The National Aphasia Association presents...

2024 Night of Aphasia Arts
Visual Arts

“Art can console those who have been broken by life”  Van Gogh

“It doesn’t matter how the paint is put on, as long as something is said.”  Jackson Pollock
Don Wallis: Woodburning with Colored Markers

“God”
Steve Parker

“On Preston Pond”
Steve Parker

“Dracaena In Glass”
Rich Kimble

“Polar Bear in Alabaster”
Peter Storkerson “Paint by Numbers”
Jonathan Kreuter

Brooklyn, New York

“The Reflections of Buildings Next to the Oculus”
“A late afternoon sunset of San Francisco”

Jason Harrison

“Afternoon Moon”
Holly Hudson
“A Beautiful Sunset”
Andrea Parks "Beautiful Skies"
Craig Smith “Photos of Yosemite with Friends of Aphasia September 2023”
Vicky Walton
“Florida Sunset”
Joseph Skwish

“Circularity”

“Sparkling Moon”

“Butterfly”
John Yaeger

“Flowers”
Rick Ables

“Palomino”

“Sunflower Vase”

“Beach with Umbrella”
Rick Ables

“Knocking on the Door”  “Lavender’s Child”  “Blonde with Lavender”
Rochelle Anderson “Aphasia Scrabble”

Memories of Speech Therapy Services after her stroke.
Barb Risner “Nature Calls”
Allen Oliver

Merry Christmas
Allen Oliver
Aphasia & Brain's Functions

Anatomy and Functional Areas of the Brain

4 – Broca's Area
Muscle of speech

11 – Wernicke's Area
Written & spoken language comprehension

Martina Beverly, MBA
I try to say or write something, can’t find the word or use the wrong word(s):
e.g., mouth, but chose mouse

Aphasia affects language not intellect.

I try to say something; how if I just cannot find the word(s)?

Should I ask what does this word mean?

Martina Beverly, MBA
Martina Beverly

Improve with Aphasia
Learn, Challenge Your Brain
Keeps Intelligence unaffected

Crossword: play4pay.org
Travel
New, Different
Socialize

Write
Sing
Music, Read

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Martina Beverly, MBA
Joseph Borden “Red”
Mark Chappell
Mark Chapell

Communication challenges, do NOT affect my intelligence.
Lillie Scott
Mike Child, James Jett, Marcus Ryninger, Mike Wellman, Wesley Carr, Lee (Woody) Thompson
Bruce Foster Wiley “Sunset by the Lake”

Assistance provided by Brittany Grays-Thomas
Bruce Foster Wiley
"Moonlight Landscape"

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Bruce Foster Wiley
“Birds at the Dock of the Bay”

Assistance provided by Brittany Grays-Thomas
William Mitchell

“Art after my stroke. Built a wall between me and my family. Confused and angry.”
“Art after I realized I needed help. Getting therapy for stroke and aphasia.”
Patty Talton

“Angel of Music”
Douglas Campbell
“I’d Give Anything”
Patrick Shanahan
“Lavender”
Patrick Shanahan "Merry"
Patrick Shanahan
“Sixty”
Rich Griendling
“Mr. Harris”

Rich’s father-in-law
A tobacco farmer in North Carolina
While he always aspired to connect people to each other and their environment through his artistic translations, his efforts now have a new power; they are creating-new-wordless means of communication that tie all of us-human and non-human-together.
Daniel T. Cook
“Gooing Out Ove My Mind”
Michelle Humphrey “Stroke Mom”

“Stronger Together”

First Post-Stroke Art
Jo Carroll

“My Aphasia Experience”
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Linda Mastro
“Mark Making”
Jim Taylor
“Rural Landscape”
Roscoe Lawless

“Solar”
Scott Garrity
“Frog Painting”
Cowboy Aphasia Camp Participants

“Trees”

Coached during
Cowboy Aphasia Camp
Rachael Mosley
“Recognition”
Naiyah Vardiman

“Mysterious Lady”
Ed Danielak

“Stormy Waters & Between the Islands”
Brooks Rehab Members: Self Portraits

Jose  Stacey  Marie  Robert
David Kim
“Multi-Colored Bird”
Karen Bolton

“Slocums River”