



Waccamaw Arts & Crafts Guild

NEWSLETTER

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April 2019

Imagine, Create, Enjoy

Bits From The Board

A good crowd of WACG members and visitors were treated to a fine program in March by Joshua Knight, who shared his personal journey as an artist.

There will be no general or Board meeting in April, as Easter will occur on our usual day. I urge you to check out the annual high school exhibit at the museum this month. This exhibit showcases excellent art and thoughtfulness by the next generation of Horry and Georgetown artists. WACG sponsors an award at this show.

Our juried show will open May 9 with a reception at 5:30 that evening. Approximately 75 pieces of art selected from a pool of 140 pieces by the judge, Gaye Sanders Fisher, will be on display. Also, the first Art in the Park of 2019 will be held in Valor Park on April 27-28.

Hope to see you at those events!

The Board met briefly afterwards. We reviewed finances, and got updates from Sharon Sorrels on our scholarship progress and from Joanne Utterback about Art in the Park. Barbara Blake, who is heading up our fundraising efforts, has received some offers for help, but needs more membership involvement. Please respond positively to her requests for baked goods, mini masterpieces, etc. to be sold at Art in the Park.

Enjoy springtime, and keep creating!

- Carolyn Powell, President

Monthly Meeting

Our March 17th program featured Joshua Knight, a recent graduate of Coastal Carolina University.



The March program was very interesting and enjoyable. Thanks to Larry Bunch for scheduling another great program.



There will NOT be a meeting in April due to the Easter holidays.

2019 WACG Show Dates

Art in the Park – (Valor Park)
April 27th & 28th

2019 Juried Show
Myrtle Beach Art Museum
May 9th – May 23rd

Art in the Park – (Chapin Park)
June 29th & 30th

HGHBA Home Show
September 20th – 22nd

Art in the Park – (Valor Park)
October 12th & 13th

2019 Member's Judged Show
October 2019 TBD

Art in the Park – (Valor Park)
November 9th & 10th

Show / Event Info

Myrtle Beach Art Museum

Elizabeth Bradford – Time + Terrain
1/2 – 4/28

North Carolina artist Elizabeth Bradford explores intricate formal patterns found in nature. Her paintings investigate landscape and the power of place, with special affection for the Southeast. *Time + Terrain* invites the viewer to study the natural world, to explore it deeply. The exhibition includes 27 paintings of various scale reflecting the artist's impressions of nature's complex beauty. Accompanying the art are eloquent commentaries written by Bradford detailing her insights and observations.

The Scape of Water
1/2 – 4/28

Some of nature's greatest scenic views are those of water. In addition to the numerous artistic styles and media employed to represent water—hyper-realism, abstraction, surrealism, minimalism or classicism in paint, graphite and

paper collage or sculpted in stone—there are numerous points of view from which to compose one's depiction. Water and its environs are always changing—never looking exactly the same from one second to the next. Perhaps this is why artists continually, throughout the history of art, have turned to the waterscape as subject matter. *The Scape of Water* is a Museum Permanent Collection exhibition of works that portray water from a diverse array of media and perspectives, including aerial or atmospheric, linear and birds-eye view. We invite you to gaze at this very serene and meditative collection of art and ponder man's endless urge to visually portray this ever-changing but constant life force that both sustains and intrigues us.

Kate Hooray Osmond – Light Shine Down
1/10 – 4/28

Charleston-SC-based artist Kate Hooray Osmond shines her artistic light in this exhibition of vibrant, large- and small-scale paintings accompanied by the artist's playful installation work. Composed of oil with gold leaf overlay, Osmond's signature style is architectural in its bold and graphic use of line and color, as well as fresh in its perspective—the artist often employs bird's-eye views. A perfect blend of abstraction and representational land and waterscapes will delight the eye and ignite the urge to get out and enjoy the many views our part of the country has to offer.

Time has brought all of us to this moment of wonder. Take a look around you. Life is sweet and will shine through. -Kate Hooray Osmond

Opportunity

Calling all Grand Strand Artists! The City of North Myrtle Beach Parks and Recreation Department has a wonderful program that brings area artists talent to the forefront. "Artist's Everywhere" is a monthly art display at City Hall that showcases local artist's talent and provides beautiful public displays for our residents and visitors. We are working hard to put together a great line up of local artists for 2019 varying from painters, to sculptors, potters, and much more. "Life is art, paint your dreams"
Open to all ages

If you are interested in displaying your artwork, please contact Kaitlyn Bell (843) 281- 3733 or kfbell@nmb.us for information, available dates and/or to Apply

Kaitlyn Bell

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Opportunity

ART Burger • Sushi • Bar

We have a huge display of art from all local artists. We would like to encourage any local artist to reach out to us if they would like the opportunity to put some of your work on the walls.

All local Artists that choose to participate should sign up at ART. The featured Artist of the week will be chosen by rotation of the participating guilds. Order of sign up, quality of work, and pieces to be displayed will all be considered when choosing the Artist of the week. - Art

2019 Juried Show News

We received 141 entries for the show and I think this is some kind of record. Unfortunately, only 75 made it into the show. All of the artwork that we received was high quality. Thanks to all who entered. It's going to be a great show.

