



## Heritage Newsletter

### February 2019

### **February 2019 Guild Highlights**



**Next Guild meeting is Wednesday, February 13, 2019 at 7-9p.m.**

Monthly meetings are held at Bemis Library, 6014 S Datura St. Littleton, Lower level.

Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month except for July, August and December.

**Robin Cochran-Ragland will be doing the February meeting demo.**

Retirement has allowed me to pursue figure drawing as a fine artist. The influence of graphic design is evident in the placement of poses and limited color palette. I have always been pulled to the simplicity and complexity of the human figure. I attempt to capture a pose quickly and fluently. The figure is so personal, so close, I am so very aware of its image, yet I shun realism. Too obvious.

Expanding my view to create an ideal of the figure is much more appealing. I strive to interpret the figure and perfect the mood of the pose while conscientiously trying to create a well-designed work of graphic art.

I learned from master figure artist Harry Carmean and master anatomical artist Burne Hogarth; as well as painters Dan McCaw, Lorrie Madden and Peter

Liashkov; illustrators Antonio Lopez and Bill Rieser. Dawn Emerson and Pat Clark are a more recent influence.

I moved to the Denver area in April 2018. I am a co-op artist at Lakewood Art Gallery where I also teach still life and figure drawing bi-monthly. I am a member of Redline Contemporary Art Center where I teach at their bi-monthly drop-in figure drawing sessions. I also belong to 40 West Art Gallery and Art Students League of Denver.



Everyone enjoyed Steve Griggs demo at the January meeting. Along with his sense of humor and loose painting style all of us who were there had a good time. He will be doing a 2-day workshop April 25 & 26th. More details below in upcoming workshops.

**This is Colorado Winners**

**Congratulations to Lee Wasilik for his beautiful painting "October please don't go"**



Congratulations to People's Choice Award Chuck Danford for his lovely painting "Egret"



## **President's Message**

**Heritage Fine Art Guild Members and Friends:**

Happy February! I hope everyone had a chance to catch a glimpse of the recent lunar eclipse—it was certainly the most spectacular I've ever seen! I felt it was awe-inspiring but also strangely disorienting to think of earth casting its shadow onto the moon, and of ourselves as tiny specks clinging to a sphere virtually sandwiched between two others floating through space... What a perspective!



[Photo courtesy of Alexander "Sasha" Drury]

And, yes... I know you have all been waiting in eager anticipation for it, but it really IS that time of year again! Please start thinking about our upcoming elections for the 2019/20 Board and what position you might be willing and able to take on! Unlike last year, when we had only one vacancy, this year we will have **a number** of them, so **now** is the time to reach out to the current office holder(s) for anything from Workshop Director/Assistant, to Membership, Recording Secretary, and even President... (considering I am already a year beyond my term limits!) and learn about the specifics of the job that interests you. It's the best way to combat your fear of the unknown and reassure yourself that **yes, you can do it, too, and make a difference! We need you!!** Have a joyous February, and needless to say... get involved and keep painting!

Beatrice

## Heritage Board of Directors 2018/2019

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We also want to thank Joyce Kramer for volunteering to submit the SCFD grant next year.

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### Upcoming events

#### Heritage Members

You're invited!

How would you like to go to the Kirkland Museum on Saturday, March 2nd at about 10?

After seeing the museum, around noon, join other members at the Art Hotel at the Fire restaurant for lunch.

This will be a group activity for members of Heritage. Please let Mary kay know, no later than the February meeting, if you would like to go to the museum and then out for lunch. Reservations will be made the day after the meeting.

The price for entry to the museum is \$7.

For this entry fee, we need to have a minimum of 10, a maximum of 25.

There are no group tours on Saturday, but we can talk to each other as we stroll around.

**RSVP** at the meeting, or before.

Mary kay

[mkart1224@gmail.com](mailto:mkart1224@gmail.com)

303-594-4667

**The Lakewood Arts Gallery** is calling for entries for its Expressions in Abstract

exhibit which will be held from Feb 24 - March 29, 2019. Deadline to enter is Wed. Feb 13. The exhibit is open to any Colorado artists for 2D work. Fees to enter are \$15 per piece or 3 for \$35 for non-LAC members or \$10 per piece or \$25 for 3 for LAC members. Juror Kristen Autobee will be awarding cash prizes. Go to <https://www.lakewoodarts.org/call-for-artists.html> for more information and a registration form or call the gallery at 303 980-0625.

**BEMIS LIBRARY SHOW**  
**April 1 thru April 30, 2019**

**Open** to all Heritage Fine Arts Guild Members. Bemis Library is located at 6014 S. Datura Street, Littleton. (One block south of Littleton Boulevard on Datura.)

Deadline to Register	Friday, March 22, 2019 to Linda Millarke
Delivery of Paintings	Monday, April 1, 2019 9 to 10:30 a.m.
RECEPTION	Thursday, April 4, 6 to 7:30 p.m.
Pick Up Artwork	Tuesday, April 30, 9 to 10:30 a.m.

