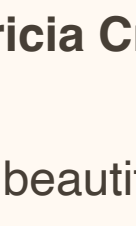
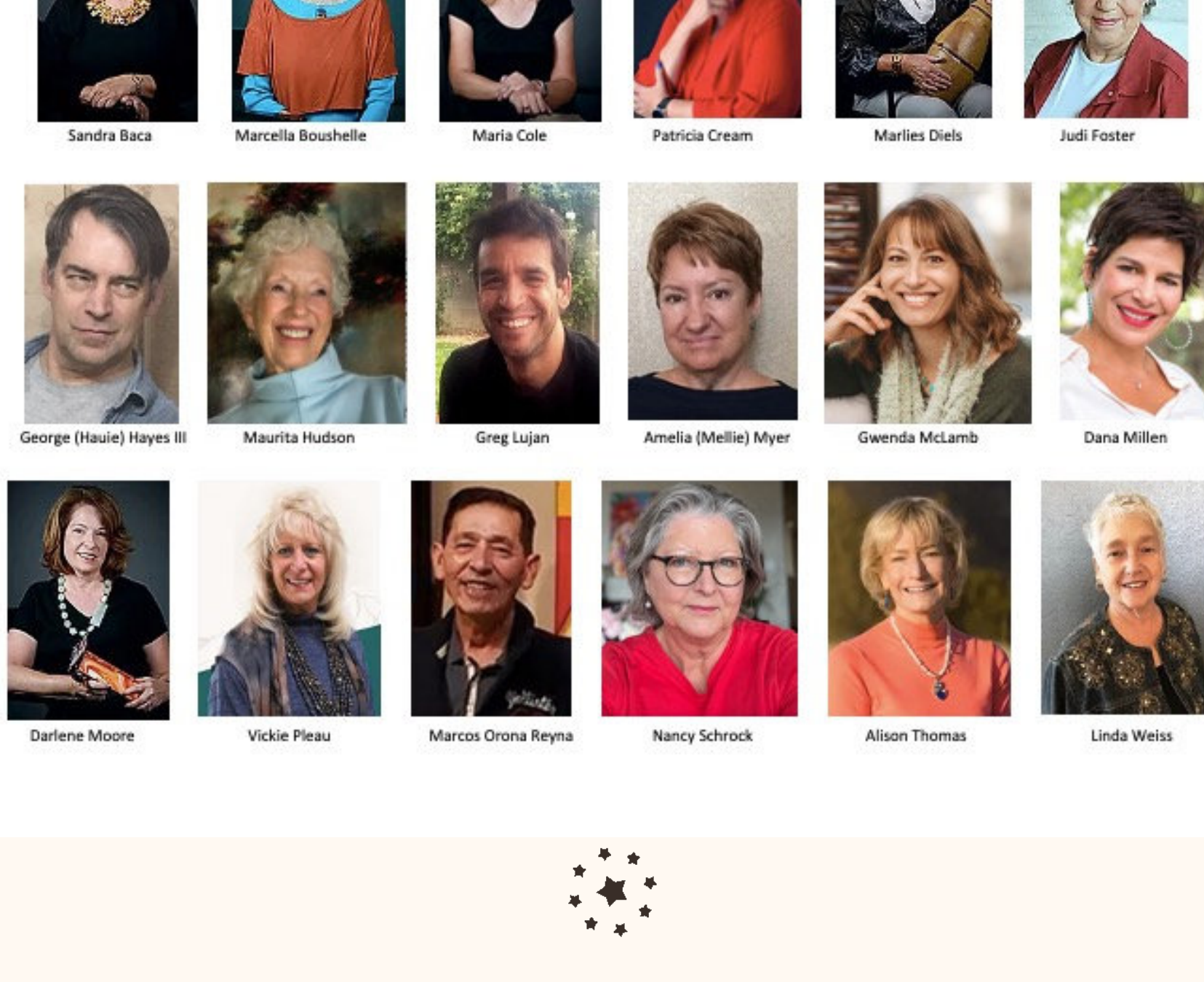


May 2024

at The Gallery ABQ



Note from the Director Patricia Cream

As we usher in May, we see the beautiful flowering trees and flowers with bumble bees, and we notice the smell of cut grass. I love this time of year and really enjoy getting out of the house to enjoy the beauty of Albuquerque. I also look forward to the hope of May showers, which do not always spring forth in the desert.

