



Heritage Newsletter September 2020



September 9, 2020 Meeting Information

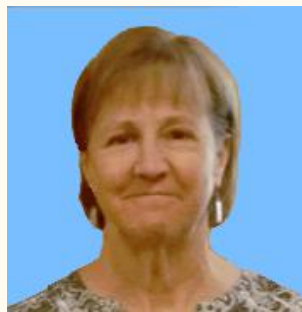
The meeting will be held via Zoom. The Board meeting begins at 6 pm. The general membership meeting starts at 7pm. However, you may join the call at any time because the call-in information is the same for both meetings. Zoom logon details will be sent to members by email shortly before the meeting.

September 9, 2020 Meeting Demo

Watercolor Batik



Batik is an ancient wax resist technique developed in Asia to create designs on fabric. Patty Nash will demonstrate using melted wax and watercolor paint on rice paper to create textured watercolor paintings that can be mounted on canvas instead of framed under glass. The results are always surprising (in a good way!).



President's Message

Hello Heritage, Fine Art Guild Members,
Labor Day, the unofficial end of summer, is only a week away and thank goodness that usually means cooler temperatures and rain. We certainly need the water to put out the fires west of us. What a summer between COVID, the fires, and smoke along the front range. Things can only get better!

It's been a busy summer for the Guild between plein air workshops, an online workshop, demos and art challenges. I hope you've been able to take advantage of some of these opportunities. We will continue into the fall with more plein air outings as long as the weather holds. We also have plans to hold an art challenge every other month during our online general meeting. These have been a lot of fun for those participating so please give it a try if you have not already. Phyllis Vandelaar will be organizing the next challenge in October.

The official dates for the online "This is Colorado" show are Nov. 1, 2020 – Jan. 31, 2021. The timing is good- right before the holiday season- so we are lucky to have this slot. The entry period is Sep. 28 – Oct. 9, 2020 and online submissions will be very similar to submissions for last year's show.

I am also communicating with the person who organizes the Healing Arts Show at Littleton Hospital each year. It looks like we will have an in-person gallery show (!) Jan-Mar 2021, if all goes as planned.

Membership renewals are due now so please send yours in now so we can continue offering great workshops, demos and shows throughout the coming year. Thank you in advance for your support!

Stay well and keep in touch with the Guild,

Patty Nash

President

Membership Reminder

Our membership year starts July 1 and goes through June 30. Dues are currently \$40.00 a year. Please join or renew your membership by September so your name and address can be included in our Membership Directory.

Membership can be paid online [here](#) or you can send a check to Carolyn Moershel at 4367 S Clarkson St, Englewood, CO 80113.

August Highlights

Meeting Demo

The theme for the August challenge was “music” and the interpretations were very creative. We enjoyed seeing about a dozen different paintings from our members, two of which are below. We had a lot of fun responding to each other’s submissions with our own varied interpretations of their work

Music by Diane Edwards



Music by Sue Connors



Plein Air Workshop with Pam Hostetler August 22, 2020



On August 22nd, we met in Sterne Park for a lesson. Pam Hostetler was our instructor. It was a nice Saturday morning, only as Pam pointed out the amount of smoke from the fires...blocked our view of the mountains. Her theme was painting in the outdoors or Plein-Air painting.

Pam is an extremely talented person and self-taught. She worked as an art teacher at Hobby Lobby for twenty years. Having mastered different forms of media, watercolor is her favorite. We were told to bring permanent pens and watercolors. She displayed some of her sketch books, art books on Plein Air, and types of pens.

We were to choose a spot in the park which we liked and draw it. Pam sketched the lake, trees, and a bridge connecting two sides of the lake. Her method of painting involved first painting in lights, then letting it dry and going back in to the first wash to define medium colors and the darks. This defined the shapes adding interest and depth. (In the first wash she also painted wet on wet adding more colors.)

It was an interesting and informative morning that was enjoyed by all.

Jane Heath

Thank you Jane for your nice writeup.

Workshops



**"Painting Structures Made Easy" at Sterne Park with
Phyllis Vandelaar-- Watercolor on Saturday,
September 12, 2020 9:00am - 12pm**

Phyllis Vandelaar
Saturday, September 12nd; 9-noon
at Sterne Park, South Entrance
Fee: \$25

Register at www.heritage-guild.com

Upcoming Shows

2020 "This is Colorado" State-Wide Virtual Exhibition

The 2020 "This is Colorado" State-Wide Virtual Exhibition is hosted by the Heritage Fine Art Guild and displayed on The [ACC Colorado Gallery of the Arts website](#)..

SUBMISSION DEADLINES AND REQUIREMENTS:

Submissions will be made through the [ACC Gallery of the Arts website](#).

>> [Entry link will be active during submission window](#)

Sept. 28 - October 9, 2020:	Submissions Accepted
October 9 by midnight:	Submission website closed
October 14	Artist notification of acceptance

Go to www.heritage-guild.com for all details regarding "This is Colorado"

The Heritage Eagle Bend Art Group
WATERCOLOR & BEYOND
Presents the Art Show
Art Tells a Story
Opening August 9, 2020 Closing October 1, 2020
at the
Phillip S. Miller Library
100 South Wilcox Street
Castle Rock, Colorado

70 Paintings in Watercolor, Acrylic, Oil & Mixed Media
Many of the Paintings Will be Displayed at
HEBArtClub.com



Free online masterclass with Pastelist Alain Picard

If you've been searching for techniques and approaches that will lead you toward a looser style, this class will help you to achieve that feeling in your paintings. Learn about the major mindset shift that all expressive painters must adopt in order to see dynamic results. The class will be presented on September 3 and again on September 8. To sign up, go to <https://picardstudio.mykajabi.com/masterclass-fall2020>.

Western Colorado Watercolor Society



P.O. Box 3584 Grand Junction, CO 81502-3584

31st ANNUAL WATERCOLOR EXHIBITION 2021

www.wcwsociety.org



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.

Masks Currently Required



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