

SANTORA FINE ART NEWSLETTER



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National Award at the 2008 Susan Kathleen Black Foundation Artist's Conference & Workshop



This September marked the fourth year I've been invited to the Susan Kathleen Black Foundation Artist's Conference & Workshop, in Wyoming. I was honored with the *First Place Award* in 'Other Media' at the conference's Miniature Art Show for my pastel painting "Sacred Breed."

About 75 world-class artists from all over the USA, Canada, and Australia participated in the conference and exhibition, submitting 'miniature' paintings (image size 9"x12" or smaller) in the competition. The quality and diversity of the artwork was impressive. The 4 judged categories included oil, watercolor, acrylic, and other media. I was deeply honored to be juried in with such a talented and creative group of artists, and even more so to be recognized among that group as exceptional.

Over the last 4 years I have met and become acquainted with many of the best and brightest artists working today, and I have studied with some of the greatest living artists in the world. I have made many new friends, and these friendships have enriched my life. It is a privilege and a pleasure to attend. The opportunity to be able to pursue my artistic passion and totally immerse myself in my art for 6 intense days and nights has been invaluable to me.

First Place Award at the AGK

The Art Guild of the Kennebunks was founded in 1980 to foster camaraderie, support and professionalism in art. Since its inception, members have been juried into the organization based on professional artistic criteria. I was juried in as a member of the guild 8 years ago, and have been exhibiting with them since that time. In August, the group held its Annual Awards Show, at which time I was awarded *First Place in Pastel* for my painting "Taste's Awful." (pictured at right)



Art Business News Magazine Coverage

It has been a great year for me and another exciting happening was being selected as one of 4 *Emerging Artists & Trendsetters* published in the September 2008 issue of the national magazine *Art Business News*. The article included 3 images of my work, a brief bio and artist statement along with a photo of me!

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NEW WORK



Hey Babe
12"x12"



Young Jersey
12"x12"



I've Got My Eye on You
12"x12"



Best in Show - 5"x7"



Supreme Holstein - 5"x7"



Young Beltie - 6"x6"



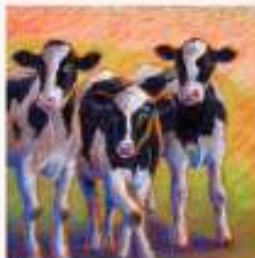
Yearling II - 6"x6"



Yearling - 12"x12"



The Conversation - 6"x12"



Steppin' Out - 12"x12"

I hope you have enjoyed reading the first issue of my newsletter!
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Thanks!

Carol

Exhibit Calendar

10x10 on 10/10"
BENEFIT ART EXHIBIT & SALE
Friday October 10, 5-8pm
Saturday October 11, 10am-4pm
Morrell Meeting Room, Curtis Memorial Library, 23 Pleasant St Brunswick

"Trust in Art"
PAINT-OUT & AUCTION
Sunday, October 12
Atlantic Hall, Cape Porpoise, ME
4:30-5:30 preview, appetizers & wine
5:30 live auction

"Pastel Pet Portrait Demo"
Saturday, October 18, 1-3 PM
Scalawags, 24 Ocean Avenue, Kennebunkport
207.967.2775

"Hands & HeARTS"
EVENT & AUCTION
Saturday, October 18
North Dam Mill, 2 Main St, Biddeford
5:30-7pm preview & silent auction
7-8:30pm live auction

"Saco Bay Artists Demo"
PASTEL ANIMAL PORTRAIT
Monday, October 27, 6pm
The Pines, Ocean Park, Maine

"Pastel Painters of Maine
Annual Member's Show"
November 7 - December 7
Reception & Awards, Nov 7, 5-7pm
River Tree Arts, 35 Western Ave, Kennebunk

Galleries

Northlight Gallery
33 Ocean Ave, Kennebunkport
207.967.3320

The Wright Gallery
5 Pier Rd, Cape Porpoise 207.967.5053

Career Hill Gallery
264 Meadow St, Rockport 207.236.0745

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