

General Meeting March 12th
at Trish Heydorns
7418 Villa II Pacifica
Rancho Cucamonga



Associated Artists of the Inland Empire Welcomes Fariad Ali

Fariad's passion for painting began when he was a young boy. He hosted his first exhibition with 36 paintings when he was just 12 years old, and he hasn't put the brush down since. He grew up painting the beaches, people and rainforests of his home, the Caribbean island of Trinidad. This established the foundation for Fariad to develop his skills as an artist. Fariad left Trinidad when he was awarded an art scholarship to Syracuse University in New York. After two years, he dropped out and bounced around to different schools while constantly honing his craft. His greatest education came from painting on the streets of Los Angeles. Fariad sold his "Wildland Images" to everybody he met—the rich, the poor and the indifferent. He feels privileged to have made a living as an artist and has won numerous accolades for his work. Fariad now spends most of his time at the Parrish Pioneer Ranch in the San Bernardino Mountains of California, where his gallery is located. He paints the people, the places and the things he sees in Oak Glen, and the surrounding areas. Fariad considers his style of painting as Interpretive Impressionism...Abstract brushstrokes in a Representational Painting...He primarily works in Oils & Charcoal..sketching in Watercolors...Come meet with this Adventurous Painter....



Fariad as he paints Redlands Orchard

Artist Statement: "I have been documenting this poetry in life for some 40 years now. I currently live in the United States, and paint as an Interpretive Impressionist. I try to expose the image with deliberate and rhythmic brushwork and a mesh of thick and thin paint to try and capture the life and feeling of what I am looking at."



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Karen Werner's Feb demo re-cap



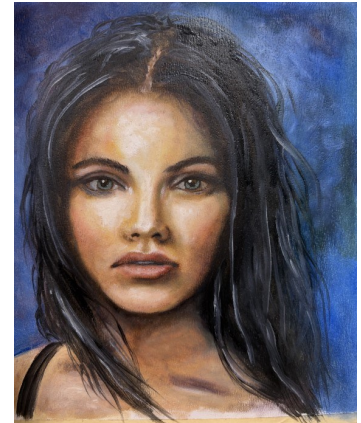
Close up of paint strokes



Karen captivated us with her chunky brush strokes and sharing of color decisions in rendering shadows and highlights to her subjects. Her still life painterly art is outstanding and beautiful to behold. Check out her classes at her home studio. **Contact—**
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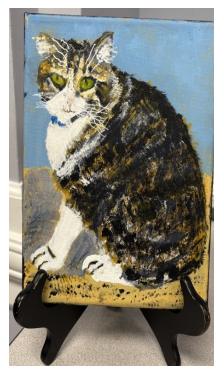
1st place *Bird in Moonlight*, by Nancy Speaker,
 Most popular: *Play Pad* by Marion Draayer



Captivating members watch the expert!



Winner of Karen's Demo Gift, Nancy Kasten



EVENTS/SHOWS



Please note that a photo of your Art must be emailed to: Nancy aaieartshow22@gmail.com.

Payment for your entry must be made on our Website as well as your AAIE Dues updated for 2025.



Associated Artists of the Inland Empire
AAIE Art show
"SPRING IMPRESSIONS"
Upland Public Library 450 N Euclid Ave Upland

Call For Entries **PLEASE NOTE CHANGE**
Online Submission Deadline: Sat March 8, 2025

***Email Submission:** send art files by email to Nancy at aaieartshow22@gmail.com include your title and name

Upland Public Library Display: March 17- April 25, 2025
Participants will be notified of chosen artwork: March 11, 2025
Drop off: Sat. March 15, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Take down: Sat. April 26, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Award Judging on site: March 18, 2025
Awards Announced: by March 31, 2025

Theme: Family Friendly- Open Theme

This is a membership drive Art Show. Membership must renewed by March 14, 2025 with dues prorated to April 1, 2025

AAIE Members: 1 Entry \$5.00 2nd and 3rd \$10.00 each
Non-Members: 1 Entry \$35.00 2nd and 3rd \$5.00 each
Awards: 1st \$50.00; 2nd \$25.00; 3rd & Judges choice \$15.00

All participants will have at least one art piece juried in up to first 40 participants or if more or less than 40 participants all entries will be juried in. Our records show that the average participant number has been less than 25. Please enter your preferred art as your #1 entry.

