June 2021 Newsletter

DIVA league

MAY 25 YEAR-END CELEBRATION

Thank you to all of our sponsors and to everyone who attended the League Happy Hour hosted by Bistro 31 and Lounge in Highland Park Village. This was the League's first in-person social gathering since March 2020. A capacity crowd arrived early and stayed late enjoying the wonderful atmosphere and lively conversation. Bravo to Regina Bruce for putting it together in style.





















































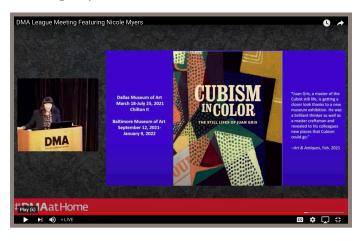




MAY MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Cubism in Color: The Still Lifes of Juan Gris

As always, Dr. Nicole R. Myers enlightened League members and docents with her in-depth exploration of the highly-acclaimed Spanish artist Juan Gris. This extraordinary exhibition focuses on his fascination with subjects drawn from everyday life. Dr. Myers' powerful presentation was both an educational and thought-provoking experience.



LEAGUE BOARD



Together at long last, at the final Board meeting of the year!









PETAL PUSHERS

by Janet Hoffman

Happy times are here again! The DMA League Floral Committee is back in action planning next year's schedule and training events. To get our members inspired, Connie Miles hosted spring floral demonstrations at her fabulous boutique shop, Olivia G on Lovers Lane, followed by lunch at Hudson House next door. Using a pink and orange theme, Connie arranged cherry blossoms, roses, cockscomb and everyone's favorite, hydrangeas. She taught valuable information about equipment and technique. Katherine Phillips also gave a demo. Speaking of hydrangeas, do you know how to rehydrate a wilting Hydrangea blossom? Simply dunk the entire flower head into a container of tepid water for up to 45 minutes, then recut the stems making sure they look like an arrow rather than a one-sided angle. Sharing floral knowledge is just one part of the committee's mission, and if you might be interested in joining our happy times, please email our leader Sue Flynn at sflynn.floralend@gmail.com.





Connie Miles' finished masterpiece in the beautiful vase which was donated to the floral committee by Patricia Keene.

SUMMERTIME AT THE DMA





Concentrations 63: Julian Charriere, Towards No Earthly Pole Thru 8/8/2021

French-Swiss artist Julian Charrière creates work that bridges the realms of environmental science and cultural history. This focused exhibition provides encounters with the artist's melancholic and beautiful portraits of nature, culminating with his most recent video project, *Towards No Earthly Pole*. This large-scale cinematic environment considers Arctic glaciers' borderless existence.

Event information and tickets at DMA.org

MEMBERSHIP

Tara Freeman and Donna Arp Weitzman, VP Membership

Please join or renew your membership to the Dallas Museum of Art League when you join or renew your DMA membership!

The Dallas Museum of Art League provides support for the DMA through the volunteer efforts of our members in fundraising, education and service. The League offers members a chance to learn about art from recognized speakers and creates a sense of community and fellowship through activities, trips and social events.

This enthusiastic group creates many wonderful and exciting events throughout the year beginning with the Annual Membership Tea. There is also a popular Day Trip, fabulous Overnight Trip and many rewarding volunteer opportunities.

Art in Bloom, the League's signature fundraiser, is the highlight of the year and will be held on March 7, 2022, at the DMA. This year it will showcase a renowned speaker, an elegant seated luncheon and other exciting surprises!

To be a member of the League, you must be a member of the Dallas Museum of Art.

Membership for both can be found online at <u>DMA.org</u>.

Once you select a membership level you must also choose the

"À La Carte" DMA League level you wish to join <u>at the same time.</u>

You can copy the link below to get to the membership section of the website.

https://dma.org/support/dma-members

If you have any questions regarding your League membership, contact Caroline Irvin at the Dallas Museum of Art: cirvin@dma.org Office: 214-922-1272.

Joining the DMA League gives you a chance to enjoy League activities throughout the year and make new friends with shared interests!

PRESIDENT'S FAREWELL



Dear DMAL,

I want to thank everyone for their hard work behind the scenes to make this challenging year meaningful, educational and entertaining. It has been an honor to be your president. We're back, so get your friends to join the League. I look forward to being together, in person, in the fall.

Have a wonderful summer.

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Therese Rourk
President
Dallas Museum of Art League

LOOKING AHEAD TO 2021-2022

September 20, 2021 Annual Membership Tea

October 7, 2021 DMAL Day Trip

October 18, 2021 General Meeting

October 21, 2021 DMAL Special Event: Van Gogh Exhibit

November 8, 2021 General Meeting

January 10, 2022 General Meeting

February 14, 2022 General Meeting

March 7, 2022, Art in Bloom

April 2022 DMAL Overnight Trip

May 14-September 18, 2022, DMA Special Exhibit: Cartier and Islamic Art

May 16, 2022 General Meeting

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