

GREEN COUNTRY WATERCOLOR SOCIETY

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Announcement:

GCWS needs to work on increasing the scholarship fund. Members are encouraged to bring something of value for the June raffle.

The Pershing Studios gate will open at 9:00 am and close at 10 am due to residents concerns.

Upcoming Events

June 13: General Monthly Meeting - 9:30

June 14: Road trip to Prix de West in OKC. 9:00-3:00.

June 20: 'Almost Free' Floral Workshop with Teresa Herndon at Pershing Studios 9:30-3:00.

July: Road trip to Springfield, MO for Watercolor West Show. *tba*

September 3-27: Membership show at The Hive in Jenks. 9/3- drop off

Cheryl Bryan Will Demonstrate “Elegant Writer” at June 13 Meeting



For the June 13th meeting we will be treated to a demonstration by Cheryl Bryan - one of our members from Bartlesville (she won 2nd place in our 2018 member show). Cheryl will be providing instruction using “elegant writer” on watercolor.

Cheryl Bryan received her Bachelor’s degree in Chemistry from Oklahoma State University and Master’s degree in Directed Individual Studies with emphasis in Art at Texas A&I University in Corpus Christi, Texas. She has also studied with many nationally known watercolor artists. She was a professional watercolor artist and stained glass designer for eleven years. She received awards in watercolor, and has given demos and workshops in the United States and Canada. Cheryl has also worked for twenty one years doing research and development of computer chip coatings for Celanese and DuPont chemical companies. She now has resumed devoting herself totally to studio art. She says she loves the transparency, light, layers, and surprises that watercolor brings. Her expressed hope is that through viewing her work you too will experience the joy of watercolor.

We’re looking forward to a fun and informative presentation. ■

paintings, 9/5- reception from 6:00-8:00 pm, 9/27- pick up painting.

October 21-

November 16: Show Your Smalls at Grant's Frames. 10/21- drop off paintings, 10/24- Opening Reception, 10/24 - 11/16- showing at Grant's Frames, 11/16- pick up paintings.

November: 'Almost Free' Workshop with Jim Buchan. *tba*

Green Country Watercolor Society

meets on the 2nd Thursday of the month. Starting time 9:30.

Pershing Studios, 1903 West Easton Street, Tulsa OK

(Exit 412 at Gilcrease Museum Road, east on W. Easton St, North on N. Waco, enter the parking lot at the end of the block).

The Pershing Studios gate will open at 9:00 am and close at 10 am.

Steve Rogers Workshop... four days packed with information, fun, and three paintings

16 artists attended Steve Rogers' workshop May 7th through 10th. Participants enjoyed great fellowship and made some new friends. Everyone created beautiful paintings to take home.



DeDe Burgess did an awesome job planning, organizing and supervising the workshop. Thank you DeDe for all your very hard work. ■



Thank You Grant Denny For A Very Interesting Presentation

Grant Denny presented a variety of mounting methods and materials for watercolor paper, explaining the importance of each.

His focus was on hinge T- mounting watercolor paper to foam board. This mounting technique involved the use of rice paper strips and a home-made rice glue. ■



"Applying diluted acrylic gel medium to the surface of illustration board (Strathmore 500 series hot-press) enhances the results of watercolor. When sweeping a broad brush charged with color over the medium-coated surface, the paint immediately repels and creates exciting textures..."
(Cheng-Khee Chee)

Loren Patchell Receives 2019 GCWS Watercolor Scholarship Award.

Jo Lynch, Vicky Anderson and Jim Buchan attended the OSU reception and awards presentation in Stillwater April 28. The GCWS Scholarship was presented to Loren Patchell. GCWS received recognition for our 6 years of providing financial assistance to OSU art students with an emphasis in watercolor. The entire afternoon was very fun and interesting. Loren Patchell will be our guest for the August program. ■



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Thank You!

News Clips

✍ GCWS needs to work on increasing the scholarship fund. Members are encouraged to bring something of value for the June raffle.

✍ Thank you Judy Gregg for volunteering to take on the responsibility of GCWS Librarian.

✍ GCWS has strict requirements for exhibiting art in juried shows. The [exhibition requirements](#) are posted on our website. Jo Lynch noted that if watercolor canvas is used, it must be sealed.

✍ We have been invited to show member's work in the display case at Pershing Studios. It takes about 5 paintings and they will be shown for a month. If you would be interested please contact Teresa Herndon. (If you have already signed up please let Teresa know as the sign up sheet has disappeared!)

✍ Member Linda Behnken has set up Twitter and Pinterest accounts which are both named *Green Country Watercolor Society*. Please email Linda at lbehnken@swbell.net a copy of your painting(s) and a website address if you have one. These will then be posted on Pinterest.

Artist's Musings

🎨 **Classes with Teresa Herndon.** Teresa will be teaching now at Zieglers on Mondays from 1:30 to 4:00, beginning April 1st, thru June 24th. Please call 918-520-1968 if interested.

Looking for past issues of GCWS Newsletters?

Posey Gaines keeps an updated archived list of all past issues on the [GCWS Website](#).

"Keep in mind who is the 'star' of your painting. What was the reason why you painted that subject in the first place? A background should always remain that and never steal the limelight away from your star area." (Tony van Hasselt)


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Essential Watercolor
Techniques All Painters
Need to Know](#)


Newsletter input from members ...

Send your information for the newsletter to Dennis Crouch: crouch_777@yahoo.com

GCWS has a good relationship with Bartlesville Art

Association. Many of our members take advantage of what BAA offers local artists. All Bartlesville Art Association classes, workshops, and events are listed at bartlesvilleartassociation.org

 **For classes at Ziegler Art** go to <http://www.zieglerart.com/art-classes>

 **Ongoing Portrait Painters at Whiteside Community Center** 4009 South Pittsburg Ave., Tulsa: For experienced adult artists who want to paint portraits with a live model. Must furnish own supplies. Participants split the cost of the model. Meets Tuesdays from 11 a.m.—2 p.m. Ongoing.

LINKS

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Scholarship: *Jo Lynch*

Show Awards: *Jeanette Hooks and Cathy McDonald*

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