

Member Newsletter November 2021

A huge THANK YOU to Cynthia Stotlar-Hedberg for agreeing to sponsor our High School Scholarships for spring 2022. She also donated these funds for spring of 2021.

Cynthia has served as TAG President in the past. She and her late husband, David, donated office furniture when they closed their office. Loyal supporters of TAG are necessary to our longevity. Thank you to Cynthia and all of our supporters.

Marie

**Two of the 2021
Scholarship Winners**



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***The Topeka Art Guild supports and promotes the
visual arts and art education through public
programs and exhibitions of original work.***



Highlights of the November 9, 2021 Executive Committee Meeting

- Next entry day—Nov. 28 Holiday Show—nothing over \$100, \$3 entry fee/ \$0 for 3D.
- 2021 has been a much better year for TAG in many aspects including finances.
- TAG continues support for area student artist through showing schools' artwork and continuing to provide scholarships in 2022.
- An end-of-year fundraising letter (see p. 4) will be sent to supporters.
- The Festival of Trees will be held at Fairlawn Plaza from Nov. 22—Dec. 4. The gallery will be open more hours during that event and we need volunteer staffers.
- TAG contributed to Fairlawn Plaza's fundraisers for SLI, Harvesters and Toys for Tots.
- The next Executive Committee meeting will be on December 14 at 6 pm.

TAG members in shows and galleries

Visions of the Flint Hills in KCMO continues through Dec. 15

The Lawrence Art Guild member show at the Cider Gallery is Nov. 26—Jan. 21.

Naomi Cashman has work in Manhattan Art Center "Wrap It Up" holiday show.

Diane Lawrence's students, including TAG members, Suzy Smith and Suzette McCord-Rogers, are showing their work at the Classic Bean Fairlawn Plaza through Dec. 29.

Kathy Pflaum will be showing her work combining fiber and copper from the old capital dome at the KHS gift shops.

Sherrie Dick will be at the Sherwood Holiday Craft Show November 13 at the Sherwood Club House.

Kris Luber has her small work featured in the Creative Hands fiber Show in Shawnee, Kansas., Small Gifts show in at the Modella Gallery in Stillwater, Oklahoma, and at the "Itty Bitty" Art Show at the Lumberyard Arts Center in Baldwin City.

If you have your work in a show or gallery near or far, please let us know so that we can share your good news!

Artists who sold in October

Dorethy Hancock, Sherrie Dick, Albo Glass, Naomi Cashman and Don Berry.
Our sales totaled \$913.69.

Upcoming deadlines for regional art shows

"heART" benefitting Ronald McDonald House—Buttonwood Art Space, KC— November 16

"Kansas Through the Eyes of an Artist"— Carriage Factory, Newton — November 17

NOTO Fiber Art Show—December 15

"Symphony in the Flint Hills"—February 24

Topeka Art Guild website: www.TopekaArtGuild.org

Are you following the Topeka Art Guild on Facebook? <https://www.facebook.com/TopekaArtGuild>



The views expressed in the art are an expression of the individual artist and not necessarily those of the Topeka Art Guild as an organization.



FESTIVAL OF TREES

November 22 - December 4
at Fairlawn Plaza

THE 2021 EVENT INCLUDES FESTIVAL FOREST,
SILENT AUCTION, AND SWEET SHOPPE.

HOURS:
10 AM - 6 PM
CLOSED ON THANKSGIVING

ADMISSION IS FREE!

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The Festival of Trees benefits SLI's programs and services for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

To take advantage of the increased foot traffic through Fairlawn Plaza, the Gallery will be open 10-6 most of the Festival days with the exception of entry day and hanging day (November 28th and 29th).

This is a great opportunity for our 3D artists to bring in fresh holiday items for the Gift Shop.

Thank you to our members who are helping to staff those additional days and hours.

Topeka Art Guild & Gallery

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Dear friends and family of the Topeka Art Guild,



Remember us this Season

We have had an incredible response to our limited offerings during the year, as we have recovered from Covid's impact on the Guild. Throughout 2021 we began adding programs and classes back into our schedule to help get the Guild back in action, bringing you art and art education like nowhere else in Topeka. As we finish up 2021 and look forward toward our goals for 2022, we see many incredible opportunities that are within our grasp, and we need *YOUR* help to make it happen. Your donations go on to fund all the incredible things you hold dear at the Topeka Art Guild. Please remember the Topeka Art Guild this holiday season and help us build toward a better 2022.

Your donations to The Topeka Art Guild, a 503 c non-profit, are tax exempt, and you will receive a receipt after the first of the year. Donate now at www.topekaartguild.org or bring or mail your checks to:

Topeka Art Guild
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Thank you for your support.
Respectfully yours,
The Topeka Art Guild Executive Committee

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