Reminder: If your art was accepted –

Deliver your art to the museum on April 29th between 9 am and noon.

The title of your work and your name should be on the back of the piece or under the base of a sculpture.

Classes & Workshops

CLASSES:

Coastal Carolina Life Long Learning – Information at - www.coastal.edu/olli/

N. Myrtle Beach Rec Center – on Possum Trot Rd, NMB - <http://parks.nmb.us/>

Litchfield Exchange - <http://www.classatpawleys.com/>

Myrtle Beach Recreation Center – <http://www.cityofmyrtlebeach.com/recreation.html>

Members Who Teach

Susan Duke – watercolor, gouache & all water media, all skill levels. Tuesdays 10-12:30, her studio, 637 Grissom Pkwy, MB (at the corner of Hwy 501 and Grissom Pkwy). Wednesdays 9:30-12:30 at B&C Museum. Classes on Mondays at Coastal Carolina 9:30- 12:30 – information at www.coastal.edu/olli/ or (843)251-3877

Stuart Fleishman – oils, acrylics, pastels, charcoal. Teaches use of brush and palette knife in oil and acrylic. Classes at NMB Rec Center, NMB Hobby Lobby, and Myrtle Beach A.C. Moore stores. Contact him at (843)213-1037 or fuforu@aol.com.

Brenda Lawson – beginner & intermediate watercolor lessons. Her studio is located at 14363 Ocean Highway, Unit 5, Pawleys Island, SC 29585, (behind Applewood Restaurant) offering 3 hour classes in 6 week sessions. All supplies (brushes, paint, paper...) are included and will be the property of the student after the session concludes. Please call (843)360-0805 for session dates and prices or for info go to- www.pawleysislandartstudio.com.

Hank Pulkowski - Hank is back to teaching after some health issues. Contact him directly for details.

If you have any questions, please email me at hankpulkowski@yahoo.com, or call me at 843-236-0968.

William H. Miller, 714 Main Street, Myrtle Beach is offering weekly figure drawing sessions on Monday (10-1), Wednesday (6-9), and Thursday (4-7) for 3 hours each. Live nude models. Fee \$12 per session. For information whimdesigns@gmail.com or at (214)632-2809. Also offering watercolor, pen & ink, urban sketching, abstract, and portrait clinics.

Rebecca Zdybel scws

Watercolor Wednesdays 9AM-12PM, 1PM-4 PM (Beginning again in November) – Exp!ore watercolor and its techniques in a fun-filled *positive* environment. Lectures, demos, and laughs included every class. Seating limited, supplies available. Pay only for classes you attend. No packages required. Sign up online via: <https://calendly.com/rzdybel>. Link to Rebecca's website - <http://rebeccazartist.com> , rebecca@rebeccazartist.com/ (843)450-2307 text or call. **Special Workshops:** Rebecca offers occasional special courses. Subscribe to her newzletter for advance notification of fun opportunities to “dig in” on special topics. Sign up online via: <https://calendly.com/rzdybel>
Art adventures to international and US destinations: (these sell out well in advance so think about making your plans early!)

If you teach, please update your ads with new dates and information for 2019. At this point I have not received ANY updated information. I am asking that everyone with an ad either update it or confirm that it is good “as is”. When I get a response from the advertiser I will know that the ad is valid and that it should remain in the newsletter.

If you are a member, and you teach a class, you should take this opportunity to advertise your class for free, if you haven't done so already....Tom

Our Sponsors

Support them - they support us. They are also really good at what they do. WACG is proud to be associated with each of them.

Horry Georgetown Homebuilders Association – is your contractor a member? WACG is allowed to participate in 2 HGHBA Home Shows per year.

Ameriprise Financial Services – good advice and good results – improving Guild finances. Linda Rabon, & Aaron Neal
900 Main Street, Suite C, Conway, SC 29526

Three Ring Focus – web design and marketing – create & host our website. 1925 Mr. Joe White Ave., Myrtle Beach, SC

Collectors Café - great food & fine art.
7740 N. Kings Hwy, Myrtle Beach, SC 29572

Art & Frame, Purple Elephant, LLC – great quality frames at low prices. Member Discounts
Two locations – 3261 Waccamaw Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC 29579 & 5200 C Hwy. 17 Bypass, Murrells Inlet, SC 29576

King & Godbold, LLC – CPA for WACG.
1131 48th Ave. N, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Office Depot – discounted office supplies & printing. 9678 Hwy 17 Bypass S, South Strand Commons, Surfside Beach

JerriBob's Mail Services – printing, packing, mailing & shipping. Member Discounts. 1413 Hwy. 17 S, Surfside Beach, SC 29575

Myrtle Beach Chamber of Commerce – Member Discounts – at various businesses around town.

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One More Thing...

REMEMBER – No general meeting or Board meeting this month. Have a great Easter!

We will be having our 22nd Annual Juried Show at the Myrtle Beach Art Museum beginning May 9th.

Art in the Park starts again on April 27th - 28th at Valor Park.

Tom Britton, Editor

WACG Show & Communications Director