



Palmer Lake Art Group



### Vasili Andreyevich Golynsky

According to family tradition, the painting shows the artist and his wife. Portraying oneself whilst painting and presenting a rear view to the observer demonstrates a thorough knowledge of the Old Masters, especially Jan Vermeer van Delft. The young woman, lost in thought, accompanying her husband while he works, wears a dress in Ukrainian folk style which was fashionable at that time. The gentle shadow that the straw hat throws on her beautiful face emphasises the summery nature of the painting's illumination. From the hill one's eye is lead to the view over the river and the open landscape. The contrast between the many variations of green and the red and blue tones in the woman's dress lends the work a particularly strong colourful note. It was these intensive and decorative colours in particular which made Golynsky's works popular. Golynsky regularly exhibited in St Peterburg, both at the academy and with the artist's support society. This is possibly the work titled "In the Sun" and listed in the catalogue accompanying the academy's 1894 exhibition

## **Next Meeting:**

Saturday September 8

at Irmie's Heritage Studio

It's the church on the right heading north.

18725 Monument Hill Road

(The studio is on the south end, lower floor of the church.)

9:00 am for social gathering and snacks

9:30 am business agenda.

## **Agenda:**

Welcome Members and Guests

Thanks to Those Who Brought Refreshments

Sunshine Committee Report

Approval of August Minutes

Treasurers Report

Gallery Committee Report

Craft Fair Update

September 2019 Show at the Warehouse

Christmas Luncheon

Adjourn

## **Word from the President:**

First of all, I hope you all have had a great summer. The weather has been kind to us this season and hopefully it will remain on the mild side for the rest of the year.

We will be meeting at Irmie's Heritage Studio because the Mennonite Church is having a major fundraising sale going on! After the meeting, I'm encouraging everyone to participate in the Front Range Open Studio Tour, as well as the Art on the Line Open Studios tour.

Jim

## Happy Birthday!

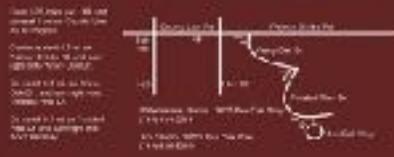


Susie Arnold 9/18  
Bruni Berkowitz 9/14  
Irmie Knoth 9/19  
Nancy Moeglein 9/17  
Gloria Williams 9/6  
Maggie Williamson 9/14

## Upcoming Events

## ART On The Line

Artist Artist  
Two Day Show  
September 8-9, 2018  
10:00 am - 5:00 pm



## ART On The Line

Artists 1-8, 2018  
Six Day Show

Red Box artists of local artists in a studio setting near the County Line Road



SEPTEMBER 8TH 10 AM TO 5 PM  
 SEPTEMBER 9TH 10 AM TO 5 PM

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Need Directions? Call the Studio or Artist!  
 For Artist Websites go to [FrontRangeOpenStudios.com](http://FrontRangeOpenStudios.com)  
 Red boxes show detail of area and are not to scale

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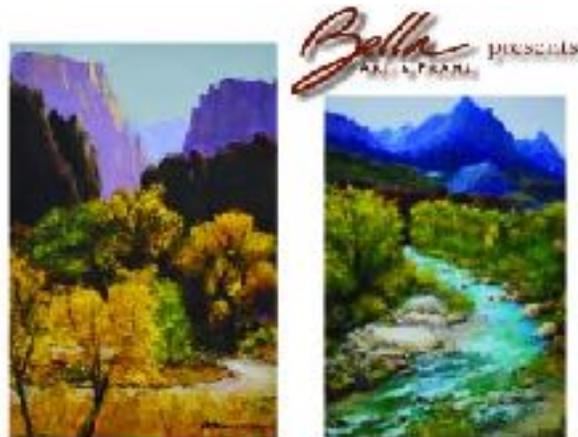
## MEET AND GREET THIS MONTH!

In lieu of a program at our September 8th meeting, we will have a Meet and Greet at Margarete Seagraves home, Wednesday, Sept. 19 from 6–8 pm.

