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Watercolor - A Happy Medium

Calendar **General Meetings & Demos CWA Workshop Series CWA 52nd National Exhibition CWA Member Shows** Plein Air

Don't Miss the CWA 52nd

National Exhibition January 8–March 12, 2022

Opening Reception March 5, 2022

Go to page 2 for more info!

California TERCOLOR Association

ZOOM Demo for Members and Guests at 6:00 pm, PST, Wednesday, March 16, 2022



March ZOOM Demo **HOW TO IMPROVE A PAINTING** by Artist Tom Lynch

There will be a **ZOOM General Meeting** and **Painting Demonstration** by Tom Lynch for CWA members and friends to participate, on Wednesday, March 16, 2022, from 6:00-8:00 pm, PST. Prior to the General Meeting, we will email the ZOOM link to members (some members are finding it in their spam folder or not receiving it at all, so we are also providing the link info below).

ZOOM Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87417695495?pwd=ditXUWV4M2RTSHpmVWpxWHNvVDcydz09 Meeting ID: 874 1769 5495 **Passcode:** 771310





Visual Critiques: Improve Depth, Edges, and Gradation

In our March 16, 2022, General Meeting Demo, renowned artist Tom Lynch will be demonstrating "How to Improve a Painting." Tom has a unique format when offering suggestions for improving finished paintings. Members will have submitted the paintings that they need help with, and Tom will choose several of these "failed paintings" from

those submitted. He will discuss the merits of the painting and demonstrate his suggestions for improving it by painting directly on the painting. This will allow everyone to see and hear the how and why along with seeing the Before and After. This 'visual critique' will be a learning experience for all to enjoy. This program is great for artists working in any medium. You will never discard a failed painting ever again. For those paintings chosen for the demo, he will return them with his changes (with a free print!) afterward. We will keep names anonymous at the demo.

Please note that we are moving the March 16 general meeting up an hour to start at 6:00 pm, PST, to accommodate our artist Tom Lynch who is in another time zone.

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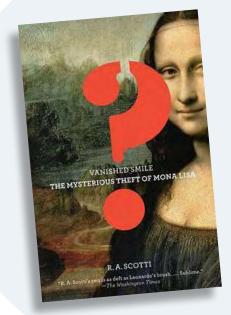


The Drawing Board California Watercolor Association

Each month, a different member of the CWA Board of Directors will have the opportunity to write an art-related article for our members.

Good Reads

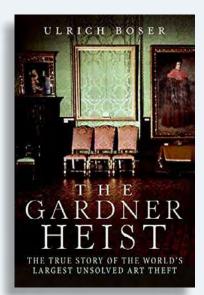
I have read some entertaining and interesting art books. They are not the 'How to' books, rather they have been about interesting historical events in the world of art. I pass them on to you for some spring and summer reading.



Vanished Smile — The Mysterious Theft of the Mona Lisa by R. A. Scott This non-fiction book is about the disappearance of Leonardo da Vinci's most celebrated painting from the Louvre Museum on August 21, 1911. The prime suspects were as shocking as the crime: Pablo Picasso and Guillaume Apollinaire, young provocateurs of a new art form. The sensational disappearing act captured the world's imagination. Crowds stood in line to view the empty space on the museum wall. Thousands more waited, as concerned as if Mona Lisa were a missing person, for news of the lost painting. It was gone for two years before it was found, but a century later, questions still linger: Who really pinched Mona Lisa, and why? Part love story, part mystery, This book reopens the puzzling case that transformed a Renaissance portrait

into the most enduring icon of all time.

The Forger's Spell — A True Story of Vermeer, Nazis, and the Greatest Art Hoax of the **Twentieth Century** by Edward Dolnick As riveting as a World War II thriller, *The Forger's Spell* is the true story of three men and an extraordinary deception: the revered artist Johannes Vermeer; the small-time Dutch painter who dared to impersonate him years later; and the con man's mark, Hermann Goering, the fanatical art collector and one of Nazi Germany's most reviled leaders.



