

# EAFa NEWS

NOVEMBER 2019



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## MEETINGS

Westminster Chapel  
13646 NE 24th St  
Bellevue, WA  
Every third Thursday  
Time 1:30 - 3:00 PM

## ARTIST DEMONSTRATOR ~ NOVEMBER

*Michelle Rushworth*



### ARTIST BIOGRAPHY:

Michele Rushworth has been a professional artist for over 25 years. She paints official and children's portraits in oils. Her work is in the Pentagon, part of the art collection of the US Capitol, and owned by many other organizations and families across the country.

*"Michele Rushworth is one of the most successful and reputable portrait artists today" ~ American Artist Magazine*

In addition, she creates beautiful landscape, floral and seascape paintings, and offers art classes, workshops and mentoring to artists of all levels, both in person and online.

*"Painting is a skill that anyone can learn and I love seeing the delight on my*

*students' faces when they paint a masterpiece that they didn't think they were capable of." - Michele Rushworth*

- [www.MicheleRushworth.com](http://www.MicheleRushworth.com)



## FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Happy November, the month of giving thanks. Thanks to all of you, our EAFA family and friends for all of your loving support to keep our organization running so well and energized. **YOU ARE THE VERY BEST!!!**

### POST CARD COMPETITION

Have you designed your 5 X 8 inch post card that EAFA members can give to others telling them about EAFA? Please bring your post card to the November meeting, remember, the winner gets one year free membership.

### SIGN IN SHEET AT THE MEETING

Please make sure that you sign in when you come to our meetings. This is new but will really

help when it comes time to apply for a grant.

### **RAFFLE SURPRISE**

Adrienne Anderson-Smith, our wonderful hospitality chairperson has been inspired with holiday magic ideas. Since we do not have a December meeting, we are going to have a few, fun Christmas items to raffle off at our November meeting, so don't forget to take a raffle ticket when you sign in.

### **OUR WONDERFUL SHARING TABLE**

Don't forget to bring your newest piece of artwork to share. This is a perfect place for our members who are not quite ready to enter a juried show, who are maybe just a little shy about sharing, and just need a little push. Also, if you have talents in other areas, this is the perfect place to let members know what else you create. Jewelry, pottery, crafts, etc.....

### **DECEMBER INFORMATION**

There will be no December meeting as Christmas is too close to our regular meeting date. However, we will still have a December Newsletter to keep you all up to date for EAFA activities and news.

### **DUES WILL BE DUE JANUARY FIRST**

This is just a friendly reminder that dues will be due on January 1 as our year runs from January 1 through December 31. Not to worry, I will send out another reminder closer to that special time.

### **PUBLIC ART**

The board has set limits on the minimum size for paintings or photographs in the Public Art Venues to 9" x 12" excluding frame and the minimum price for any artwork is \$100. This will begin January 1, 2020.

### **CALL FOR ART - CALL FOR ART**

We have two notices for a call for art:

#### **2020 ALKI ART FAIR**

The Alki Art Fair, juried art show, will be held on July 25-26, 2020.

This show is open to all mediums and all artists, including emerging artists.

The online applications for artists will be available December 1, 2019 at [www.alkiartfair.org](http://www.alkiartfair.org)

### **STUDIO 103 CALL FOR ART - DEADLINE 1/26/20**

Studio 103 invites you to participate in our "Around the Square" show February 2 - 29, 2020. All artwork must be square and no larger than 24 x 24, including framing. Studio 103 will take no commission on any sales. Artists may submit up to 2 pieces. Fee is \$12/piece. For complete details and to register to enter, click [HERE](#). Register early as space is somewhat limited.

Important Dates:

Feb. 2, noon – 3:00: Hand delivery of artwork

Feb. 6, 3:00 – 9:00pm: Opening and First Thursday Art Walk

Feb. 8, noon – 5:00pm: Awards Ceremony & Reception in conjunction with Pioneer Square

Second Saturdays

March 1: Art Work Pickup

Awards: People's Choice Award: Cash award of \$144, as determined by public vote during First Thursday Art Walk

Studio 103 Award: A one-month show at Studio 103. Winner to be determined by the resident artists at Studio 103.

