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2020

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ALAIN PICARD

Alain J Picard

Workshop Instructor, Juror and Judge of Awards

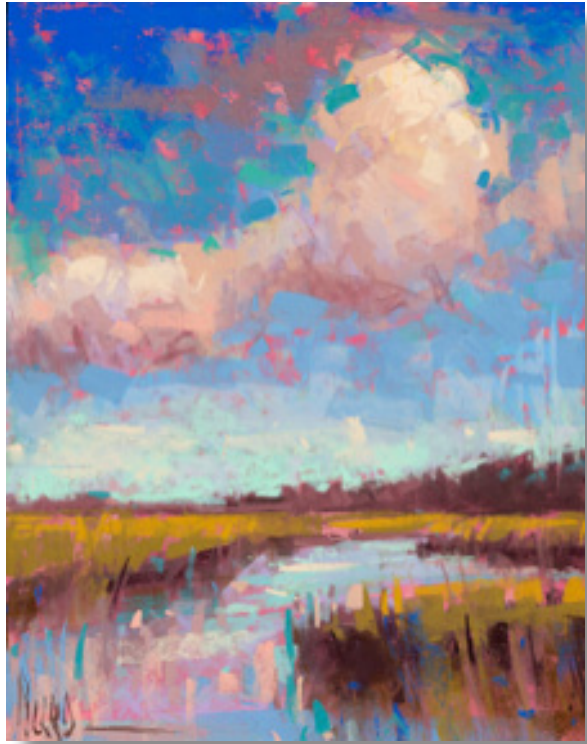


We are honored to welcome you Alain!

Alain J. Picard is an award-winning artist, instructor, author and speaker. His acclaimed pastel and oil paintings have been exhibited throughout the US, Europe, China and the UK. Alain travels internationally as an art instructor, demonstrator, speaker and artistic advocate for the vulnerable.

Alain's work and writing have been featured on numerous occasions in such publications as *The Artist's Magazine*, *The Pastel Journal*, and *Practique des Arts*. In an effort to share his passion for art, Alain has written three instructional books, including "Mastering Pastel" and "Beginning Drawing," and stars in a growing collection of instructional art videos.

Alain has lectured and demonstrated for The Metropolitan Museum of Art, the National Arts Club in New York City, Vose Galleries in Boston, MA, the IAPS Convention in Albuquerque, NM, and the Biennial International



Pastel Art Exhibition at Ming Gallery in Suzhou, China.

Alain has garnered top awards in esteemed exhibitions, including the Pastel Society of America, The American Artists Professional League, Hudson Valley Art Association, the Portrait Society of America, and the International Association of Pastel Societies (IAPS). He is a judge and juror of international exhibitions, and a sought-after portrait artist and landscape painter. He makes his home in Connecticut with his wife and two sons.



*This amazing collaboration of three Pastel Societies
could not have been made possible without the efforts
of our hardworking committees.*

With Appreciation

This could not have happened without each and everyone of you!

**Our heartfelt gratitude goes out
to the hardworking volunteers**

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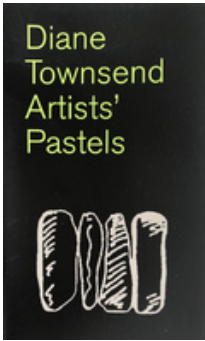


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Thursday Moon

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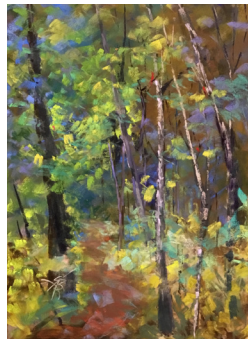
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Into the Woods

\$900



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Still Life with Blue Scarf
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Wading Ibis
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Crab Basket
\$900

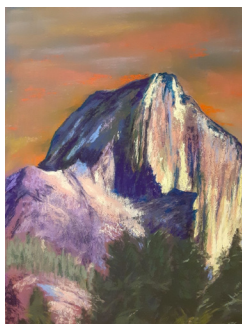


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Yellow Boat
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Claire Crook
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A Western Moment
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My Cousin's Truck
\$1,400

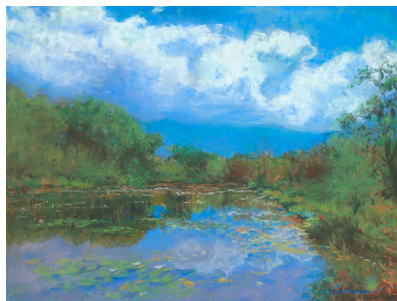


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Thanks for the Rescue
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Shady Lakes Blue
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Dance of the Nets
\$925