One or two entries per artist for \$20.

No works copied from magazines, calendars, printed sources are acceptable. No artwork that has previously been entered into art shows in Littleton in the past year is eligible as the Library wishes a fresh show. No paintings can be removed before the end of the show. Please, no sawtooth hangers. Have sturdy, nice frames with wire hangers. Wraparound canvases are OK. No painting that won an award in a previous HFAG Show is eligible to be entered. No repeat images (photos, silkscreen, etchings, wood prints) are acceptable to be entered.

JUROR To be announced

Oversize works may not be hung, as space will be allotted by the hanging committee, and their word is final.

On the back of your artwork, each piece should have this information:

Your Name,	Your Phone Number	Title of artwork
Media - watercolor, oil, mixed, acrylic, collage, etc.	Value (for insurance)	

Please plan to attend the reception and bring yummy finger foods to share. Beverage, plates, and napkins will be provided.

Call Linda (303-973-0867) or Orrel (303-798-6481) if you would be willing to work on one of the committees: Intake, writing notes from the Juror, Hanging, Takedown. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

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Return this bottom portion to Linda Millarke, 8000 W. Spanish Peak, Littleton, CO 80127 before March 22, 2019.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Title 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Media \_\_\_\_\_ Value \_\_\_\_\_

Title 2 _____	Size _____	Media _____	Value _____
Title 3 _____	Size _____	Media _____	Value _____

## Upcoming Workshops

All workshops are held at the First Presbyterian Church, 1609 W. Littleton Blvd. in Littleton, CO, unless otherwise indicated. Doors open at 8:30 am. For more information about these workshops, contact Mary kay Jacobus at [mkart1224@gmail.com](mailto:mkart1224@gmail.com) or tel. 303-594-4667.

### **March 8th and 9th, 2019 Friday and Saturday a 2day workshop**

**Don Andrews, Watercolor Artist**

**Participants will benefit from a more personal understanding of the painting possibilities available in the exciting world of figure painting. This workshop will be packed with demonstrations, discussions, individual help and personal and group critiques. A live model will be central to the workshop.**

To view more of Don's art, go to [donandrewsstudio.com](http://donandrewsstudio.com).



For a complete list of materials required for the workshop see [www.heritage-guild.com/current-workshops.html](http://www.heritage-guild.com/current-workshops.html).

### **Breaking News!!!!**

I just found out that because of the SCFD, we can reduce the price of the Don Andrews Workshop by \$50.

For those of you who have already paid, we will be sending you a \$50 refund check.

The new fee will be:

Members: \$200.00 for 2 days

Non-members: \$250.00 for 2 days

Mary kay

The workshop is scheduled for Friday, and Saturday, March 8 and 9, 2019 from 9:00 am-3:00 pm (doors unlocked at 8:30 am) at the Arapahoe Community College 5900 South Santa Fe Drive, Littleton. For cost of the workshop and to sign up, see (<http://heritage-guild.com/membership.html>)

**NOTE:** For a workshop of this type, it is customary for each participant to tip the model five dollars each day.

**April 25 and 26th Friday and Saturday a 2day workshop**

**Steve Griggs, Watercolor Artist**

**Watercolor Painting with Energy and Freedom**



During this two-day workshop, participants are invited to try out a variety of watercolor painting strategies and techniques with an emphasis on becoming looser and freer. Participants are given the opportunity to paint short, warm-up sketches as well as finished landscape, cityscape, and/or waterscape paintings. During the workshop there is sure to be a lot of laughter and camaraderie as participants move out of their comfort zones and encourage one another's efforts

Members 2-day fee: \$75

Nonmembers 2-day fee: \$100



All workshops are held on the 1st Saturday of the month unless otherwise noted

[Register](#)



## Paint Day Thursdays

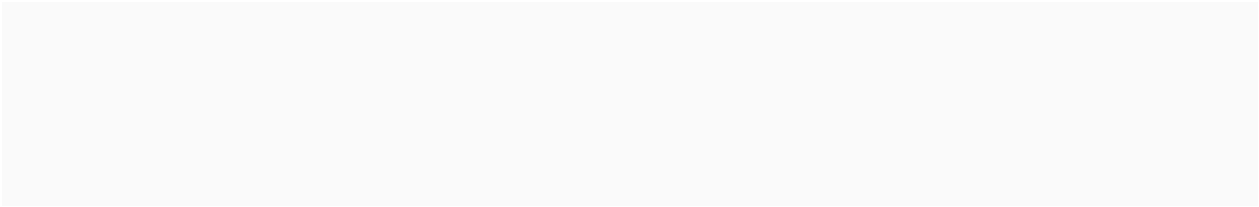
Come paint with other artists. Open to all painters. Meet in the basement of the Ascension Lutheran Church 1701 W. Caley, 9 am- 2 pm every Thursday. Donation of \$1.00 requested to help support use of the space.



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