

SAINTE GENEVIEVE ART GUILD

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This issue's featured Guild artists are (from left): Jacque Jesson Brillos, Jane Naeger, Carolyn Bach

Join The Guild For Ste. Genevieve's Jour De Fete Celebration

Ste. Genevieve mounts its biggest annual event August 10-11, and the Sainte Genevieve Art Guild will be welcoming visitors during the event.

"Jour de Fete has long been known as a high-quality craft show, with lots of great food and entertainment," says Guild President Mary Peura. "But people may not remember that in the early days, the celebration included an impressive art show. This year Jour de Fete visitors will have a chance to see and purchase fine art again, right on N. Main Street in the heart of the festival route."

Guild activities will



be centered at the gallery at 109 N. Main Street. Art on display will include the Guild's recent textile art exhibit, along with the *Here Comes the Sun* project. Some pieces of sun art will be offered for sale for the first time.

"We hope people will drop in and see the exhibits and get a feel for what we do as an organization," Peura says. "We also hope to revitalize the

place of fine art in the town's most exciting celebration."

The Ste. Genevieve Jour de Fete event, now in its 47th year, is southeast Missouri's largest crafts fair.

Held in the heart of Ste. Genevieve's Historic District, visitors can browse through arts and crafts booths, visit local shops and galleries, and enjoy music, food and other activities.

The event has been designated a "Midwest Travel Treasure" by AAA's Magazine, *AAA Midwest Traveler*.

Jerry B. Walters To Present Salon At August Guild Meeting

Jerry B. Walters, professor emeritus and former dean of the Mineral Area College Fine Arts Department, will present a "salon" discussion at the August 20 meeting of the art guild, on "the legacy left to 21st century painters by Edouard Manet/Le Dejeuner sur L'Herbe (Luncheon on the Grass)."

Walters may be best known for his large, hand-printed woodcuts, which range in subject matter from studies of the human figure to prints with historical

content.

Walters work has been displayed throughout the country. He has been the recipient of awards of merit from Art St. Louis, the St. Louis Artists' Guild, and other groups, and has participated in numerous prestigious shows, including the National Annual Printmaking Show and the Midwest Drawing & Print Show. He has taught workshops in college and university settings in many locations in the U.S.



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Words About Art & Artists



Each morning when I awake, I experience again a supreme pleasure - that of being Salvador Dali.
Salvador Dali



Gallery At 109 N. Main Will Be Stop On 2013 History Conference Tour

Ste. Genevieve's unique architectural resources have provided inspiration for generations of artists. Today, the annual plein air painting competition attracts painters from throughout the midwest, eager to depict some of the nation's most historic buildings.

That makes it especially appropriate for the Sainte Genevieve Art Guild to participate in this year's Ste. Genevieve History Conference event, which will be held in September. It is the first time the art organization will mount an art event in conjunction with the prestigious annual gathering of academics, preservationists, and those interested in history.

The focus of the 2013 conference is "Don't Let Them Disappear: Saving Our French Colonial Houses." Hosted by the Foundation for Restoration of Ste. Genevieve, the conference will run from September 13-15. The agenda includes a reception, conference, and a guided tour of the Ste. Genevieve Church and Cemetery. During the event, national, State, City, local organizations and individuals will talk about their participation in the preservation.

The Guild exhibit, titled "Scenes of



The Bolduc House, Pat Ferguson

Ste. Genevieve: A Tribute to Ste. Genevieve's Artistic and Architectural History," will reflect both the interest of current members in Ste. Genevieve's unique architectural resources, and the role those structures played 80 years ago in inspiring members of the Ste. Genevieve Art Colony.

The Guild exhibit will be a stop on the conference's Sunday house tour, which will feature French Colonial houses currently on the market and those recently purchased and being renovated.

GUILD MEMBERS SHOULD BRING WORKS DEPICTING HISTORIC PROPERTIES AND SCENES TO THE AUGUST MEETING OF THE GUILD.