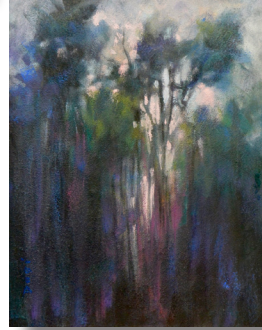


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Seaside Crag
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Into the Game
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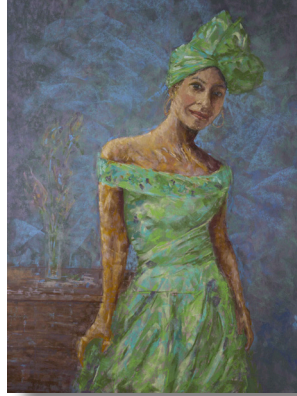
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Into the Woods

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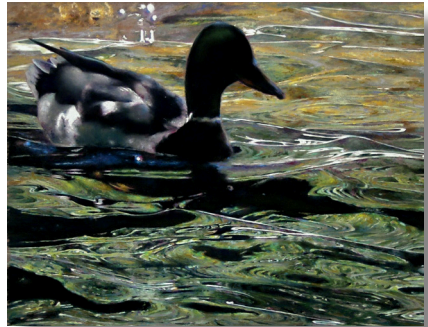


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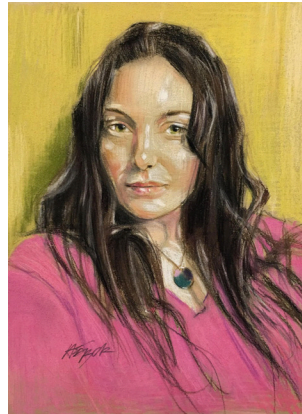


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Reminiscing
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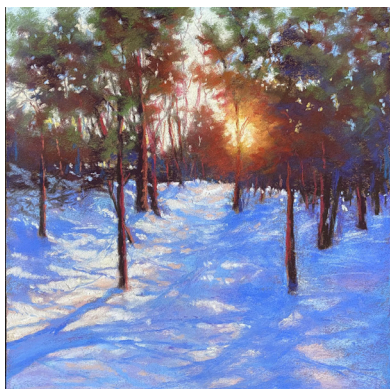
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A Glimpse. Gone

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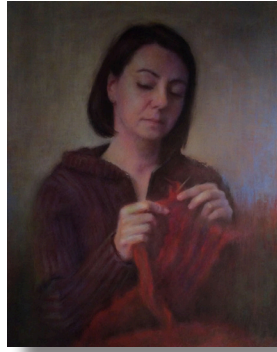
Blaze

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Sanctuary
\$800

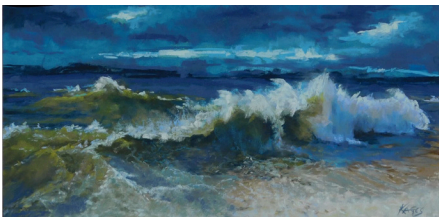


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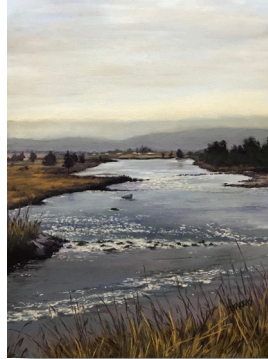
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My Time of Life
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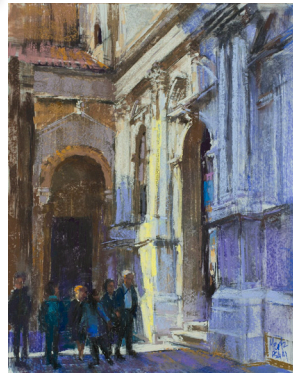


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Florida's Forgotten Post
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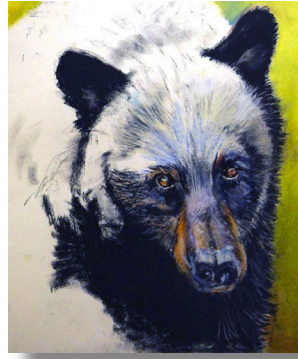
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Venetian Wandering
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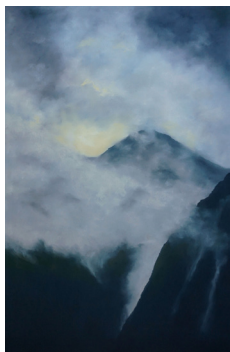
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A Passage of Time
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Detail Mack Truck Door
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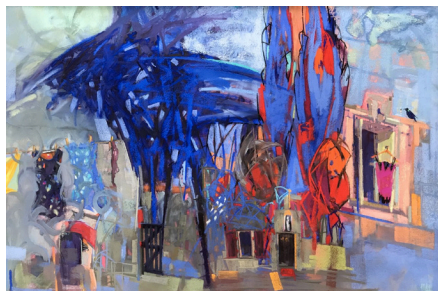
Mystic Mountain

