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## Official PSNM Officers Election Ballot Inside!



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## From the President...

*If you can't be a good example, then you'll just have to be a horrible warning.*

— Catherine Moffatt

Greetings, PSNM Friends —

Someone recently pointed out to me that newcomers to PSNM may have no idea at all of how our organization is run. Since the ballot with the nominations for next year's officers is enclosed in this copy of the newsletter, this appears to be an appropriate time for a crash course in PSNM governance.

The four elected officers, plus the immediate past president (or another person if the past president declines to serve), constitute the board of directors, which is entrusted to conduct the business of the organization. For example, the board rules on questions of policy and procedure, creates and appoints whatever committees are necessary to carry out the society's business, and authorizes the

collection and disbursement of funds. Matters brought before the board for discussion are decided by a majority vote. These and other responsibilities are outlined in the Bylaws, a legal document which is filed with the state in compliance with our nonprofit status.

A second document, called the Policies and Procedures Guide, sets forth guidelines for the various committees and their chairs as adopted by the Board. Unlike the Bylaws, which can be changed only through a time-consuming process culminating in a vote by the entire membership, the P&P Guide is a fluid document. As the board attempts to refine the processes by which PSNM business gets done, the P&P Guide is updated to reflect the evolution of the organization.

The beauty of this arrangement is that it provides a solid foundation while also allowing us the flexibility to make changes if needed. Copies of both documents are available to anyone who wishes to read them, and the board welcomes your input on changes you feel would further the goals of the society.

—Betsy Greenlee

## Monthly Meeting at the Albuquerque Museum Saturday, Oct. 14, 10am

### Colleen Howe shows us the power of Green

In her demonstration, Colleen will discuss how to handle greens. She is working on a series of landscapes for a museum show entitled, "The Glowing Landscape." These paintings focus on the glowing effects in a landscape and she will bring some of these unframed paintings to the meeting. They fit in with the "greens" discussion, because they are warm weather landscapes.

### National Show Meeting

After the regular meeting, come over to Las Mañanitas (NE corner of Indian school and Rio Grande) to help apply labels and stamps to postcards being sent to people on our mailing list, visitors to last year's show, and people who purchased paintings. It should go quickly if we have lots of people to help. No need to buy lunch, but if you do, they give us separate checks.

## PSNM Officers Ballot

### Election is at the November Meeting

Please fill in the ballot, then detach this ballot and bring it with you to the November Meeting or mail to: PSNM, PO Box 3571, Albuquerque, NM 87190  
(Must arrive before Nov. 6th)

- Gaye Garrison, President
- Steve Reyes, Vice President
- Maryann McGraw, Treasurer
- Lee McVey, Secretary
- Write-In: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

Date

# Calls for Entries, Shows & Workshops...etc.

## 2007 Floral Art Competition

Deadline Sept. 30, 2006,  
For details contact: [www.susanblackfoundation.org](http://www.susanblackfoundation.org)  
Show will be at The Houston Museum of Natural Science,  
Mar. 14 - May 25, 2007

## IAPS 6th Biennial Catalogue Cover Competition

Slide Deadline Oct. 10, 2006, Juried by Bill Hozner.  
For details and prospectus, contact Anne Heywood,  
508-378-4239 or [aheywood@anne-heywood.com](mailto:aheywood@anne-heywood.com)  
website: [www.pastelinternational.com](http://www.pastelinternational.com)

## Carlsbad Museum and Art Center Pecos – Llano Regional Invitational Art Exhibition

Slide Deadline Wednesday, October 11, 2006  
An excellent opportunity for artists who meet the criteria. For details, contact Virginia Dodier, (505) 887-0276, or email: [dodier@plateautel.net](mailto:dodier@plateautel.net) or [carlsbad\\_museum@msn.com](mailto:carlsbad_museum@msn.com)

## Pastel Society of North Carolina

Slide Deadline Oct 15, 2006, Judged by Jack Pardue.  
1st Juried Open Exhibition, Jan. 21 - Mar. 3, 2007.  
Graham, NC. For details and prospectus, send #10 SASE to PSNC-Juried Exhibition, PO Box 9143, Chapel Hill, NC 27514, or go to [www.pastelsocietyofnc.com](http://www.pastelsocietyofnc.com)

## Sponsored by PSNM

### Glenna Hartman Workshop

Oct. 30, 31, Nov 1, 2006 • Albuquerque, NM  
Natural Resources Bldg., Expo New Mexico  
Imagine...three days of pastel painting with this renowned *plein air* painter, judge of the 2006 PSNM National Show. Weather permitting, we will be painting outdoors.  
\$250.00 for PSNM members, \$280 for non-members.  
Send \$100 deposit to Glenda Jensen, 9104 James Avenue NE, Albuquerque, NM 87111.  
Call: 505-237-2336 or email: [glensen@msn.com](mailto:glensen@msn.com) for more info.

