



# The Villages Art League Newsletter

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## Message from our Co-President—Fran Naughton

Hi Everyone,

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Jeanne and I are ending our term as VAL co-presidents. Thank you all for being so supportive during our term. We enjoyed our time with you. This club would not function without all of the people who volunteer to make it run smoothly. Thank you all. You know who you are! ★



2022 VAL Co-Presidents  
Fran Naughton & Jeanne Willette

The club has two great people who have volunteered to be our next co-presidents: Lisa Melcher and Annie Dotzauer. We are fortunate to have them step up to take over. They'll be wonderful!

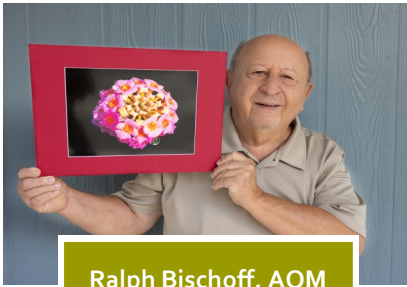
Please come to our holiday party on December 5th. We'll have a great time together! Bring a dessert if you'd like to, and a gift for the "Baskets of Love" for the women in the shelter in Leesburg.

See you at the meeting,

Fran and Jeanne



Photos by Dave Boege from November meeting's Artist of the Month and the Member-to-Member show and tell:



Ralph Bischoff, AOM



Betty Waisanen



George Freeman



Lois Kamp

Monthly Sunshine Report by Charlene Sasto:

A get well card was send this month to Kathy Karol.

**CONGRATULATIONS!**

People's Choice winners on Sunday, November 13 at Arts Round the Square (ARTS) in Brownwood are:

- 1st Place—Betty Eich for "Red Bike on Cobblestone Street" - Photography
- 2nd Place—George Freeman for "Dragon" - Glass Sculpture
- 3rd Place—Leda Rabenold for "Bringing in the Hay" - Acrylic on Canvas

**EISENHOWER REC CENTER EXHIBIT NEWS**

A new art exhibit was hung on November 14. Ribbons were awarded to

- Lois Kamp, first place for mixed media titled "It's Sedimentary, my dear Watson"
- Philip Brown, second place for manipulated photography titled "Dreaming of Paris"
- Suzanne Crolley, third place for oil painting titled "Charles."
- Janine Motto, honorable mention for watercolor titled "Big Bird"

Congratulations to the winners. See photos by Rosie Brown on the Gallery page of the VAL website. A big thank you to all who entered. It takes courage to show your work and to have it judged. A new exhibit is hung every 2 months. All information and forms are on the VAL website. Get your form in early please.

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