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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Lynn Kessel, President

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Happy April everyone!

What a month! We have exhibits and receptions and strolls, oh my! Check out the details in the newsletter—we have lots of great activities to either view or participate in this month. Come join the fun!

I want to take a moment to say thank you to all of you. It's been an honor to serve as your leader over the last 3 terms. The Williamson County Art Guild is more than just a place to create art—it's a community filled with passion, creativity, and support. All the board members and volunteers that I've worked with during this time each contributed something unique, and together they've made this organization truly special. Please know, you were instrumental in helping to operate the guild/gallery and I couldn't have done it without you. I've enjoyed the wonderful friendships that have grown out of working together through these projects.

I'm incredibly grateful for the trust you placed in me, and for the time, energy, and dedication you've all given. I've learned so much from this experience—both as a leader and an artist—and

I'll carry that with me moving forward.

I'm proud of what we've built together, and I'm excited to see where you take it next. I know this group will continue to grow, inspire, and thrive. Let's keep this spark alive, my friends!

I have just a couple months left of my term and will step back as "Past President" in our June meeting. We have a couple board positions still open—so please consider joining this vibrant team for our next year!

Lynn

Lynn Kessel, President
Williamson County Art Guild

NOMINATIONS OPEN FOR WCAG BOARD ROLES

Elections to be held in May

Please consider a role on the board for the June 2026-May 2027 season.

The WCAG nominating committee is currently gathering names for upcoming board positions, as outlined in our bylaws and on the [WCAG website](https://www.wcagtx.org). Some current board members have expressed interest in continuing, while others will be stepping aside, making this a great time for new voices to step in.

If you're interested in serving or would like to recommend a fellow member, please reach out to Ted Keller, Earleen

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Braly-Allen, or any current board member.

The nominating committee will present a slate of nominees at our May members' meeting and members will vote. Once finalized, the new board will be installed at the June meeting.

A strong, active board is essential to keeping WCAG running smoothly. If you've ever considered getting more involved, this is a meaningful way to contribute to the Guild and its future.

Don't miss these upcoming events!

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| April 3 | 5-7pm | Rock Street Gallery Reception |
| April 7 | 6:15-8pm | Member Meeting (Hewlett Room, Georgetown Library)
Tammy Pierce: Painting Wildflowers
Challenge Theme: "Flowers" |
| | | <i>*Meet and Greet at 6:15pm; Presentation starts at 6:30pm</i> |
| April 13 | 10am-12pm | Peace, Love, and Art Affair Planning Meeting (WCAG Gallery) |
| April 17 | 4-7pm | Plein Air Event at the Georgetown Spring Art Stroll |

OUR 50TH YEAR CELEBRATION ROLLS INTO SPRING

The year is moving quickly. Don't miss what's ahead!

As we head into April, WCAG's 50th anniversary year is well underway and full of energy. The months are moving quickly, and there are still many special events ahead as we continue celebrating five decades of supporting art in our community. Be sure to mark your calendar and join us for the upcoming festivities listed below. As always, dates may shift, so keep an eye on our website, future newsletters, and event flyers for the latest updates.

April

- Painting by Theresa Wayne to be raffled
- Gallery reception on **April 3rd**
- Spring Art Stroll on **April 17th**
- Student exhibit at the art stroll
- Plein air event on the Square on **April 17th**

May

- Painting by Nancy Brown to be raffled
- *The Big Picture Show*: large scale art exhibit at the WCAG Gallery
- Gallery reception on **May 1st**

June

- Photograph by Patrick O'Brien to be raffled
- Gallery reception on **June 5th**

July

- Painting by Sue Bishop to be raffled
- Gallery reception on **July 3rd**
- Theme for WCAG gallery exhibit: America's 250th birthday, patriotism, etc.

August

- Numbered print by Dalhart Windberg to be raffled
- Gallery reception on **August 7th**

PLANNING CONTINUES FOR THE PEACE, LOVE, AND ART AFFAIR

WCAG's 50th anniversary celebration keeps building, and plans are well underway for our Peace, Love, and Art Affair to be held in September. Since the guild was founded in 1976, the event will be a colorful and creative nod to the spirit of the 70s.

There's still plenty of room for ideas and helping hands as we shape this special evening. Join us for the next planning meeting on **April 13 from 10am–12pm at the WCAG Gallery**, and be part of bringing this one-of-a-kind celebration to life.



