



BEAUMONT  
**Art League**  
 February/March 2015

# NEWSLETTER

For Members & Friends of the Beaumont Art League

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## EXHIBITION CALENDAR

### **Shades of Red:**

February 14 - 28  
 Free Opening Reception:  
 Saturday, February 14, 7-9pm

### ***Sam Keith Exhibit A Simple Note***

Brown Gallery  
 Opening Reception March 7th-  
 On View through the 28th

### **GARAGE SALE**

Saturday April 4th ONLY  
 8:00 Am

### **Neches River Show**

Sunday April 19th  
 Opening Reception 2:00 PM  
 On View April 15-25th

### **Barney Stinnett Exhibit**

Saturday May 9th  
 Brown Gallery

### **SUMMER BREEZE SHOW**

Saturday May 9th  
 Scurlock Gallery

### **Winner and Dinner Show**

June 13th  
 Brown Gallery

### **Fabulous Fakes**

June 13th  
 Scurlock Gallery

## Shades of Red

**Celebrate  
 Valentines Day**  
 and our beautiful exhibit  
**Shades of Red**  
**Opening reception**



February 14th

7:00 pm.-9:00 pm.

Taking **entries** Wednesday February the 4th thru  
 Saturday the 7th

11:00 am. till 3:00 pm.

All art work entered must display some content of **RED**.  
 Cash prizes will be awarded for 1st,2nd and 3rd place.



### **Sam Keith Exhibit**

### *A Simple Note*

Opening Saturday March 7th  
 Show runs through March 28th

Sam Keith's art is known by locals as well as across several states including Colorado where he shows and sells his soulful creations.. It has been several years since his work was exhibited at the Beaumont Art League, the wait has ended. **Join us Saturday March 7<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm** for a free opening reception to venture into "**A Simple Note**". The show includes his paintings and photography. The Sam Keith Exhibit will be on view through March 28<sup>th</sup> Wednesday thru Saturday 11:00 to 3:00pm. If you cannot attend the opening, visit us during the week.

Dear  Members

**The 60 Plus Show was a success!**

- Faye Nelson**  
1st Place
- Victor Higginbotham**  
2nd Place
- Albert Faggard**  
3rd Place
- Honorable Mentions
- Susan Chu**
- Beth Gay**
- Betty Iles**
- Annie Orchard**

*The crowds for the opening receptions keep getting larger and more new faces are being seen each time. This is what keeps our little gallery going. Keep entering and inviting your friends.*

***GARAGE SALE***

***Saturday April 4th***

*Our annual fund raiser is coming up and we need and are accepting your DONATIONS. Furniture, clothing, appliances, etc. Items can be drop off during 11:00 am. to 3:00 pm Wed-Friday.*

Thank you BAL members. I, Melinda McCrary, am honored to be your new Gallery Director. I look forward to serving you.

**BASIC PAINTING CLASSES OIL AND ACRYLIC**  
**Classes offered by Scot Meents**

Classes will begin Wednesday, February 11th to March 4th 2015 from 10am - 1pm. Every 4 weeks a new session of classes will begin.

\*Members \$75, \*Non-members \$90

Call BAL for details and to reserve your space.  
409-833-4179, Wed-Sat 11:00am to 3:00 pm




**Shades of Red Show**  
February 14-28th

**Red** the color of **PASSION**. Any visual piece that includes some red content can be entered. Hearts will be accepted but NOT required.

**Neches River Festival Exhibit**  
April 15-25th  
Opening Reception Sunday April 19th

**Ninety six year old Angela Balsamo's work is still on display and is marked to be sold in the Scurlock Gallery until May 1st.**



**We are looking for someone to write Grants, if you have time you can earn Extra money and help BAL**

Membership Application

Please fill out form completely, we are updating our records.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Art Interest \_\_\_\_\_

Cash \_\_\_\_\_      Check \_\_\_\_\_      Credit Card (phone in only)

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

\*\$25 Student \_\_\_\_\_    \$40 Individual \_\_\_\_\_    \$50 Family \_\_\_\_\_

\$100 Patron \_\_\_\_\_    \$1,000 Life \_\_\_\_\_

\*Student membership with School or College ID, must be a full time student

**Annual Kids Camp**

1 week:  
July 27th -31st

2nd week:  
August 3rd -7th

Grant money is needed to provide scholarships. Please consider paying a child's chance to learn what we as BAL members love so much!

## 2015 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- February 14th Brown Gallery : *Shades of Red* Entries must have some content of the color red.
- March 7th Brown Gallery: *Sam Keith Exhibit A SIMPLE NOTE*
- April 4th Scurlock Gallery: *Garage Sale*
- April 4th Scurlock Gallery: *Women In Art (Canceled)*  
Has been canceled and replaced with BAL garage sale.
- April 19th Brown Gallery: *Neches River Festival Exhibit*  
Art influenced by local surroundings, On view on April 15-25,  
Reception for Kings Court Sunday the 19th
- May 9th Brown Gallery: *Barney Stinnett Exhibit*  
Scurlock Gallery: *Summer Breeze Show* –  
Art that brings summer sites or experiences to mind
- June 13th Brown Gallery: *Winner and Dinner Show*  
Entries that have placed in a show within the last 3 years.  
Scurlock Gallery: *Fabulous Fakes* Imitations of famous artists now deceased
- July 11<sup>th</sup> Brown Gallery: *Scot Meents Exhibit*  
Scurlock Gallery – *Kids Summer Camp*
- August 8th Brown Gallery: *Albert & Amy Faggard Exhibit*  
Scurlock Gallery *Images of Life* Entries combine 3-D, portrait, nude, all images of life.
- September 12th Brown Gallery: *David Anniboli, 2014 Best In Show Winner*  
Scurlock Gallery: *Life Is A Beach* Entries of art with coastal influence.
- October 10th Brown Gallery & Scurlock Gallery: *Membership Show*  
Entries for members only, Best of Show Winner shows in September 2016
- November 14th Brown Gallery: *Margo Holst Exhibit*  
Scurlock Gallery: *Holiday Theme Art Show* check for details later

### STUDIO SPACES

1 space available: air conditioned,  
lockable cabinet!

**CALL TODAY!**

### **HOLDING FEE**

All work entered in a show must be picked up no later than one week (7 days) after the closing of the show. A charge of \$5.00 per day will start after that time. After 30 days the item or items become the property of the Beaumont Art League. We simply do not have the storage area.

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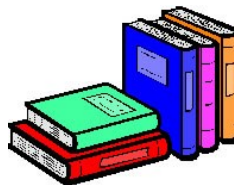
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**A Special Thank You To...**

**Donations: Barney Stinnett, and all those who gave book donations.**

**New or Renewing Members: Jim Bobbit, Beau Dumesnil, Annie Green, Mary Ellen Hunt, Alice Hurlbert, Jim Loftin, Sheila Maldonado, Vicki A. Miller, Cynthia L. Parish, Dr. Bob Rogan, Jim Salles, Mary Smith, Elizabeth Strickland.**

**Art books still available to purchase for donations.**



**League and Gallery Hours:  
11 am - 3 pm  
Wed-Sat**