64TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL

Pittsburgh Watercolor Society



Best of Show
Dancer #1 by Jeannie McGuire

OCTOBER 1-30, 2010

Fein Art Gallery

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About the

Pittsburgh Watercolor Society

The Pittsburgh Watercolor Society was founded in 1945 to develop, encourage and maintain interest in watercolor painting. The original membership of 20 was one of the first groups to be affiliated with the Pittsburgh Center for the Arts. The membership of the Pittsburgh Watercolor Society has grown to approximately 240 artists who enjoy this opportunity to share their enthusiasm for watercolor.

Membership in the Pittsburgh Watercolor Society is an exciting way to meet artists with a common interest. There are several membership categories: associate, regular, patron, honorary and lifetime. To become a regular member, one must apply and submit three works for screening. Acceptance is by two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors.

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President's Message

Welcome to the 64th Annual Aqueous International Exhibition.

As we celebrate our 64th season, I am truly impressed by what an amazing accomplishment it is that our group of volunteers continues to pull together such an event year after year.

Every year our show receives a variety of works that go from tight realism to abstraction. This exhibition puts to rest the inaccurate stereotype that watercolor is a limited medium.

As a group, PWS is a constant work-in-progress and transformation. The roles change, but the result is the same. What a great job by all of the people involved. The opening of this show is our reward.

Thanks again to all of our volunteers. Barry Winsand *President, Pittsburgh Watercolor Society*

Chair's Message

Welcome to the Pittsburgh Watercolor Society's 64th International Aqueous Exhibition. As I reflect on the last 11 months, I wonder how it all got done. Having an array of talented people to help me was an enormous blessing. From PR, collecting and sorting through 167 digital images, designing the catalog and postcards, soliciting and gathering awards, mailing prospectuses and postcards to planning for the opening refreshments and the hanging of the show, PWS members were wonderful in doing their individual jobs. All of their support made my job easy. Our juror, Don Andrews, chose 60 paintings from many different styles, reflecting the unique quality of artists from 20 states and Canada. As you peruse the watercolor paintings, I hope that you will walk away with an appreciation for the vision and talent of our show's artists. Enjoy. Hope to see you again next year.

Sincerely, Elene Page *Aqueous Exhibition Chair*

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Statement from the

Juror of Acceptance and Award

Don Andrews

It is an honor to serve as judge for the Pittsburgh Watercolor Society Exhibition. My primary concern as judge focuses on originality of concept and design organization. The visually exciting page always calls my eye and perhaps the painting that looks like it was fun to paint impresses me. It's a challenge to make the final selections, however now that they have been made, I think you'll agree that the Pittsburgh Watercolor Society Exhibition show is a knockout!

I would like to thank all those who participated.

Best Wishes, Don Andrews



Don Andrews www.donandrews.net



Suzanne Accetta Corrugated Man 16" x 20" \$800



Denise Athanas Moonscape 30" x 38" \$2000



Eleanor Baker San Jose Mission #16 27" x 35" \$1200



Elena Balekha Mother and Child 30" x 38" \$1700



Janet R. Belich Jersey Girl 18" x 31" \$1500



Bruce Bobick Eve 32" x 38" \$5000



Jennifer Brunner Complex Systems 25" x 35" \$450



Nancy Deckant Resting 24" x 36" \$2400



Sim Kun Cha Heavenly Thought 30" x 24" \$4000



Mary Kay D'Isa Recycling 22" x 28" \$600



James T. Davis Three White Doves 18" x 22" \$950



Kathleen D. Durdin Enclosed in Sculpture 29" x 22" \$750



Janet Tarjan Erl Kimball State Park 18" x 24.5" \$600



Terry Evers The Three Tenors 48" x 36" \$5000



Diane Fechenbach Corinthian Shadows 14" x 11" \$385



Esther Garfinkel Coats & Clark's 31" x 38" \$1000



Leo Goode Urban Redevelopment 28" x 36" \$1100



Peggi Habets Willis Has the Blues 17" x 20" \$600



Sally Heston The Red Blouse 29" x 36" \$800



Glenyse Henschel Sky Lights 16" x 20" \$245



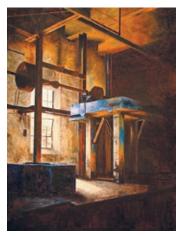
Suzanne Hetzel On The Mooove 21" x 27" \$1000



