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SEPTEMBER 2017 NEWSLETTER

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS

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Greetings Fellow Artists!

I know I'm not alone in looking forward to autumn temperatures, football and the coming holiday season. Most of you know that our Fall Show will hang at Cathedral Square through December. Hopefully some holiday shoppers will take a strong interest in some our work. Profitable or not, I know it will be a great show.

I'm sorry some of you missed our last meeting. It was nice to have food, drink and jawing after the meeting. Personally, I think it made the meeting more pleasurable and less of a chore. I hope to arrange something similar at every meeting. Consider volunteering to bring refreshments at our November 18th meeting. Does anyone have a great Bloody Mary recipe? Do Christmas cookies and mimosas go together?

Please keep your eyes open for new members. This is an area of concern at every meeting, I think. But new members seem to beget more new members. So we can expect our numbers to increase at the next opportunity, and a little more at the next one. If any of you learn of any workshop opportunities or some special interest you'd like to suggest, please let Carol Wiggins know.

I look forward to seeing all of you out and about at Art Walks, the Museum, but especially at our next meeting. I can't wait to see your beautiful work at our Fall Show in December. Cheers,

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NEXT GENERAL MEETINGS

November 18, 2017, 9 a.m., at the Garden House *This is a change!* **March** 3, 2018, 9 a.m., at the Garden House

NEXT UPCOMING EXHIBITIONS

Fall: December 2017, CSG This is a change!

The judge will be Mary Hardy from the Mississippi gulf coast, <u>http://www.maryhardystudio.com/</u>

Fall 2018, Mobile Arts Council

Member News

- Doris Amster won the award for Creativity and Mary Rodning won a Green Award at the 2017 Sumi-e Society of America Annual Juried Exhibition in Florida, co-organized by Carol Wiggins. Karen McGahagin was also in the show.
- Members accepted into the Alabama Watercolor Society's Member Showcase: Harriet Cain, Corky Goldman, Deborah Guy, Deborah Rae Hall, and Barbara Rettig

DUES

(\$30) for the ensuing year are owed on June 1st. You must be current to enter any exhibitions or to vote. You may pay at the meeting or at the exhibition take-ins, or send your checks to:

> Treasurer, Watercolor & Graphic Arts Society P. O. 81701 Mobile, AL 36689

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