



# Work in Progress

October 2017 - A Monthly Memo from the President

## On the Easel

### October 2017

- 1\* - Conf. early bird deadline
- 21 - Emerging Artist reception/ close
- 15\* - Conf. registration closes

### November 2017

- 2 - 4 - Conference, Toledo
- 4 - Awards nomination deadline
- 4- 99 House of Rep deadline
- 30 - fiscal year closing voucher deadline

### December 2017

- 1 - ARTline deadline
- 1 - budget committee
- 2 - Executive meeting and New Leader orientation
- 16\* - YAM flag & graphic deadline
- 16- JTACO/ YAM/YPAE online submission deadline

## Professional Development Studio

Toledo Conference 2017, emPOWERed: Art Up and Recharge!

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION IS OPEN!!! Don't miss out on great professional development just for you! We have some great speakers including Cassie Stephens, Jason Blair, and LifeFormations. The booklet is also published so you can get an early start planning which workshops you must attend.

<http://www.oaea.org/conference-registration-2017>

## Student Programming Studio

House of Representatives Exhibit (the 99 show)

Ok, secondary art teachers! Now that you have all of that art matted for different art shows, now is the time to showcase some students in The 99 Show: House of Representatives Exhibit. We need to get one piece of art for all 99 districts and they really want art from different schools this year. Maybe it should be yours this time! Art is due Nov. 4. Contact Clayton Kessler if you have questions [houseofreps@ohioarted.com](mailto:houseofreps@ohioarted.com)

Check out the details at <http://www.oaea.org/house-of-reps-show>

High School Emerging Artists Exhibition

October 21 is the closing reception at the STRS building in Columbus. Contact Jen Thompson, [hsshow@ohioarted.com](mailto:hsshow@ohioarted.com)

## Leadership Studio

Call for Nominations for Three State Executives

1st Vice President, Treasurer, and President Elect

Nominations close Nov. 4 at conference

Contact Laura Tawil - [pastpresident@ohioarted.com](mailto:pastpresident@ohioarted.com)

Awards Nominations

Bring the names, addresses, e-mail, and phone numbers of deserving nominees for awards. We are looking for Advocates, Distinguished Businesses/ Educators/ Citizens, Outstanding Art Teachers, Division Award winners, and Ohio Art Educator of the year. Forms are online and so is the nomination process at <http://www.oaea.org/awards>. Contact Linda Hoepfner-Poling if you have questions [awards@ohioarted.com](mailto:awards@ohioarted.com)

## 2017 Ohio ART EDUCATOR of the YEAR

It is a privilege to congratulate **Randy Robart** for earning the distinguished honor of being our 2017 Ohio Art Educator of the Year. Randy has served OAEA in many roles including 1st VP, President, Past President, Conference Coordinator, and more. He is also an artist who has sold his art across the nation in Art-O-Mats among other venues. I love to see his fun and creative outfits for our themed meals at the conference!

Please feel free to contact me about concerns or to share good news.

Artfully Yours,

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