

**December  
2023**

# The Palette

**BURLINGAME ART SOCIETY**



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## **Up NEXT**

Come join us for our next BAS meeting on **Saturday, December 9th** from **1:30 to 4:00 pm**, in the Fine Arts Room at the Burlingame Community Center, 850 Burlingame Ave., Burlingame. **Hope to see you there.....**

You'll want to eat lunch early, but make sure to leave room for some yummy treats from the tempting dessert table at our December Holiday Meeting. Aside from our festive celebration, the meeting will also consist of a critique of our works by guest artist Dmitry Grudsky, along with our regular monthly competition, the awarding of our 2023 BAS "Artist of the Year".....AND this year we will be including an exciting RAFFLE with some great prizes.

Our Leadership Committee has been busy rounding up terrific prizes, including (just to mention a few), Good Wine, Gift Certificates for California Art Supply and Epsom Framing in Burlingame. The tickets will sell for \$2 each, 3/\$5 or 6/\$10. ★ FYI, money raised from the raffle ticket sales will be put towards the scholarship that BAS will be awarding to a Burlingame High School art student in need, this coming Spring. So, we hope that you will be generous & prepared and bring some cash with you for our fun Holiday raffle.





Next Committee Meeting will be December 7th, 2023, 2:30pm at Sherry's

# President's Message



Dear Members,

As I reflect on the year of 2023, there are many things to be grateful for. Along with the usual...family, friends, health, home etc., I definitely have to put ART up towards the top of my list. I'm so grateful for our local art community, which includes the Burlingame Art Society and it's wonderful members, all of the great guest demo artists that graciously come month after month to share their techniques with us and also for the lovely students in my painting classes at the Community Center, many of whom have joined BAS this past year. Unfortunately, some of our long time members did not return to BAS after the pandemic, but I'm happy to say that we have gained 19 new members since 2022 and as of now have 52 total members. This I am grateful for.....the more the merrier.

Speaking of BAS membership, I need to remind all of you that membership fees for 2024 are due in January and hopefully everyone will gladly re-new in a timely manner. You can either mail in the \$50 yearly fee to: Burlingame Art Society, P.O.Box 1754, Burlingame, CA 94010, or you can bring your dues to either the December or January meeting. Remember that without your paid memberships BAS could not continue to opporate. Fees help pay for our monthly meeting venue, guest demo artists, website, Annual Shows, scholarships, refreshments, ribbons and more. Please know that the BAS Committee would be thrilled to not have to pester you with reminders in the coming months. 😊

Lastly, I hope to see you all at our Holiday Celebration/Meeting. Don't forget to bring a painting for the monthly competition and a little cash for our exciting holiday raffle.....



*Diana*

## Volunteers

As a reminder to all members the Burlingame Art Society is solely managed by volunteers and we can always use more help for jobs that need to be done to keep us going. We hope that you will consider joining our wonderful group of volunteers that take on these tasks. For more information please feel free to speak with anyone on the BAS Leadership Committee.

***MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK!***

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## Welcome New Member

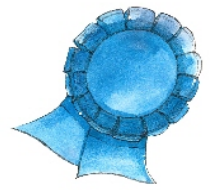
~ April Liu

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If you know someone who may be interested in joining BAS, let them know that we are working on lining up some excellent guest demo artists for the coming year. For the low cost of \$50 you can enjoy months & months of these great art related demonstrations.



# November Ribbon Winners



1st Place



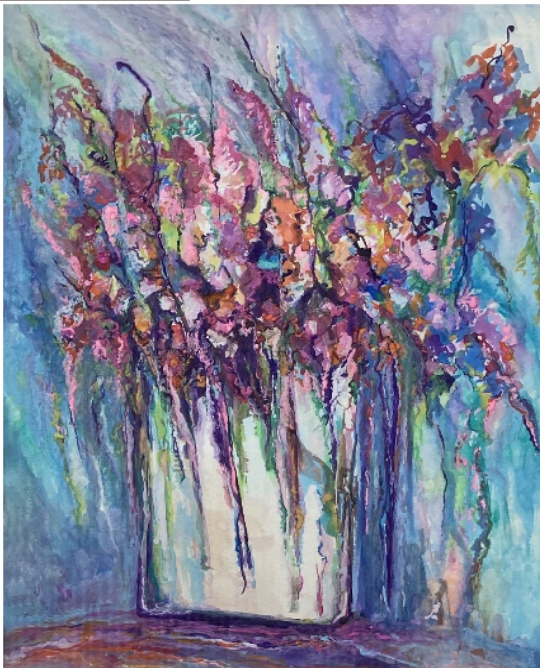
Diana Day Glynn  
"Sunflowers Embrace"

2nd Place



Leona Moriarty  
"Lotts a Color"

3rd Place



Cheryl Cooper "Bouquet"

Honorable Mention



Barbara Alger "Lionfish"



# November Popular Choice Winner



Jean Polk "Hungry"

BAS now has a YouTube channel where you can find a video of the BAS 27th Annual Art Exhibition. To view it, just go to YouTube and search Burlingame Art Society.



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## MEETING RECAP

Pastel artist, Deborah Shea, did a wonderful demo for us in November. We so enjoyed her friendly and upbeat personality as she spoke of her art journey and explained to us her techniques. Deb's paintings are very often huge in size, as was the one that she brought to work on in front of us. Unlike most pastel paintings, her finished work has a very smooth look due to the way she applies alcohol (as in rubbing alcohol) with a large brush on top of her first layer of pastels, and then continues with more layers of pastel. She uses bright eye-catching colors for her floral paintings which, along with the large size of them, really makes them stand out.



Above: another of Deborah's very large florals...  
Right: Deborah working on her current painting of a white magnolia.



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