At The Gallery ABQ, we are ushering in our annual **Miniatures and Small Works** art show. This show brings in a large group of New Mexico's local artists, and includes some artists from the MasterWorks show. Please join us as we enjoy the stunning artwork at our **First Friday ARTScrawl artist reception on May 3rd from 5-8:00 pm**. Snacks and drinks will be available throughout the evening. This show will continue from May 3 through May 28, Tuesday through Saturday, from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Our featured artist will be **Marlies Diels** (pottery). I love to tell the story that Marlies specializes in functional pottery and wants her pottery to be a part of everyday life. In fact, I am the proud owner of 12 blue and green coffee cups that she created just for my personal kitchen. They are the perfect size and colors for my very colorful kitchen. If you are looking for a graduation, birthday, or wedding gift, her pottery is the perfect selection. I have given many of her Brie dishes and various sized bowls for wedding gifts. She also has ceramic masks that many have hanging on their walls and patios. Marlies will be on site to talk about her artwork. Please stop by to meet her on Friday, May 3, 5-8:00 pm.

Gallery Membership

Are you looking for a space to exhibit your art? The Gallery ABQ in Hoffmantown Center is an artist-owned fine art gallery of local artists. We offer a wide variety of mediums, subjects, and styles in a welcoming, creative space. We are currently looking for a silver jewelry artist, a photographer, a sculptor, or a fiber artist. If you want to join The Gallery ABQ, go to our website to download our application and membership information. See the link below.

[The Gallery ABQ](#)



In the Salon in May Miniatures and Small Works

Reception - May 3, 2024
5:00 - 8:00 PM

Miniatures and Small Works

May's Salon show is open to New Mexico artists in all media, including, but not limited to: pastels, oil, water media, acrylic, mixed media, pencil drawings, photography, glass, and sculpture.

Visit with the artists during the reception, or stop by the gallery any time during the month to see their art

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May 2024 Featured Artist Marlies Diels (pottery)

By Linda Weiss

The Featured Artist for May 2024 at The Gallery ABQ is Marlies Diels, the gallery's only ceramic artist. In conjunction with ARTScrawl, and sponsored by Tractor Brewing, a reception will be held on May 3, 2024, from 5-8:00 pm. Marlies' pottery is a testament to her love of functional art, which started with her master's degree in Industrial Design. In addition to making her pottery, Marlies has been teaching ceramics/pottery, sculpture, and hand building. One time in Berkeley, she taught pottery and sculpture to blind people.

Marlies likes the precision of her art and enjoys the glazing experience, to which, in the past, she employed reduction firing in a gas kiln (reduction firing uses an open kiln so that the air comes in). She determined that this method of firing pottery was too experimental for her needs, and so now she only does oxidation firing with an electric kiln. The time-consuming process includes throwing the clay, drying the piece of pottery, trimming it, drying it again, firing at a low temperature, glazing it, and then firing it at a high temperature. Her pottery is food safe.

Marlies, originally from Berlin, Germany, has been inspired by her travels, mostly throughout Europe. When she can't travel, Marlies gets inspiration from other sources, including art galleries and nature. Marlies has been living in the United States since the 1970's.

Come meet Marlies in person at The Gallery ABQ reception on May 3, from 5-8:00 pm, and ask her about her whole process!

[Marlies's Web Page](#)



George (Haue) Hayes III

has art at

Hotel Andaluz

Mezzanine Gallery

March 19 to July 16

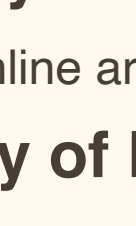
Reception: Saturday May 25 starting at 6 p.m.

125 Second St NW, Albuquerque

Below: *Central and 3rd Albuquerque, NM, 24" x 36" Oil, 2023*



[Haue's Webpage](#)



Nancy Schrock

has online art in the

Pastel Society of New Mexico's

Enchanted Colors Show

held at the Millcreek Rogers Museum in Taos, NM,

March 30-June 2.

She will also be showing in the

Placitas Artists Series,

April 14-May 4.

The exhibit is at Las Placitas Presbyterian Church.



