



Heritage Newsletter October 2023



October 11, 2023, Meeting Information

We will meet at **Littleton United Methodist Church** located at 5894 S Datura St. Littleton, CO 80120. Entry to our room, called the Parlor, is off Shepperd Ave. which is on the south side of the church. Parking is on the street or in the parking lot located on the east side of the church. A sidewalk will lead you to the south side door. The church is located just one block north of Bemis Library.

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.

Demo

Jennifer Bobola - *"Developing an Abstract Language"*

Jennifer Bobola joined the Park Hill Art Club in January 2013. She has had a wide range of teaching experience from undergraduates to adult education. Jennifer studied art in the Netherlands, attending Utrecht School of the Arts, and with Kevin Weckbach and Mark Nelson of Colorado. She also went to school for music performance in saxophone. Jennifer uses a thoughtful approach, allowing experimentation and improvisation to make my work more balanced and alive, while manipulating dimensions of color and shape.



President's Message October 2023

October is such a beautiful month, filled with color and relief from the heat of summer. Indian summer is right around the corner, marked with the first frost. The yearning to immerse ourselves in nature is what we Coloradan's are all about. It is a great time to get out to paint plein air, do some sketching or take photographs for later art pieces. Connecting with nature and spending time outdoors is really good for us. Nature enhances creativity, concentration and lifts our spirits.

A big thank you to Celeste Hodges for keeping us informed about the Healing Arts Show soon to begin at Littleton Adventist Hospital. Due to construction inside the hospital we needed to postpone this show. Our statewide show This is Colorado is finished and we anxiously await the dates for next year's show. A show at St Andrew Methodist Church will not happen until sometime in 2025 as they only allow groups to show every two years and by invitation only. The Bemis Library show is slated for March of 2024. Two of our members, Krista Falkenstine and Kim Dwyer, currently have a show at Alley Arts Studio. Please visit Alley Arts to view their work.

I hope to see you all at our Oct monthly meeting. Beatrice has done a fantastic job of arranging for some very fun and delightful demonstrations at our meetings. See you soon.

Keep Painting,
Lynn Hegstrom, President

Membership

Don't Delay!

The 2023-24 Heritage Fine Arts Guild year has begun so please renew your membership.

The annual dues have increased to \$45 starting October 1.

Continue to enjoy access to member-only art shows and reduced fees for workshops. Go to www.heritage-guild.com/apply-and-pay-for-membership.html to rejoin for next year.

Join Our Artists Page

We want to highlight the beautiful, creative work our members produce by featuring all of you on [Our Artists](#) webpage. All you need to do is go to the link on the page,

submit a few photos of your paintings and a brief artist statement. Our webmaster will do the rest!

Heritage Guild Social Media

We are pleased to announce that our new Publicity Director, Kim Dwyer, is going to substantially increase our social media presence this year. **She needs your help** to make the most of her efforts to boost membership and encourage participation in our workshops.

Share your unique journey and experiences by completing the testimonial form at <https://forms.gle/berBggguF7MTTDR947>, giving a personal touch to our guild. Join us on Instagram (@heritagefineartsguild), where you can like, comment, and share our posts. Share the magic of our exhibits and workshops by tagging us in your photos and using hashtags like #ThisIsColorado and #HeritageFineArtsGuild. Not familiar with tagging? Simply add "@heritagefineartsguild" in your post or comment to connect. Let's showcase our creativity and inspire others to become a part of our wonderful guild!



**Thank you, dear friends, for all the get-well cards and calls after my accident. It's been 6 weeks and my ribs — all 7 of them are starting to heal. Hope to see you soon.
Linda Metcalf**

Workshops

We have a great lineup of workshops this fall! Click on the button to register for a class.