The Gardner Heist by Ulrich Boser

If you're still in the mood for more non-fiction art reading, in the early morning hours of March 18, 1990,

thieves posing as cops entered Boston's Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum and left with a haul unrivaled in the art world, including three Rembrandts and a Vermeer, valued today at \$600 million. Boser, a contributing editor at U.S. News and World Report, turned amateur sleuth after the death of a legendary independent fine arts claims adjuster, Harold Smith, who was haunted by the Gardner robbery. Boser carried on Smith's work, pursuing leads as varied as James Whitey Bulger's Boston mob and the IRA. Along the way, he visited felons—including the notorious art thief Myles Connor—and Bob Wittman, the FBI's only art theft undercover agent. Boser recounts his years spent collecting clues large and small although, after 25 years, the paintings have still not been found: the museum is offering a \$5 million reward for information leading to their return.

Kathleen Stumpfel CWA Member Shows

YORK TIMES BESTSELLER

THE

FORGER'S

SPELL

A TRUE STORY OF

VERMEER, NAZIS, AND THE GREATEST

ART HOAX OF THE

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EDWARD DOLNICK



CALIFORNIA WATERCOLOR ASSOCIATION

52nd National Exhibit

Please join us for the

Artists' Reception & Awards Presentation

March 5, 2022, from 12:00-3:00 pm

Harrington Gallery at Firehouse Arts Center 4444 Railroad Ave., Pleasanton, CA 94566

Exhibition dates: January 8-March 12, 2022 Open to the public.

Click here to email National Exhibition: Michael Friedland.

Family Day at the 52nd National Exhibition

In planning public events during the National Exhibition, we were asked to include a Family Day. Our idea was that we would make large prints of four of the paintings in the exhibition that were simple enough for kids to reproduce. We would invite kids and parents to pose for a photo with the painting that their child chose. We would give them that photo and then their kid(s) could paint their own version of it with the paint, paper and brushes that we provided. In this way, the family went home that day with their family photo, their child's painting and a nice memory.

Michael got in touch with Sheila to borrow the material that Community Outreach keeps on hand for these types of events. While this was a National Exhibition event, it was just as much a Community Outreach event, so we teamed up. Sheila invited Georganne Zaro-Eddy to help. Pat Lauer was already on board and brought her friend Pam Novi, a former kindergarten teacher.

We set-up outside the Harrington Gallery down the street from a popular ice cream parlor. It was a warm Saturday as families, ice cream cones in hand, passed by. Our colorful signage, tables with balloons and art supplies and us in CWA hats were enough to stop traffic. We explained to those passing by what we were doing. Kids and parents were intrigued and excited to participate.

The children chose which of the paintings they wanted to paint. After their family photo was done, one of us helped them get set up with supplies and encouraged or guided them through their painting process. Everyone had fun! Some parents were truly amazed at how focused their child was on their artwork. This creative process was new to many. Parents expressed how an event like this could foster an interest in more painting in their child's future. That was exactly what the National Committee and Community Outreach had hoped to accomplish with Family Day.

Sheila Cain & Michael Friedland















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CALIFORNIA WATERCOLOR ASSOCIATION

52nd National Exhibition

Thank You

The National Committee organized seven events to present at the gallery during the run of the exhibition. In addition to Family Day, we had three gallery talks and three demos. I invited the six people who graciously and generously agreed to take their time to do these presentations. I would like to take the opportunity here to thank them for the work that they have voluntarily done to add to our exhibition this year. There is a lot of time and planning that goes in to doing a gallery talk or a demo and I am very grateful to all six of you who have helped with these events.

For the gallery talks, **THANK** you Pat Moseuk, Carolyn Lord and Barbara Tapp.

And for the demos, **THANK** you Sasha Boyko, Steven Berry and Raffi Kondy.

Your time, effort and expertise is greatly appreciated!

