



Newsletter

June 2018

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Special Announcements!

Welcome to our newest members!

- Lisa Long Gaither
- Jeff Pilkinton

Note from the President



Take some time to review our mission statement in the “Update” article below.

Upcoming Events:

- Chalk Walk Bartow - [INFO](#)
- Chalktoberfest - [INFO](#)
- 7th Clearwater Beach Chalk Festival - [INFO](#)
- 11th Chalk Festival - [INFO](#)
- Holiday Lights Chalk Fest - [INFO](#)

Shows are always listed on the website, let us know if we missed one.

FCAAEVENTS.COM

TIME TO RENEW!

If you have not yet renewed your FCAA membership for 2018 please do so. You can contact Theresa if you have any questions.

Membership dues are \$10 per year and can be paid by cash or check payable to: FCAA or Florida Chalk Artists Association

Please write the following information on a 3×5 card:

NAME:
ADDRESS:
PHONE NUMBER:

“The Florida Chalk Artists Association promotes chalk art through festivals and shows in the state of Florida. We cooperate with service clubs, community groups, and art associations to showcase chalk as an art form. We also take part in demonstrations on the vast number of ways chalk can be used as a medium, and to educate the public about the history of street painters, as that’s what madonnari are.”

To be a member of Florida Chalk Artists Association means that you agree with the mission and basic fundamentals of this organization. You will not always agree with every separate action we take but I hope that you find enough meaning and purpose to continue to be involved.

As your president, I strive to hear you as individuals, yet understand that everyone’s wishes cannot be met. Time passes and events and organizations restructure and change. With guidance from the board and your input, I am constantly moving the Florida Chalk Artists Association in a forward direction to keep up with these changes and requests in our communities.

Make certain that you feel good about being a member. Please continue to participate in action and in word. Everyone matters.

EMAIL ADDRESS:
HOW MANY STREET PAINTING
EVENTS YOU HAVE DONE?

Mail this 3x5 card and \$5 to FCAA
Treasurer Theresa Hawkins
FCAA

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THANK YOU!

List of Board Members:

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We have new chalk friends!
Check them out:



CHALK ARTISTS GUILD

<http://www.gachalkartists.org/>

FCAA Meeting Notes , Safety Harbor 2018

[View our youtube meeting](#)

Meeting Notes:

- New this year - Using facebook live FCAA will be recording meetings for members who can not attend annual meetings.
- Reminder for members to please post chalk art images and tag #FCAA on respected social media accounts.
- Working on ads' and promotion of FCAA on respective social media accounts such as facebook to increase Chalk Art awareness.
- Promoted Ken Mullen, Chelsey Austin, and Kim MacEwen FCAA Members At Large. They will be working on promoting events.
- Ken Mullen completed the requirements for professional designation as Maestro Chalk Artist through the certification program. Congrats!

Lake Worth Street Painting Festival 2018



Lake Worth Street Painting Festival 2018 - Featured [Shane Mesmer](#), [Erik Greenawalt](#), [Nate Baranowski](#)



<http://www.internationalstreetpaintingsociety.com/>

If you would like to see something in the upcoming newsletter please email Janet Tombros jptartist@gmail.com

Be sure you and your friends follow all of Florida Chalk Art Association's Social media accounts!

[FCAA FaceBook](#)

[FCAA Instagram](#)

[FCAA Twitter](#)

[FCAA Google+](#)

#Hashtag Kingdom

Recommended Chalk related #Hashtags Improve your exposure and gain followers!

#fcaa #FloridaArtist #SideWalkArt
#ChalkArt #Chalk #ChalkArtist
#SideWalkChalkFun
#ChalkFestival #StreetArt
#StreetArtist #StreetPainting
#PastelArtist #PastelArt
#ArtEveryWhere #ArtOnEverything

New FCAA Instagram Features

Have you checked out our [FCAA Instagram](#) lately? FCAA has been ramping up on social media, this past spring we've been sharing artwork from our members on our Instagram feed. Members are encouraged to tag @flchalkartist and #FCAA in chalk art related posts. We want to be able to highlight our members work to share with the world chalk art community.



186 posts

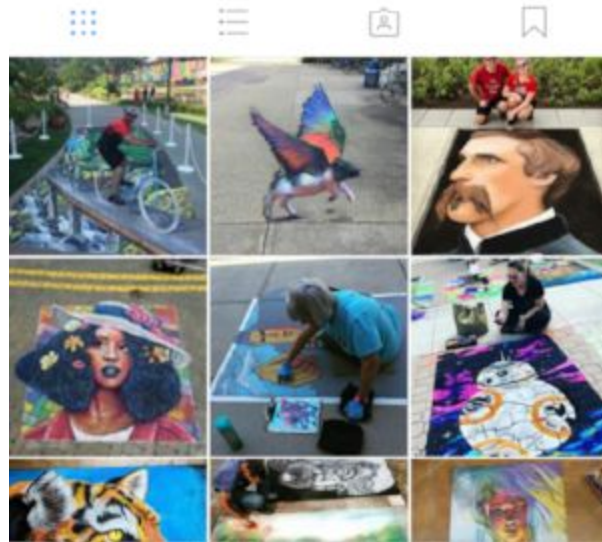
581 followers

539 following

[Edit Profile](#)

Florida Chalk Artists

Florida Chalk Artists Association promotes chalk art and artists through festivals and shows in the state of Florida. Tag @flchalkartist for repost. floridachalkartists.org/



Don't have a Instagram? Consider creating an account. It's a great way to build a quick portfolio of your work. [Read more on how Instagram is important for Artists.](#)

Next FCAA Meeting

* Next Annual FCAA Fall Meeting Held In October At Clearwater Beach Chalk Festival, 2018.

Website News

► Online Paypal payments now accepted!

Members who can not make annual meetings held in the spring and fall can continue their membership with FCAA via paypal. We will continue to collect dues at events or over mail if members chose to do it this way. We hope this will add an extra level of convenience for those supporting the association.

As an important reminder only the President and Treasurer can collect FCAA dues if you decide to do this in person at events.

View paypal method of payment on our **Join Us** page:
<https://www.floridachalkartists.org/join-us.html>

*To all our members traveling
this summer, FCAA wishes
you a very fun, art filled and
safe journey!*

► **FCAA Private Policy**

Reminding members that we do not share your personal information submitted to the association with anyone. We collect things like e-mails, phone, and address only so that we contact you regarding only on FCAA related needs. For job inquiries, special projects and events we will occasionally forward calls on to what is publicly available, such as your personal website or social media accounts. Which is why it is important to keep your public online presence and websites up to date and in good standing. If you have any questions feel free to contact our president.

► **Call for FCAA Website Blog Articles**

FCAA Now supports the ability to submit chalk/art related blog articles directly to the FCAA website. This blog is designed with the purpose to give our members a voice with the intent to help educate other artists and the public about chalk art and life as a madonnari.

Have something you'd like to say? Check out the new submission site!

LINK: <http://www.floridachalkartists.org/article-submission.html>

► **Coming soon**

Membership only area of the website and FCAA image gallery.
