


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 to contribute to the raffle.**

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

Upcoming Events

 **July 11:** General Monthly Meeting - 9:30

 **July 17:** Road trip to Springfield, MO for Watercolor West Show.

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

Cheryl Bryan Demonstrating "Elegant Writer" at the June Meeting



Cheryl generated enthusiasm and inspiration as she demonstrated a variety of techniques. She passed around an assortment of sample watercolors illustrating the same subject using different techniques. Then she did a painting demo. Her audience showed

Great interest, especially in one technique where she blows bubbles in a small jar then places bubbles on her painting to create a variety of circles. Thank you Cheryl for a very interesting presentation. ■

Half Day Watercolor Workshop with Jim Buchan

Jim Buchan, President of Green Country Watercolor Society, returns to BAA to teach a half day of watercolor. This painting of tomatoes is a collection of watercolor techniques – using lost and found, glazing – i.e. – several “transparent” washes creating movement and balance throughout our composition.

Friday, July 12, 2019
Time: 1:00pm – 5:00pm

[More information and sign up here.](#) ■



July Program


We will be seeing a video by very well known artist, Birgit O'Connor. Her techniques for painting skies, water, and waves will be demonstrated- all of us will benefit because she is easy to understand and her style can easily be learned. ■



Take Advantage of the GCWS Library

GCWS maintains a sizable collection of watercolor books and DVD's available to members. The collection consists of a wide variety of tutorials by well known artists. Members may browse through and check out titles during regular meetings and are encouraged to take advantage of this valuable benefit. Many of the books and DVD's have been borrowed from the library for an extended

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).

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Looking for past issues of GCWS Newsletters?

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

Newsletter input from members ...

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

period of time. The "Business of Art" book has been out since March. Please check your bookshelf and return any items belonging to GCWS Library. Judy Gregg is our current Library Chairperson. ■

Thomas Schaller Live Demo!

Judy Gregg watched a free 1 hour demo featuring Thomas Schaller on the Artist's Network website. Thomas Schaller demonstrates how to move beyond what the eye actually sees to present a unique vision. Judy thought it was excellent and very informative. You can get to it by going to artistnetwork.com, then go to Create and select art demo and look for his name. When you get to the article, scroll down to Thomas Schaller Live Demo!


[Click here to go to the article](#) ■


NEWSLETTER WANTS





Your GCWS monthly Newsletter is the perfect place to communicate and share your recent activities and accomplishments. Interesting news could include such things as art exhibits, other than GCWS sponsored exhibits, that you have participated in, awards you have received, interesting painting techniques you have learned, art supplies and equipment you are selling, short review of an art book or CD you would recommend, classes you are teaching, classes you have attended, positive comments about GCWS, etc. Your contribution to the newsletter will add much interest and will be greatly appreciated. Contact Dennis Crouch, newsletter chairperson, with your newsy items. ■

News Clips

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 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.


 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.


"Painting in watercolor is like walking a tight-rope; one must find perfect balance between what the paint wants to do and what the artist wants to do, or all is lost." (Mary C. Taylor)


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Artist's Musings

 **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.

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Thank You!

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