I would also like to **THANK** Pat Lauer, Sheila Cain, Georganne Zaro-Eddy and Pam Novi for your help with the Family Day event.

There are some people that are just always there when help is needed and happy to lend a hand to help with anything that needs to be done. Joe Tringali, **THANK** you for stepping forward to help with the video work needed to present the demos...and Pat Wai, **THANK** you for helping with the last minute video setup help that I enjoyed doing with you last week when Joe was not available.

And of course, we at CWA are grateful to the Harrington Gallery and all who work there for hosting our National Exhibition!

Michael Friedland
Director National Exhibition



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www.californiawatercolor.org/contact.php and choose a recipient from the drop down menu.

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Make changes to your address, phone number and email on the members home page, under membership when you're logged with a current membership account.

Email datamanager@californiawatercolor.org if you have trouble logging in.

Monthly ZOOM Meetings

are held the third Wednesday of each month from 7:00–9:00 pm, unless otherwise specified.

The March 16, 2022 ZOOM Meeting will be held from 6:00-8:00 pm, PST.

Newsletter Distribution

To receive this newsletter electronically please contact the Data Manager with the email address at which you wish to receive the newsletter.

CWA Photo Notice

CWA may be taking photos or videos at CWA events. Your presence at CWA events constitutes your "permission, consent and release" to be photographed without compensation whatsoever in perpetuity. Images may be used online and in print exclusively by CWA explicitly for publicity, information and promotion.

COVID-19 Notice

Please note that all future dates, workshops and events (CWA and Non-CWA) are subject to change due to Federal, State of California, and local COVID-19 restrictions.

Please confirm with any of the organizations or events listed in the newsletter before submitting artwork or making plans to





attend a future event.



Plan Ahead!

Submissions for the newsletter must be received by the 15th of the month prior to publication!

April Newsletter Deadline is March 15th.

Click here to make a submission.

LAST CHANCE! Entry Deadline is March 1, 2022



CWA Members Show

April 7-July 1, 2022

Show will be online if COVID restrictions prevent a gallery show.

Entry Deadline

March 1, 2022

Jurors

Juror of Selection: Susan Blackwood, AWS, NWS, MWS, AWA, AIS, OPA Juror of Awards: Chris Harper Triplett

Awards

1st Place — \$100, 2nd Place — \$75, 3rd Place — \$50, and 4 Honorable Mentions

Show Calendar

(Save these Dates)

March 1 Entry Deadline

March 14 Notifications emailed to all accepted artists and posted on CWA website

April 2 Artwork drop-off at Delta Gallery Community Art Center

April 4–6 Hang Show

April 7–13 Juror's award selection by Juror of Awards

April 7 Gallery Show opens

April 16 Artist's Reception and Awards, TBD pending COVID restrictions

June 24 Exhibitors receive an email reminder about artwork pick-up

July 1 Show closes

July 1–2 Pick up paintings at the gallery

July 31 Sales checks sent to artists

Prospectus

Click here for prospectus on or after January 11, 2022.

To Enter

Log in to the Members home page at www.californiawatercolor.org, choose Shows/Exhibitions, then Member Shows and choose Beauty of California. Confirm your information, add your painting details and upload your images. Entry Fee is \$25 for two images, \$35 for a maximum of three images. Entries open 1/11/22.

Venue

Delta Gallery Community Art Center 2485 Sand Creek Rd., Suite 128 I Brentwood CA 94513 (In The Streets of Brentwood Shopping Center)

Questions: Contact us at shows@californiawatercolor.org

CALIFORNIA WATERCOLOR ASSOCIATION 2022 WATERCOLOR ONLINE WORKSHOP SERIES



Tom Lynch Color and Contrast, Light and Shadow 4-Day Online Workshop



April 18-22, 2022

Intermediate Beginner to Expert

Plus 2- bonus days of lecture and critique meetings! CWA Members \$325 Non-Members \$385

The focus of this comprehensive workshop is to go through the building blocks of creating successful FINISHED paintings. Tom will take you beyond techniques and guide you from the photograph to the preliminary sketches, then show each of the stages in creating

Artist website at www.tomlvnch.com

beautiful, finished works of art.





