

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT, Victor Picou

Warm Greetings !

It's a challenge to think about art in the aftermath of yesterday's terrorist attack in San Bernardino. Since I volunteer at a facility for developmentally disabled adults in L A, I feel more disturbed with this horror, so close to home. This tragedy, like that of Paris, and Colorado Springs, has 'happened' to us. What is happening on our streets, i.e., individuals being murdered by those sworn to "serve and protect" is affecting us all. All our lives will somehow be impacted. What can we do as artists? I am spilling my guts because I grapple with the concept of "artists as community leaders". The PSA Outreach Committee has been discussing the effects of current affairs on artists and their art. We have wanted to start Artist To Artist Salons to open discussion about the relationship of our artistic expressions and the world around us, or our personal histories. This is not art therapy, but rather a chance for artists to share their hearts, guts and dreams. The aim of the Outreach Committee is, for now, to reach **inward!!**

I invite you to my home for the first ARTIST TO ARTIST SALON, Saturday January 16th from 2:00pm - 4:00pm. If you have created something that reflects a significant part of your life, please bring it. If that's not possible, bring your story. The salon is open to any artist. **Please bring a treat or beverage.** My address is in the membership directory. Email me for details and directions.

I want to thank you for making our 90th year a big success for exhibitions, new members and friends, great programs and fun parties. A special thanks to Larry Rodgers, Rebecca Pollack and Susan Chesney for all the hard work on our exhibitions. Thank you Rhonda for keeping the website alive and for the 2015 revisions.

How about some feedback regarding the Women's City Club: our meetings and our exhibitions (schedule and length of shows)? I invite your feedback regarding our new member screenings, our educational programs, member tours and ideas for parties!!
Becoming friends in the world of art is awesome !!!

SEASONS GREETINGS,
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MONTHLY MEETINGS

Saturday, December 12, 2015

Board Meeting: 11:30 pm

Meet & Greet: 12:00 pm

General Meeting: 1:00 pm

Program: A presentation and workshop from Window Between Worlds, a nonprofit dedicated to using art as a healing tool to empower and transform individuals and communities impacted by violence and trauma.

January 9, 2016 Meeting and Program

New members will present their artwork.

PSA EXHIBITIONS:

Please see website for details.

Closing December 4, 2015: Artists' Choice Exhibition at the Blinn House.

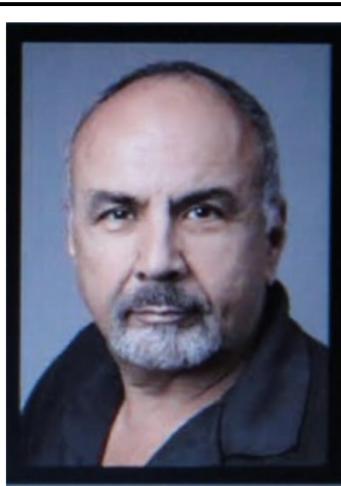
December 2 - 31, 2015: PSA 90th Annual Juried Exhibition

The 90th Annual Juried Exhibition opens Wednesday, December 2 at White's Fine Art. Artist's Reception takes place Saturday, December 5 from 2pm to 5pm. All attending are encouraged to bring their favorite hors d'oeuvres. Sixty-six artworks from 44 members will be on display until Wednesday, December 30.

Artists' Reception: Saturday, December 5, 2015, 2 pm to 5 pm

Location: White's Fine Art, 2414 Honolulu Ave. Montrose, Ca., 91020

Questions/Comments: Contact Lawrence D. Rodgers at 626-802-7142 or email exhibitions@pasadenasocietyofartists.org.



Meet Our Artists: Richard Pina

Part of the ART of living is living with ART!

ART is the gift that keeps on giving!

Imagination is more important than knowledge!

Serendipity and synchronicity are my life!



NOVEMBER MEETING:

Marion Dies presented a wonderful slide show of the

paintings she did for the Beverly Hills Children's Library. She showed us her process from sketching to digital imaging to the actual painting. A spectacular presentation!

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