### Mike Mahon Workshop

February 1, 2 & 3, 2007 • Albuquerque, NM  
Cost: \$270

### Frank Federico Workshop

at Masterworks  
April 22, 23 & 24, 2007 • Albuquerque, NM  
Cost: \$240.00.

To sign up for either of these 2 workshops, send \$100 deposit (payable to PSNM) to Lyle Brown, 8813 Brandywine Road, NE, Albuquerque, NM 87111

## Open Space - A View with Room

Through Oct. 15th, 2006  
Inaugural exhibit at the City of Albuquerque Open Space Visitor Center • 6500 Coors Blvd. NW (between Paseo del Norte and Montañó at Bosque Meadows Rd.)

## People, A Journey of Generations

Art Center at Fuller Lodge in Los Alamos, NM  
Opening Reception Friday, Sept. 29 • 5 - 7 pm  
Show runs through October 21st.  
Signature member Gaye Garrison has had three paintings accepted into the show. She felt obligated to submit entries because the Art Center used her painting "Grandma's Garden" as their prospectus illustration.

## MasterWorks of NM 2007

The Prospectus is ready and will be mailed to you soon. It can also be seen and downloaded now directly from the MasterWorks website: [www.masterworksnm.org](http://www.masterworksnm.org)

## Paul Murray Workshop

Oct. 16, 17 & 18, 2006 • La Cienega (near Santa Fe), NM  
Hours, 9am - 4pm or whenever folks leave. Cost: \$295.  
Call 505-474-4434 or e-mail [murrayfineart@earthlink.net](mailto:murrayfineart@earthlink.net).

## Maggie Price Workshops

Oct. 18 - 22, 2006 • Richardson (Dallas area), Texas  
Oct. 30 - Nov. 3, 2006 • Sautee, Georgia  
For more information, see [www.MaggiePriceArt.com](http://www.MaggiePriceArt.com), email [pcstudios@cableone.net](mailto:pcstudios@cableone.net), or call 505-294-7752.

## Deborah Paris Plein Air Workshops

For information or to register go to [www.deborahparis.com](http://www.deborahparis.com), email [deborahmparis@aol.com](mailto:deborahmparis@aol.com) or call 505.867.8188.  
Nov. 6 - 10, 2006 • Fredericksburg Artists School  
Contact Bill Bush at 830-997-0515 or [bush@fbartschool.com](mailto:bush@fbartschool.com)

## Frank Federico Workshops

Nov. 11 - 15, 2006 • Tubac, AZ  
For details, contact Katherine Reyes, 520-398-9222.

## Michael Chesley Johnson Workshop

Dec. 4 - 8, 2006 • Tubac, AZ  
An early winter *plein air* pastel workshop in Old Town Tubac, founded in 1752 as a Spanish presidio. Paint colorful Old Town shops, cottonwood bosques, the Tumacacori Mission and more! Each day starts with a demo followed by plenty of student work and help at the easel. For more, see the "Workshops" section of [www.MichaelChesleyJohnson.com](http://www.MichaelChesleyJohnson.com) or email: [mcj@sff.net](mailto:mcj@sff.net)

## Margot Schulzke Workshops

February 11 - 17, 2007 • San Miguel de Allende, Mexico  
5 days, \$375 tuition  
Contact Linda, [artandsoul@hughes.net](mailto:artandsoul@hughes.net) or call 530-265-9213  
July 13 - 14, 2007 • Sacramento, CA  
\$175 Contact Marie, 916-205-9861 or email at [marie@dixonart.com](mailto:marie@dixonart.com).  
September 30 - October 5, 2007 • Hope Valley, CA  
5 days, \$375 tuition  
Contact Linda, [artandsoul@hughes.net](mailto:artandsoul@hughes.net), or call 530-265-9213

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