Janet Rogers, AWS Watercolor Impression — Flowers to Figures

4-Day Online Workshop | May 10-13, 2022 | Advanced Beginner to Expert

CWA Members \$235 Non-Members \$295

This workshop begins with a study of the nature of flowers and then moves into learning to interpret the head and figure which consists of a series of lessons, quick exercises and then into painting, thus enabling students to gain knowledge and confidence in an approach.

Artist website at www.watercolorsbyrogers.com





Leslie Wilson, CWA

Watercolors — Fresh and Loose

3-Day Online Workshop | August 15-17, 2022 | Advanced Beginner to Expert

CWA Members \$315 Non-Members \$375

Explore watercolor painting to its fullest with emphasis upon a direct painting process, incorporating elements of design and your own creative vision. Students will develop more advanced watercolor painting skills using still life, live model, and/or photographic references.

Arist website at https://www.lesliewilson.net





3-Day Online Workshop | September 19-21, 2022 | Advanced Beginner to Advanced

CWA Members \$340 Non-Members \$400

In this workshop you will work on techniques to strengthen your skills in watercolor landscape painting. Fundamentals covered will include: creating a strong composition, evoking a sense of light through the use of values; and manipulating color for its full expressive effect.

Artist website at www.mreardon.com



Fealing Lin, NWS, TWSA, WW, SDWS, MWS **Transparent Watercolor Portraiture and Figure**

3-Day Online Workshop | October 12-14, 2022 | Intermediate to Expert

CWA Members \$175 Non-Members \$235



Fealing will teach you how to relax and enjoy the process as you discover the spontaneity and uniqueness to watercolor. You will also learn how to capture the quality of light available to you. You will achieve a level of transparency with your images and develop an understanding of head architecture that will give you the confidence to take on even the most challenging portraits. Artist website at www.fealingwater.com

CWA strives to provide our students with some of the best workshops with the top professional artists of our time. Please join in the fun. We look forward to meeting you. For full workshop descriptions, pricing, and online registration, go to http://www.californiawatercolor.org/classes.php. To request additional information, go to www.californiawatercolor.org/contact.php and choose **Workshops** from the **Recipient** drop-down menu.

\$Money Matter\$

Presented below is the California Watercolor Association (CWA) 2021 Profit and Loss Statement. This statement is subject to the variability of the income and expenses related to workshops, member shows, and the national exhibition. During 2021 CWA adapted to COVID restrictions by conducting workshops and general meetings via Zoom. While the 2021 National Exhibition was still online-only, member shows have migrated back to inperson gallery shows in addition to being available online on the CWA website. As a result of CWA's flexibility, the organization continues to thrive, and the P&L is back in positive territory with a net income of \$15,059. If you have any questions, go to www.californiawatercolor.org/contact.php, choose the **Budget Director** option from the **Recipient** drop-down menu and type your question in the Comments Section.

INCOME	
CWA Member Shows Entry Fees Sales Donations	\$4,425 \$62 \$100
Interest	\$160
Membership New Renewal Sales (Aprons, etc) Artist Sales Donations Advertising	\$4,725 \$16,650 \$52 \$1,050 \$560 \$150
National Exhibition Entry Fees Artist Sales Catalog Sales Donations Handling Fees	\$10,825 \$90 \$479 \$3,185 \$4,550
Outreach Program	\$0
Artist Sales	\$1,050
Video Rental	\$190
Workshops Discounts Donations Fees	(\$1,061) \$560 \$41,358
Sales Tax Adjustments	\$1
TOTAL INCOME	\$89,161

