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May and **October** Members' meetings are held at the **Burchfield Penney Art Center (BPAC), on the campus of Buffalo State College, Elmwood Ave., Buffalo.** All others are at **Amherst Community Church (ACC), 77 Washington Highway, Snyder, NY.** Submit **JANUARY** newsletter items by **DECEMBER 23** to waterbucketeditor@juno.com or treanorsally@gmail.com or US mail to **NFWS Waterbucket Editor, 756 Richmond Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14222.**

WATERBUCKET



Blues

KATIE TURNER

Katie Turner, www.KTArtStudio.com, originally from Buffalo, is a watercolor artist who loves working on slick surfaces. Exposed to the art world at an early age by her late mother, a watercolorist from Buffalo, Turner continues to develop her individual style with passion and dedication, painting evocative, fresh and intuitive pieces. Although Turner spent many years in the graphic arts field, writing articles, publishing zines and working with various media, she never strays far from watercolor. She states:

“When I paint, I am deeply immersed in watching colors mix. It’s fascinating to play with paint – poking it – leading it – spraying it – coaxing it into walking across the paper. I almost always see shapes from nature, most always flowers.

Katie’s work is featured in innumerable publications including *Creative Genius* (Book), NLAPW, April 2018; *Stone Canoe: A Journal of Arts, Literature and Social Commentary* No. 12, March 2018, *In the Company of Women* Book, Jacobs Press, June 2016; & several articles in Somerset Gallery Magazines, Scrap & Stamps & more. Her memberships include International Society of Experimental Artists (ISEA), National League of American Pen Women (Visual Artist), Signature member of Central New York Watercolor Society, Signature member of Niagara Frontier Watercolor Society, and is on the Board of the Central New York Art Guild.

CALENDAR

November
Board/Committee Meeting
ACC, 3rd Floor
Thursday, November 15, 5:00 PM

November Members Meeting
Katie Turner ACC
Thursday, November 15, 7:00 PM

December NO MEETING

January Members Meeting
Vicki O'Reilly ACC
Thursday, January 17, 7:00 PM



FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear NFWS friends:

In October we welcomed Linda Lucas, as both our workshop and members’ meeting artist. Linda did not fail to please in both venues. As our workshop leader, she was generous with her materials, hints, written instructions, templates, and wisdom wrought from years of painting and teaching across the country. I was fortunate to take the workshop and garnered some new insights into use of materials, such as acrylic ink used transparently. While this is not something allowed in our ordinary transparent watercolor conventions, it will be allowed in our Spring 2019 Watermedia show. Exciting stuff to play with. In addition we got to paint on silk using fabric dyes, another new experience. There was also general agreement that Linda’s demo in the auditorium at the Burchfield Penney Art Center was just excellent. It was quite a fulfilling week for this old dog, learning new tricks. Incidentally, Linda has donated a quite beautiful painting that will be raffled off at the November meeting. Tickets are \$5 apiece or five for \$20. Give me a call if you’d like to buy them ahead of time. (912-1451) Proceeds will go toward upgrading some of our aging equipment in use at the meetings.

Our **Fall Juried Exhibit** is on view through November 19, at the Kenan Center in Lockport. The show is a wonderful treat, showcasing the excellent talent we have among our membership. The award winners are listed elsewhere in this issue and you can see them posted on our website at nfws.org. Try and make it out to the Exhibit if you can.

I look forward to seeing all of you in November when you come see **Katie Turner** at our last meeting of 2018. Katie will introduce you to another way of seeing. She loves slick surfaces and the spontaneous watercolorful things that happen on them. Be sure to join us for another fine time.

Remember!! No Waterbucket or Meeting in December We’ll get back together in 2019. Phew!

Sally Treanor, President, NFWS
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CLASSES

Sheila Reigh teaches at the Tonawanda Senior Center, 291 Ensinger Road, Tonawanda, 14150. Must register with Sr. Ctr. (716) 874-3266 and be 60+ years of age. Contact Sheila at (716) 692-6966 or sreigh@verizon.net.

Sherryl Perez teaches weekly watercolor classes for beginner/intermediate artists on Wednesdays (day/evening) in her Wheatfield studio. Contact sperez515@roadrunner.com for details.

