and Wine a Bit! (See page 6)



Please welcome our newest Antioch Fine Arts Member. Debra Arnesen, Jerry Balgeman, Dion Black-McIntyre, Jacalyn Flores Herb Kruse, Colette Monahan, Debra Trombino.



RED TAG PRICE ART SALE

HO HO HO...HOLIDAY ART SALE at the Gallery!

Give the gift of ART! Mark your calendar for the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation's Holiday Gallery Art Sale!

Date: Saturday and Sunday, December 1st and 2nd! Visit the upper level while at the Gallery to shop for unique and original local art by AFAF members with a Red Tag price - just in time for the holiday season!



We are pleased to announce that Mary Lynnes has graciously accepted to be our new Administrative/Digital Marketing Associate. Mary is very organized, creative and dedicated to elevating AFAF's profile. We are confident that she will do a great job in supporting and promoting AFAF!

October Featured Artists: Ted and Doug Foss enjoyed a beautiful fall day to host their reception. Friends and family came to see their "Real and Surreal Images" art show, but stayed for mingling, Doug's apple fritters...and Ted's wit.



Good things come in small packages! Coming in December - AFAF Small Works of Art Exhibit!



The month of December will showcase 2D and 3D artwork featuring the theme of Lakes or Lake Life, all under the size of 12" x 12" (including frame). The artwork might be small but the creativity and talent are HUGE! Artists, only a few more weeks to create your little masterpiece!

Members - Please bring in your small works on November 25, 26 and 27. The exhibit will be hung on Wednesday the 28th.

Saturday, December 1st, Join us for the AFAF Holiday Party and Small Works Reception

Art Gallery & Education Center

For more information on taking a class or teaching a class please call the Gallery at 847-838-2274.

Please note:

Classes can fill up quickly!
Please register early to ensure supplies are available and to secure your spot!

Art can be messy!
Please dress accordingly.

Please arrive a few minutes prior to start time for classes held during Gallery off hours as the front door is locked once class has started.

We are happy to announce our new Education Coordinator, Linda Richter. Please contact her with Class questions and interest. Mykids2@rocketmail.com

Have an idea for an art or music class or workshop? We want to hear from you! We are always looking to bring creative endeavors to the gallery members and friends. Please contact the gallery with your suggestions.

Harvest your creativity with an AFAF Art or Music Class!

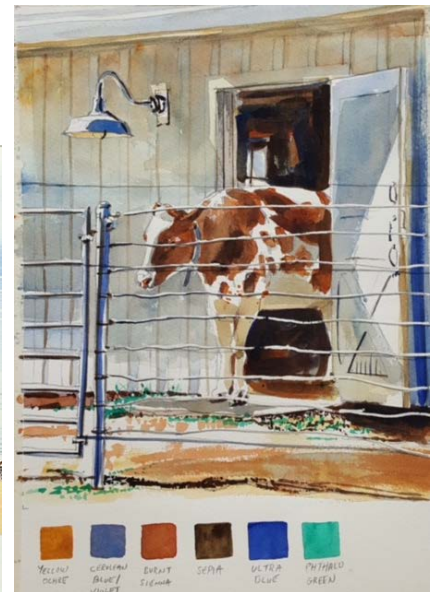
Register for your favorite class at the gallery - or - now online!
www.antiochfinearts.org

No classes will be held on Thanksgiving - Thursday, November 22nd

Watercolor painting with Tony Armendariz

Students will work on their own paintings with instruction by Tony. He will do some technique demos along with providing critiques.

- Days:** Thursday mornings
- Dates:** October 25, November 1, 15, 29
- Time:** 9:30-Noon
- Instructor:** Tony Armendariz
- Age:** All levels, 18 years and older
- Fee:** \$100, 4 weeks



Art Classes

Youth Art Exploration

This class is an introduction to various media, drawing, painting and crafts. Instruction is geared to the individual's interests and experience.

Days: Wednesdays
Time: 4:00 to 6pm
Instructor: Sunny Parenteau
Class Size: Minimum 1, Maximum 4
Age: 10-14 years
Fee: \$15 per class session

Teen Art Exploration

This class is an introduction to various media, drawing, painting and crafts. Instruction is geared to the individual's interests and experience.