EXPENSES	
Administration Insurance Merchant Fees Website Fees License/Permits Taxes Interest	\$1,627 \$2,046 \$610 \$45 \$51 \$2
Contract Services Accounting Data Manager Newsletter Editor Advertising	\$10,285 \$6,750 \$5,200 \$0
CWA Member Shows Awards Commissions Juror Fees Rent Supplies/Printing	\$925 \$0 \$700 \$0 \$0
Membership Catering Demo Artist Fees Postage Printing Rental/Storage Fees Supplies	\$0 \$2,500 \$94 \$0 \$3,322 \$10
National Exhibition Advertising Awards Catalog Catering Commission Equipment Rental Demonstration Instructors Juror Fees Postage Printing Rent, storage and venue Supplies	\$0 \$9,650 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$132 \$0 \$0 \$632 \$110 \$2,978 \$10
Outreach Awards Donations Scholarships Supplies	\$150 \$0 \$150
Workshops Artist Instructors Advertising AV Event Setup Catering Model Fees Postage Printing Room Rental Supplies TOTAL EXPENSES	\$20,900 \$600 \$0 \$0 \$0 \$939 \$3,663 \$0 \$21
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$15,059



Plein Air – Tao House, Danville Saturday, March 19, 2022, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm



At the Eugene O'Neill National Historic Site (\bigstar), we will be guests of the Eugene O'Neill Foundation, Tao House and the National Park Service. It was at Tao House where O'Neill found the peace and quiet to write his late masterpieces, including A Moon for the Misbegotten, The Iceman Cometh, and Long Day's Journey Into Night. Take a self-guided tour of the house and see O'Neill's study and his player-piano. No painting or eating indoors, but there is plenty to explore on the grounds. You can see the Old Barn, where in September Long Day's Journey will be performed during the 20th anniversary of the Eugene O'Neill Festival. Have your brown-bag lunch at the picnic tables and paint views of Mount Diablo, the Las Trampas hills, the nut orchard, the courtyard garden, cows grazing nearby, and even the gravesite of O'Neill's Dalmatian. Bring a bag lunch and we can get together at 1:00 pm to review paintings and have lunch. Water, rest rooms and picnic tables are available. Rain cancels. For more information, go to www.eugeneoneill.org.

Parking and Shuttle Information:

To get to the site, catch the NPS shuttle in front of the Museum of the San Ramon Valley (★), 205 Railroad Ave., Danville, CA 94526. Park free in the large lot next to the museum. Saturday shuttle pick-up times at museum: 10:15 am, 12:15 pm, and 2:15 pm. For your return: last shuttle at 3:30 pm.

Park site is on a private road, visitors will be shuttled up to the park site from the museum.

Directions to Danville:

From the West: Highway 24 toward Walnut Creek, merge onto 680 in San Jose direction, take the El Cerro exit into Danville, continue west on El Cerro, then a left turn onto Danville Blvd. Immediately after San Ramon Valley High School, take a right onto Railroad Ave. On the right in a few blocks you will come to the museum (cross street is Prospect Ave.) and the parking lot.

From the East: Highway 24 toward Walnut Creek, merge onto 680 in San Jose direction, take the El Cerro exit as described above.







Watercolor by Chuck Dorsett

Questions?

Contact JoAnn McMahon, Plein Air Coordinator Email: joannm1@mac.com or pleinair@californiawatercolor.org Cell: (510) 435-9763

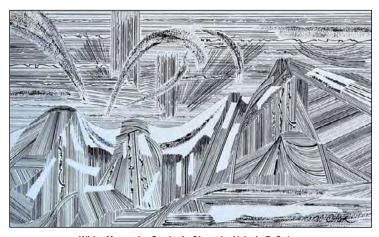


Per the current CDC recommended guidelines, all guests are required to wear masks while visiting the park, regardless of vaccination status. Please call JoAnn at (510) 435-9763 if you have any questions regarding the possibility of a cancellation.