September

- Painting by Kathleen Stafford to be raffled
- Gallery reception on **September 4th**
- Special exhibit: The Art of Us 2026: Celebrating African American Creativity in Williamson County
- Peace, Love, and Art Affair (WCAG anniversary party) on **September 26th** for members and friends

October

- Photograph by Karen Limbaugh to be raffled
- Gallery reception on **October 2nd**
- Special exhibit: Waterloo Watercolor Society
- Autumn Art Stroll on **October 16th**
- Plein air event on the Square (Date TBA)

November

- Painting by Jennifer Polnaszek to be raffled
- Large member juried art show at library and gallery
- Gallery/library receptions on **November 14th**

December

- Painting by TBA to be raffled
- Gallery reception and holiday party on **December 4th**
- Large member juried show continues

Give your old brushes and paint cans new life!

Help us gather materials for the Peace, Love, and Art Affair décor! We are looking for items to be repurposed into creative decorations for our 50th anniversary celebration.

We're collecting:

- Old paintbrushes (any condition, any size up to 3")
- Empty/nearly empty paint cans and med. containers (quart or gallon only)

Our goal: 200–300 brushes and about 30 containers.

Drop off donations at member meetings or at the WCAG Gallery during regular hours (Thu–Sat 11am–7pm, Sun 1–5pm) and help us make something fun and festive!

RAFFLING ART, MONTH BY MONTH!

Come see April's featured artwork

One exceptional artwork is featured in the gallery window each month during our anniversary year.

A new featured piece is now on display in the gallery's front window as part of WCAG's 50th Anniversary raffle series. April's selection is *SCREAMING RED* by Theresa Wayne. This bold acrylic on canvas measures 36" x 48" and is valued at \$1,875. Theresa initiated this collaborative painting during the 2023 Georgetown Poppy Festival, inviting participants of all ages to contribute. Since the painting was unfinished by the end of the festival, Theresa continued working on completing it with the intention to raffle it for the benefit of a non-profit art organization.

A strong advocate for local artists and art education as well as an award-winning artist, Theresa studied fine art at Texas Christian University and continued her training through programs including the American Animation Institute and Walt Disney-affiliated instruction. She has taught community classes and coordinated workshops, and she currently serves as Treasurer on the WCAG Board.

Be sure to stop by, view this month's featured artwork, and enter the drawing as our anniversary year continues.



Theresa Wayne's "SCREAMING RED" will be raffled by the WCAG Gallery in April.

We're also pleased to share that February's raffle winner of *Richness of Swallows* by Diane Fraser was Jeremy Whiteside. Congratulations, Jeremy!



Correction: The March 2026 newsletter incorrectly stated that Barb Kraus won the February raffle. Barb actually won the painting raffled in January: Erin Hansen's *Coastal Vista*. Congratulations again to Barb!

AN INVITATION TO PAINT IN THE OPEN AIR

Enjoy an evening of plein air painting with fellow WCAG members

Step outside, set up your easel, and enjoy the fresh air as you paint!

WCAG invites you to join us for a Spring Plein Air Paint Out during the Georgetown Spring Art Stroll on **Friday, April 17 from 4–7 pm**. Choose a spot that inspires you—whether it's along the Georgetown Square, near the WCAG Gallery, or anywhere nearby—and settle in to paint at your own pace. You're also welcome to arrive earlier in the day if you'd like more time to work.

There's no requirement to paint the exact scene in front of you. Whether you're drawn to architecture, nature, or simply want to work on a piece outdoors, this is a relaxed and welcoming opportunity to create in the fresh spring air.

At 7pm, we'll gather back at the WCAG Gallery (708 S Rock St., Georgetown) to share our work and enjoy time together. Water will be provided for participating artists, along with refreshments at the meetup.

To sign up, email Gwen Fridel at gwen@fridel4.com with your name, email address, and phone number. Please include "WCAG Plein Air Event April 2026" in the subject line. For questions, call 512-426-7719.

This event is sponsored by Williamson County Art Guild with publicity assistance from Georgetown Arts and Culture.



CLASS SUCCESS!

A recap of Helena Hatch's Acrylics Class

Beginning acrylics class wraps up with great results!

WCAG's recent Beginning Acrylic Painting class taught by Helena Conti Hatch wrapped up on March 9 after six weeks of hands-on learning. Students built foundational skills while completing their own finished pieces

Helena shared, "This was such an incredible group and they accomplished so much. I truly enjoyed teaching them and am looking forward to teaching another series of classes later this year."

