

July 2022 Newsletter

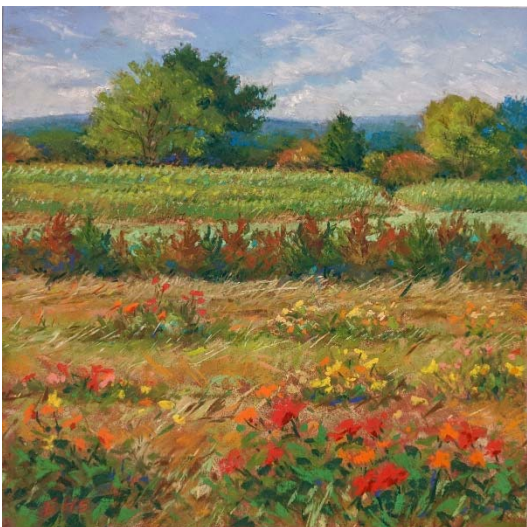
Summer is finally here and, thank goodness, so is the rain we so badly needed.

We are beginning to look ahead to the fall and the resumption of our monthly meetings and demonstrations. We'll keep you posted...

Brenda Burt has continued to bring us into the 21st century with the complex record keeping required by our Grant and our new non-profit status.

Our plein air gatherings are also going forward with regularity. If you are not getting our weekly announcements of meeting locations, please let us know, and we'll fix the problem. Candace Klein and Floyd Caplan are working to keep us informed.

HAL painters are very active this summer. Liz Scott is running the one-day outside art show at the Clark Library in Bethany on August 14 (rain date: August 21) 1:00-5:00 pm. Liz, Candace Klein, Mary Herron, Karen Cebula, Carol Lambiase, and I are participating. Diane Chandler gave a talk by Zoom on her artwork June 30 at that library's "Artists in Conversation" Series. A video of her talk is available through the library's website: <https://bethanylibrary.org/>. The current Clinton juried exhibition shows work by a number of HAL artists: Sharon Morgio, Diane Chandler, Celeste DiNello, Mike Eagle, Sue Wolanic and I have paintings on display. The show runs until August 18 at the Clinton Town Hall. Ten painters and I are exhibiting our work - three to four paintings each - at the Madison Library through August 18. We are a group who paint together weekly. Patty Meglio will have an exhibit in September at the Cheshire Library. She will also do a demonstration for the Cheshire Art League October 12. If that isn't enough to keep her busy, she will have a novel published soon!



Liz Scott, our Programs Chair, has won a big prize: the Pastel Society of Maine Award in the CT Pastel Society's 2022 Renaissance in Pastel, National Juried Exhibit. It is currently exhibited at the Lyme Art Association in Old Lyme, until August 4.

If you have a show or are in a show, send us the details, and we will include the information in our August Newsletter.

Dues this year will be \$30, due by September 30. We are updating our information on all members at the same time. Either [complete electronic form by clicking here](#) OR print Membership Form below. In both cases mail \$30 check payable to: Hamden Art League. Please mail your check to Diane Chandler, 204 High St., Wallingford,

CT 06492. You can also go to our website to access the electronic form

(<https://www.hamdenartleague.org/join.html>).

We are hoping for an exciting 2022-2023. We have several projects in the works. Details will be coming soon! Enjoy the rest of the summer and keep painting!

Rosemary Serfilippi
President, Hamden Art League

Ps: Anyone wishing to make a donation to HAL may send a check to Diane Chandler, Treasurer (address is above).

Support has been provided to Hamden Art League from CT Humanities (CTH), with funding provided by the Connecticut State Department of Economic and Community Development/Connecticut Office of the Arts (COA) from the Connecticut State Legislature.

2022-2023 HAL Membership Update Form

If you did not submit this information online, please print this paper form and mail it to Diane Chandler with the membership fee. Send \$30 check, payable to **Hamden Art League**, to Diane Chandler, 204 High Street, Wallingford, CT 06492

Questions: e-mail hamdenartleaguect@gmail.com or call Diane at 203-269-6982

*** Required Information**

1. First Name* _____
2. Last Name* _____
3. Street address, and apartment number if applicable* _____
4. City* _____
5. State* _____
6. Zip code* _____
7. Home phone number* (or cell) _____
8. Cell phone number * _____
9. E-mail (please provide one) _____
10. Art website URL, if you wish it to be placed on the HAL website

11. Specific HAL interests in which you wish to participate. *Check all that apply.*

- Monthly demonstrations
- Exhibitions of your artwork
- HAL sponsored workshops
- Plein air sessions
- Scholarships to artists graduating high school
- Outreach to new / young artists
- Critiques of your artwork

12. Additional comments and information you would like to share with the HAL board and / or HAL community.