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Member News



White Mountain, Geologic Chaos by Valerie P. Cohen

Valerie P. Cohen, CWA, SDWS

Next May through July, Valerie will have a solo show at the USFS Schulman Grove Visitor Center. This is in the Ancient Bristlecone Pine Forest, high in California's White Mountains.

Her watercolor paintings and India ink drawings illustrate A Garden of Bristlecones: Tales of Change in the Great Basin, and Tree Lines, written by environmental author Michael P. Cohen and published by the University of Nevada Press in 1998 and 2017.

Artist website at www.valeriepcohen.com



Tick Check by Doug Greer

Doug Greer, MCWA — Has a Painting in Splash 23

Doug's painting, Tick Check, will appear later this year in SPLASH 23, the next edition of The Best in Watercolor published annually by North Light Books.

Welcome New Members

Diana Anderson, Margaret Bailey, Gloria Benedict, Antoaneta Georgieva, Annie Melick, Hong Wang, Teri Young

> To email membership, go to: www.californiawatercolor.org/contact.php and choose **Membership Director** from the drop down menu.



Lavender Skies by Tom Lynch





Tom Lynch

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Tom has been referred to as one of the nation's premier watercolorists. He has written seven books and hosted several award-winning PBS TV Art Series. He was recently listed as one of the nation's top 20 teachers by a leading Art magazine. He is represented by some of the nation's leading museums and art galleries. He has been the spokesperson for the entire National Art Materials Trade Association and continues to be the international spokesperson for many leading art material manufacturers. Tom is currently featured on the new cable TV channel Visual Arts Network, and in 2007 he became the CMO and featured artist for Art Academy Live (the leading online education source).

Michelle George & Pat Wai CWA Co Program Directors

Artist website at www.tomlynch.com



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We Need You!

Now is your chance to be a CWA board member! The positions of President, and Communications Director are open. Please contact former CWA President Carol Husslein for more information and say you want to volunteer. You can read the description of the positions in the CWA bylaws. Email Carol at cahusslein@yahoo.com

To Email a Board, Staff or **Committee Member Go To:**

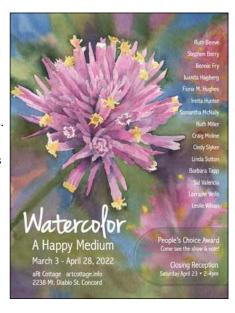
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Watercolor Artwork **Showcases Bay Area Artists in Concord Show**

The aRt Cottage Art Gallery, Concord's premier art gallery, announces a prestigious upcoming new show of watercolor paintings by Bay Area artists.

The show, "Watercolor — A Happy Medium," features watercolor paintings by 15 past and present California Watercolor Association members and runs from March 3 to April 28, 2022 at the aRt Cottage Gallery, 2238 Mt. Diablo St., Concord, CA.

aRt Cottage gallery owner, Frogard Schmidt invited local watercolor artist and teacher, Samantha McNally to curate the watercolor show which



highlights watercolor's unique properties and challenges. Drawing from Samantha's experience as ex-President of the California Watercolor Association, and 20 years as a watercolor artist, she selected the following Bay Area °artists to participate:

Ruth Beeve Stephen Berry Bonnie Fry Juanita Hagberg Fiona M. Hughes Iretta Hunter Samantha McNally Ruth Miller Craig Moline Cindy Slyker Linda Sutton Barbara Tapp Sal Valencia Lorraine Wells Leslie Wilson

Click here for a video preview of the 'Happy Medium' show, and more info.

The public is encouraged to visit the watercolor show, and vote in a People's Choice Award that will be presented during the art show's closing reception at the aRt Cottage on April 23, from 2:00-4:00 pm.

Fiona M. Hughes, Press Contact Fiona@petprojects.net www.petprojects.net

Dale Laitinen's Finished February Demo Painting



Cliffs and Bay by Dale Laitinen

This is Dale's finished painting. He worked on it in the February 16 demo, then did finishing touches afterwards. Dale added texture and generally tightened up the image. He also added to the extreme foreground and sea patterns.