Own Original Fine Art...For Only \$5

A lucky art lover can take home full-sized oil paintings, hand-crafted pottery, and finely-framed vintage photographs on any given 4th Friday... just by taking a chance in the monthly drawing held at the event.

Purchase a pass for \$5 at any participating Art Walk gallery. Visit six participating galleries and have your pass stamped at each stop. While in each gallery, look for specially marked Selected Works of art that are available to win. Each is valued at \$100 or more, and there are several to choose from. Mark your favorite on the pass, and turn in your completed pass at any participating gallery. The winning ticket is drawn at 9:30 p.m. The lucky winner can choose his or her prize from among the selected works. (You need not be present to win.)

4th Friday is a great night out. Enjoy a meal at one of the town's excellent eateries, stroll among the shops and galleries, and delight in the creative work of local artists. And while you're enjoying Missouri's most historic town, take a chance on winning your choice of selected fine art.

Award-Winning Artist Gollaher Offered Workshop July 27

Guild member and award-winning artist Derek Gollaher shared his techniques with other artists at a special oil portrait workshop held late last month at the gallery at 109 N. Main.

"Derek is one of our most talented artists and his work is very much admired," Guild member Carolyn Bach said. "The workshop was a wonderful opportunity to gain insight into how he develops a portrait."

Participants had the opportunity to work from a live model, some for the first time.

"It is a very different kind of experience," Bach said. "It's one I think we all felt was of significant benefit."

Guild workshops are open to all interested artists. Most require payment of a fee. Information about workshop offerings is announced on the Guild website, www.artstegen.org.



Gollaher demonstrates his techniques



SAINTE GENEVIEVE ART GUILD CALENDAR, 2013

August 10-11, 109 North Main
Jour de Fete Art Show/Sale

August 20, 6:30pm, 109 North Main

Business Meeting. Salon discussion by Jerry Walters on the legacy of Edouard Manet/*Le Dejeuner sur L'Herbe*



August 23, 6-9pm, 109 North Main

4th Friday: Scenes of Ste. Genevieve opens; featured artist Robert "Padre" Payne

September 15, 109 North Main 10am to 12:30pm

The Guild participates in The Foundation for Restoration of Ste. Genevieve 2013 History Conference, with a special show titled "Scenes of Ste. Genevieve: A Tribute to Ste. Genevieve's Artistic and Architectural History." The Ste. Genevieve Art Colony legacy is one focus of the exhibit.

September 24, 6:30pm, 109 North Main

Business Meeting. Workshop or presentation TBA; changeout of paintings at Sainte Genevieve Winery



September 27, 6-9pm, 109 North Main

4th Friday: Scenes of Ste. Genevieve continues; featured artists Donna Hart and Jean Rissover: The Italy Experience--Civita Castellana

September 27, 109 North Main, Time TBA
Sainte Genevieve Plein Air Painting event begins

October 4, 6:30pm, 109 North Main
Plein Air Reception/People's Choice Award vote, award presentation

October 5-6, 109 North Main, Time TBA
Sainte Genevieve Plein Air Painting Event Show/Sale

October 22, 6:30pm, 109 North Main
Business Meeting: Election of 2014 Officers

October 25, 6-9pm, 109 North Main 4th Friday: 2013 Plein Air Paintings by Guild; featured artist Diane Wilson



November 19, 6:30pm, 109 North Main
Business Meeting: Christmas Show, Sale preparations

November 22, 6-9pm, 109 North Main 4th Friday: Holiday Sale (seasonal cards/minis/art); featured artist Paul Cameron



December 7-8, Time and location TBA
Christmas Holiday Festival Show and Sale

Calendar is subject to change. Check the Guild newsletter or website (www.artstegen.org) for news, updates and more.



Agenda d'Art is a publication of the Sainte Genevieve Art Guild, dedicated to raising awareness about art events and artists in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri