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Jeni Bate

Jeni Bate lives in Imperial County California – though she grew up in Wales. In childhood, she enjoyed painting skyscapes, but art gave way to academics. In 2001; she had an epiphany: “Now, you have to paint!” Jeni believes that her role as an artist is to make people think twice about the sky. How it works, how we underappreciate and pollute it, and how it is ultimately, where we live.

She incorporates multiple skills into each painting - including writing poetry for and into them, one way to combine both sides of her creativity. Her signature “refracturing” (cutting/ reassembling) technique, described as somewhere between third generation orphist and unclassifiable, presents the scene in the piecemeal way it would be observed. The term was recognized by the international collage magazine ‘Kolaj’ in 2016. Recently she has enjoyed working on surfaces of upcycled boxes – Wisdom of Weather boxes.

In her spare time (hmm, what’s that?) Jeni enjoys helping her husband with his business breeding and raising hognose snakes.



Su Cheatum June Demo Recap

Print Making



President, Pechez Sepehri, & V.P. Hollie Couron
Welcome our demonstrator, Su Cheatum



Gelli Plates



Peel off block printing



WATER-BASED INK



Artist, Su Cheatum was delightful with her upbeat and fascinating presentation and tutorial of printmaking. Classes are available at Su's Arts Studio,

The Brush and Mallet-A Printmaking/Fine Art & Jewelry

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Art of the month & Most Popular Winner, Marion Draayer



Nancy Kasten Demo Prize winner



Raffle Winners



Take-in installation for AAIE's Summer Love Exhibition

Our wonderful HELPERS made for such a happy and efficient 'Take-in' on June 12th. Many thanks to LaChell Sutphen from the Rancho Community Center for accommodating AAIE, and to our President, Pechez Sepehri for directing our show. Thank you, Mark Rush, Keith Klingonsmith, Art Vale, and all who helped with the grids to hang the beautiful art, also 'take-in' table ladies. For those artists who entered, we will see you back on the 12th of July to pick up your art at the same time (1:00-5:00)



Winners!

1st: Shira Seny-Lady Butterfly

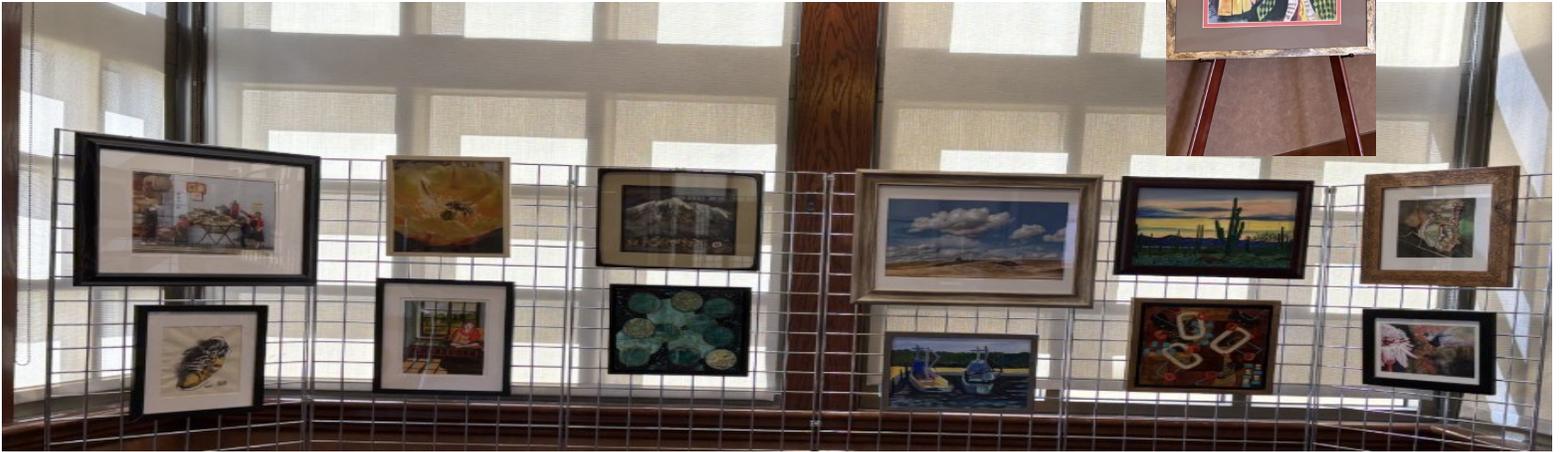
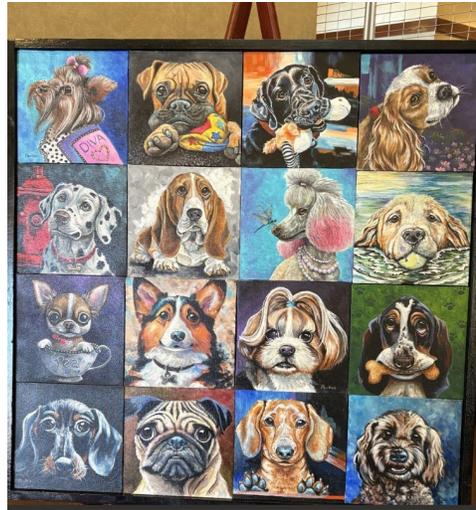
2nd: Art Vale-Serengeti Lioness

