

## RARITAN VALLEY ARTS ASSOCIATION

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Newsletter, Jennifer Ali

### Welcome to November!

Autumn is taking its time this year—hope you're all enjoying it!

### Member News

**Diana Patton** has an update for us:

"First let me say that I really enjoy your Newsletter, Jen! You do a great job and they are works of art in themselves as Newsletters! I miss all of you and our meetings. Of course I'm still painting and writing/illustrating, but it would be lovely to visit with you all; maybe we'll have a zoom demo? BTW my next picture book, **Zorrie Electra, Boo Barn Consultant**, should be out in three weeks.

"Diana Patton was juried into the Pittsburgh Watercolor Society last March (just ahead of Covid 19 quarantining!) She had three entries in their online exhibit 'Art in the Time of Corona' and has two paintings in the "live" (wow! live!) juried show at Frank Lloyd Wright's Fallingwater.' While you still have plenty of time to see this exhibit in person at Fallingwater, you can also view all 30 works online via the Fallingwater website at, <https://fallingwatermuseumstore.org/collections/pittsburgh-watercolor-society>

"This collaborative exhibit between the two organizations presents paintings of the iconic house and its surroundings, by some of the best watercolor artists in the region. The exhibit



"Cabbage!" Diana Patton

### Send Your News!

Are you showing in an exhibit? Will you be teaching a class or workshop? Why not let everyone know and create some buzz? Include a link to more info and maybe a picture too. You can stipulate if you'd like to be mentioned in the Newsletter, on Facebook, or both!

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"Falling Water" Diana Patton

features the works of PWS Member Artists who submitted works created from sketches, photos, Plein Air, etc. and completed within the past year, either onsite at Fallingwater or in their studio. The exhibit will run through **December 31, 2020** at The Speyer Gallery at Fallingwater.

[www.pittsburghwatercolorsociety.com](http://www.pittsburghwatercolorsociety.com)

"Diana also had a painting in the juried online American Artists Professional League Exhibit "Favorite Things" and also has a work in the juried New Jersey Water Color Society Show, online at <https://njwcs.org/78thSelected.htm>."

**Thanks for all the news, Diana!** Here are the members in the **NJWCS 78<sup>th</sup> Annual Open Juried Exhibition** at the link above:

**Linda Arnold, Judith Hummer, and Diana Patton.**



"Don't Give Up on U.S." Judith Hummer



"Reflections" Linda Arnold



"Lobster Quadrille" Diana Patton

## Artist Opportunities

**The Center for Contemporary Art 2021 International Juried Exhibition** is accepting entries for consideration until November 29, 2020. Show dates are January 15, 2021-February 27, 2021. <https://ccabedminster.org/enjoy/artwork-submission/2021-international-juried-exhibition/>

**The Somerset County 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Photo Contest** is accepting entries until 4:00 pm, November 30, 2020. <https://www.co.somerset.nj.us/residents/photo-contest>

## Links of Interest

**Farmstead Arts** currently has a ceramics show viewable online:

[https://farmsteadartscenter.org/fa-home/gallery\\_hours/current-art-show/](https://farmsteadartscenter.org/fa-home/gallery_hours/current-art-show/)

You can subscribe to the **Discover Jersey Arts at Home** newsletter and get information about film, music, and visual arts happening state-wide: <https://jerseyarts.com/athome>

**The Hunterdon Art Museum** provides virtual art exhibits:

<https://hunterdonartmuseum.org/virtual-exhibitions/>

## Membership

Please note that if you are a paid member in 2020 you are automatically a paid member for 2021! No dues will be collected until further notice. If you have any membership questions please contact Susan Boyd [setb@yahoo.com](mailto:setb@yahoo.com) .