### SOUTH WALES ART SOCIETY



Newsletter January 2023

#### Hello everyone

I hope you all had a really lovely Christmas and New Year! Hopefully, you are all refreshed and reinvigorated ready for the new season of painting ahead!

Our first event of 2023 is a watercolour demonstration by Trevor Waugh on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January. We're all looking forward to that.

Further details of the future programme are as follows:

## **Programme 2023**

10th Jan	Trevor Waugh demo watercolour in flowers
24th Jan	Peter Cronin crit
7th Feb	Shiela Bryant demo portrait
21st Feb	Derrick Turner competition I
7th Mar	Derrick Turner competition II
21st Mar	AGM
4 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Nick Rees demo marine scene
18 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Lee Wright - critique
2 <sup>nd</sup> May	Peter Sainty Sculptor - talk about his work
16 <sup>th</sup> May	Mike Skidmore - critique

Looks like some good evenings ahead!

#### **Derrick Turner Competition**

For the Derrick Turner Competition, the subjects are:

I A Place I Love

II Still Life - A Story With Objects

Members are entitled to enter one painting in each of the two categories. Entries will not be accepted from non-members or any member who has not paid their current subscription in full.

For more information on Derrick Turner, the competition, the general rules for SWAS competitions, and those specific to the Derrick Turner competition, please see the SWAS website at <a href="http://www.southwalesartsociety.co.uk/page141.html">http://www.southwalesartsociety.co.uk/page141.html</a> or just follow the drop-down menu item 'competitions'.

#### **Subscriptions**

Of course, the New Year also means that annual subscriptions are now due. The cost is, as for the last eight years now, £35. You can pay if you wish on Tuesday, or if you wish to pay by bank

transfer, the details are as follows:

Account name: South Wales Art Society

Account no: 00973222 Sort code: 30-91-63

Please don't forget to include your name as reference, so we know who has paid!

# Membership

As you are probably aware, membership has not climbed back to the pre-lockdown level. Consequently, we need new members, or former members to return. If you know someone who may be interested in joining us, or someone whose membership has lapsed, please try and get them to come along. They would be most welcome.

## **Annual General Meeting**

This will take place on March 21st.

Any proposals to be discussed at the Annual General Meeting must be in writing, seconded and sent to the Secretary at least seven days prior to that date.

A statement of accounts for the year 2022 will also be made available to all members in due course.

I look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday.

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