### **NEW WINTERS HOURS AT STUDIO 103: SATURDAYS NOON - 5:00 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT**

STUDIO 103 is a collaboration of 5 artists-in-residence in the Tashiro Kaplan Building in Seattle's Pioneer Square. New and emerging artists are featured each month along with our resident artists Zeynep Banu Alev, Lorri Falterman, Joy Hagen, Leslie West and Claudia Zimmerman.

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Questions? [Email\\_joy\\_hagen@yahoo.com](mailto:Email_joy_hagen@yahoo.com)

Studio 103 at Tashiro Kaplan

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## From Molly Murrah's Demonstration in October



Unfinished painting at the end of the demo.



Finished demo painting.



Painting done BEFORE the demo.



Painting done AFTER the demo.

## EAFA PUBLIC ART UPDATES NOVEMBER 2019

The Public Art Program is a volunteer interest group within EAFA. The program provides appreciation and enjoyment of art to public and private audiences. It also gives opportunities to participating artists to exhibit and sell their artwork at several public and private venues.

Our participant's works include collage, abstract and representational art in a variety of media and subjects. We welcome new members into our public art program as we are always looking for new venues. Our Public Art Members are much appreciated and I want to thank all of them for being part of this group

**We are in need of a co-manager for the North Bellevue Community Center, 4063 148<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, Bellevue. We are also in need of a co-manager for the Department of Ecology, 3190 160<sup>th</sup> Ave SE, Bellevue WA.**

If anyone is interested in becoming an EAFA Public Art Manager or joining the EAFA Public Art Group please contact Laura Grover at [bzak56@aol.com](mailto:bzak56@aol.com) or phone: 425-753-4550.

## **Bellevue Regional Library**

**Managers: Ann Reynolds and Mami Shimomura**

**October 26, to December 31, 2019**

Farida Hakim

## **Overlake Hospital Cardiology**

**Managers: Gayle Erxleben and Deby Alm**

**August 18, to November 17, 2019**

Teri Gordon, Diana Grant, Farida Hakim, Ruth Russell, Linda Harris,  
Magali Lemarczak, Deby Alm

**November 17, to February 16, 2020**

Dawn Dufford, Deborah Ferguson, Sue Gilbert, Lyla Jacobsen, Irena Jablonski, Lewis LeBrash,  
Heidi LaCourse

## **Overlake Hospital Neonatal W2 Floor**

**Managers: Diana Grant**

**September 15, to January 12, 2020**

Diana Grant

## **Overlake Oncology**

**Manager: Bev Birmele and Lydia Ho**

**August 25, to November 17, 2019**

Shirley Rudolf, Heidi LaCourse, Pushpa Agrawal, Olga Bolgar

**November 17, to January 27, 2020**

Dan Riley, Camea Davidson, Georgeanne Arnot, Lydia Ho, Bev Birmele

## **PACCAR Educational Center**

**Managers: Lisa DeBaets**

**July 28, to November 17, 2019**

Jean Pratt Beuoy

**November 17, to March 22, 2020**

Lisa DeBaets

## **Newcastle Library**

**Manager: Sharon Pfister**

**September 28, to November 30, 2019**

Gale Baker

## **Overlake Hospital South Tower**

**Managers: Roger Baker and Charles Fawcett**

**October 19, to January 11, 2020**

Beverly Birmele, Joan Frey, Cheryl Hoople

Dawn Dufford, Roger Baker, Ruth Russell, Charles Fawcett, Linda Harris, Ann Reynolds, Laura Grover, Deborah Ferguson, Jane Scott, Gill McKinstry

## **Mercer Slough Environmental Center**

**Manager: Cheryl Hoople**

**October 17, to January 9, 2020**

Laura Grover

## Department of Ecology

Manager: Dolores Marquez

October 10, to January 9, 2020

Carol Ross, Jean Beuoy, Julie Marcelia, Olga Bolgar, Sharon Pfister, Tabitha Brown, Dolores Marquez, Jyl Blackwell

## North Bellevue Community Center

Manager: Gill Mckinstry

October 23, to January 22, 2020

As always, if you have any questions or suggestions to make EAFA better or ideas that would help you in any way, please feel free to give us a call or an email.

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