Days: Sundays
Time: 2:00 to 4pm
Instructor: Sunny Parenteau
Class Size: Minimum 1, Maximum 6
Age: 15-19 years
Fee: \$15 per class session

Adult Art Exploration

This class is an introduction to various media, drawing, painting and crafts. Instruction is geared to the individual's interests and experience. Call for class availability.

Days: Tuesday
Time: 4:00-6:00pm
Instructor: Sunny Parenteau
Age: 18 years and older
Class Size: Minimum 1, Maximum 8
Fee: \$15 per artist, per class

Adult Open Studio

Bring your own supplies and materials to this sharing/ learning experience. Not sure about a technique? Need a new view? Come and share your talent with other artists and friends. It's a "show and learn" experience.

Dates: Sunday, November 18
Time: 12 noon -4 pm
Host: Larry Lemm
Age: 18 years and older
Fee: Free to the public and members!
(Donations appreciated)

iPhone Photography

A 5 session class on iPhone use for photography to include: Use and options of iPhone / smartphone, composition, light, editing, printing and matting

End with a critique, and mini art show of final printed and matted photos

Dates: If interested call the Gallery
Instructor: Meredith Schnelle,
Photographer/Artist
Class Size: Minimum 5 students to have class
Age: 18 years and older
Fee: \$75.00 (\$15 per class x 5)
Please bring your own iPhone/smartphone

NEW! Paint and Wine a Bit!

Days: Tuesdays
Dates: November 6
December 4
Time: 7:00-9:30pm
Instructor: Donald Muscarello
Fee: \$40 per artist, per class
See flyer on page 6.

Music Classes

Brass Private Music Lessons

Class Description: Each lesson is 30 minutes and is catered specifically to the skills of the student. Lessons are open for anyone looking to learn and improve on trumpet, trombone, baritone, and tuba from any level.

Days: Wednesdays
Time: 3:00-4:00pm
Instructor: Ann Buchanan
Age: 10 years and older
Class Size: 1 student per lesson
Fee: \$25 per ½ hour
email: annbuchanan23@gmail.com

Private Guitar Lessons

Class description: Private one on one lessons with a professional guitar instructor. All ages from beginner to advanced. Classes covering a wide range of styles from Classical to blues, rock and jazz. Lessons are once a week.

Instructor: Emeric Montano
Days: Tuesdays, Wednesdays
and Thursdays
Time: 3:00-8:00pm
Fee: \$25 per ½ hour
email: emricmontano@gmail.com

Instructor: Rick Manelis
Days: Thursdays
Time: 3:00-8:00pm
Fee: \$25 per ½ hour
email: rick.manelis@gmail.com

Private Piano Lessons

Christina teaches students of all ages and abilities. She has taught in East Lansing, Michigan, Denver, Colorado and Antioch, Illinois. Christina holds degrees from Michigan State University as well as graduate work at Northwestern University.

Days: Tuesdays, 1:30-9:00pm
Thursdays, 4:00-9:00pm
Time: 30 minute lessons
Instructor: Christina Mitchell
Fee: \$25 per ½ hour
email: vivacepiano1@gmail.com

Private Lessons

Cyndi Salata award winning artist and musician with over 10yrs teaching experience will be offering half hour music lessons on flute, trumpet, and french horn. Lessons for beginner-advanced levels.

Days: Wednesdays, 1-5:30pm
Time: 30 minute lessons
Instructor: Cyndi Salata
Fee: \$25 per ½ hour



Glass Pendant Making

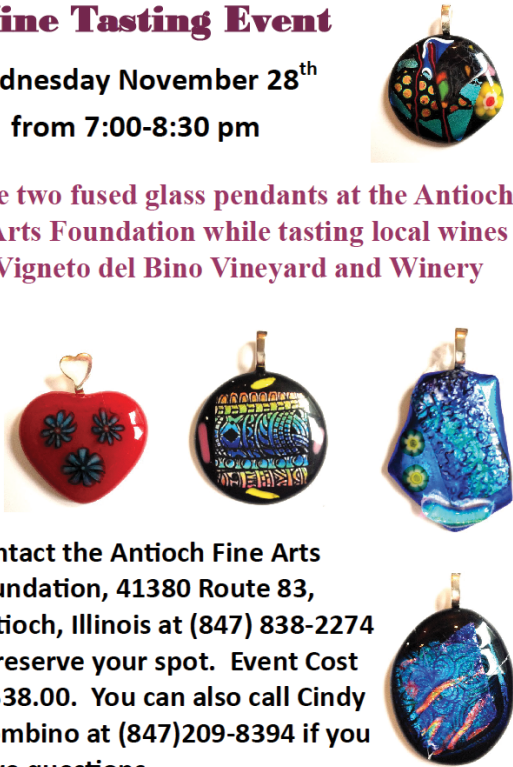
Join The Fun And Make Your Own Unique Holiday Gift