For a current list of WCAG classes, along with other opportunities in the area, be sure to check [page 7](#) of this newsletter.



A NIGHT OF NEW CONNECTIONS

WCAG welcomed Preservation Georgetown

On the evening of March 19, the WCAG Gallery partnered with the nonprofit group Preservation Georgetown to host their monthly meeting and social.

The event brought many first-time visitors into the gallery, offering a wonderful opportunity to introduce the Guild and share more about our mission and programs.



Guests enjoyed exploring the artwork on display, learning about WCAG, and connecting with one another in a



relaxed, welcoming setting. Many attendees also participated in voting for the

People's Choice award, adding an extra layer of engagement to the evening.

The event was a success on many levels, including the sale of two pieces of artwork: one by Jessica Cook, and the other by Linda Campbell. We're grateful for having had the opportunity to collaborate with Preservation Georgetown and look forward to building on these new connections within the community.

WCAG ARTISTS TAKE PART IN TAYLOR STUDIO TOUR

WCAG artists were part of last month's Third Annual Taylor Studio Tour, held March 28–29, 2026. Organized by dedicated volunteers in partnership with the Taylor Arts Alliance, the tour continues to grow each year as a vibrant regional arts event.

This year, Allison Eve coordinated WCAG's participation with a pop-up style showcase featuring the work of eight member artists. The event provided a great opportunity to share our artists' work with a broader audience and connect with those in surrounding communities.

We're grateful to the organizers of the event and to the volunteers who made the event possible; and we are proud of our members for representing WCAG so well beyond our gallery walls!



Member artists who represented WCAG in this year's Taylor Studio Tour. From left to right: Cheri Freeman, Kat Zinna, Kyle Cubes, Evie Walberg, Allison Eve, Ginny Maserang, Geri Heringer, and Barbara Pezze

Mesquite Creek Outfitters FEATURED ARTIST

Al Ward explores nature and emotion by blending abstraction with realism.

Al Ward is a naturalist-themed artist working primarily in oil, creating paintings that move fluidly between abstraction and realism. Influenced by his early West Coast roots, extensive world travel, and years of technical training and exhibitions in Texas, his work reflects a wide range of visual and cultural experiences.



His paintings explore both the delicate and the primitive, often incorporating a sense of play and imagination. Through shifting styles and expressive forms, Al seeks to reconnect human emotion with the beauty of the natural world, approaching each piece much like a poet uses metaphor to uncover deeper meaning.



With a lifelong passion for observing and interpreting nature, Al's work invites viewers to pause, reflect, and discover their own connections within the imagery.

Al Ward's artwork will be on display at Mesquite Creek Outfitters from **April 6th to May 4th**.



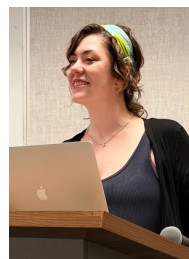
THE MARCH MEETING IN REVIEW

Social Media for Artists with Allison Eve Walker

In March's meeting, Allison Eve offered practical insight into connecting and sharing through social media.

March's members' meeting featured an informative presentation by Allison Eve Walker on using social media as an artist. She shared practical strategies for networking, sharing content, interacting with audiences, and exchanging information in ways that help artists grow their presence.

Allison highlighted Instagram as her preferred platform, noting its ability to share posts across other platforms like Facebook, and shared that she creates her videos in TikTok. She also emphasized the importance of showing your face alongside your artwork, building genuine connections, and using features like saved drafts to maintain a consistent posting schedule. Social media, she noted, offers an accessible way for others to discover your work and reach out with opportunities.



Allison Eve Walker

After the presentation, members participated in the monthly challenge and entered a drawing for a free \$10 exhibit entry. Congratulations to Craig Boegler, the winner of the March drawing!



Members share their art for the March challenge theme, "Socializing."

Save the Date for the Peace, Love, and Art Affair!

WCAG is celebrating 50 years with a groovy 70s-themed party, and we want to see you there!

- September 26th, 6-9pm at the Georgetown Community Center
- Live 70s music, food, and refreshments
- Silent auction + art activities
- Photo ops (including with a vintage VW bus!)
- Costumes encouraged... Prize for the best look!
- Ticket price: \$35

Artists: Help the Guild by donating a 5"x7" painting or photo for the fundraiser art sale at the Peace, Love, and Art Affair! Contact Ginny Maserang at vhm@vheadleymaserang.com to reserve a substrate, whether canvas or foam board.