\$1,800

Diane Pike

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The Tent Of Thought Where
I Shelter
\$2,500

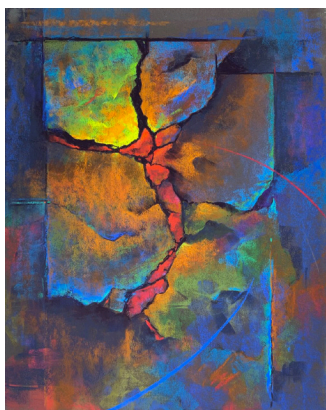


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Cast Shadows

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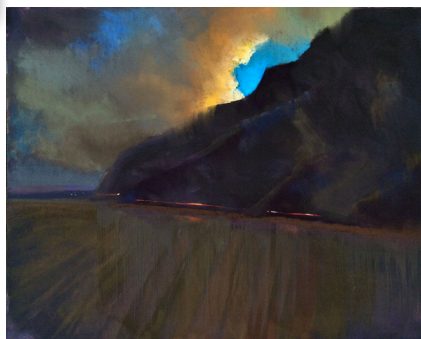


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Rushing Home

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Fading Away
\$2,000



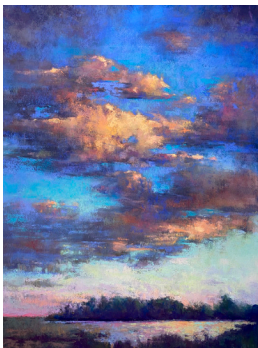
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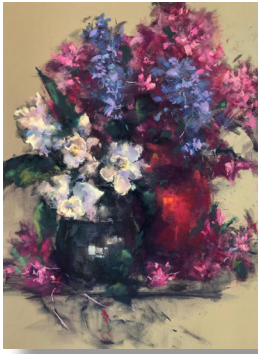
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Light Show
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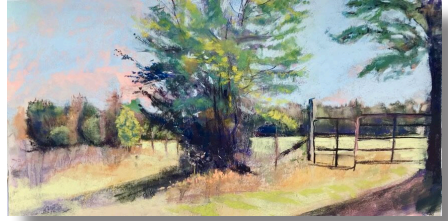
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Peace By The Road
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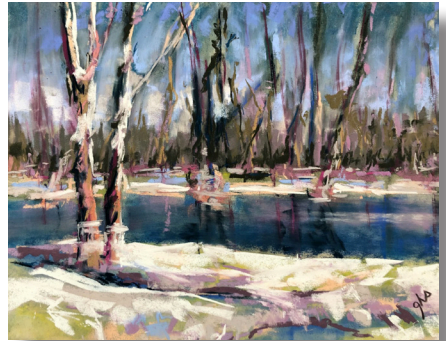


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Curiosity

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Woman With Gold Earring

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The Award Winners

Best In Show



Debbie Rasberry
Fading Away

Second Place



Maggie Whitney
Orchid Shadows

First Place



Tracy Ference
Into the Game

Third Place



Deborah Covington
Crab Basket

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Nancie Mertz
Venetian Wandering

Awards of Excellence

Anthony Hedrick
Whitney

Daphne Boder
Garden Light

Robbins Richardson
Solitude

Ashley Mortenson
A Passage of Time

Barbara Garwood
In a Blaze of Glory

Nancy Wahl
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Michael Jarman
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Honorable Mentions

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Representing Central North Carolina**

The 2020 Show

This year 90 artists, from one or more of the three North Carolina Pastel Societies, submitted paintings to the ninth Annual NC Statewide Juried Pastel Exhibition. A total of 232 images were entered via ShowSubmit.com, a web-based service. Our Juror of Selection and Awards, Alain J. Picard selected 95 images and awarding five winners with cash awards. Several artist were also given awards of excellence and honorable mention.

The 2020 PPS Team thanks each artist who submitted their work to this exhibition. You have helped to make this year's annual show another great success. The Pastel Society of NC will host next year's exhibit where we look forward to another great show.

In lieu of a physical show, this year we will have an online show due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Our hearts and prayers are with all those impacted.