Show News

Sacramento Fine Arts — **Online Art Exhibit and Auction Benefitting the Effie Yeaw Nature Center**

Open to all artists, a juried themed art exhibit of creative interpretations of life in our local natural world, including the Nature Center, the American River Parkway and the things that live and grow there. All art to be hand delivered. All art media is wanted; paintings, drawings, sculpture, fiber art and photography.

Entry Deadline: April 8, 2022 Entry Notification: April 16, 2022 Show Dates: May 3-31, 2022

Entry Fees: Members — \$15 each or 3 for \$40; Non-Members —

\$20 per work or 3 for \$50 (non-refundable)

Sacramento Fine Arts Center, Inc., 5330B Gibbons Drive, Carmichael, CA 95608 (916) 971-3713 www.sacfinearts.org

Click here to enter.

Open Call for Submissions (Re)Collection at Center for the Arts Evergreen

The Center for the Arts Evergreen (CAE) invites you to participate in a gallery show demonstrating the power of memory through images and spoken word. CAE is seeking artwork in all mediums (2-D and 3-D) that responds to the exhibition's theme, (Re) Collection. This show will be juried by the CAE Curatorial Committee. Prize money will be \$250 Best in Show; \$150 2nd place; \$100 3rd place.

Entry Deadline: March 13, 2022 Entry Acceptance: March 18, 2022 Show Dates: April 7—May 7, 2022 Entry Fees: Pay-what-you-are-able

Center for the Arts Evergreen 31880 Rocky Village Drive Evergreen, CO 80439 (303) 674-0056 evergreenarts.org

Click here to enter.

Call For Entries Rocky Mountain National Watermedia 2022

The Rocky Mountain National Watermedia (RMNW) exhibition, in its 49th year, is presented by Center for the Arts Evergreen (CAE) in Evergreen, Colorado. RMNW attracts entrants and jurors from throughout the United States and is regarded as one of the top watermedia exhibitions in the country. This show traditionally offers more than \$10,000 in cash awards. In 2022, the exhibit will be partially supported by a Challenge America grant from the National Endowment for the Arts.

Submission Deadline: May 16, 2022

Exhibition Dates: September 23-October 29, 2022

Juror: Soon Warren

Center for the Arts Evergreen 31880 Rocky Village Drive Evergreen, CO 80439 (303) 674-0056 evergreenarts.org

Click here to find out more and to enter.

Call to Bay Area Artists for Juried Show: Slopes of Diablo 2022

The subject is the artist's perspective and interpretation of the awe-inspiring East Bay landmark Mount Diablo. Only twodimensional mediums will be accepted: painting, drawing, photography, printmaking, collage, mixed media. Original recent work only. No reproductions. Open to Artists residing in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Deadline for Submission: Friday, April 8, 2022 Exhibition Dates: May 14-June 25, 2022 Opening Reception: Sunday, May 15, 2022.

Juror: Randall Sexton

Juror's Awards: First Place Award \$350, Second Place Award \$250,

Third Place Award \$150, and Three Honorable Mentions

Venue: Valley Art Gallery

Entry Fees: Gallery members - \$35 for first work;

Non-members – \$45 for first work (\$5 for each additional work up

to three works total). Entry fees are non-refundable.

For more info, contact ValleyArtGallery@gmail.com

Valley Art Gallery 1661 Botelho Drive, Suite 110 Walnut Creek, CA 94596 (925) 935-4311 valleyartgallery.org

Click here to enter.

CWA Member Resources



Watch Us on YouTube!

Did you miss a general meeting demo? Want to go back and review part of a demo again? Watch now on YouTube.

Check out our YouTube Channel and subscribe to get notified of our latest demos from your favorite artists! Don't forget to subscribe to the channel!

Thank you, and enjoy!





CWA Michael Holter Demo

CWA Stephen Berry Demo





CWA 50th National Art Show at CWA 50th National Show 2020 the Harrington Gallery





CWA Roland Lee Demo

CWA Leslie Wilson Demo

And More!



