

## September 2022 President's Message

## **Greetings Fellow Artists!**

I hope you are surviving the heat and not letting it stop you from making art.

By now you will have seen the new Newsletter format. I hope you like it-I certainly do! Brighter color, easier to read posts and lots of great, art related information. Thank you to Darien Donner and Rhonda Raulston for the making the redesign happen.

Our Summer Party was held on August 13<sup>th</sup> at Rhonda Raulston's lovely home. Those who came know we had a great time seeing art friends and eating the delicious potluck goodies. A HUGE thank you to Rhonda for sharing her home with us. And an equally HUGE thank you to Patricia Lee for her expertise as our Hospitality Chairperson.

Last month we added a new section Opportunities and Resources. Periodically, we will add opportunities for non-PSA exhibitions. I'd like to encourage you to explore  $\underline{\mathsf{CaFE}}$  which offers an abundance of exhibitions open for submission, locally and over the world. I have been successful with this site, but please share any site(s) you'd like us to include.

Check out Larry Rodger's post about upcoming exhibitions. He and Art Carrillo have exciting news to share.

Vic Picou will continue to coordinate the monthly Salons. If you are interested in hosting a Salon, please contact Vic.

Our next new Member Screening will take place either Sunday, September 18th or Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup> at the Blinn House. Please consider encouraging your art acquaintances to submit for membership through the PSA website.

We welcome your suggestions and your helping hands. We will be introducing a new Volunteer section soon with more detailed information about how you can help.

NEXT MEETING: Our next Membership Meeting will be at the Blinn House on September 10th from 10:00 – Noon. Rhonda Raulston will give us an encaustic demonstration.

Finally, I want to thank you, again, for your participation and support. You are PSA, we couldn't have this great Art Society without you. I am always available at kds4psabiz@gmail.com

Kathleen to some, Kathy to others!