

Heritage Newsletter August 2021



Monthly Membership Meetings

From September – December 2021 we will meet on the lower level of the First Presbyterian Church of Littleton, 1609 W Littleton Blvd, Littleton, CO 80120. This is the same place we hold our workshops, for those of you familiar with the building. Monthly membership meetings are held on the second Wednesday of the month at 7 pm and are open to the public. The Board meeting begins at 6 pm and members are welcome to attend.

September 8, 2021, Meeting Program



Bev Jozeiak, watercolor

During this meeting we will share the results of a new art challenge. The idea is to "Celebrate Red". Create a painting with any medium and subject that focuses on something red or has a surprise element that is red. We're not looking to paint a masterpiece for this, we just want to be creative. Give it a try and we'll have fun seeing what everyone comes up with!



President's Message

Hello Heritage Members and Supporters-

We've been busy over the summer making plans for new workshops and art shows. We'll share some of these developments with you in this newsletter. First of all, I'm happy to announce that Lynn Hegstrom will serve as our Vice President this year. She is going to be in charge of meeting programs including demos and art challenges. The Board looks forward to working with her and supporting her efforts.

In other important news, we are back to in-person meetings and workshops! Both will be held at the First Presbyterian Church of Littleton since the Bemis Library meeting rooms will not be available until next January. Thank you to Mary kay Jacobus for working to secure this space. We will still offer a few online workshops throughout the year since some members have expressed interest in doing this after enjoying Zoom workshops last year.

Sue Connors and Phil Gustafson worked over the summer to find new venues for our shows, and I am excited to announce that we have confirmed opportunities at two new places. We are scheduled for a show at St. Andrew United Methodist Church in Highlands Ranch February 10- March 22, 2023, and they will let us know shortly about a possible date in 2022. We also have confirmed opportunities for individual and Guild shows at the Alley Arts Studios and Gallery in Littleton. More about that later in this newsletter.

Additionally, Phil is waiting for confirmation on space at the University Hospital Highlands Ranch location. This is a very large venue and there would be space for bigger paintings than the Bemis gallery can accommodate. We'll keep you updated on this venue.

I hope you enjoyed the summer break and are ready to jump into your art this fall.

Patty Nash,

President

July Highlights



Guild member Krista Falkenstein opened her own gallery this summer at 2217 W. Powers Ave. in Littleton. The Alley Arts Studios and Gallery features Krista's work and the work of other invited artists. Shows change each month and the venue is now available to the Heritage Fine Arts Guild (thank you Krista!). Individual members can sign up to exhibit and sell paintings there and the Guild has the opportunity to hold an annual group show at the gallery as well.

Patty Nash was the first Guild artist to exhibit at this venue. The opening reception was July 20th with light refreshments and entertainment. Attendance was great and several of the artists' paintings sold. The gallery is generally open M-Th, 1-5 pm and by appointment, if you'd like to check it out. Contact Krista first to confirm someone will be there at krista.falken@gmail.com or 720-440-3336. For more information about displaying your work there contact Patty Nash at nashpa@icloud.com. Krista is currently looking for artists for the September show.

Upcoming Shows

2021 HEALING ARTS SHOW

Entry Deadline August 16, 2021 10 pm



Important Note: We were just informed that some requirements for the Healing Arts Show when it held in the hospital venue are not necessary for the show at the Credit Union. Paintings <u>do not</u> have to be 16" x 20" and do not require dark frames. Painted wrapped canvas at least 1.5" deep is also acceptable.

The next Healing Arts Show with work by Heritage Fine Arts Guild members will be held at the Denver Community Credit Union September 1, 2021- November 30, 2021. This call for entry is open <u>ONLY</u> to Heritage members. There is no entry fee. Approximately 20 paintings will be selected for the show, and they can be for sale. As in past years, the Director of the Healing Arts Program, Mary Williams, will jury the show. Paintings will be exhibited at the Credit Union, 101 W. Mineral Ave in Littleton, CO 80120.

Submission requirements and the entry form can be found at www.heritage-guild.com/2021-healing-arts-show.html.

Be sure to join or renew your membership so you can enter this show! Go to www.heritage-guild.com/apply-and-pay-for-membership.html to be a member in 2021-22. Our membership year starts July 1 and goes through June 30. Annual dues are \$40.00.

Workshops

Please note: This year workshops will be held on the 3rd Saturday of each month, rather than the 1st Saturday. We are back to in-person workshops that will meet on the lower level of the First Presbyterian Church of Littleton, 1609 W Littleton Blvd, Littleton, CO 80120. The time remains 9 am- 3 pm.

Mixed Media Workshop

"Doin' the Messaround" with Carol Nelson Saturday September 18, 2021

9 am-3 pm







Do you like messing around in your studio? I mean with art supplies. Let me show you how you can do the "Messaround". It's kind of like doodling, but with collage materials instead of a pen or pencil. I will supply many **mixed media materials**, and you will make some in the class. Learn the secret to perfect composition in your messaround. You are welcome to search your stash of mixed media materials and bring some of your own doodads and stuff. You will make one fabulous 4" x 14" abstract in this class and have fun doin' it!

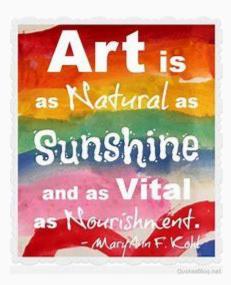
Materials provided by instructor:

- · Golden gloss medium, gel medium and fluid acrylics to share
- wood substrates, red rosin paper
- Plaster of Paris, air dry clay
- burlap
- Tyvek, and more

Supply list for students to bring:

- Your favorite acrylic paints (or use shared Golden Fluid Acrylics)
- Short Handled Nylon Brushes (3/4 inch flat, #6 round) suitable for w/c and acrylic
 - Spray water bottle, paper towels, palette (I use disposable styrofoam plates)
 - · Small palette knife, scissors
 - large water container

Register





Paint Day Thursdays

Ascension Lutheran Church is still completing renovations on their building so we do not yet have a date for resuming this group painting time. We will keep you posted.



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