



# NEWS

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**Premiere Gallery**

**Gwen Rodriguez**

**Ethel Smith Gallery**

**Barry Werner**

**Members' Gallery**

**Monthly Members' Exhibit**

**Poston3 Gallery**

**Underground 9**

**Gallery Crawl**

**Saturday, August 7, 6-9pm**

**Members' Gallery Drop-off Deadline**

**The deadline will be Wednesday,  
August 25 before 4p.m. for the  
next Members' exhibit.**

**No Late work will be accepted.**

**Newsletter Deadline**

**Wednesday, August 18**

**Email: [talgalleries@bellsouth.net](mailto:talgalleries@bellsouth.net)**

Dear TAL Members,

I am happy to let you know that the TAL has some exciting things coming up in the next few months.

First, we have hired professional fundraiser Elizabeth Scokin to organize our annual event for October. In keeping with my motto of thinking outside the box, this year we will not be holding a one night gala. Instead, Elizabeth is organizing a series of dinners and parties from which attendance fees will all go to our organization.

Secondly, the board has decided to start utilizing our wonderful galleries for small fundraising events. On Tuesday evening, August 10, 2010, George Hannye of Knoxville will speak at the Tennessee Art League about his experience of working with inmates in the Tennessee prison system and the value and benefits of supporting visual art educational programs in prisons. This program should have considerable interest to executives, managers, educators and artists who work with inmates either on a professional or a volunteer basis. Working with prisoners in East Tennessee and helping them with art venues, thereby refining their skills, building genuine self-esteem and creating ways for them to make an honest livelihood, Mr. Hannye is a vital link in the Tennessee Art League's Community Outreach Program that with its artist-members endeavors to inspire at-risk youth in after-school programs, inmates in prison facilities and homeless people in shelters. **This is a free event. Those who wish to donate \$20 will receive a copy of Mr. Hannye's book. Donations go to help your Tennessee Art League.**

I hope you will all attend.

Regarding the Board of Directors, I am sad to say that we have lost our fabulous treasurer, Jennie Sims. Jennie and her husband have relocated to North Carolina. We wish them all the best and will greatly miss them.

I am very happy to announce that we have added three new members to the board table: Barry Werner, Dan Kula, and Ev Niewoehner. We are thrilled to have these gentlemen join us. 2011 will prove to be a financially challenging year for TAL. It is very important that we start running as a business and bring in much needed capital. As a member of the league, we count on you to become more involved, participate in our events, and bring us fundraising ideas. Please contact George if you know of any opportunities or sponsors that we should be approaching. This organization will only survive with everyone's commitment and involvement.

In the coming weeks, we will be posting more events and asking for assistance from you to make them happen. I look forward to us all working together to take the league into the new year.

Cheers,

Terri Jordan  
President

**Premiere Gallery**  
*presents*



**Gwen Rodriguez**  
**July 1- August 28**

**September Exhibits**

Premiere - Refaat Zakhary  
Ethel Smith - Judith Jackson  
Members' Gallery -  
Monthly Members' Exhibit  
Poston 3 - TAL Artist Group

**TAL STORE**

Glenna will be here Friday, August 20 to jury works. If you have items you want to put in the gift shop, please bring them before 1.00pm. Contact Glenna at [glennacookart@comcast.net](mailto:glennacookart@comcast.net) if you have questions.

**New Members**

Judy Bobula, Huntsville  
Sampson Bradley, Nashville  
Ron Ferriera, Spring Hill  
Chris Hellerqvist, Nashville  
Allen Hicks, Thompson's Station  
Angie McLain, Murfreesboro



**Ethel Smith Gallery**  
*presents*  
**Barry Werner**

**August 3-August 28**

**Opening Reception:**  
**Saturday, August 7,**  
**6-9pm**

**The Underground 9**

***Sense of Place***



**August 3–August 28, 2010**

**Artist Reception**  
**Saturday, August 7**  
**6pm to 9pm**

**Tennessee Art League \* 808 Broadway, Nashville, TN**  
**615-736-5000**

**Newsletter Sponsors**



The Turner Foundation

The Memorial Foundation

# On the Outside Looking In

Join us

for an evening with artist and author George Hannye as he speaks about his book and his work assisting inmates with the marketing of their artwork

**Tuesday, August 10th  
7pm  
Tennessee Art League**

**\*\*Receive a signed copy of *On the Outside Looking In* with a \$20 donation to the Tennessee Art League**

George Hannye spent 36 years with Eastman Kodak before retiring to Knoxville, TN. After counseling inmates on how to start a business upon their release, George turned to assisting inmates through art. Works created by these inmates will be displayed at the Art League during the reception

This event is sponsored by  
The Corrections Corporation  
of America



Reservations required by August 6th  
Contact TAL at 615-736-5000  
808 Broadway, Nashville, Tennessee 37203

This is a free event. Those who wish to donate \$20 will receive a copy of Mr. Hannye's book. Donations go to help your Tennessee Art League.

## SMALL WORKS EXHIBITION

The October show in the Ethel Smith & Members' Galleries will feature "small works" only.

Small works are defined as a canvas that measures 11" x 14" or whose surface is **154 sq. in. or less**. This measurement **does not** include the frame.

For example: a canvas measuring 7" x 22" has 154 sq. in. of surface area, excluding the frame. These paintings may be framed or gallery wrapped as long as the wrap is 1.5" thick. **There is no minimum measurement requirement.** If we can see it, we can hang it.

This is a departure from our normal gallery policy which does not allow any painting that is less than 8" x 10" or 80 sq. in. This time we are looking for the "small stuff".

Since all of the paintings will be "small works" we will allow everyone to bring two (2) paintings. So, get all of those little gems out and let us feature them in October.

**The deadline for registering paintings for the October show is Wednesday, September 22, 2010 at noon.**

I want to say a special thank you to all those who volunteered to man the front desk while I was away on vacation. I appreciate your time and thoughtfulness. Thank you so much, Kristina

### **Volunteer Needs**

Volunteers are need for the August Saturday Gallery Crawl on August 7, 6-9pm. Available to volunteer? Please email Kristina at [talgalleries@bellsouth.net](mailto:talgalleries@bellsouth.net).

**ARTIST STUDIO**

**Contact George**

**Tel: 615.736.5000**

**AVAILABLE**





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## 2011/2012 Premiere Gallery Exhibitions

5 artists will be awarded a two-month exhibit in the Premiere Gallery of the Tennessee Art League, including two artist receptions during Nashville's First Saturday Gallery Crawl.

### Eligibility:

- Open to artists 18 yrs and older residing in Tennessee or any of its bordering states ( Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, and Virginia)
- Media allowed: Paintings, photography, mixed media, sculpture, fiber art, print-making,

### Required materials for submission:

- 5 high quality images of work on a cd
- Artist statement
- Artist bio
- \$35 application fee
- Form below

**Deadline for submission: August 28, 2010      Notifications: October 2nd**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Available Dates to exhibit (Please circle all that apply):

Mar/Apr11    Jul/Aug 11    Sep/Oct11    Nov// Dec11    Jan/ Feb12

Please send to **Tennessee Art League 808 Broadway, Nashville, TN 37203**  
**ATT: Premiere Gallery**