

Annual Report 2015-16

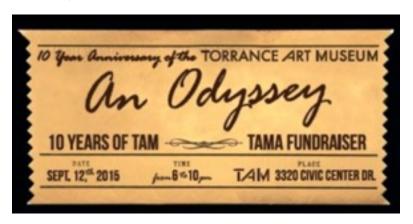
Board of Directors:

- Suzan Hubert, President
- Peggy Morgan, Secretary
- Cynthia Arance, Treasurer
- Membership Chair: Vacant
- Denielle Johnson: Advocacy Chair
- Jeannine Madden, Web Master
- Max Presneill, TAM Curator and Board Advisor

Accomplishments:

- Finalized Private-Not-for-Profit Status from the United States Internal Revenue Service and the State of California
- Continued to advocate for fulltime staff at the Museum through a Position Paper presented at the City Council Budget hearing
- Continued to personally invite the Mayor and City Council to opening receptions at the Council meeting prior to the exhibit opening
- Started a Members Lounge for members and their guests at exhibit openings and secured Whole Foods Torrance sponsorship for refreshment trays.
- Currently have 56 TAMA members which is, unfortunately, considerably less than our 2015-16 membership goal of 100 members. TAMA would greatly benefit from the involvement of a Membership Chair.

■ In September Art Museum staff and TAMA hosted *Odyssey*, a wildly successful 10th Anniversary fundraiser. This event featured art works donated by artists who exhibited at TAM over the past 10 years. Each art work was sold for \$100. TAMA members had first choice as they were admitted one hour before the general public. This event raised \$26,000 for the Art Museum.



Membership and fundraising fees in 2015-16 directly benefited the Museum.
TAMA provided \$1110 in stipends for artists who participated in the Studio Systems exhibit, supplemented shipping costs for _______

and funded several large screen projection systems.

