



District Chapter 221- Oklahoma City, Oklahoma  
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### Report on March Meeting

We had a good meeting which turned out to be a very good business meeting.

We discussed the upcoming shows and festivals that J.R. brought a list of. The list will be furnished in full on another page. We thank J.R. for going to the trouble of searching these out for us.

We also discussed the copyright rights of artists and encouraged all to contact your US congressperson and senators to ask them to vote no on the new law which would take a lot of our rights away from us without going to a lot of trouble on our part.

I also announced that I would get your newsletter to you by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month. I am.

### April Meeting Notice

Meeting is April 28, 2009

6:00 – 8:00 PM

at

Hobby Lobby in Midwest City, OK

On the N. E. Corner

15<sup>th</sup> and Air Depot Dr.

Our meeting room, from the entrance, is on the back wall and to the right past the Restrooms

Our Program

DVD of 2008 International Exhibit

In

Seattle, WA

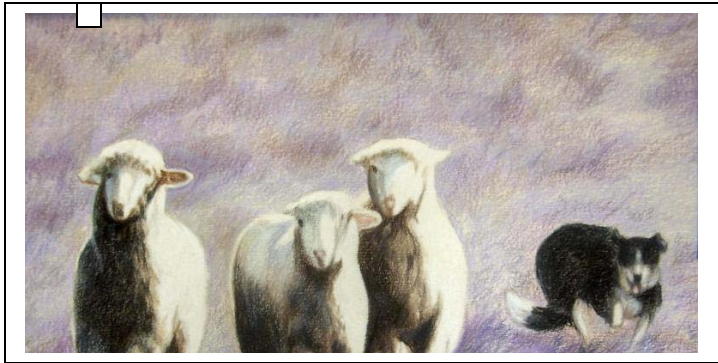
Page 1 - Report on last month's meeting, Meeting announcement for this month including Program for the meeting

Page 2 – Pictures of the Prize winners from the February contest. List of catalogs available to order supplies from that might not be available locally

Page 3 – President's letter and Newsletter Editor's letter

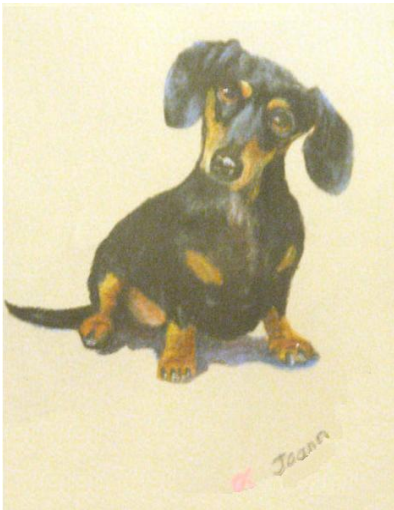
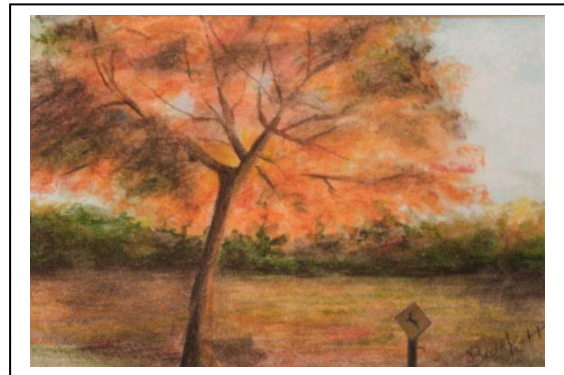
Page 4 – J. R's list of shows and Festivals

## Fur and Feathers Contest Winners



1<sup>st</sup> Place

2<sup>nd</sup> Place



3<sup>rd</sup> Place

### Catalogs

Dick Blick - [www.dickblick.com](http://www.dickblick.com)

ASW Art Supplies - [www.aswartsupplies.com](http://www.aswartsupplies.com)

Cheap Joes - [www.cheapjoes.com](http://www.cheapjoes.com)

Jerry' Artarama - [www.jerrysartarama.com](http://www.jerrysartarama.com)

Plus you can pull up specific suppliers such as Prismacolor, Arches Papers, Canson papers, Faber Castel and so on by typing in www and whatever it is. It is lots of fun to go to these sites and you can find lots of things not carried locally. These are the major catalogs but there are others. These have good prices for starving artists though. You can ask for a catalog and they will send you one free. They also have some great sales.