Only Art works that has not been displayed at Upland Library can be entered.

Display:
Art works must be framed with wiring on the back to hook on display grids. Sales are handled by AAIE with 20% of the purchase price to equally support "The Friends of the Upland Public Library" and AAIE. Both are non-profit donations.
Questions/Concerns: Contact Nancy Speaker at nspeaker1@gmail.com or 909 238-9055

 AAIE Recipient of 2024-25 RCCAAF Grant

APRIL 12th → Rancho Cucamonga Community Arts Festival

Will be at Central Park Community Center. (11200 Baseline Rd, Rancho Cucamonga)

June 12th take-in → AAIE SUMMER SHOW

Will be at Central Park Community Center. (11200 Baseline Rd, Rancho Cucamonga)
Volunteers needed for TAKE-IN

July xx → CCMA-Celebrating Community Artists

Will be at CCMA for participating CCMA, AAIE, and PVAA Artists Members only

October-Nov → AAIE FALL SHOW

Will be at the Upland Library—details later



PRESENT

4TH ANNUAL
COMMUNITY
arts
FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 2025

Winners of Pet Show at Central Park Community Center
1st PL: Pechez Sepehri/Three Puppies in a Basket
2nd PL: Kathern Staab/Lana
3rd PL: Mike Adamson/Ziggy's Happy Place

REMINDER!

pay dues for 2025!
update dues for SPRING SHOW ENTRY

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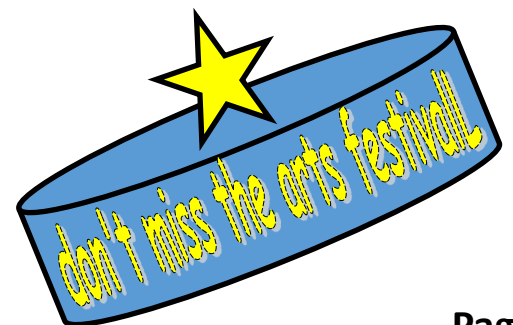
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AAIE 2025 Calendar

2025 Demonstrators for Associated Artist of the Inland Empire

<p>JANUARY DEMO-CCMA Joe Oakes acrylics</p>	<p>FEBRUARY - 12 DEMO-Upland Library in the Brody Room Karen Werner watercolor</p>	<p>MARCH -12 DEMO—Fariad Ali/oils at: Trish Heydorn Villa II Pacifica 7418 Archibald Ave. 9:30 A.M.</p> <p>AAIE spring show † Upland Library Online email submission Take-in/Sat, March 15th Pick up art/April 26th 10:00-2:00</p>	<p>APRIL - 9 DEMO--- Mark Rush/Acrylic Abstract at: Trish Heydorn Villa II Pacifica 7418 Archibald Ave. 9:30 A.M.</p> <p>Rancho Cucamonga Arts Festival † Sat April 12th Central Park – community center</p>
<p>MAY -14 DEMO-CCMA Aleta Jacobson Sketch and Collage</p>	<p>JUNE -11 DEMO-CCMA Sue Cheatum Printmaking</p> <p>AAIE SUMMER SHOW † RANCHO COMMUNITY CENTER JUNE 12 Take in</p>	<p>JULY -09 DEMO-CCMA JENI BATES</p> <p>Celebrating Com. Artists CCMA SHOW † With PVAA & AAIE no fees/no awards</p>	<p>AUGUST -13 DEMO-CCMA Christine E. White/ Oils</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER -10 DEMO-CCMA Cat Day Demo with Keith Klingonsmith/Acrylic</p>	<p>OCTOBER '08 DEMO-CCMA Ray Tucker acrylic or flowers</p> <p>AAIE FALL SHOW UPLAND LIBRARY † Oct/Nov</p> <p>ONTARIO ARTS FESTIVAL †</p>	<p>NOVEMBER -12 DEMO-CCMA Sherif Hakeem White chalk on black</p>	<p>DECEMBER -10 XMAS PARTY</p> 

Continually Updated

Congratulations to Keith KlingonSmith

Alien Art!

May 3rd - 24th 2025

Upland Library Star Wars Exhibit

Solo Show!

