



The PAG Board hopes that everyone is well and looking forward to the day we can once again have meetings, shows, paint-ins and just enjoy art together.

Our goal is to restart in September 2021 when most members will have been vaccinated and groups will be allowed to meet. As some of you may know the Deicke Auditorium has been turned over to the Helen B. Hoffman Library during the renovation of their building. Therefore, the Deicke Auditorium is not available to PAG until sometime in early 2022. The City will work with us to arrange for our meetings at another facility when the reopening is scheduled. Judi Wallack is contacting other venues re: hanging a PAG Show and we will keep you informed.

A few members have asked about the possibility of PAG hosting online shows. Judi Wallack has tried without success to arrange for a member to take this on. If there is someone who would be willing to handle the computer/online aspect, please contact Judi.

There are many options available to participate in online Shows, Zoom and youtube instruction Workshops. I am listing a few.

1. FWS shows and instructional video workshops.  
This year marks the 50th anniversary of Florida Watercolor Society. To celebrate they have planned virtual events throughout the year leading up to the convention in September at the Coral Springs Museum.  
Please go to: [www.floridawatercolorsociety.org](http://www.floridawatercolorsociety.org)
2. The Village Art Center at [www.villageartworkshops.com](http://www.villageartworkshops.com)  
The next event is scheduled for March 17-18-19, 2021, a Webinar from 1 - 3pm The Virtual Demonstration and Chat "Landscapes in Layers" - Watercolour with Linda Kemp. Several events are planned including Bob Burrige April 6-7.
3. Gold Coast Watercolor Society at [www.goldcoastwatercolorsociety.com](http://www.goldcoastwatercolorsociety.com)  
Upcoming workshop on zoom: March 16-18, 10-4pm, Steve Rogers
4. [www.artistsnetwork.com](http://www.artistsnetwork.com). Johannes Vloothuis March 6, 13, 20 zoom workshop

5. Strathmore offers four 2021 Strathmore Workshop Series (free) at [www.Strathmoreartist.com](http://www.Strathmoreartist.com)

6. Look at your favorite artist's website for blogs, newsletters, tips and techniques. Check art supplier websites for demos and tips (examples: [www.WinsorNewton.com](http://www.WinsorNewton.com) [www.goldenpaints.com](http://www.goldenpaints.com) [www.CheapJoes.com](http://www.CheapJoes.com) [www.DickBlick.com](http://www.DickBlick.com) ) or search Google or YouTube. There is a lot of information out there to inspire and educate you; all you have to do is look for it.

### **BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS:**



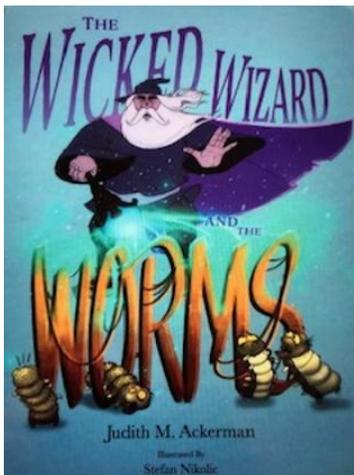
Just a reminder that our member's birthdays are listed in the Membership Book. For those we have missed - we apologize and hope you had a really great day - for those celebrating in March and April - all the best for a fabulous birthday.

**March:** Helen Ackerman, Karen Braverman, Cheryl Eggleston, Aphrodite (Didi) Lutz, Carolyn Sears, Tracie Weir & Marcie Weiss

**April:** Barbara Aronis, Beverly Dowdle, Kimberly Fried, Diane Malm, Judy Nunno Julia Stevens, Carol Thaw

### **AWARDS AND RECOGNITION**

Congratulations to Judy Ackerman on her latest book with more to come.



An unhappy Wizard casts his spell, only to realize he has hurt himself.

But the Magic begins when he has a change of heart.

Can you guess what Judy's next book is about? and what this charming little mouse is involved in?

**Win a free signed book!**

Contact Judy at: [www.judymackerman@yahoo.com](mailto:www.judymackerman@yahoo.com)



If you know of an upcoming art event in the area that may be of interest to PAG members, please let us know and we will try to include it in the Brushstrokes.

Please let either Pat Martin or Sandy Griffin know of your awards, of upcoming exhibits, and other special events by the middle of the month for inclusion in the next Brushstrokes.

For additional information about our events and to view our current calendar, visit us online at [www.plantationartguild.org](http://www.plantationartguild.org).

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