3rd: Nancy Speaker-Beach Life Winter

4th: Karen Clark-Happy Hummer

5th: Jenelle Lowrey: Joshua Nights

6th: Cynthia Scranton- FeatherDancer 1



Maloof

**Japanese Stab Binding Workshop
with Chris Frausto**

June 21, 2025

10:30-2:30pm

10 students, \$65 tuition

No experience necessary, for ages 14+

Includes all materials



Class Description

Discover the art of Japanese stab binding. A beautiful, beginner-friendly bookbinding method that requires no prior experience.

Originating in Japan between 1603 and 1867, this elegant technique, known as *Yotsume Toji*, or “four holes.” is a timeless way to create your own notebooks, journals, or sketchbooks. Perfect for anyone looking to start their bookbinding journey with a simple yet striking project.

TO SIGN UP: <http://www.malooffoundation.org>

Sam and Alfreda Maloof Foundation for Arts and Crafts
Rancho Cucamonga

Bind Your Own Nature Sketchbook

Saturday, July 12, 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Pricing: Member \$60 | Public \$70

<p>MAY -14 DEMO-CCMA Aleta Jacobson Collage</p> <p>CCMA, AAIE, PVAA submission online only opens May 29th to deadline sub. June 12th Celebrating Community Artists show</p>	<p>JUNE -11 DEMO-CCMA Sue Cheatum Printmaking</p> <p>SUMMER LOVE Show AAIE June 12th - July 12 Rancho Community Center Central Park June sub only: June 01-10th take in: 12:00 -5:00</p>	<p>JULY -09 DEMO-CCMA Jeni Bate</p> <p>ONTARIO EXPO at CCMA Celebrating Community Artists with CCMA, AAIE, & PVAA online submission Sub deadline is June 12th Exhibit Opens 11th Reception 25th Pick up art Aug 23</p>	<p>AUGUST -13 DEMO-CCMA Christine E. White OILS</p>
<p>SEPTEMBER -10 DEMO-CCMA C.A.T. Day with Keith Klingston ACRYLIC</p>	<p>OCTOBER '08 DEMO-CCMA Ray Tucker acrylics or flower</p> <p>AAIE FALL SHOW UPLAND LIBRARY Oct - Nov</p>	<p>NOVEMBER -12 DEMO-CCMA Sherif Hakeem White chalk on black</p>	<p>DECEMBER -10 XMAS PARTY</p> <p></p>

AAIE Calendar Update
Subject to further changes

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