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National Capital Area Chapter International Society of Appraisers FEBRUARY 2006

The mission of ISA is to advance the professionalism and effectiveness of personal property appraisers

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John Low of Banning and Low Gallery speaking on Political Memorabilia at February Meeting

Banning and Low is a shop and gallery. The gallery sells vintage posters, photographs, campaign memorabilia and other documents that relate to the American political and social experience. Throughout the year we create focused exhibitions that draw attention to relevant political and social issues.

The gallery is a joint venture between father and son. Jack Banning, a long-time New York gallerist and his son John Low a Washingtonian of 30 years (don't get confused by the different names) decided to open a progressive shop in Kensington, MD near John's home. In business since September of 2003, the gallery has already played host to four exhibitions and plans more political intrigue for the upcoming

summer. Current inventory is comprised of a world class collection of antique and vintage political and election memorabilia spanning a century and a half, as well as vernacular photography, poster art and graphic design from the peace and social justice movement and an eclectic variety of modern and contemporary art.

Because there is no category for "eclectic shop" in the Yellow Pages, we call ourselves an art gallery. A better description might be "connoisseurs of the interesting!"

Banning and Low is located at 3730 Howard Ave, Kensington, MD 20895 with a web address of www.banningandlow.com and phone at 301-581-0070.



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New ISA Membership levels and designations became effective January 2005.

- **Entry Level Candidate**
- **Member**
- **Accredited Member, ISA AM**
- **Certified Member, ISA CAPP**
- **Re-qualification every five years**

February 6th MEETING -ALFIO'S La TRATTORIA CONTACT DONNA HUBER AT 301-229-2949 BY FEBRUARY 3rd FOR RESERVATIONS

We will meet at Alfio's La Trattoria, 4515 Willard Avenue in Chevy Chase, MD. Valet parking is available. Dinner is \$17.00

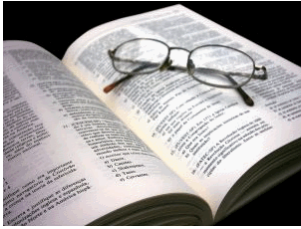
and includes your choice of 2 veal dishes, chicken or flounder, salad and dessert.

The evenings schedule is as follows:

5:15—6:00 Executive Board Meeting, Social Hour and Networking (Cash Bar)

6:00 Dinner

7:00 Program



NEW CHAPTER WEBSITE at www.isancac.org

As of the New Year, the National Capital Area Chapter of the International Society of Appraisers has established a presence on the internet. The site is located at

www.isancac.org. Although still under construction, many of the pages are up, active and ready for viewing.

The new website will feature several pages with information and background on the ISA and on the Chapter. A page was developed with descriptions of the different levels of ISA credentialing which in turn connects to a membership directory page with contact and specialty information (dues paying members only). The membership directory lists members in accordance with ISA National guideline from the Names, Marks and Logos policy.

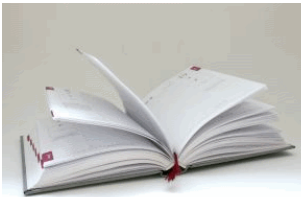
Our newsletter, VALUES will now be viewable on line as a PDF file. As you might have noticed, instead of receiving a text based email newsletter, you received a message with a

link to the ISA NCAC website page with a “hyperlink” to the newsletter in PDF format (Adobe Acrobat reader), in color and hopefully with a more interesting and readable format. You can also print out the newsletter. Past newsletters will remain on line for a period of time.

The website will also have a links page, a calendar of events page with potential meeting dates, a list of Chapter officers and a contact page.

Please take a few moments and familiarize yourself with the website. I would like to thank Barbara Lessig for writing a short chapter history, in which I took portions and placed on the home page of the site. If you can think of any additional and interesting content for the site, please email me at info@isancac.org.

Thank you. Todd Sigety, ISA AM
Webmaster



NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA CHAPTER OF THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF APPRAISERS

ForensicArtAppraiser.com
Charles B. Goldstein, ISA CAPP
Certified Fine Art Appraiser
“Reviews and Listings of Current Museum Exhibitions
With Computer Links”

The Corcoran Gallery of Art: (Currently Showing)

1) ***Sam Gilliam Retrospective:** Show ended.

*See Charles B. Goldstein’s Review of the Sam Gilliam Exhibition Opening is in the December 2005 **Professional Appraiser’s Information Exchange** dated December 2005 on Page 3 and can be seen at:

<http://www.isa-appraisers.org/newsletters/Dec2005newsletter.pdf>

2) **Warhol Legacy: Selections from the Andy Warhol Museum** through 2/20/06. Passes Not Required.

http://www.corcoran.org/exhibitions/warhol_index.asp

National Gallery of Art (NGA): (Currently Showing)

1) **Winslow Homer in the National Gallery of Art** through 2/20/06 at the East Building. Passes Not Required. For more information click on:

<http://www.nga.gov/exhibitions/index.shtm#homer>

2) **The Prints of Félix Buhot: Impressions of City and Sea** through 2/20/06 at the West Building on the Ground Floor. Passes Not Required. For more information click on:

<http://www.nga.gov/exhibitions/index.shtm#buhot>

3) **Audubon’s Dream Realized: Selections from the Birds of America** through 3/26/06 at the West Building Central Gallery. Passes Not Required. For more information click on:

<http://www.nga.gov/exhibitions/index.shtm#audubon>

COMING NEXT WEEK - Passes Not Required.

4) **Cézanne in Provence** January 29 - May 7, 2006 in NGA West Building, Main Fl.

For more information click on:

<http://www.nga.gov/exhibitions/upcoming.shtm#cezanne>

Chapter Dues— Membership Directory and Website Listings

As of the first of the year, the chapter has initiated the collection of annual membership dues. Since we are actively promoting the profile of ISA, the chapter and individual members, it has become necessary to re-start the annual levy. Chapter dues and the chapter treasury have contributed to the support and de-

velopment of the website, a soon to be published printed membership directory and an ad in the Antique Dealers Association of MD annual directory. Members who have paid their 2006 dues will be listed on the website and in the new printed membership directory. As the Chapter looks to expand its

profile through advertising and public relations, we hope that all members benefit and take advantage of the promotional opportunities.

Please mail your check in the amount of \$30.00 to Fred Winer at 305 Lennox Avenue, Towson, MD. MD21286.

Upcoming Antique Shows:

St Stephe’s St Agnes Antiques Show, Feb 5—6, 400 Fontaine Street, Alexandria, VA 22302

Hunt Valley Antiques Show, Feb 24—26, Holiday Inn Select 2004 Greenspring Drive Timonium, MD

Antiques In Alexandria, March 10—12, Flippin Field House, Episcopal High School, 3900 West Braddock Road Alexandria, VA 22302

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ASSETS 2006— March 30th through April 3rd ISA's ANNUAL CONFERENCE ON PERSONAL PROPERTY APPRAISING

Events Overview

Thursday March 30—Tours of Chikayo and Taos.

Friday, March 31, – Conference
Tours of Santa Fe, Georgia O'keeffe
Museum, Shidoni Foundry and a
museum hill tour, later that evening
the Get Acquainted Reception

Saturday, April 1 – President's Welcome; General Sessions; Governor's welcome; Business Meeting; Committee Meetings; Open evening to explore Santa Fe

Sunday, April 2 – CAPP Breakfast; Breakout Sessions; Network Luncheon; Awards reception, banquet and Fun'd Auction

Monday, April 3 – Breakout Sessions; Committee Reports. A description of tours offered at conference and schedules of conference events at the conference are available at www.isa-appraisers.org.