UPCOMING MEMBERS' MEETING

Next meeting on April 7th

Join us for an interesting discussion about painting wildflowers!

All are invited to our April meeting on **Tuesday, April 7th at 6:30 pm in the Hewlett Room at the Georgetown Public Library.**

This month's presentation focuses on Wildflower Painting. Our guest presenter, Tammy Pierce, known as "GramSugar" to her twelve lively grandchildren ages 14 years to 6 months in Liberty Hill, is a native Texan who paints from a healing heart.

After divorcing a husband of 42 years in 2021, she moved to Florida to study Studio Arts for two years at Daytona State College where creativity and courage grew stronger in tandem. To be back in time for the birth of grandbaby number 12, Tammy and her 2 kitties moved to Georgetown in the spring of 2025.

Tammy shares the healing power of art wherever she goes— by continuing her Art Degree with a certification in Art Therapy, creating healing canvas art, and in Georgetown ISD classrooms, where her Middle School and High School students have dubbed her their "Coolest Substitute Teacher ever!"

And don't forget—the challenge theme for April is Flowers. Bring a piece to share and enter a drawing to receive a free \$10 entry into the next member exhibit at the WCAG Gallery!

WCAG'S ROCK STREET GALLERY

708 S. Rock Street, Georgetown, TX 78626

Thursday-Saturday 11:00am-7:00pm

Sunday 1:00pm-5:00pm

ART WITH A PLAYFUL SPIRIT

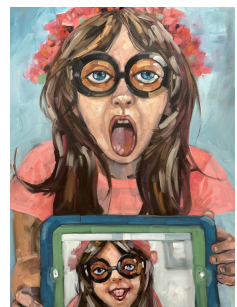
Sonia Colonna-Mathis: WCAG's April Artist of the Month

Sonia Colonna-Mathis blends playful imagery with layered symbolism and humor.

Sonia Colonna-Mathis is a Georgetown-based multimedia artist whose work blends whimsy with a sharp, often literary sense of humor. A lifelong creator, she earned her BFA in Studio Art from The University of Texas at Austin and continues to pursue art education whenever possible.

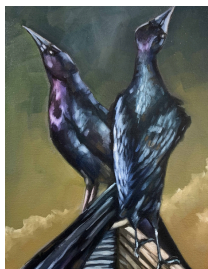


Comfortable across a wide range of mediums, Sonia works

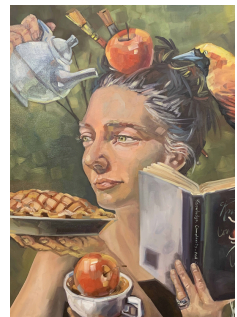


primarily in oils and mixed media, continually refining her skills. Her pieces often feature playful, imaginative elements layered with deeper symbolism, inviting viewers to look closer and discover unexpected narratives.

Sonia has contributed widely to the arts community, creating illustrations for board



games and apps, organizing pop-up shows, and founding the annual Haunted Art House exhibit. She also previously owned a gallery and frame shop in Georgetown and has also worked on restoring historic oil paintings.



Sonia has served WCAG as both Gallery and Newsletter Chair and continues to support artists through teaching and mentorship. She currently serves on the Exhibits Committee for the Georgetown Art Center and works as a custom picture frame designer.

Be sure to stop by and see Sonia's distinctive work on display beginning **April 2nd** at WCAG's Rock Street Gallery.

APRIL GALLERY RECEPTION

An inviting evening of art at the Rock Street Gallery

Get ready for new art and live music to welcome spring!

Spend your Friday evening with us at WCAG's Rock Street Gallery for our April First Friday reception on **April 3 from 5-7 pm**. It's a great chance to experience the newest work by our member artists and enjoy the creative atmosphere that makes these gatherings so special.

We'll have refreshments on hand, with beer generously provided by a local brewer, and live music from special guests Lizette Wong and Chirag Gokani. Whether you're coming to see what's new on the walls, listen to great music, or simply enjoy a relaxed evening among fellow art lovers, we hope you'll join us!

LOOKING BACK AT A CREATIVE FIRST FRIDAY IN MARCH

It was a relaxing night at the gallery, surrounded by new artwork and good friends.

