

# OLIVE HYDE *Art* GUILD

JANUARY 2024



## EXHIBIT CALENDAR

### Hidden Treasures / Local Talent

**Virtual Exhibit:** January 11th – March 16th

**Exhibition Dates:** January 18th – March 16th

**Opening Reception:** Friday, January 26 (7-9 pm)

**Virtual Gallery Room 1**

**Virtual Gallery Room 2**

**Price List**

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## CURRENT MEMBERSHIP

**OHAG has 154 Members  
and  
12 Business Members**

## OHAG TREASURER'S REPORT

**BANK BALANCE 12/1/2023 - \$54,372.63**

**INCOME - \$140**

**TRANSFER FROM PAYPAL - \$0**

**EXPENSES - (\$1,1167.60)**

**BANK BALANCE - 12/31/23 - \$53,345.03**

**LESS UNCLEARED CHECKS - (\$523.69)**

**ADJ BANK BALANCE 12/31/23 - \$52,821.34**

**CD + INTEREST - \$21,364.42**

**PAYPAL ACCOUNT - \$0**

**TOTAL ASSETS 12/31/23- \$74,185.76**

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Guild Members,

Happy New Year! May 2024 bring good health, happiness and peace to one and all.

I would always start my New Year with hard-to-keep resolutions which I would typically give up within the first month. This year, I have been realistic and abandoned the idea. Instead, I am focusing on peace and gratitude. As I am traversing this personal journey, I am certainly feeling more content. It's been barely two weeks into the new year, but I do hope to keep it up!

With much of the world in turmoil, the gratitude I have for living in a peaceful beautiful place is unmeasurable. I am grateful for having a warm loving abode to call home. And most of all I am thankful for all the people around me who enrich my life. The OHAG community has certainly contributed a lot to my circle - people whom I appreciate and admire. I am in awe of their commitment to the community. OHAG has also given my family and me so much exposure to the arts so close to home - things that spark joy and bring variety and a different perspective to our lives.

In that vein, we have a wonderful exhibit going on - Hidden Treasures, Local Talent - so fun to see so many amazing local artists and their creative works. Hope you all get a chance to see the exhibit. We expect a well attended reception. Hope the weather cooperates! The flower arranging demo by a local florist Raquel also sounds very promising. Do try to attend!

My best regards to all of you,  
Manveen Kalyanpur

## THE BOARD 2023-2024



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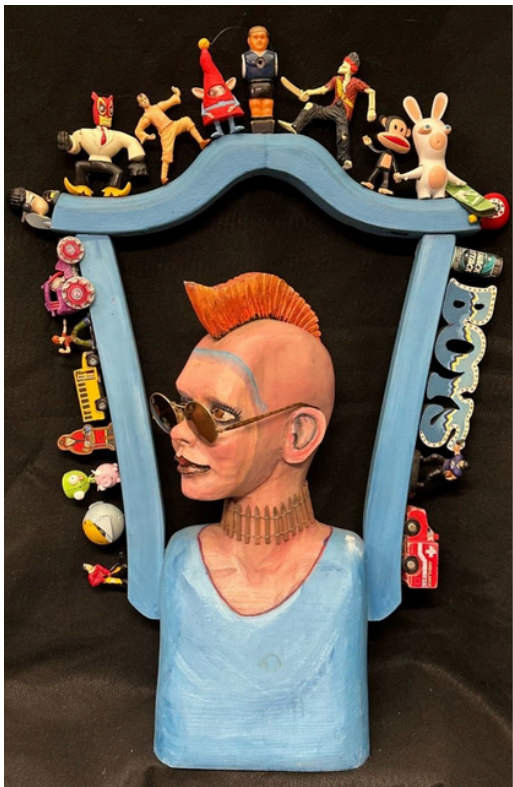
## BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

