



# Flourish

Aug 2021

## Upcoming Events on Zoom:

Aug 5, 6:30p, Board Zoom Meeting- all are welcome!!!!

Aug 19, 6:30p Meeting & demo by Lynne Todaro.

Aug 29, 4pm - EVA's Annual BBQ - IN PERSON

## President's Notes:

Hello Artists!

It's that time of year when we need to think about volunteers for the board, for next year. I am planning to step down as your president at the end of this year. It's been my honor to lead this wonderful club, but it's time for me to focus on my business. Sarah, Julie and Sloane also want to take a break from the weekly responsibilities of the board. I encourage you all to consider joining the board. It's a truly rewarding experience and you get to work with other amazing artists. If you have any questions or want to hear more about serving on the board, please feel free to reach out to me. If you would like to nominate someone, please let me know and I will contact them to see if they are interested. Remember ALL members are welcome to come to the board meetings on the first Thursday of each month. To learn more, Email [eastvalleyartist@gmail.com](mailto:eastvalleyartist@gmail.com) to get the zoom link.

*Shelly*

## **OUR ANNUAL BBQ is ON!!!! Sunday Aug 29, 2021 - 4p till sunset! Please join us and bring your family or a friend,**

PLEASE RSVP asap or By 8/18 - Call 408-772-7111 (Jennifer)

Who - Hosted by EVA & Jennifer Wool

What - A fun filled afternoon for all, with art, games, and mostly enjoying each other's company!!!

Delish main course & non alcoholic beverages will be provided.

When - Sunday Aug 29, - 4pm till sunset.

Where - 10600 Crothers Road, san Jose, CA

Why - Because we have missed you!

Please Bring:

\*\* dessert or side dish to share \*\*

Light jacket - to use if you stay to watch the sunset.

Bathing Suit & towel - if you would like to swim ( no lifeguard on duty - FYI).

Alcohol if you wish - but you must drink responsibly . We will provide basic sodas & punch.

Demonstration By : Lynne Todaro  
At Our Meeting on August 19th

Lynne will demonstrate how to shape and connect found objects made of wood, metal or plastic. Create harmony and express ideas with recycled and upcycled objects

Lynne Todaro started making sculpture in the 1980's while studying graphic design in the Dallas, TX area and changed her major to Fine Arts. She attended the San Francisco Art Institute, where she received a Master's degree in Sculpture.

While in college she worked as an appliance repair technician, which became a source of recycled art materials as she took home broken parts.

Recently she retired from teaching art classes including Metalsmithing, Furniture Design and Sculpture at Mission College in Santa Clara.. She lives in Santa Cruz where she has a studio at the Tannery Arts Center.

She states, "Different themes spiral in and out of my artwork and are later revisited. Some of my work is personal, even autobiographical, and at other times I prefer to create abstract compositions. A unifying theme is the survival of the human spirit. I believe a sense of humor is an important survival tool.

"I enjoy making art from found objects and recycled materials. The objects contain a history which can suggest meaning or stand as symbols. My education and training includes a variety of materials and processes in both 2d and 3d art including metal casting and fabrication. These are often mixed together in the work.

"Some artists travel to exotic places for inspiration. My artwork comes from observing things in the everyday world. Perhaps it may lead the viewer to a different awareness."

Lynnetodaro@comcast.net 408569-6516 lynnetodarostudio on Instagram



## “Artist of the Month”

Thank you to all who participated in the Beach challenge, and the art intake - especially Hadi, Patrick, Shelly, Jeanne and Candy. I appreciate your support and the church lobby looks awesome! The next THEMED challenge will be OCT 21, 2021. The theme is WOOD. You can paint trees & woods or actually use wood in your pieces. The art intake for WOOD, will be Oct 23, 10-11 at FPC. Keep creating, but until the Oct challenge, you are free to create anything you wish. Here are the winners of the fun “Beach” challenge.

1st place is Wendell Fiock

2nd place is Candy Yu

3rd place is a tie between Jeanne Wardrip and Kika De Ponte









## **Member News:**

Jeanne Wardrip will be participating in the South Coast Artist Alliance this Aug 20-22 at Harley Farms in Pescadero.

Joy Wallingford is not doing well and she needs your thoughts and well wishes.

## **\*\*\* EVA NEEDS YOU! \*\*\***

Your current EVA board has worked tirelessly for you for many years. It's time to share the love and help this fun club continue. Effective Dec 31, your current board will be stepping down and we will need new people to help. Please consider coming on asap so we can help you learn the ropes. Thank you again,

Shelly, Sloane, Sarah & Julie

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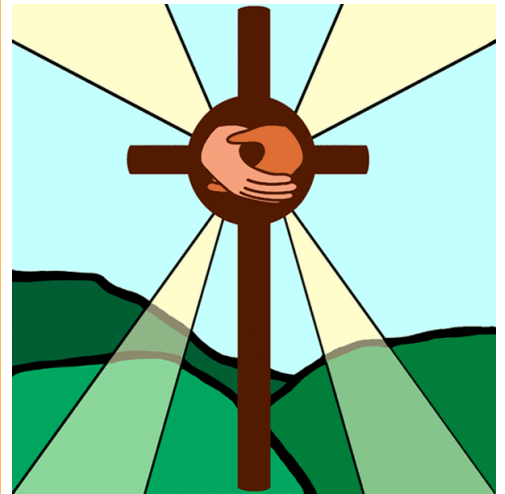
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