Carol Hubbard Garden Party 26" x 34" \$2500



Charlotte Huntley This Old Thing 28" x 36" \$3000



Robert Jenkins Illuminated 40" x 30" \$2000



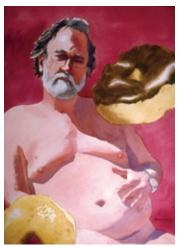
Barbara Jewell Textures and Tiles: The Mission at Carmel 25" x 19" \$2800



Sue Johnston Rush Hour 22" x 28" \$1500



Gloria Stoll Karn Escape 33" x 23" \$1200



Howard Kaye Prevalence of Donuts #2 35" x 27" \$2000



James R. Lefbvre Gossiping Gals 24" x 40" \$1700



Maria Kovalenko Leysons Would Ya Take a Quarter? 11" x 14" \$250



Calvin Lynch Late Afternoon 32" x 26" \$1400



Jeannie McGuire Dancer #1 29" x 38.5" \$5000



Susan Meyer Curiosity Shop 29" x 37" \$1800



Joan C. Milsom Ultimate 36" x 28" \$2000



Tim Myrick Step Into Yesteryear 16" x 20" \$2500



Eileen Mueller Neill A Visit to DeMiccoli 36" x 29.5" \$4000



Kathy Sabbath Oravecz Going to Market 20" x 26" \$2600



Sandrine Pelissier Face Painting 14" x 16" \$800



Missi Paul California Dreaming 31" x 39" \$2000



William Perry Israel #1 36" x 29" \$2000



Kit Paulsen Psychedelic Autumn 29" x 34" \$1200



Betty Phillips Heyday 28" x 36" \$800



Sherrie Plonski 5 O'Clock Shadows 19" x 15" \$600



Jan Ross Sam's Uncle 34" x 27" \$500



Roc Prologo Panhandler 30" x 28" \$1250



Philip Schnering Regatta 21" x 27" \$600



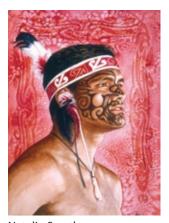
George Schoonover Backstage Dreamers 26" x 40" \$3500



Dolly Rollins Guatemalan Woman 14" x 17" \$400



Helen J. Sherry Journey 37" x 30" \$2500



Natalie Smythe Maori Markings 20" x 16" \$2000



Roland Stevens Going to Market 20" x 26" \$2600



Karl R. Steinmetz Poppies in Beer Glass 36" x 28" \$1200



Ron Thurston Never Less 35" x 31" \$1100



Sabina Turner Dream of Wolverine 32" x 39" \$1400



William M. Vrscak Houses at the Top 24" x 30" \$1900



Frank Webb 4 Webbs and a Ford 28" x 36" \$1500



Ken Withers Twins 28" x 21" \$1800



Van Wright Queen For a Day 28" x 36" \$1000



Barbara Yoerg A Sense of Loss 22" x 28" \$800



Robert Yonke The Other Side 19.5" x 25.5" \$800

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Awards

BEST OF SHOW

The Pittsburgh Watercolor Society Award of Excellence Jeannie McGuire, *Dancer #1*

SECOND PLACE

The Pittsburgh Watercolor Society Award of Honor Ron Thurston, *Never Less*

THIRD PLACE

Susan Meyer, Curiosity Shop

M. Graham & Company Award

Denise Athanas, Moonscape

The Pittsburgh Watercolor Society Past Presidents' Award Frank Webb, 4 Webbs and a Ford

Salis International Award Carol Hubbard, *Garden Party* Savoir-Faire/Sennelier/

Fabriano Award

Sim Kun Cha, Heavenly Thought

Winsor & Newton Award Helen Sherry, *Journey*

Cheap Joe's Art Stuff Award Calvin Lynch, Late Afternoon

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Ron Beers Sim Cha Sandy Crocker Cindy Fox

Peggi Habets Jennifer Matesa Eileen McConomy Michalina Pendzich

Patricia Giordano

William Perry Ramona Polen Arlene Popko Cathy Snyder Barry Winsand The Fein Gallery

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Welcome to the Fein Art Gallery located in North Side's historic shopping district, Deutschtown. All of the North Side agrees; East Ohio Street is back!

We have coffee houses, fine retails shops, neighborhood pubs and a little something for just about everyone and just minutes from downtown Pittsburgh.

The mission of the Fein Art Gallery is to positively impact the cultural life of both our immediate neighborhood and the broader Pittsburgh region. We aim to engage the public by using the creative arts as a platform to explore relationships between art and science, promote public awareness, understanding, and appreciation of art through education and exhibition. Our gallery is designed to complement the artists and their work.

All events are free and open to the public.



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