



Thousand Oaks Art Association

June 2024

NEWSLETTER

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## President's Message



Hello Friends:

The 2024 Thousand Oaks Art Association Open Juried Show was a rousing success! By my unofficial estimate there were approximately 180 attendees at the reception, and as usual the baked goods table was "sold out". The overhead projector awards presentation combined with judge Peter Adams' written comments was a big hit, and it lent an air of familiarity with the exhibited works mixed with excitement for the artists receiving awards. It was also gratifying to receive numerous "great show" comments, which is a testament to the quality of work submitted by the participating artists and to the hard work done by show chair Linda Shaner and everyone who contributed to the conduct of the show.

The next event in which TOAA will participate is the Summer in the Park Concert on 11 August sponsored by ACCV, and featuring a Taylor Swift Tribute Band. Our next big show will be our annual TOAA Member Show in November at the Thousand Oaks Community Gallery. Please start working on your next best piece!

Once again for 2024 TOAA proudly helped sponsor the Legacy Awards for Students program for aspiring student artists in the Conejo Valley. The board voted to contribute \$2,500 to the advancement and encouragement of these aspiring young artists who may hopefully soon become TOAA members. Congratulations to the winners!

Finally, whereas I expected to announce a Summer Party, we are still in the planning phase and will let everyone know if we can come up with a venue. Volunteers are welcome!

Artistic thought of the month:

"The world is full of magic things, patiently waiting for our sense to grow sharper." – W B Yeats

Rob Impellizzeri  
President TOAA

## Calendar

Aug 11, 2024

TOAA will participate in the Summer in the Park Concert on 11 August sponsored by ACCV, and featuring a Taylor Swift Tribute Band.

Winners at the Open Juried Show, 2024

*Congratulations!!!*



Photo courtesy of Percy



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## Members' Creativity

Westlake Village Art Show is hosting a show in the T.O Community Gallery in June. Many TOAA Artists will be in the Show. The Artist Reception is Sunday, June 9th from 3-4:30 PM. All are welcome!

Joan Sharron and Carol Roullard will be among local artists participating in the Santa Barbara Lavender Festival on Saturday, June 29th from 10 A.M - 5 P.M at the West Campus of Santa Barbara City College. Come visit!



Through my kitchen window



Exuberance



A walk on the beach with friends



Submitted for ACCV Summer Open Show....Sunlit and Subdued



Joan Sharron's , If I were a butterfly,- Mixed Media second place



Eileen Maloney's "tulips in the window" was accepted into the Westlake Village Art Guild Open Show.



Maggie Tata feels honored to have her Watercolor, "Siesta Time" be awarded a second place in the Watercolor Category



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### Art - related Happenings



"Golden Blooms"  
1st Place Mixed Media, 2023  
Joan Sharron



The Voice of the Arts

invites you to enter the

### SUMMER OPEN SHOW 2024

FRIDAY, JUNE 21 - MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 2024

TAKE IN: Tuesday, June 18, 2:00pm - 4:00pm

RECEPTION & AWARDS CEREMONY: Saturday, July 20, 3:00pm - 5:00pm

PROSPECTUS & SUBMISSION FORM ONLINE ONLY

at [www.conejoarts.org](http://www.conejoarts.org)

Deadline for Online Submission: June 15

Entry Fee: \$45.00 for one or two pieces

Open to all artists 18 years of age and older residing in the  
Greater Conejo Valley Area

The Galleria, Hillcrest Center for the Arts

403 W. Hillcrest Drive  
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360  
(805) 381-2747

### Plein Air

#### PLEIN AIR EVENT INFORMATION

June's Plein Air Event will be announced soon for June 28, 9-12 mark calendars for location information I will contact interested painters, etc. Please contact me, Barb Welch at: [barbjwelch@hotmail.com](mailto:barbjwelch@hotmail.com) if you would like to join this group, all abilities, no competition, just fun, talk, and art discussions.  
Barb Welch



Recent visit to Paramount Ranch for a plein air and studio piece, 9 x 12" Gouache... Barb Welch



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### TOAA Social Media:

Our links to stay connected with us are:

Facebook: <http://facebook.com>

website: [thousandoaksartassoc.org](http://thousandoaksartassoc.org)

Instagram link: [@thousandoaksartassociation.com](https://www.instagram.com/thousandoaksartassociation.com)

### Best of Show



Thomas Scott Nelson-"Bobby & Coco- Best friends forever"

### Winners at the Open Juried Show , (May 2 - 29), 2024



Dexter, - Oil, Thomas Scott Nelson - First Place



Debra Sokolov- Bargello National Museum, Florence, Italy -



Feeling Sedona - Abby Garner, 3D Sculpter- First Place



Eva & Cleo- Pei-Tse Goh, Acrylic-First Place



Pitigliano, Italy, -Gerry Wilson - Photography/Digital Art, First Place



Robyn and Rick & Creo— A wool portrait-Mimi Lieberman Mixed Media- First Place



Rodeo Clown- Kevin McCants- WaterColor/Gouache- First Place

Please see all winners' list on page 6



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**Reception Photos**



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# Winners at the Open Jury Show (May 2 - 29, 2024)

## TOAA 2024 OPEN JURIED ART SHOW AWARD WINNERS

**BEST OF SHOW:** Thomas Scott Nelson "Bobby and Coco - Best Friends Forever"

### 3D / SCULPTURE

1st	Abby Garner	Feeling Sedona
2nd	Javier Castro	Gothic Night
3rd	Annee Hahn	711 711 711
HM	Sydelle Foreman	Hope

### ACRYLIC

1st	Pei-Tse Goh	Eva and Cleo
2nd	Pamela Fong	Pink Hybrids
3rd	Janis Brock	Pomegranates

### MIXED MEDIA

1st	Mimi Lieberman	Robyn & Rick & Creo, A Wool Portrait
2nd	Joan Sharron	If I Were A Butterfly
3rd	Lisa Sachs	Brides & Bell Towers
HM	Michael Wicks	SPLASH!

### OIL

1st	Thomas Scott Nelson	Dexter
2nd	Yolande McAlevey	A Dandelion's View
3rd	Linda Shaner	Fauno
HM	John Brunnick	Steam Locomotive
HM	Rob Impellizzeri	Turbulent Waters
HM	Mickey Wasserman	Friday Breakfast

### PASTEL / GRAPHICS

1st	Debra Sokolow	Bargello National Museum Florence Italy
2nd	Janet Johnson	Heavy Metal
3rd	Mardilan Georgio	Anticipation
HM	Patti Arbino	Tapestry
HM	Tom Evans	Scrub Jay
HM	David Garner	Be.

### PHOTOGRAPHY / DIGITAL ART

1st	Gerry Wilson	Pitigliano, Italy
2nd	Dennis Griffin	Bodie, Home Sweet Home
3rd	Paul Abravaya	Roadrunner
HM	Walter Cochran-Bond	Entering A World of Art and Nature
HM	Richard Greene	Arkansas Abstraction
HM	Michael Maloney	If Ghosts Could Talk
HM	Michael Maloney	Grace in Flight

### WATERCOLOR / GOUACHE

1st	Kevin McCants	Rodeo Clown
2nd	Maggie Tata	Siesta Time
3rd	Yolande McAlevey	Grapes Nesting In The Leaves
HM	Barbara Leitzel	When Our Eyes Met...
HM	Linda Shaner	Cactus Garden

My sincere apologies for the small print, but I had problems inserting the original Excel file in my PagePlus program