- We will give COF a large chunk of our profits in the March Council Meeting along with a TCV article that Gail Blalock will write- hope it gives us some good exposure
- The next reception will have a poetry reading by a FUSD student
- Dates for the Holiday Show have been approved and the gallery has been blocked - Artist contact will start early this year, And will try to have a co-chair for all committees
- The city would like to fix the blinds for the gallery and Mission Room and possibly stain the Mission Room - since its a historic building, there are restrictions
- Looking into Dimitry's Tile workshop and possibly a copyright workshop
- Project Mini Art made \$945 - Board approved adding a Project Mini Art Scholarship for a total of \$1000
- Scholarship Team has contacted counselors, art teachers and Vice Principals
- Gail Blalock will be writing a scholarship article for TCV
- Alameda County Arts Commission grant application will be filled by Judy Anglin and Gail Blalock
- OHAG will participate in the finale event on April 27th at the Downtown Event Center from 11am to 3 pm
- Board will see if we can add another social during the Fremont Creates Art and Creativity Month with a docent tour by curator Leah Andrews
- We had already committed \$1000 for paintbrushes for the art activity for kids

# HIDDEN TREASURES, LOCAL TALENT

The Olive Hyde Art Gallery proudly presents its biennial Hidden Treasures, Local Talent exhibition showcasing artwork in all mediums by local Fremont and Bay Area artists. All are invited to attend the opening reception on Friday, January 26, 7-9 pm to meet the artists and enjoy the night with fellow art enthusiasts. We are so honored that many of our OHAG members (marked with \*) are taking part in this amazing exhibition.

**Featured Artists:** Rebecca Abraham, Vimal Advani\*, Rania Ahmad, Hetal Anjaria\*, Mel Beach, Nancy Benton, Grace Borchardt, Ann Boylan, Scott Capen\*, Allen Chan, Thomas Cory\*, Vanessa Cudmore, Luigino De Grandis, Adriane Dedic\*, Joan Clair Di Stefano\*, Randy Garber, Dmitry Grudsky\*, Glenn Hernandez, Jeff Ishikawa, Maureen Langenbach\*, Peter Langenbach\*, Brooke Mapelli, Julianna Martinez, Susan McGuire, Denise Oyama Miller\*, Jocelyn Munoz, Gail Noeth\*, Youngmi Angela Pak\*, Meghana Paranjpe, Preetha Perikkathara, Janine Pitta, Emelie Rogers\*, Sethu Sankar, Divya Dharshini Sankaran, Natalie Sapantay, Karina Sapkota, Nitika Sathiya, Arathi Satish\*, Durba Sen\*, Nimre Shahzada, Lynne Shephard\*, Lisa Stambaugh\*, Dan Strauss, Ella Yang



*Little Boys and All Their Toys*  
by Peter Langenbach



*A Future Guest* -  
Youngmi Angela Pak



*Cherry Blossoms in Spring*  
by Emelie Rogers

## HOSPITALITY REQUEST FOR RECEPTIONS

As a member of Olive Hyde Art Guild there is a long-held tradition for members to donate food or help during our much loved receptions for Olive Hyde Art exhibits. There are about 6-10 receptions for the year.

We request hand size appetizers and desserts to serve about 15 people from each member. We will notify you in the newsletter by alphabetical order in groups of 20-30 depending on the size of the event. **When it is your turn, please respond to [hospitality@olivehydeartguild.org](mailto:hospitality@olivehydeartguild.org) as to what you will bring and if you're able to help in the kitchen.**

Please remember this is a volunteer organization and is dependent on members' help. If you would like to assist in any other capacity please contact [president@olivehydeartguild.org](mailto:president@olivehydeartguild.org). As always, your involvement is greatly appreciated!

**The next reception is January 26 for the Hidden Treasures, Local Talent exhibit from 7-9 pm. IF YOUR LAST NAME BEGINS WITH A-C please bring an appetizer or dessert or help in the kitchen. Since it is a local exhibit with many artists showing, we expect a large gathering. If you are unable to attend, please send a small donation to OHAG, PO Box 3073, Fremont, CA 94539.**

Thank you for all your help and generosity.  
Lauren Shaver & Judy Cooper, Hospitality Co-Chairs.

## SERRA CENTER ART WORKSHOP - 14TH YEAR!

Hooray!!! Plans are underway for this super popular annual art instruction program for twenty-plus developmentally disabled adult art students from Serra Center.

