



# Waccamaw Arts & Crafts Guild

## NEWSLETTER

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June 2019

Imagine, Create, Enjoy

### *Bits From The Board*

Thanks to Tom Britton and the Art Museum for organizing and presenting our juried show at the museum last month. Despite a shorter exhibition period we had some sales, and it was lovely to see some of our long term members at the reception.

The Guild had its last general meeting until September on May 19, members and visitors were treated to thoughtful, creative projects by students from the Academy of Art, Science and Technology. It was a delight to interact with these young artists and be challenged by their take on the world through mediums ranging from wood to oil, acrylics, graphite and resin. Thanks to Larry Bunch for arranging this and other interesting programs through the year.

Don't forget Art in the Park the last weekend in June. Otherwise, Guild events will be on hiatus until September, when we resume general monthly meetings and the MB Home Show.

The Board had a brief meeting afterward. It was noted that no scholarship applications had come in, and that the Guild had obtained a generous gift of "Golden Seconds" for Sea Haven. Joanne reported that Art in the Park is doing well. The Board will meet the third Sunday of July and August at the Art Museum. All members are welcome to attend. These meetings will begin at 2 pm.

Have a creative, enjoyable summer.

- Carolyn Powell, President

### *Monthly Meeting*

The May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019 WACG meeting presentation was given by some very talented students from the Academy for Arts, Science, and Technology in Horry County Schools. AAST Art Instructor, Jamie Franklin, was also in attendance. The students presenting were all graduating seniors.

After brief introductions, each of the students presented their respective artworks, discussed concept development, and commented on processes and production challenges.



From Lt. to Rt. -Sara Compton (AAST Art Teacher), Guillermo Lopez, Will Williams, Abby Behrens, Noah Williams, Glenn Courtney, K. T. Basile, and Jaime Franklin (AAST Art Teacher).



## 2019 WACG Show Dates

**Art in the Park – (Chapin Park)**  
June 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>

**HGHBA Home Show**  
September 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>

**Art in the Park – (Valor Park)**  
October 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>

**2019 Member's Judged Show**  
October 19 – 28

**Art in the Park – (Valor Park)**  
November 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>

## Show / Event Info

### Myrtle Beach Art Museum

The Art Museum main gallery has been closed for repairs and will re-open June 15<sup>th</sup> with...

**Can't You Sea?** – an exhibition of ARTifacts created by six artists/activists: Dianna Cohen, Alejandro Durán, Sayaka Ganz, Pam Longobardi, Aurora Robson and Kirkland Smith, who employ discarded plastic as both an artistic medium and as subject matter. While helping make the world a better place by keeping plastic out of our

oceans, beaches and waterways, these artists are bringing awareness to this increasing environmental threat by using that plastic to make beautiful art objects that speak to the dangers of ocean plastic pollution.

The second floor gallery has a new exhibit...

### ***Emily Esdaile Weston (1810-1886): The Legacy of a Planter's Wife***

**June 4<sup>th</sup> – September 1<sup>st</sup>**

Over the course of 25 years (1844-1869) Emily Weston documented the architecture, flora, fauna, and landscapes that she encountered around her properties in Horry and Georgetown counties using graphite, ink, and watercolor. She provided us a window into the past with a view of our coastal area 150 years ago.

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

**Kaitlyn Bell**

Event & Program Coordinator| City of North Myrtle Beach

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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*

I want to thank our judge, Gaye Sanders Fisher. It was a special thing to have her judge our show. Without her efforts to obtain the beach house that eventually became our Art Museum, there would probably not be an art museum in Myrtle Beach. She has done much for the art community in our area. Now we have another reason to thank her. She graciously donated her fee for judging our show back to our guild. She is a special lady and we thank her for all that she has done.

## *Classes & Workshops*

### **CLASSES:**

**Coastal Carolina Life Long Learning** – Information at - [www.coastal.edu/olli/](http://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/](http://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](mailto: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](http://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](mailto:hankpulkowski@yahoo.com), or call me at 843-236-0968.