March's First Friday reception brought a warm and welcoming crowd to the Rock Street Gallery, where members and guests gathered to enjoy an evening of art, music, and community.

The gallery walls were filled with new work by WCAG artists, offering a wide variety of styles and subjects to explore. Guests took their time moving through the space, connecting with artists and enjoying the creative makes these evenings so special.



Linda Campbell's oil painting "Under the Poppies"

We were also pleased to recognize our February People's Choice winners. First place went to *Under the Poppies*, an oil painting by Linda Campbell, and second place to *Family Quilt*, an acrylic painting

by Greg Gotham. Congratulations to both artists!

Refreshments were served, with beer generously provided by a local brewery, and live music from The Faux McCoys added a lively, easygoing energy to the evening.



Greg Gotham's acrylic painting "Family Quilt"

Thank you to everyone who attended and supported our artists. It was another wonderful gathering as we continue celebrating our 50th anniversary year.



Get ready for something BIG!

This May, the WCAG Rock Street Gallery will feature the Big Picture Show dedicated to large-format artwork. Open to all paid members, this unique show will include pieces ranging from 24"x36" up to 48"x72". Watch for the CFA coming via email from Maria Magaldi in early April!

CURRENT EXHIBITS

Visit any of these venues to view beautiful art by our members!

Truewood by Merrill's Truewood Gallery

4907 Williams Dr., Georgetown

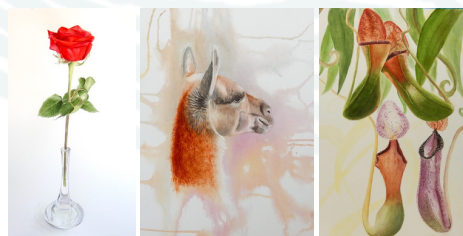
Solo Exhibit by Denis Benjamin

Theme: "Images of Nature"

Watercolor

Exhibit dates: March 5 - April 2

Coordinator: Katrina King, kinggirlsmom@aol.com



Some of Denis Benjamin's artwork on display at the Truewood Gallery through April 2nd.

And, same venue, coming later this month...

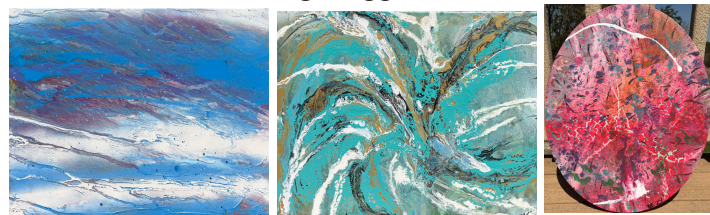
Solo Exhibit by Elizabeth Curtis

Theme: "Spring Breeze"

Acrylic Paint and Spray Paint

Exhibit dates: April 2 - April 29

Coordinator: Katrina King, kinggirlsmom@aol.com



Some of Elizabeth Curtis's work on display at Truewood through April 29th.

St. David's Georgetown Hospital, Healing Arts Gallery

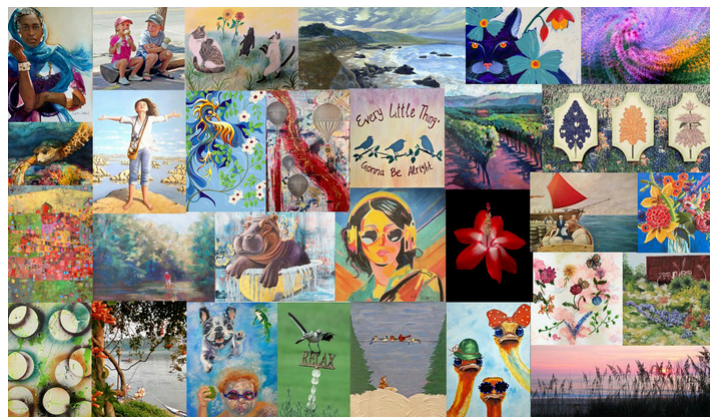
2000 Scenic Dr., Georgetown

Group Exhibit: About 20 different WCAG artists on display

Exhibit theme: "The Healing Power of Art"

Exhibit dates: March 6 - May 8

Coordinator: Ted Keller, tedk.secretary@wcagtx.org



A composite of the works on display at St. David's Hospital through May 8

The Wilco Office of Victims of Crimes

National Crime Victims' Rights Exhibit

100 Wilco Way, Georgetown

Theme: "Listen. Act. Advocate: Protect victims, Serve communities"

