From the President
The board would like to extend Holiday Greetings to you. We have a growing membership and
are so happy you are part of this friendly, talented group. I really enjoyed the Holiday Party and
the chance to visit with many of you. I appreciate the way the long-time members welcomed the
new ones.

Here are some upcoming events:

Jan 2 - Art in the Park
Jan 4 - Next General Meeting - demo by Ryan Carey
    Tour Meeting at 5:30 before General Meeting
Jan 8 from 5-7PM Emerson Gallery Reception featuring member, Jan Friel.
    Thanks to all who worked hard to make the Emerson Holiday party a
    success.
Jan 11 - Open Studio 1-4 PM Community Center Art Room - We will have
    a model, her name is Ashley Monroe, a very pretty young lady.

Jan 25 - Open Studio 1 - 4 PM work on your own art

Good Luck to those of you who are hanging in the C&CC Juried Show in January.

We have no workshops planned at this time - please contact Nancy Dini or Angela McGhee if you have any
suggestions.

Bonnie Schweihns

January 4th Meeting
The meetings are the first Monday of the month...MARK YOUR CALENDARS!
6-6:20: Critique  6-6:30 p.m.: Sign in and set up of Artist of the Month, Social Time  6:30-6:45 p.m.: Meeting
6:45-7:45 p.m.: Program/Demonstrations  7:45-8:10 p.m.: Break  8:10-8:30 p.m.: Awards/Announcements.

The guest speaker for the January 4th monthly meeting
will be Ryan J. Carey. Ryan does unusual oil paintings
using thinned paint that he blows on instead of using
brushes. He is originally from the Bay area where he
received his Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art from Sonoma
State University.
**Membership Dues 2016**
The dues of $30.00 remain the same as last year. We prefer checks only as this makes bookkeeping easier and more complete. To be in the membership book you must have paid and made any changes January 4th meeting. Check your contact information and advise any changes to Frank and Barbara Keenan. Please send the changes in writing to our email address keenanhystory@cox.net so the corrections can be made. Thank you for your cooperation.

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**Tour de’Artistes Participants**
Next Tour Meeting January 4th, 5:30 p.m., before General Meeting. See you there!  
Elaine Tarr  Elaine@desertvistafiberarts.com

**Trips**
Who wants to go on a trip to Chandler Center for the Arts? On Friday, January 8th we will go see Art Quilts: Year XX, Journeys & Life Cycles. We also visit the Vision Gallery and lunch for those interested. We will meet at the Library parking lot (southwest corner) at 9:30 am to carpool. Sign up sheet at January 4th meeting.  
We will be back early enough to attend reception for Jan Friel at Emerson Gallery.  
If you cannot go on that day, you may see this show from now until January 9, Monday thru Friday 10 am-5 pm and Saturday Noon-5pm.

**Coffee at Fountain View Bistro**
A reminder to all new members that there is a group of our artists that meets Wed. mornings at 8:30 a.m. for coffee at Fountain View Café. It is a good opportunity to learn more about what goes on within the art league. Friendship, Conversation and Coffee are Free.
Holiday Party
December 7, 2015

Artist of the Year
Michael Isenberg shown with his digital painted photo, “Magnolia #1.”
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