Glass Pendant Making and Wine Tasting Event

Wednesday November 28th
from 7:00-8:30 pm

Create two fused glass pendants at the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation while tasting local wines from Vigneto del Bino Vineyard and Winery

Contact the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation, 41380 Route 83, Antioch, Illinois at (847) 838-2274 to reserve your spot. Event Cost is \$38.00. You can also call Cindy Trombino at (847)209-8394 if you have questions.



Paint and Wine a Bit!



November 6

7PM—9:30PM \$40

PAINT AND WINE A BIT

YES Wine Zone
NO Whine Zone

Come out and have some creative FUN.
Bring Friends!

41380 Rt. 83, Antioch, IL 60002
Phone: (847) 838-2274
Email: president@antiochfinearts.org

Preregistration at the gallery, stop in or call
Thu-Sat 10a-4p, Sun 12p-4p
Web: www.antiochfinearts.org

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We will supply the
FUN and supplies!!



Explore your
Creativity



Call us
Stop In
SIGN UP !!!!!

October's Paint and Wine a Bit



ATC Club:

Ask Arty..

With a Song in my Heart

When I wake up in the morning
And I tune my radio in,
No matter what the day will bring
I will face it with a grin.

I remember dad got up first
And turned the radio on.
The school day was well rehearsed
Shake a leg, get ready and go.

We woke up to coffee perking,
That smell will always wake me up.
Daddy would always dance and sing
And pour Ma and him a fresh cup.

Mornings were busy for her too.
She had a new baby to care for.
Guess you'd say it was like a zoo.
And so the days happily flu.

All seven of us crossed that bridge.
We've all grown up in our time
Each one of us city bread kids.
I'm proud of the past that was mine.

When I started to write this poem
I thought of mornings, my kids and me,
And how I did the same in my home.
So life goes round and round I see.

Susan Hahl

ATC Club is suspended until further notice.



Dear Arty,

I recently heard that the great artist Leonardo da Vinci had an eye condition. Is this true?

Best, Sylvia

Dear Sylvia,

Interesting observation.

Leonardo da Vinci was one of the greatest painters of the Italian Renaissance, and remains significant today. But his singular artistic vision may have been the result of seeing the world differently...literally. A new paper by visual neuroscientist Christopher Tyler, who has written a number of studies on optics and art, is published in JAMA Ophthalmology and argues that Da Vinci had a form of "strabismus", a binocular vision disorder where the eyes are misaligned and don't look toward the same place at the same time. This disorder, Tyler maintains, may have helped the artist render three-dimensional images on flat canvas with an extra level of skill.

In his study of several of da Vinci's works including Young John the Baptist (1513-16, Louvre, Paris), he notes the gaze in the portraits and sculptures seem to be misaligned, with the left eye consistently drifting outward at around the same angle. This is what occurs in "exotropia". The condition was assessed by fitting circles and ellipses to the pupils, irises, and eyelid apertures images identified as portraits of Leonardo da Vinci and measuring their relative positions. He goes on to conclude that "da Vinci had intermittent exotropia (a form of strabismus) with the resulting ability to switch to monocular vision, using just one eye, which would perhaps explain his great facility for depicting the 3-dimensional solidity of faces and objects in the world and the distant depth-recession of mountainous scenes."

Tyler points out "The condition is rather convenient for a painter, since viewing the world with one eye allows direct comparison with the flat image being drawn or painted."

To me it is fascinating that this topic would be studied as da Vinci, in addition to being an artist, was also a scientist and an inventor. I find myself wondering if his work was due to vision issues, or artistic vision and if I will be looking at da Vinci's work a little differently.