Exhibit dates: April 21 - 22

Coordinator: Lynn Kessel, lynn.president@wcagtx.org

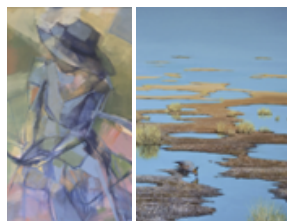
Framer's Gallery

610 S. Main Street, Georgetown

Theme: Artist's choice

Exhibit dates: March 26 - April 30

Coordinator: Debra Soule, debra.framersgallery@wcagtx.org



Three of the pieces on display at Framer's Gallery this month. From left, "Once Upon a Time" by Jessica Cook and "Deluged Desert Gift" by Debra Soule. Above, "Morning Light" by Judy Copeland.

UPCOMING EXHIBITS/CFAs

Put your art on display!

Framer's Gallery

610 S. Main Street, Georgetown

Theme: Artist's choice

Call for art: Watch for an email the first week of April

Exhibit dates: April 30 - May 28

Coordinator: Debra Soule, debra.framersgallery@wcagtx.org

Truewood by Merrill's Truewood Gallery

4907 Williams Dr., Georgetown

Solo Exhibit by Ruth Gamble

Theme: "The Many Faces of Nature"

Oil, Pastel, and Mixed Media

Exhibit dates: April 29 - May 28

Coordinator: Katrina King, kinggirlsmom@aol.com

The Palace Theater, Springer Lobby

810 S. Austin Ave., Georgetown

Production/theme: "Jesus Christ Superstar"

For more about the play:

Please google "Jesus Christ Superstar"

Call for art: Open. Please send some more submissions!

Submission deadline: April 30

Exhibit dates: May 7 - July 9

Performances: May 29 - July 5

Scheduled dates may be subject to change due to renovations at the Palace.

Exhibits Chair/Coordinator: Patti Wojtowecz, patti.exhibits@wcagtx.org

The Art of Us 2026: Celebrating African American Creativity in Williamson County

An Artistic Collaboration Between the Shotgun House History and Area Artists

What: A juried exhibit for African American Artists of Williamson County

Where: WCAG Gallery, 708 S. Rock St., Georgetown

Theme: "African American Creativity"

Call for art: Sent by email on February 26th

Submission deadline: August 19

Exhibit dates: September 1 - 28

Reception: Friday, September 4, 5-7pm

Coordinator: Lynn Kessel, lynn.president@wcagtx.org

ART CLASSES/WORKSHOPS

Take advantage and sharpen your skills

Introduction to the Art of Weaving

Learn free-form weaving on a small loom with Anca Thomas! Anca will provide the necessary items, including the loom, and you will take home one small piece designed by your own hands with various fibers.

Date/time: Saturday April 11th; 11am - 2pm

Location: The Nest, 2201 Old Airport Rd.

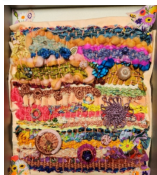
Number of sessions: 1

Cost: \$40 for WCAG members or \$50 for non-members

Supplies are provided

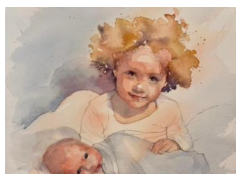
Student level: Beginner to Intermediate

Contact: Anca Thomas at ancadoruvlad@verizon.net to enroll or ask questions



Painting Faces: The Art of Watercolor Portraiture

Learn to paint portraits in beautiful watercolor with Jennifer Polnaszek! This class is for the beginner to intermediate watercolor painter. Jennifer will send a supply list to purchase before the first class.



Date/time: Tuesdays April 14th, 21st, and 28th; 9am - 12noon

Location: The Nest, 2201 Old Airport Rd., Georgetown

Number of sessions: 3

Cost: \$175 for WCAG members or \$185 for non-members;

Supply list will be sent before first class

Student level: Beginner to Intermediate

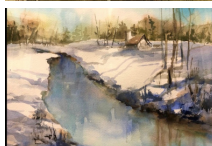
Contact: To enroll or ask questions, contact Jennifer Polnaszek at jenniferpolnaszek@yahoo.com or 210-896-7459 (text please as her phone often blocks unknown calls)

BRUSH UP on Landscapes with Alicia Farris

Landscape painting with watercolor can produce spectacular results, especially when you discover new techniques and fresh perspectives from an excellent instructor, internationally known, like Alicia Farris. In addition to landscapes, we'll tackle pet portraits and experiment with yupo, so there's a lot to look forward to!