### **William H. Miller**

**William H. Miller Studios & Fine Art**  
714 Main Street, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577  
214-632-2809 (cell) or [whimdesigns@gmail.com](mailto:whimdesigns@gmail.com)

**Weekly Figure Drawing Sessions** with nude model  
Thursdays 6:00pm - 8:30pm \$10 Model Fee

**Private & Group Painting Lessons** - 3 hour sessions in Acrylic, Watercolor, Abstract, Drawing, Creative Mixed Media, and more.  
Can schedule to mutually agreed times. (\$30 per person, no supplies) (\$40 per person, includes supplies) - Generally available, Mornings and Evenings

**The Business of Being and Artist**  
Artistic Mentorship learning how to sell, price and show your art. Cultivate more collectors, set artistic goals, build a series, and attract a gallery. Can schedule to mutually agreed times. \$50 per session

**Custom Painting Parties**  
A fun event that can celebrate your occasion, be it a birthday, anniversary, engagement, wedding, or team building event. I work with you to create a fun event lasting 2-3 hours, scheduled at a mutually agreed time. Cost is \$200 for 5 people, and additional \$40 per person. Can easily accommodate up to twenty people. BYOB and Food, (Can be provided at extra cost) Canvas, Easels, Aprons, Water, Brushes, Paint and Instruction included.

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Rebecca Zdybel SCWS

**Rebecca Z Artist Studio Classes and Workshops:**

**Note:** All studio classes are held at my new studio 9713 N Kings Hwy, Unit 207( Waterway Village Shopping Center) Myrtle Beach, SC, 29572

**Pet Portrait Painting Workshop**

**Wednesday June 5 and/or Saturday June 15 Time: 10 Am to 4:30 PM** Use your photo references or mine. (I have some funny ones!) Come learn how to paint one-of-a kind portraits of your fur babies! I'll show you how to paint fur, soulful expressive eyes, wet noses and harmonious backgrounds. Full day \$70 Limit 11 students. Each student has their own table.

**Finishing Fun: Friday June 21 Time 1:30-4:30 PM**

Bring Your Well-begun Half done paintings to class and we will focus on creative ways to bring them across the finish line. All media welcome

**Coming in mid August:**

**Fresh Figures** Learn to interpret the figure (in watercolor or acrylic) using live models and photo references. Have you shied away from including people in your subject matter? Learn my secrets for creating fresh figures that feel alive and gestural. Practice ways to enliven your landscapes with the inclusion of people. We'll learn about figure norms, male/female attributes, and have lots of exercises to help you practice and not get too precious as you learn. Stay tuned to my newletter for details on this and another of my popular Mixed Media workshops!

**August/Sept Watercolor- Basics and Beyond Thursdays 1:30-4:30.**

Ongoing watercolor classes for all levels, materials available.

Use this link to schedule online for any of my studio classes: <https://calendly.com/rebeccazartist>

**September 21-28, 2019 Eat Paint Cook Tuscany**

Join me for another wonderful week exploring and tasting Tuscany with the opportunity to paint, photograph, and take a cooking lesson from our fantastic chef for the week. We unpack once and stay at a beautifully restored Tuscan Monastery. We take day trips to places that never cease to delight. Follow this link for details: <https://www.ilchiostro.com/workshops/eat-paint-cook-tour-of-tuscany/>

**November 3-8 Don Andrews AWS Workshop at Long Bay Oceanfront Resort-**

A week with one of the nation's premier watercolor instructors. Don is known for his amazing applications of fresh color, well organized lessons and a great sense of humor. It's going to be a super opportunity to study with one of the best at your own 6 ft. table with an ocean view for the week. \$550 Brochure can be found

here: <https://www.artmyrtlebeach.com/don-andrews-watercolor-workshop-2019/>

**If you teach, please update your ads with new dates and information for 2019. At this point I have only received 2 updates. I am asking that everyone with an ad either update it or confirm that it is good "as is". This will be my last reminder on this subject.**

**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, send me your ad and I will publish it monthly....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

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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 48<sup>th</sup> 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.

**WACG is supported by a grant provided by the:**



### *One More Thing...*

We recently obtained some paints and mediums from Golden. These items were “seconds” and they were donated to us for our support of Sea Haven. We paid for shipping (only) and we will be transporting the items to Sea Haven very soon. It was a very generous donation and it shows that they have their hearts in the right place. Thanks Golden!

Summer is here and there are many wonderful things to do. Have fun, enjoy life, and when it gets too hot outside.....go into your studio, shop, garage, or art room, and create some art. If you can't stay cool, go inside and make something cool.

Have a great summer!

Tom Britton, Editor

WACG Show & Communications Director