COF Assistant Recreation Supervisor **Vanessa Yung** has arranged for the 10 classes to be held at **Fremont Community Center on Wednesday evenings, 5 to 7 pm from March 20th through May 22nd**. The program will be taught again this year by COF Art Instructor and OHAG member **Edie Christensen**.

This very successful art workshop is made possible through the collaborative efforts of the City of Fremont Recreation Services Division, Serra Center, and Olive Hyde Art Guild. The Guild provides funding for the entire program: art supplies for each student, facility rental, and fees for the art instructor and an assistant. As well, the Guild pays for framing one artwork from each participant. Thanks all around!!!

***Did you know: The Mona Lisa was not famous until it was stolen in the year 1911, when the painting was already over 350 years old.***

## UPCOMING: JANUARY PROGRAM FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS WITH RAQUEL

**Date: Thursday, January 25, 2024**

**Time: 10:00 AM**

**Where: Mission Room, Olive Hyde Art Gallery**



For those aspiring to dive into the captivating world of floristry, look no further! Meet Raquel, a Fremont local with roots in the tri-city area. Raquel has transformed a passion for gardening and the arts into a thriving flower shop on Mission Blvd, in the Nilas area. Specializing in custom hand-tied bouquets, sympathy arrangements, and catering to weddings and corporate events, their creativity shines through.

Raquel's journey began with majoring in Hospitality at Cal State University East Bay, where she honed her skills during an internship at The Fairmont San Francisco Banquets Department. Post-graduation, Raquel ventured into banquet management and later explored the realm of wedding coordination for two years. However, it was in corporate event planning that she discovered her true passion. Throughout her extensive years in the Hospitality industry, Raquel's love for flowers flourished. Balancing part-time floral arrangements, her passion blossomed into the establishment of Chicky Blooms Flower Shop.

Now, Raquel is excited to share her wealth of knowledge in flowers and events with budding enthusiasts. If you're eager to learn the art of floristry and gain insights from someone who turned their passion into a flourishing business, join Raquel on this vibrant journey at Olive Hyde on Thursday January 25th at 10 and discover the artistry and dedication that goes into every floral creation!

## NOVEMBER PROGRAM FIELD TRIP TO THE DE YOUNG OPEN

*We had a few members drive up to the de Young museum in San Francisco on November 30. It was a gorgeous, clear sunny day. We spent a long day looking at the de Young Open exhibit. There was a lot to see but we did find Andriane Dedie, Robyn Leimer, Denise Oyama Miller and Farshid Namei's works. It was very exciting to see some of our members artwork hanging on the walls of the deYoung. We had time to have lunch plus be able to go up into the observation tower and take in the incredible clear day. I think everyone agreed that it was a long fun day.*

*~ Wendy Spellman*

### The deYoung Open 2023



**“Don’t think about making art, just get it done. Let everyone else decide if it’s good or bad, whether they love it or hate it. While they are deciding, make it even more art.”**

**- Andy Warhol**

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## CALL TO ARTISTS - OPEN STUDIO TOUR

Exhibit your work at the 3rd Annual Tri Valley Artist Studio Tour on May 4th and 5th from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. The tour is within 5 different Cities - Pleasanton, Livermore, Dublin, Danville and San Ramon. If you are outside of these cities or your studio isn't appropriate for a tour, there are several group sites available which fill up quickly (and we are working to obtain more).

Learn more and sign up at [TVASTart.com](http://TVASTart.com)

## FREMONT ART ASSOCIATION 56TH ANNUAL ART SHOW

The Fremont Art Association is holding its 56th Annual Art Show. Members and the general public are invited to submit two and three-dimensional art works for this juried art show. The show will be held at the Fremont Art Association Gallery at 37697 Niles Blvd, Fremont, CA 94536.

Our juror this year is Steve Curl who is an award-winning fine artist, illustrator, caricaturist, and editorial cartoonist who resides in Palo Alto, California. Artists may enter up to 6 pieces to be juried. Go to [entrythingy.com](http://entrythingy.com) to enter the show. There will be \$1,200 in cash prizes. The complete prospectus can be found at [www.fremontartassociation.org](http://www.fremontartassociation.org).