## President's Letter

Greetings:

I missed writing my last letter from the president because I was seriously ill and in the hospital for awhile. However, due to many prayers I've slowly gained my strength back and am back at work. Today is the first day that I can finally say I feel pretty good.

Don't miss our April meeting on the 28<sup>th</sup>, with location and directions on page 1

Our last meeting was really good and a major business meeting. Thanks to J. R. for making the following happen. Spring, 2010 This sounds far off, right, but that is when our CPSA Chapter will be showing at the Science Museum of Oklahoma, formerly known as The Omniplex. This will be the largest and most public event that our group has ever put on. Of course this show will be judged with awards and prizes. It will be open to the public as well as DC211. CPSA members will receive a discount on the entry fees. J.R. and I will scope out the space that they want us to fill for our show. I can already guess that we will need a lot of art to fill it. We need to consider doing some fundraising for this event so please bring your ideas to the next meeting. It's very common to make sales there.

We are also having an Art Show at Caff'e Pranzo beginning on Saturday May 2<sup>nd</sup> which will run for a month. We need a total of 20 pieces so Email me with how many you are able to contribute for the month. We may only be able to take a couple of paintings per artist but give me a list of what you can show with the following information in the order of preference (meaning the top painting will be the most important to show and on down the list) so if you send me 5 painting titles and we can only pick 2 per artist I will pick the top two on your list of paintings. Information I need is as follows:

Work 1(on down Work 2, Work 3 etc)

Sizes including Frame as 16X20 or whatever

Price - \$300 or whatever

Media type - Colored Pencil on Strathmore 50 lb or whatever

Caffe Pranzo is located at 9622 N. May Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73120

You have two options. You can bring your work that is to be hung to our next meeting on April 28th, and I'll take it and hang it for you, or you can bring it to Caff'e Pranzo on Saturday. Please understand that all artwork needs to be pre-approved before we hang it since we have a limited number of spots on the wall.

I look forward to seeing you all at the next meeting on the 28<sup>th</sup>.

God Bless

David McBride, President  
DC221, Oklahoma City

## Newsletter Editor's Letter

Hi Again – It has been quite a month. The temperature has been so up and down I feel I am on a roller coaster. I too have been sick the last two weeks with an infection and virus but I am still plugging on. It has to get better. I include the list of the Catalogs available to us because if we need any other papers besides Canson, Strathmore or Arches we can't find it locally. The same is true with pencils. If we want some other than Prismacolor or the really cheap student stuff it is very hard to find locally.

I hope all have been painting lighthouses for our next contest due in June. I am looking forward to seeing some really great stuff. We better paint up a storm too for our show in May and the one next spring.

I am really grateful to J.R. for all he is doing. We need to give him a round of applause at the next meeting.

I will look forward to seeing you at the meeting April 28. Keep painting. Next month some tips from The Artist Magazine.

Diane Day, Newsletter Editor  
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## List of Spring Events Furnished by J.R

Stillwater, OK: 32nd Annual Stillwater Arts and Heritage Festival, Couch Park, April 18th & 19th

Edmond, OK: 2009 Downtown Edmond Arts Festival, Downtown, May 1st - 3rd

Norman, OK: May Fair Arts Festival, Andrews Park, May 1st - May 3rd

Del City, OK: Garland Arts & Crafts Show, Del City Community Center, May 2nd - 3rd

Lawton, OK: Arts for All Festival 2009, Shepler Park, May 8th - May 10th

Blanchard, OK: May Daze 2009, Downtown, May 14th - 16th

Oklahoma City, OK: Paseo Arts Festival, Paseo District, May 23rd - 25th

Clinton, OK: Art Show at Acme Brick Park, 600 S. 28th Street, June 6th only

Shawnee, OK: Art, Wine & Music Festival, Bell Street, June 12th - 13th

Edmond, OK: Edmond's 2009 Arts Festival, June 19th - 21<sup>st</sup>

Thank you J.R for this list. Hope we can enter or go to at least some of them.

