

NEWSLETTER

February 2010

Dear parents and students,

Here we are in February already! Time is flying and we have so many plans ahead of us.

We should be proud of our kids for their understanding and altruism. Almost every single student was involved in helping Haiti after the disastrous earthquake.

EXHIBITION

We are so excited! Once again we are going to start working hard for the exhibition.

We have some information to share with those for whom this exhibition is the first experience:

- Please note that all the art works must be framed. So make sure that the piece that you want to work on is of reasonable size.
- Every participant has to display at least three works. If you have more works to share, that is perfect! We will accommodate all works.
- Remember to name and date your art.

This year we are trying to find a place a little bit bigger and wider than before. We are still looking for a place that is easy access for parents and other guests and is reasonably priced. So we welcome any idea and suggestion in this regard.

Please note that you should spend enough time working on the rough copy because it has to be confirmed by the Studio before you can start to work on the original.

As you may know, we use our paintings later on for different purposes, and in various art shows and competitions, so patience is the first step of having a good piece of art.

TOOLS AND BELONGINGS

As I spoke to you about tools and art stuff in the class, please make sure that your stuff and tools are in the studio when you are here. Every student has his or her own shelf at the Studio. Therefore, you are responsible for putting everything in their own place to avoid losing them. However, if you prefer to have your tools at home, please make sure to bring them back for your next session. Borrowing art stuff is impossible! Please make sure you have everything you need with you. Remember proper tools are not necessarily the expensive ones.

GUEST POLICY

We do not have a guest policy at our Studio although we have always welcomed guests. If you wish to have a friend as a guest in any of our sessions, gifts certificates are available for you to purchase. Also please let me know beforehand if you are bringing a friend so that we can accommodate them.

RENEW INFORMATION

There is a form which is attached to this newsletter for the purpose of updating your information with us. Please fill in the form and bring it back by the next session. Make sure you give us at least one emergency contact.

Also as e-mail is a faster and more convenient way of communication, and it saves time and trees, so please provide us with an e-mail address.

CALENDAR FOR SUPPORTING THE KIDS IN NEEDS

There are some Kid's Art Calendars available for anyone who wants to support the kids in the Third World foundation. Each calendar is \$ 10. For more information you should ask Abhinav Chanda on Saturdays or you can contact me any time out of the class hours.

RACHEL and SALVADOR DALI



Special thanks to Rachel for her hard work and for introducing the artist of the month "SALVADOR DALI".

This month, Rachel bravely volunteered and prepared this paper for us and she is prepared to answer all your questions.

We will further discuss this artist in our class for next week. Please spend some time to read about Salvador Dalí, where he lived, why he was famous, some of his works and the technique and material he used.

Thank you RACHEL. It was a good choice of all the artists.