

AUGUST 2017

OLIVE HYDE *Art* **GUILD**

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Gallery Phone - (510) 791-4357 Exhibit Hours - Thursday to Sunday, 12-5 p.m.

Upcoming Exhibits.

49th Annual Textile Exhibition

The Annual Textile Exhibition at Olive Hyde Art Gallery, in it's 49th year, has been one of the most popular exhibits featuring works of both traditional and contemporary artists.

This year's exhibition includes a special presentation called *Lines, Angles and Spaces* by three accomplished Northern California fiber artists: Jean Renli Jurgenson, Geri Patterson-Kutras, and Sue Siefkin. Whether drawing inspiration from actual buildings or pure imagination, each artist reveals her way of expressing angle, perspective, line, and shape through her use of value, color, and scale. Please come and enjoy the beautiful works of textile art.

Other artists whose works will also be displayed at the exhibition include: Nancy Bardach, Adriane Dedic, Giny Dixon, Kirsi Engels, Susan Helmer, Kay Hille-Hatten, Barbara Meyers, Denise Oyama Miller, Liliana Rocha, and Ellen Wong.

Now through Sept 23rd

Upcoming Program.

Sign up for our Free Mini-Workshop in the Mission Room, Olive Hyde Art Center on Wednesday, September 27, 10 am - 12:30 pm.

Our Guest Artist, **Judith Schonebaum**, will be instructing us on "Pastels". Seats are limited to 15 places, so please register online today.

Judy is a gifted artist with experience in many mediums and her work has been exhibited all over the world. Her workshop will be a fun introduction to Pastels for beginners and also include new techniques for experienced artists. She will provide structured exercises plus also an opportunity to work in plein air in our own garden patio!

Please note there is a Materials List (check on line). When you register, please check the box if you plan to purchase a Pastel Package. These packages will be available for purchase from the Artist for \$5 and include materials you will need that day.

Add some color to your life...come play with us! Yummy refreshments too.
Register at <http://olivehydeartguild.org/news-events/upcoming-programs/>

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**Triptych
San Juan Bautista By
Jean Renli Jurgenson, Geri
Patterson-Kutras, and Sue Siefkin**



P Kay Hille-Hatten



Ellen Wong



TEXTILE EXHIBIT

Jean Jurgenson, from Walnut Creek, made her first architectural quilt twenty-four years ago. "Since then my interest in architecture has only deepened," she says. It does not matter how long it takes, or what technique she uses. She just works towards an effect that pleases her, knowing that when she's done there will be another piece that she is as excited to begin!

A retired California Superior Court Judge, **Sue Siefkin**, first began making quilts in 1990. Almost a decade later, she attended a seminar that radically changed her perspective. Freed from the traditional quilt block format, she has since focused exclusively on producing original textile "paintings" with "layering and fusing fabric from background to foreground."

Geri Patterson-Kutras likes to tell stories through the medium of cut cloth, stitch, color, and design. Originally from special education background, Geri earned another Degree in Studio Art after her retirement. In this exhibit, she explores the architectural relationships between buildings and the landscape. Geri believes that, "like human relationships, structural-environmental relationships are never static."

OHAG Guest Artist Judith Schonebaum



FREMONT ART ASSOCIATION

The Fremont Art Association is holding its 52nd Annual Art Show from September 26-October 29 2017. Members and the general public are invited to submit two and three-dimensional art for this juried Art Show. This year the juror is Julie Jenkins, the owner of JCO'S Art Haus in Los Gatos. Entry is solely done online. Go to <http://nncybntn.wixsite.com/50annualartshow> \$700.00 in prizes will be awarded.

Fremont Art Association September Guest Artist

Guy Magallanes - Watercolorist , Wednesday , September 6 at 7pm

Guy takes you through his Hyper-realistic style of painting and exceptional use of color. Perhaps you have seen him on [Art2art](http://Art2art.com). The public is welcome at 37697 Niles Boulevard next to the ice cream store.



President's Message

This is the first *President's Message* that I am writing, as I take on the job responsibility of the President of Olive Hyde Art Guild (OHAG). I feel excited about the great possibilities that we, as a group of devoted volunteers, can deliver for our beloved Gallery and our Guild. At the same time, I feel humbled by my limited experience of working for OHAG compared to the many long-time Guild members who have known and actively served OHAG for several decades. I helped out with the Installation Team prepare the Gallery for our Annual Gala several years ago, and served as the Ticket Committee Chairperson for the most recent two Gala's in 2015 and 2016. This year, with the support of a very capable Board of Directors and the Committee Chairpersons of our Holiday Show & Sale, I am looking forward to the amazing collaboration and success we will achieve with this year's upcoming Gala on Friday, December 1, 2017. Please mark your calendars *now*. Save that date for celebrating great original art and jewelry, with wine, fabulous food, and festivities!

Thinking about this new year developing in front of us, my goal for OHAG's leadership team is two-fold. First, to make our jewel of Fremont, our exquisite Olive Hyde Art Gallery, more visible and well-known to the residents of Fremont, Newark, Union City, and neighboring cities. Second, to increase the membership of our Guild by all of us actively inviting a friend, a neighbor, or a club member to join OHAG as a Guild member and to support our worthwhile Mission.

I feel very proud of our OHAG Mission Statement, and will do my best to fulfill this Mission with the wonderful cooperation of your Board of Directors, your Holiday Sale & Show Committee Chairpersons, and the numerous enthusiastic volunteers among our Guild membership:

- To promote an interest in and appreciation for the visual arts
- To support Art Education in our local schools
- To assist with the programs of the Olive Hyde Art Gallery
- To encourage participation in activities involving visual arts
- To broaden the scope and impact of the Olive Hyde Art Gallery in the City of Fremont and the Northern California art community

There are amazing possibilities of OHAG success and joyful celebration of the Arts. There is so much work to do, to carry out our Mission! Let's get busy!

Sophia Liu, President OHAG

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Treasurer's Report

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Income - \$3,305
Expenses - \$4,722.42
Cash on hand EOM - \$42,943.84
CD + Interest - \$10,012.05
Paypal - \$827.95
Total - \$53,783.84

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Information for those who are interested in the 2017 Holiday Show and Sale

The Olive Hyde Website has been updated to include the new dates and instructions for artists interested in participating in this December event. Go to olivehydeartguild.org and pull down the instructions menu for Holiday Show and Sale. The menu will list dates for screening of new artists, and other needed dates.

Further questions can be sent to Roberta Moody at Robertam1629@gmail.com, or the guild P.O. Box 3073, Fremont, CA 94539.

Serra Center Art Instruction Program Exhibition/Reception September 16, 2017

The Guild, along with the City of Fremont and Serra Center, have worked together for the past 7 years to offer art instruction classes for clients of Serra Center. This year's group of 22 students completed the class the end of July, and 28 pieces of their artwork will be on display at the Fremont Main Library beginning September 17, 2017. An opening reception and special viewing of the students' work will take place in the Fukaya Room on Saturday afternoon, September 16, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend and view the truly inspiring artwork of this year's students. If you would like to volunteer to help with the reception, please contact Gail Blalock at tblalock32@comcast.net or phone 490-7565.



The following members are requested to bring enough canapés or sweets for 15 people. Plan to be at the reception from 6:45 to 9:30 PM to help with service and cleanup. Men are asked to help with the wine service. If you cannot bring your food, please arrange for a substitute. If you have any questions, please call **Martha Mahuron 656-2499 / Roopali Rajvanshy 697-3063**. Thank you!

Read the newsletter online at <http://olivehydeartguild.org/>

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