



April 21, 2022 e-newsletter
A Bi-Monthly Publication

Registration for summer classes opens for Members on May 15!

Upcoming in May

Monthly Paint-In with Instructor,
Bridgett Vallery
Saturday - May 6, 2023
10:00 am - 3:00 pm
[Sign-up Here](#)

New Member Orientation
Friday - May 26, 2023
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
[Sign-up Here](#)

This is our last general meeting before the summer break!

May General Meeting
Sunday, April 7, 2023
Starts @ 2 pm

Artist Demo
Sunday, April 7, 2023
Starts after General Mtg

Gallery Reception
Sunday, April 7, 2023
Starts @ 3:30 pm

Deadline for May exhibit is May 3



Painting by
Kat Rodgers
our Demo artist
for May

May's Theme: Playfulness

May's theme is focused on playfulness.
This could include kids, toys or anything that reminds
us to not take ourselves too seriously.

Registration Deadline: **May 3, 2023**

May Prospectus
Register: [HERE](#)

Meet our demo artist for
Sunday, May 7 @ 2 pm



Katherine Rodgers will be our demo artist at the May General Meeting.

During the demo, Kat will demonstrate how she approaches bird compositions, feathers, and finishing work in her watercolor paintings.

While Kat started painting at age 13, she did not start selling her work until four years ago when she came out of the art closet.

She explains, "During my recent time in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, I became an avid birder and started to photograph the birds around the island. I love to photograph and paint animals. I have been fortunate to see a wide variety of wildlife and nature through my military moves, from pandas in DC, dogwood trees in North Carolina, to the birds of Cuba."

Mrs. Rodgers teaches Introduction to Watercolor at WAS-H and has watercolor classes available on SkillShare.

<http://www.katherinerodgersfineart.com>

Be sure to cast your votes!

A copy of the amended bylaws was mailed out to all WAS-H members last week. These bylaws were carefully prepared by our Bylaws Committee with review and advice from pro bono legal counsel from Winston & Strawn.

The current WAS-H Board of Directors voted to approve these amended bylaws, but approval by the current membership is also required. **We need your vote.**

Please return your ballots no later than **May 7, 2023.**

To see a copy of the proposed bylaws, click [Here](#)

To view a copy of the letter outlining key improvements and changes, click [Here](#)

June Monthly Show

Get your paintings ready for the June Show

The theme for June's monthly gallery show is "Artist Choice"! Yes, any subject is fine so no excuses...

Registration opens on May 12.

[Prospectus](#)

Deadline to Register is May 31.



Painting by Erik Sprohge,
Long-time WAS-H Member and
Elite Signature Artist

Upcoming Classes



Lighthouse #1
Les McDonald
Weekend Workshop
April 22-23
9:30 - 3:30pm
\$170 Tuition

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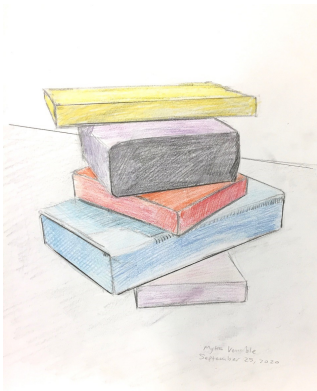
Paint Pouring Workshop
Laura Mossman
Sunday Afternoon
April 30
11:00 - 3:00pm
\$60 Tuition

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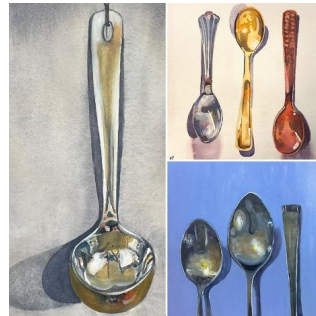
VIRTUAL
WC Foundations
Essential Techniques
Jason Michael Bentley
May 1 & 2
12:00 - 3:00pm
\$110 Tuition

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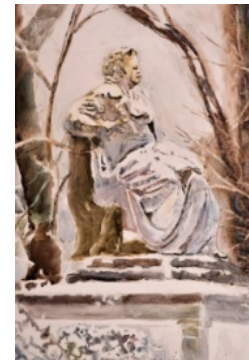
Drawing 101
Myke Venable
Four Tuesday mornings
May 2, 9, 16, 23
9:30 am - 12:30 pm
\$220 Tuition

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Intro to Watercolor 2.0
Katherine Rodgers
Five Tuesday evenings
May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm
\$250 Tuition

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Secrets to Creating Eye-Catching Paintings
Linda Southern Vanek
Two Thursday evenings
May 4 and 11
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm
\$110 Tuition

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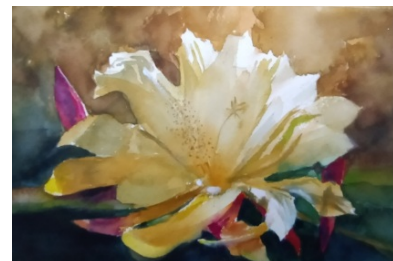
VIRTUAL
Watercolor
Skills in Mixing Color
Jason Michael Bentley
Tuesday, May 9
12:00 noon - 3:00 pm
\$60 Tuition

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Painting with Emotion
Katie Steck
Thursday morning
May 11
10:00 am - 12:00 noon
\$50 Tuition

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Flower Painting
Mohammad Ali Bhatti
Saturday & Sunday
May 20 & 21
9:30 am - 3:30 pm
\$170 Tuition

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[View All CLASSES](#)

[Print out a list of May classes](#)



SENIOR CLASS
Wednesday Mornings
9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Seniors 55+ can join this free class.

Registration is required.
[Register Here](#)



Wednesday Model Lab
12:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Model Lab

Wednesday Afternoons
12:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Wednesday Afternoons we draw and paint from live models, in a variety of poses. Registration is required.

[Register Here](#)



OPEN STUDIO
Thursday Nights &
Friday Mornings
Members Only

No instructor, just bring your paints and work on your own projects.

Registration is required.
[Register Here](#)

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For all other questions or comments on any of our programs or services, you may contact the Artist Liaison by email @ [Liaison](#) or by phone during regular gallery hours @ 713.942.9966

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outreach. Year-round opportunities are provided to every level of painter, from novice to the seasoned expert. Art lovers can also enjoy year-round exhibitions in our gallery in the Museum District.