Signed, Arty

Help Frame the Future of Antioch Fine Arts Foundation!

The Antioch Fine Arts Foundation Board of Directors nominations are open for the 2019 year. Nominations will take place at the Wednesday, November 14 Meeting. Voting will be held at the December meeting. Please email Angela Vitacco at angelalucia1226@gmail.com if you have any questions and/or if you would like to be placed on the ballot.



Get inspired!

Explore, nurture and grow your creative side! Antioch Fine Arts Foundation welcomes new and renewing Memberships for 2019! Whatever your interest is, AFAF has several appealing membership levels available. Some of the many benefits of being an AFAF member include: Opportunity to be a Featured Artist of the Month, exhibiting your art in the Gallery, informative monthly membership meetings, workshops, variety of events and great camaraderie with other artists, plus art and music socials!

Memberships run from January, 2019 through December 2019. Membership forms are available at the gallery. Or, email me at jlweigel@comcast.net.

Don't wait, don't hesitate....**JOIN TODAY!**

Art On-The-Wall!

Gobble up this Opportunity to Show Your Art at these Local Establishments!

Please sign up at the gallery and contact Ken Lutgen to coordinate locations at kenglutgen@icloud.com.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Jack Benny Center, Waukegan	20-44	20-44	20-44	Spring Show	20-44	20-44	-	20-44	Fall Show	20-44		
Lake Villa Library Display and Demo	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Mirror Images, Antioch	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
State Bank of the Lakes, Antioch	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Heartland Bank, Antioch	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Antioch Dental Center	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
Antioch Township Office	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	2	2	2	2
Undercroft Gallery, Waukegan	20-30	20-30	20-30	20-30	20-30	20-31	20-31	20-32	20-32	20-32	20-32	20-32

White boxes mean that location is available for that month, the number inside the box indicates the average number of paintings that can be hung depending on the size of the paintings.

Many thanks to Ken Lutgen for his long time commitment as External Gallery Liaison to this important program coordinating Art on the Wall that allows AFAF members to showcase their art at a variety of locations. Ken is looking to pass on his knowledge to another member. He will train and assist his replacement member as to make the transition smooth and to best serve AFAF. He and others have had success selling and getting commission work and the program has also been successful in spreading beauty and sharing what AFAF has to offer.

Please contact Ken - kenglutgen@icloud.com with questions and/or interest in continuing this important art program.

Autumn Art...



Artists, please continue to send us information on what you are up to so we can let everyone know, news@antiochfinearts.org. As we point everyone to your work, please remember to send those you meet back to the AFAF gallery to see all the work here!

Like us on Facebook, and share our wonderful organization with others!

<https://www.facebook.com/AntiochFineArts>

AFAF Board & Committee Heads:

President - Angela S. Vitacco

Secretary - Beverly Walczak

Treasurer - Bernita Schutte

Building Maintenance Manager - Roger Shule

Gallery Director - Bernita Schutte

Gift Shoppe - Susan Hahl

Newsletter - Jana Weigel, Debbie Morgan

Membership - Jana Weigel

Education Coordinator - Linda Richter

Events Coordinator - Linda Richter

Music Director - Emric Montano

Serving Our Community for 17 Years!

In addition to providing educational experiences and support for local artists we are honored to support or be part of;

- Sponsoring an award at CLC's Recent Works Exhibit
- Donating to Antioch and Lakes High School
- Donating time/talent and a sponsor for Antioch Chamber of Commerce Fundraisers (ie. Dogs/Bears/Chillin'/Treasures/Reflections on the Chain and Dickens Village)
- Juror the Women's Club Spring Art Show
- Donating to Save-A-Pet
- Donating to Open Arms Mission – Starving Artists Against Hunger program
- Blending Art and History Exhibition
- Exhibit in Local businesses to foster appreciation and drive traffic to those locations
- Supporting Education (District 34 Event at our location)
- Promoting Art in Schools and Community (ie. Art Crawl)
- Reciprocal Support with PM&L
- Art in the Yard & Art on the Lawn

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Gallery Hours:

Thursday - Saturday 10 am - 4 pm

Sunday 12 noon - 4 pm

A Non-profit Foundation serving our community