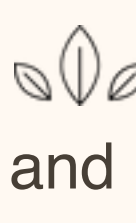
Spa Time, pastel



Mardi Gras Girls, pastel

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Dana Millen and Linda Weiss

will have art in **Gallery with a Weiss**

during the summer of 2024

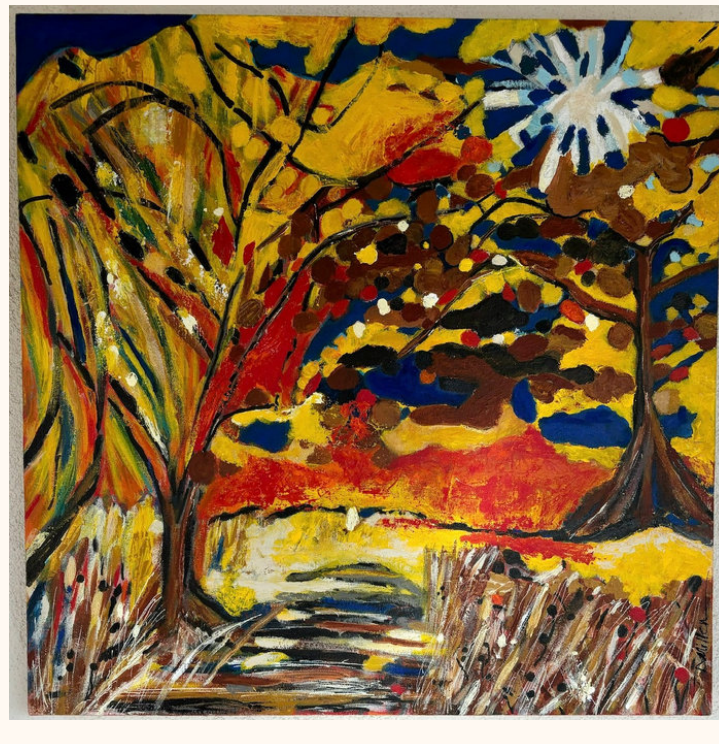
Reception: June 7, 6-8:30 p.m.

New Mexico Cancer Center

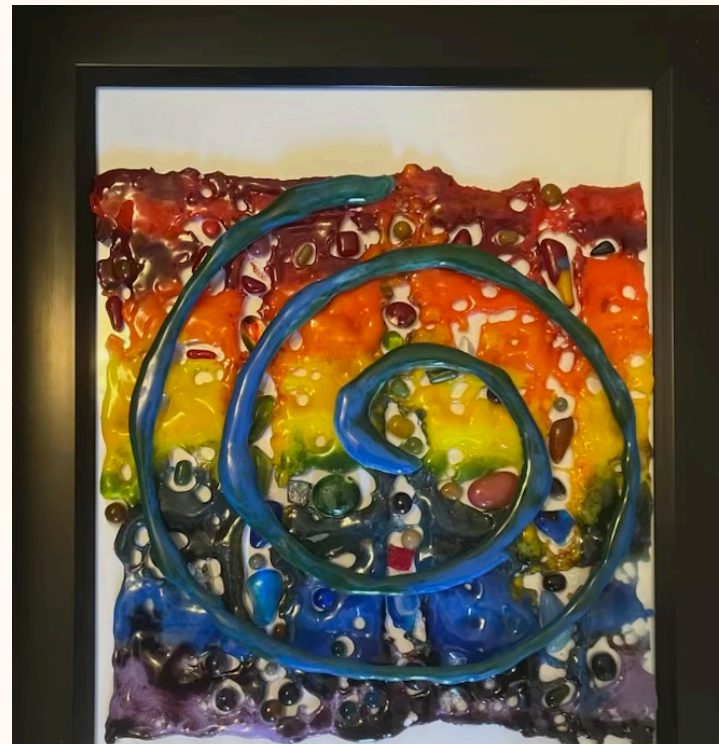
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Below left: *Majestic Autumn Bosque*, oil, Dana Millen

Below right: *Life and Energy*, glass, Linda Weiss



Majestic Autumn Bosque, oil, Dana Millen



Life and Energy, glass, Linda Weiss

[Dana's Webpage](#)

[Linda's Webpage](#)



Coming Up in June

In the Salon

Youth Pride Month Art Show and Fundraiser

for Casa Q

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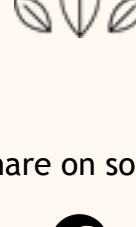
June Featured Artist: Gwenda McLamb



In August in the Salon

The Gallery ABQ will host

The Sandia Heights Artists!



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