Sponsored by the Waterloo Watercolor Group of Austin, the class will be held **Monday, April 20th to Wednesday, April 22nd from 9am to 4pm** each day at **St. Michael's Episcopal Church**, 1500 North Capital of Texas Highway, Austin, TX. Tickets are \$400 each. To register, please visit waterloowatercolor.org/event/3-day-alicia-farris-workshop-2/.

To learn more about instructor Alicia Farris, view her recent feature in *Watercolor Magazine* and visit her website at www.afarris.com.



Photographing Your Work

You invest considerable time and expertise in creating stunning art. You need high quality photographs to show it off, submit it for acceptance in exhibits, advertise your art via digital media, and/or create accurate reproductions as prints. In this class led by Ted Keller, you will learn accurate lighting, camera set-up, managing reflections, color management, file resizing and renaming images, what jurors are looking for, creating an art image repository, and how to optimize imagery for web use. You will also learn optimal settings on your own photo device (camera or phone) to produce digital images that faithfully represent your original art pieces and comply with submission guidelines for respective uses and media. **Bring the photo device you plan to use—at least 8MP.**



Date/time: Saturday May 2nd; 10am - 1pm

Location: The Nest, 2201 Old Airport Rd., Georgetown

Number of sessions: 1

Cost: \$65 for WCAG members; \$75 for non-members

Payment: Cash, Check, Credit/Debit Card can be accepted

To register: Send Name, Email, Phone #, and state payment method you prefer to use to PBTK.K100@yahoo.com with subject: "Photographing Art Workshop"

Class size: Limited to 20

Questions? Contact Ted Keller at PBTK.K100@yahoo.com

Graphite/Pencil Drawing Masterclass

In this class by Debra Soule, learn drawing techniques that take your artwork to the next level! Pencil drawing is the basic training ground for core art skills: light-to-dark value control, textures, and composition. Elevate your drawing skills and improve your underdrawings for finished work in any medium.



Date/time: Saturdays May 9th, 16th, and 23rd; 9:30am - 12noon

Location: The Nest, 2201 Old Airport Rd., Georgetown

Number of sessions: 3

Cost: \$185 for WCAG members or \$195 for non-members;

Supply list will be sent before first class

Student level: Beginner to Intermediate

Contact: To enroll or ask questions, contact Debra Soule at djsoule@protonmail.com or 512-888-3895.

Want to teach a class? Want to learn a particular skill or type of art?

Contact Jennifer Polnaszek to share your ideas and she'll help make it happen! jennifer.presidentelect@wcagtx.org

"Creativity is contagious. Pass it on."

Albert Einstein

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Get involved and support the arts in Williamson County

For a rewarding experience, volunteer with our art community!

Exhibit Coordinator

We are always looking for exhibit help! If you would like to volunteer to coordinate or even co-coordinate a show or two for any exhibit opportunities that may come our way, please contact Patti Wojtowecz at patti.exhibits@wcagtx.org.

Monthly Presenters

Interested in presenting at an upcoming member meeting? If you would like to share your expertise with other WCAG members, we would love to have you! Contact our Programs Chair, Ruth Gamble, at ruth.programs@wcagtx.org.

Art Class Instructors

Teaching an art class is another great way to share your expertise with other WCAG members. If you'd like to offer an art class, contact Jennifer Polnaszek at jennifer.presidentelect@wcagtx.org.

THE ART WORLD

Interesting resources for artists

artsandculture.google.com

A free online platform that lets artists explore high-resolution images of artworks, virtual museum tours, and curated exhibitions from over 2,000 cultural institutions worldwide. Discover art by theme, style, or color, and even tour various art museums Google-streetview style.

webapp.magicposer.com

Pose customizable 3D human figures to use as reference for drawing and composition. You can adjust anatomy, lighting, camera angles, and props, helping you quickly visualize scenes and solve challenges like perspective, gesture, and lighting before putting pencil to paper.

tinyurl.com/canopyartcrawl

On the first Saturday of each month, the Open Canopy studio crawl invites the public into 57 working studios at Canopy in Austin. With more than 70 resident artists, visitors can explore private studios, see works in progress, and engage directly with artists about their practice. Tickets are free.

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