Bring a drink, snacks, and a current work to share. Margarete's address is 19510 Doewood, Monument, Colorado.

### Member News

From John DeFrancesco



TIMELESS PLACES  
Oil Paintings by

*John DeFrancesco*

Show on display      Artist Reception  
Sept. 1st - 29th      Sept. 20th 5 - 8pm

Hosted by Bella Art and Frame  
183 Washington St. Monument CO. 80132  
719.487.7691 [bellaartandframe.com](http://bellaartandframe.com)

John DeFrancesco will be the featured artist at Bella Art and Frame September 1 through 28. During Art Hop on September 20, between 5 and 8 p.m., John will do an oil painting demonstration without using brushes, relying solely on palette knives.

John DeFrancesco  
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From Margarete Seagraves



**THE ARTISTS OF THE 2018  
FRONT RANGE OPEN STUDIOS**

**CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO VISIT OUR STUDIOS  
THE WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER 8TH AND 9TH!**



**MARGARETE SEAGRAVES**

See the unique tools and materials we use!  
Watch us demonstrate our techniques and  
discover how we have transformed our studio space  
into a sanctuary for creativity and personal expression!  
Enter a drawing for an Original Abstract Painting!

<b>SEPT 8TH</b>	<b>10 AM TO 5 PM</b>
<b>SEPT 9TH</b>	<b>10 AM TO 5 PM</b>

Don't miss this rare opportunity to see how  
and where fine art and craft is made!

For a map to all locations go to:  
[WWW.FRONT RANGEOPENSTUDIOS.COM](http://WWW.FRONT RANGEOPENSTUDIOS.COM)

From Irene Pallon

45<sup>th</sup> Arts and Crafts Fair: **We need You!**

Volunteers for Greeters needed day of Fair at the Palmer Lake Town Hall.

Sign-up for your am or pm shift and thank you in advance for doing your part.

Volunteers for 3-5 Sign Crews for road side advertising around Palmer Lake.

Let us know if you can be counted on to post signs. Can be fun.  
Bring your own hammer.

[Evelina\\_st@yahoo.com](mailto:Evelina_st@yahoo.com)

## **Art Gallery Committee Report**

Art Gallery Committee August 24, 2018

1. September program will be a Meet and Greet at Margarete Seagraves home, Wednesday, Sept. 19 from 6-8 pm. Bring a drink, snacks, and a current work to share. Margarete's address is 19510 Doewood, Monument, Colorado.
2. In lieu of a program after the meeting, everyone is encouraged to attend the offerings of the Front Range Open Studio tour, and the Art on the Line Open Studios on Saturday and Sunday. Brochures were passed out at the last meeting, and are available at various places around town.
3. October's program has been changed to Linda Roberts and her felting processes.
4. November's program is John DeFrancisco, doing a group painting.
5. December's program is the Annual Christmas luncheon, proposed to be held at Bella Panini in Palmer Lake. Arrangements to be announced at a later date.
6. January's program will be acrylic pouring by Irmgard Knoth at her studio. The meeting may be moved to that location also so as to eliminate moving between meeting and program.
7. Possible 3<sup>rd</sup> show for 2019 at the Warehouse is still being investigated.
8. Craft show needs volunteers to help with setup on Thursday, and takedown on Saturday. Also greeters at the door for Friday and Saturday. Evelina will have more information on this at the meeting.
9. We discussed the Judy Wood donation, and decided to dedicate the June Color Splash show to her and to utilize the funds for awards that are to be determined later.

**Minutes**

**PLAG Minutes  
August 11, 2018**

Officers present: Marci Edwards, Linda Roberts, Bonnie Sands, Jim Sawatzki, Carolyn Stolz  
There were 16 other members in attendance.

President, Jim Sawatzki called the meeting to order at 9:30.

**Welcome:**

- Jim thanked members, Bonnie Sands, Carolyn Stolz and Irene Pallon for bringing refreshments.
- Irene announced that the Sunshine Committee sent a Get-Well card to Diane Tilly following surgery
- New members, Susie McGinnis and Vickie Mynhyer were welcomed. Returning members included: Lorry Frederick and Donna Hartley. Likewise, Doug Wilson, local artist, was welcomed as a guest who showed some of his miniature artwork following the meeting.