<u>Click here</u> to go to the CWA YouTube Channel, and don't forget to click the subscribe button!



CWA Video Library

Staying engaged and creative is easy...just go to the CWA website and view the library catalog, note the video that you are interested in, send Joe the catalog number in an email and he will check to see if it's available. He will let you know about it's availability and mail it to you if available. It is your responsibility to return the video 30 days after receiving. It can be dropped off at Joe's home or mailed. All you need to do is pay postage.

Click Here to view our entire catalog.

It can also be found by going to our website and clicking the About Us Tab and follow the link to Video Library.

Checking out a video will be simple, please follow the steps below:

- 1) You must be a Member
- 2) Once you find a video that you are interested in, note the Catalog Abstract Number.
- 3) Email me at **Jftringali@sbcglobal.net**, with the Catalog Abstract Number and I will check its availability. I will send you a verification if it is available or let you know if it is checked out.
- 4) If the video is available we will mail it to your home via USPS. Your address on your membership records will be used for shipping.

Please login and make sure your address information is up-to-date.

5) Your rental period is for 30 days. You are responsible to return the video to me. You are responsible for return shipping costs.

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6) Members who return videos after 30 days must pay a \$5.00 Late Fee. Lost videos must be replaced at the video replacement value.

We are excited to offer this service and hope it will lead to your creative enjoyment while you are sheltered in place.

Joe Tringali

2022 CWA Calendar

General Meetings & Demos

January 19, 2022 Andy Evansen (ZOOM) February 16, 2022 Dale Laitenen (ZOOM)

March 16, 2022—ZOOM Demo Tom Lynch (for Members & Guests)

April 20, 2022 Janet Rogers (ZOOM) May 18, 2022 Guy Magallanes (**ZOOM**) June 2022 Summer Break—NO MEETING July 20, 2022 Leslie Wilson (ZOOM) August 17, 2022 Michael Reardon (**ZOOM**) September 21, 2022 Fealing Lin (**ZOOM**) October 19, 2022 TBD November 16, 2022 TBD December Winter Break—NO MEETING Go to **Monthly Meetings** under the **About Us** tab at

CWA Online Workshop Series

www.californiawatercolor.org for updates.

January 18–21, 2022 Andy Evansen A Valued Approach to Watercolor (**ZOOM**)

April 19–22, 2022 Tom Lynch Color and Contrast, Light and Shadow (ZOOM)

May 10-13, 2022 Janet Rogers Watercolor Impression — Flowers to Figures (**ZOOM**) August 15–17, 2022 Leslie Wilson Watercolors — Fresh and Loose (**ZOOM**) September 19–21, 2022 Michael Reardon Watercolors Techniques (**ZOOM**) October 12–14, 2022 Fealing Lin Transparent Watercolor Portraiture and Figure (ZOOM)

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CWA 52nd National Exhibition

January 8–March 12, 2022 March 5, 2022, 12:00-3:00 pm

Artists' Reception & Awards Presentation Awards announced at 1:00 pm

Harrington Gallery at Firehouse Arts Center 4444 Railroad Ave., Pleasanton, CA 94566

CWA Member Shows

Beauty of California

Delta Gallery Community Art Center April 7-July 1, 2022 Entry Deadline is March 1, 2022 Click here for prospectus.

Beautiful Wellbeing

John Muir Hospital, Walnut Creek August 20-October 7, 2022

Fall Show

City Hall Gallery, San Ramon September 1–October 31, 2022

Winter Show

Falkirk Cultural Center, San Rafael October 14-December, 2022

Plein Air

March 19	Tao House
April 16	Borges Ranch
May 21	China Camp
June 18	Benicia State Recreation Area
July 16	Rodeo Beach
August 20	Green Valley Road
September 17	Black Diamond Mines
October 22	San Quentin Beach
November 18	Viansa Winery



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