

# **OLIVE HYDE *Art* GUILD**

2021-2022 Annual Report

Dear Olive Hyde Art Guild members and kind greetings to our friends and supporters of the visual arts!  
This Annual Report provides a look at some of the amazing achievements and contributions made by the Guild's incredible members and leadership. *My grateful thanks and appreciation to all, Judy Anglin, President*

**A major focus of the Guild is to support the COF Olive Hyde Art Gallery and Center.** We all benefit and are fortunate to have such a special art gallery in our midst. This year's contributions and donations included the following:

- Hosting of the Opening Receptions for each Gallery Exhibit: The Guild's Members Juried Show; Consumer Couture; Wrapped in Conversation by Charlotte Kruk; Journey of Color by May Shei; Hidden Treasures, Local Talent. The receptions are open to the public and Guild members provide the lovely courtyard setting with food, wine, and sometimes live music!
- \$400 funding of art transport and models /stipend expenses for Charlotte Kruk's show.
- \$300 for purchase and installation of outdoor courtyard string lighting; \$80 for purchase of "Gallery Open" sidewalk chalkboard.
- \$4,000 for COF Gallery exhibit promotions through publicity postcards and banners.
- \$2,000 for the Guild's "Olive Hyde Courtyard Beautification Project" - painting/staining of the courtyard trellis and bench. The project is in collaboration with COF Gloria Kim, Recreation Supervisor and related COF departments. Next up is painting of and mosaic artwork on courtyard trash containers!

## **Programs and Field Trips for Guild members and the General Public – Chairs Elaina Habel, Jan Quilici**

Despite challenges during the pandemic, Programs were managed well on Zoom until we finally opened up!

- Virtual Zoom demonstration by award-winning local artist Watercolorist Meghana Mitragotri in September, with an encore in October.
- Virtual visit to the studio of Fremont glass artist Susan Longini, explaining the process and including a time-lapsed presentation on producing her marvelous glass art pieces.
- Hands-on small basket making with artist Jennifer Wool at her home studio on the road to Mt. Hamilton.
- A well attended in-person flower-arranging demonstration by Maria Luna in the Mission Room.
- Spring visit and lunch at Allied Arts Guild in Menlo Park.

## **Olive Hyde Art Guild Scholarships for the Study of Art for High School and Ohlone College Art Students – Chairs Dina Rubiolo, Lynne Sparling**

21 Scholarship Applications were received. Jurors from CalColor Academy in Fremont, Elina Choi, Gabriel Restrepo, and Hoai-My Tran selected the two award winners, Sara Fang/American High School, and Chieh Wang/Ohlone College, and four honorable-mention finalists. Scholarships are to be used at an accredited school/college toward the pursuit of visual arts in higher education.

## **Serra Center Art Workshop – A Successful Collaboration of the Guild, City of Fremont & Serra Center**

The Guild has sponsored and funded the Serra Center Art Workshop for 11 years. The creative drawing and painting 9-week spring session held on Tuesday evenings at the Fremont Community Center-Central Park served 22 developmentally disabled adult artists. The workshop was led by COF Art Instructor Susan Bettencourt.

### **Contributions to the Wider Community**

**\$5,500 in Scholarships for the Study of Art & related awards:** Two \$2,000 Awards, one to an American High School senior and one to an Ohlone College art student. Four runner-up \$250 awards, and \$500/art supply prize for winning American High School Art Teacher Megan Olsen.

**\$3,200 to COF for Serra Center Art Workshop expenses:** COF community room rental, art supplies, art instructor, and art assistant.

**\$1,000 to Abode Services** for art related books and supplies for children's programs at Abode housing sites.

**\$1,000 to Alameda Country Fremont Main Library** for the art books collection at Juvenile Justice Center & Camp Sweeney to expose at-risk youth to the world of art focusing on the positive world around them.

**\$1,000 to Ohlone College Annual Juried Student Art Awards Exhibition, Louie-Meager Art Gallery:** The new OHAG Member's Choice Award was selected by guild board members.

**\$400 to support prizes for Children's Mental Health Awareness Day Art Competition:** Hosted by COF Human Services Department's Youth and Family Services Division in partnership with FUSD schools, this year's theme was "My Courage & Strength."

### **Highlights - New & Upcoming**

**Olive Hyde Art Guild History Project:** Radhika Sharma completed the first installment of her insightful interviews, reminiscences, and profiles of current and former guild presidents. Her vision was to create a brief document to encapsulate the history of the organization and how it evolved over the years. Visit the Guild website to read it all: *Art with a Heart: The Olive Hyde Art Guild through the Times*

**2022 Holiday for the Arts!!! - Gala, Show & Sale - Hooray, it's back!!!** Circle the dates for the returning Holiday Show: Friday Night Gala, October 21; Show & Sale, Saturday, October 22 and Sunday October 23. Ways & Means Holiday Show Chairs Kate Mills & Joan Bobrink are leading the HS&S Committee Chairs; Peter Langenbach is the Show's Featured Artist; and last but not least, the very popular Project Mini Art returns!!! We're excited, and maybe just a little bit nervous, for the "Fall" debut!

**THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

### **Sponsors for Olive Hyde Art Guild's 2021-2022 Community Visual Arts Programs**

Fremont Bank Foundation • Tri-City Voice Newspaper • The Anderson Family Foundation • Mahuron Family Fund  
Kalyanpur Family Giving Fund • East Bay Community Energy

### **Olive Hyde Art Guild Business Members**

Aria Printing & Shipping, Ken Aria • Atnip Company Interior Design, Jerry Atnip • Bay Frames – Mario Zuniga  
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Mission Veterinary Center, Robert Tisdale • Mission's Mane Attraction Hair Design, Joe & Fernanda Cambra  
Tavares Realty, Jim & Valerie Tavares • What's Happening's Tri-City Voice Newspaper, William & Sharon Marshak

### **In Kind Remembrance**

We acknowledge the passing of our Guild member friends:  
Carol Tavares, Marjorie Fremont, Jan Schafir, Reba Moorman