**Officers' Announcements:**

- Bonnie Sands announced that the July picnic was a success and again thanked Bob Zettler and Diane Tilly for sharing their home.
- Jim announced two upcoming community events:
  - Jodi Bliss, local blacksmith/sculptor is holding "Forge Your Own Bliss" with a series of workshops on Saturdays in August and September to purchase and carve a sand tile mold and then participate in a community-wide iron pour on September 29 to render the final iron pieces. For more information: [www.ForgeYourBliss.com](http://www.ForgeYourBliss.com).
  - PLAG will again be giving art/drawing classes at the Monument Library. Classes will be from 1-3 PM on September 6 and 20, on October 4, and on November 1 and 5.

**Business:**

- A motion was made by Lynn Roth and seconded by Irmi Knoth to accept, as written, the June minutes which were distributed to members electronically. Motion carried.
- Carolyn Stolz presented the Treasurer's Report:

**Treasurer's Report JULY 2018**

<i>Savings</i> Beginning Balance as of 7-1-18	\$26,721.26
Deposit	N/A
Interest Credit 7-31-18	\$0.90
Ending Balance as of 7-31-18	\$ 26,722.16
2018 Scholarship	\$2,250.00;
Savings	\$24,472.16

<i>Checking</i> Beginning Balance as of 7-1-18	\$6,586.27
Deposits *	\$130.0
Expenses *	< 850.00>
Ending Balance as of 7-31-18	\$5,866.27
<i>Certificate of Deposit</i> as of 7-31-18	\$20,000.00

\*Deposits: June Show=\$10.00; Craft Fair=\$120;

\*Expenses: July Rent \$100; Scholarship for Clare Chaddon=\$750 (paid to Univ. of N. Colorado-- funds to be transferred from Savings)

\*Monthly detailed reports available upon request to Treasurer

Submitted by Carolyn Stolz, Treasurer

A motion was made by Marci Edwards and seconded by Don Goodman that the Treasurer's Report be accepted. Motion carried.

#### **Committee Reports:**

- **Craft Fair:** Carolyn Stolz reported on the upcoming Craft Fair—October 5-6—PLAG's biggest fundraiser for scholarships.
  - Vendor tables are nearly all sold
  - Postcards and posters are now available. She recommended they be distributed in September
  - The WIFI problem experienced by vendors last year has been addressed and should be better this year.
- **Gallery Committee:**
  - Susie Arnold announced that the program for today's meeting had been cancelled at the last minute. She recommended that members attend the Chautauqua gathering in Palmer Lake. Jim Sawatzki gave a bit of historical context to the local Chautauqua dating from 1886.
  - Upcoming member workshops include:
    - September 20- "Meet and Greet" at the home of Margarete Seagraves. Bring your own food/beverage and bring a piece of your artwork to share.
    - October meeting: Irmi Knoth will demonstrate Acrylic Pouring at her studio immediately following the business meeting.
    - November meeting: John DeFrancesco will present on oil painting
    - December meeting: Annual luncheon
  - The Gallery Committee is seeking new venues to show art in the fall including a possible exhibit at the October opening of the new retirement facility in Monument.
  - The next Gallery Committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 21 at 9:00 AM at Irmi Knoth's studio.

#### **Member Announcements:**

- Lynn Roth announced that his photography exhibit will continue at the Tri Lakes Center for the Arts through August. It will be followed by a show sponsored by the Palmer Lake Photographers Group running through September.

- Wilma Steenbergen announced that she and Lorry Frederick and five other artists will participate in the “Art on the Line Studio Tour” on September 8-9. For more information call Wilma at (719) 434-2251.
- John DeFrancesco announced that he will be the featured artist at Bella Art and Frame for the month of September. He will offer a demonstration there of oil painting with knives at the Monument Art Hop for September.

A motion was made by Don Goodman and seconded by Bonnie Sands to adjourn the meeting at 10:30. Motion carried.