## Newsletter of the McLean Art Society

**December 2021** 

## from the co-president

"Eye of the Beholder" is now in the rear-view mirror and it was a resounding success thanks to Lori Lisiecki and a core of dedicated, talented volunteers. Thirty-one artists participated in the show with eleven award winners. Thanks to Larry Danforth for putting forth Walker Chapel Church as a location for the show and for acting as liaison to the venue. The past year has been one unlike no other--totally unpredictable and unprecedented. We managed three successful shows. "The Show Must Go On" at the McLean Community Center in March was chaired by Ginger Sanaie, with 20 artists participating, and juried by Jes Mickey. In October we returned to the MPA "Artfest," shepherded by Jane Coonce and Judy Landry. Our expanded tent with more paintings than ever was a showstopper. We finished the year with "The Eye of the Beholder." Our monthly artist programs for the entire year were by "Zoom." Zoom--how would we have carried on without it. Our presenters included internationally known watercolorists and regional and local artists. Dorothy Hassan did an amazing job as program chair. Although most of our sales venues have not reopened, we have returned to the Spring Hill Recreation Center. We all owe Carol Higgs a big thank you for keeping up with this. 2022 will bring changes to the group. I will be stepping down as Co-President. Anna Katalkina as President will

bring new ideas and energy as we navigate 2022. It promises to be an exciting year!

Calendar (for specifics, see emails)

December 12 Holiday Gathering December 14 Changeover, Spring Hill, 11am January 28 General Membership & Artist Demo. February 25 General Membership & Artist Demo.



**First Place winner Dipali Rabadiya**, "Eye of the Beholder" show and sale

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Row 1: Dipali Rabadiya, Cups and Eggs, oil; Carol Swartz, Lucious Lemons, oil. Row 2: Vicky Wilken, oil; Rebecca Salzinger, Red Barn in the Country, oil; Betty Ganley, Garden Garnish, watercolor. Row 3: Judy Landry, Enchanted Evening, oil; Christy Kill, New Year 2, acrylic; Tony Neville, Trevi Fountain, watercolor. Row 4: Margaret Raymond, Journey, photograph; Mike Potashnik, The Market, watercolor; Ray Goodrow, Munich, watercolor.

Cheers! Ray Goodrow

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Above: Judy Landry, Tony Neville, and Christy Kill receive their awards from show judge Alan Bentley

### "Eye of the Beholder" Award Winners

- 1<sup>st</sup> Dipali Rabadiya for "Cups and Eggs"
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Ray Goodrow for "Munich"
- 3rd- Becky Salzinger for "Red Barn in the Country"
- 4th Betty Ganley for "Garden Garnish"
- 5th Tony Neville for "Trevi Fountain"

#### **Honorable Mentions:**

Mike Potashnik for "The Market"

Cathy Schwartz for "Luscious Lemons"

Judy Landry for "Enchanted Evening"

Margaret Raymond for "Journey"

Christy Kill for "New Year 2"

Vicky Wilken for "Snow Covered Yard"

**People's Choices:** 

1st - Tony Neville for "Trevi Fountain"

2<sup>nd</sup> - Judy Landry for "Enchanted Evening"

3rd - Dipali Rabadiya for "Boats III"

Thanks to the 31 artists who entered the show and to all the volunteers who made it happen!

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# **Award Winning**

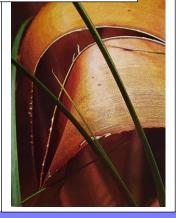
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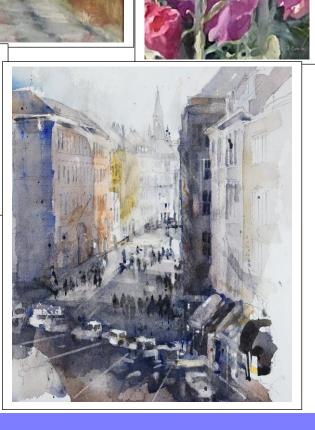












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