

City Lights Artists' Co-op

The Lantern- News Update August 2008

The next Membership Meeting will be held *September 25th at 6:30pm and all fourth Thursdays of every month from now on. So mark your calendars right now.*

We still have cook books available.

Membership Dues: *Remember that dues for new members in August are \$10.00 and are good through 2008..*

Third Thursdays and Featured Artists Reception:

The Featured Artist for August is Vince Zocco. You will love his watercolors. Another talented artist!! Be sure to attend the Reception on August 21st.

We also have featured the tile work of the 12 Third Grade students from Roundy Elementary School made with monies provided by one of our mini-grants.

The Featured Artist for July was Aileen Dike. The front entry had an impressive array of watercolor paintings by this talented artist. Her Reception on Third Thursday, July 17th was well attended... we had more than 60 visitors.

Ribbon Awards:

July's Ribbon for Visitors Choice goes to *Aileen Dike for her watercolor "Reflections"*. A close runner up was "Spring Bonnet" by Carole Liccardo. Congratulations!

The **Artists Choice Award** box is ready to receive your votes. Don't forget next time you are sitting the gallery.

Gallery:

Book marks are still being distributed to the Library and Clark County Museum .You can take some and pass them out as well wherever you go especially art shows. **We need more!!!**
Make your own bookmarks of your art work on card stock paper weight. Bring them to the gallery and we will place a notice on the back that the person receiving it can bring the bookmark to the gallery and see if they have won some fine art donated by you the artists.
Some of the bookmarks will be indicated in a way so that the sitters will know if this is a winner. There will be enough winner bookmarks distributed for all the donated art/craft works. There is a notice at the desk in the gallery explaining how you will know if the visitor brings in a winning bookmark.

We are still hoping to be able to offer classes at the gallery in the near future. We have been approached by a great watercolorist and oil painter. If any of you are interested in teaching, ask

Merle to e-mail you the instructors form or if you wish to attend a class, fill out a student application form available at the front desk. You will be notified as soon as we have a schedule of classes.

The next gallery change over will be October 4th.

New Members: Welcome to Kim Johnson and Sharilyn Sanford

City Lights Web Site: www.citylightsart.com is available at no charge to City Lights Co-op members. Be sure to get your work on-line or perhaps, change the work you have there now. Wendy Adams, our very capable web-master will assist you at sales@citylightsart.com. The Board is delighted that Wendy has accepted a life-time Co-op membership for all the fine work she does for us in maintaining our excellent web-site.

Board Meetings: all members are invited to attend the board meetings. Your input and suggestions are needed and welcomed. The next Board meeting is scheduled for *August 19th at 6:30pm and will be held on the Third Tuesday of every month.*

Other News:

Don't forget the ARTsWALK Wall Exhibit.

You must register on the artist registry to participate. Go to <http://www.hendersonlive.com> and click on registry. Only artists in good standing with one of our Water Street District galleries will be there. The next dates are September 5th, October 17th and October 25th. Please let Al know if you would like to participate. His phone number is 558-3335, e-mail is alwho2000@yahoo.com.

Also sign up with Al if you wish to show in the Third Thursday at the City Lights table at the Convention Center Walkway and call Susanne at 300-1109. The City lights banner is hung on the tent when we participate.

Unless you have your own Tax ID number and a Henderson Business License, sales done on Water Street must go through the gallery to assure that appropriate sales tax is charged. Credit Card sales with appropriate sales tax can be rung up at the gallery. This procedure must be followed as you are selling there under City Lights Business License and Tax ID.

Please also let Al know if you are interested in participating at the Senior Center (across street from gallery) on Sunday, November 2nd. This will be held in their cafeteria and is free.

You can also sign up for a 10x10 space for \$15 at the Senior Centers Garage Sale by August 27th, the sale dates are September 20th and October 18th.

We are happy to see Etel Surany's smiling face among us again after her illness.

Dennis Salon invites you all to visit his new website; demissalon.30art.com