Jennifer Bobola

"Developing an Abstract Language"

Saturday, October 21, 2023 -- 9am - 3pm

Bring your sketchbook and your paints! We will dive into mark making and develop an abstract language that is unique to you. We'll discuss the importance of using value in your work to create a sense of depth and space. We will mix a limited harmonious pallet and explore the construction of organic forms. We'll then focus on composition by arranging those forms to create dynamic relationships. We will also start working on Abstract cityscapes using texture to create forms. Student Level: Any



Maggie Stewart-*"Silk Scarf Dying"*

Saturday, November 18, 2023 -- 9am - 3pm

Students will learn and explore the batik method for dying silk. We will be using beautiful silk scarves and creating a design of your choosing with wax resist and vibrant dyes!

Students will get two scarves, perfect for the holiday season, keep one for yourself and give the other away to a special friend. Scarves will be steamed by the

instructor after the class and dye will be colorfast. Scarves will be distributed after class. Student Level: Any

[Register](#)

Shows



2022 Healing Arts Show
"Sunset Over the Range"
Krista Falkenstine

Healing Arts Show at Littleton Hospital

Stop by to see our member's work.
The 2023 Healing Arts Show

**Centura Littleton Hospital
Featuring work by members of the
Heritage Fine Arts Guild
October 13, 2023, through January 8, 2024
7700 S Broadway, Littleton, CO 80122**

**A friendly Reminder to see this show. Featuring two of our Guild
Members**

Kim Dwyer and Krista Falkenstine

Alley Arts Studio New Show Reception!



TWIRLING BY KRISTA FALKENSTINE 48x48

Dive into the bold realm of abstracts by our resident artist Krista Falkenstine. Let the vibrant colors and daring compositions ignite your curiosity and interpretation.



PEACOCK BY ALYCIA PRICE

Experience the enchantment of whimsical creations out of varying leaves, grasses and flower petals by Alycia Price. Let the flora come alive with adorable creatures that spark your imagination and connection with nature.

Join us for a delightful art experience at our upcoming gallery opening, where we proudly present the creative genius of three of our favorite artists: Alycia Price and Kim Dwyer and Krista Falkenstine

When: Friday, September 29th, 2023

Time: 5 to 7 PM

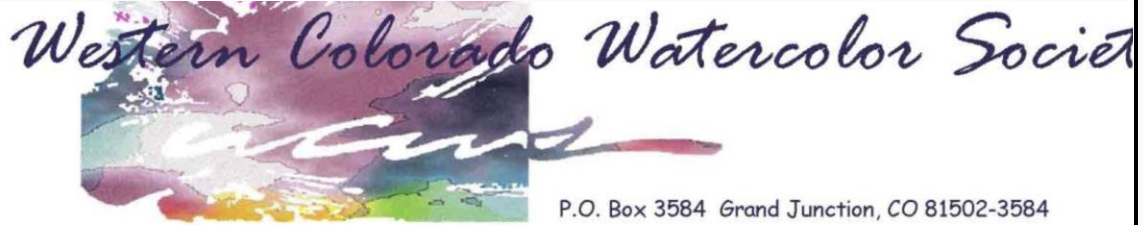
**Where: Alley Arts Studio, 2217 W. Powers Ave.
Littleton, CO 80120**



LUPINES BY KIM DWYER MIXED MEDIA

Immerse yourself in the world of intuitive, colorful mixed media works by Kim Dwyer. Feel the emotions and stories behind each piece as they blend into a symphony of expressions. Lose yourself in the world of intuitive, colorful mixed media

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Rockies West National Art Show

34th ANNUAL WATERCOLOR EXHIBITION 2024

SHOW DATES - MARCH 1 – APRIL 6, 2024

ENTRY DEADLINE – DECEMBER 1, 2023

The prospectus and entry link can be found at

[RWN National Show Prospectus](#)

Last year's entries can be viewed here:

<https://wcsociety.net/2023-rockies-west-show/>



Paint Day Thursdays

Paint Day, open to both members and non-members, is held every Thursday at Ascension Lutheran Church, lower level, between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Parking is available on the north side of the church. A donation of \$1 per session is requested to help cover costs. Contact Kathy Reitz at kmr68@q.com for more information.



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