Partners in Art, 81 Webster Street, North Tonawanda NY 14150, offers many opportunities to study art in several media. For info, contact **Joan Horn** at 716-692-2141 or joan@partnersinart.net.

BURCHFIELD-PENNEY (BPAC)
www.BurchfieldPenney.org/Watercolor

Part of the International Center for Watercolor at the Burchfield Penney Art Center. To register, email **Kathy Gaye Shiroki** at shirokkg@buffalostate.edu or 716-878-3549, or download registration form from the BPAC website.

Personified Portraits. Artist/Instructor: **Jennifer Koury**. Saturday, November 3. 12:00-3:30 PM. \$42 BPAC member/\$52 BPAC not-yet member.

NOTEWORTHY

Karen Foergen Retrospective, *Dream On*. On view Nov. 9- Dec. 1, 2018. 1045 Elmwood Gallery for the Arts, 1045 Elmwood Ave, Buffalo, NY 14222. 716-228-1855. Opening Reception: Saturday, November 10, 4-7 pm.

Sandy Ludwig will have a solo show at Betty’s Restaurant, 370 Virginia St, Buffalo, on view November 19-January 20. Opening Reception: Monday November 19, 2018, 6:00-8:00 PM.

Annie Strack had paintings accepted into the Philadelphia Watercolor Society’s 118th International Juried Show, 7th Annual Brandywine Valley Plein Air Juried Exhibit,

American Artists Professional League’s 90th International Juried Show, and Northstar Watercolor Society’s 4th National Juried Show. She won the C.J. George Memorial Award in the Kentucky Watercolor Society’s Aqueous 2018.

River Art Gallery, will hold their annual Juried Holiday Exhibition, featuring many NFWS members, from November 10-December 19, 2018. The Gallery is located at 83 Webster St, North Tonawanda, 14120. The Awards Reception will take place on Saturday, November 17. Call 716-260-1497 for more information.

OPPORTUNITIES

Interested in a Trip to Spain? Join **Joan Horn** of **Partners In Art** for an informational and organizational meeting, **Thursday, October 25th, 2018, 6:30pm, Webster’s Kitchen, 110 Webster Street, North Tonawanda.** We are planning the trip for the last week of May 2019. Come and enjoy some Spanish wine and Tapas and learn about this exciting trip to Spain. We will review the itinerary and answer any questions you may have. The trip will include La Sagrada Familia in Barcelona, the Alhambra, the Prado and the Sorolla Museum, along with a lot of other fun things. **RSVP: joan@partnersinart.net so we know how much wine and food to plan for!**

NEWS NEWS

THERE WILL BE **NO** DECEMBER MEETING. WE WILL RESUME IN JANUARY 2019.

2018-2019 NFWS MONTHLY GUEST ARTISTS

Take a look at this list of wonderful artists who will be sharing their skills.

September 20, 2018 – **Barbara Fox**
October 18 – **Linda Lucas** – Fall Workshop
November 15 – **Katie Turner**
January 17, 2019 – **Vicki O’Reilly**
February 21 – **Mary Hardegen**
March 21 – **Nancy Lane**
April 25 – **Bill Mancuso**
May 16 – **Pat Dews** – Spring Workshop
June 20 – **Share Your Art Critique**

WINNERS OF THE FALL 2018 MEMBERS TRANSPARENT WATERCOLOR EXHIBIT

First Place: **Kathleen Giles**, Little Flower Girl
Second Place: **Debra Meier**, The Officer’s Pipe
Third Place: **Barbara Fox**, Garden End
Honorable Mention: **Beverly DiPalma**, Vintage Friends
Honorable Mention: **Denise Sperry**, Curtains Up
Margaret M. Martin Award: **Janis Stanek**, Hummingbird Feeder
Board of Directors’ Award: **Gloria Constantine**, Harvest of Color
Judge’s Choice: **Janice Castiglione**, Nature’s Lace
Judge’s Choice: **Catherine O’Neill**, U Pick
Judge’s Choice: **Vicki O’Reilly**, Southern Bells
Judge’s Choice: **Charles Ossman**, Woodland Textures 2
Judge’s Choice: **Carol Case Siracuse**, Oh, Viburnum
Judge’s Choice: **Sally Treanor**, Garden Walk

ART OFF THE WALL:
Annual Fundraiser for the Carnegie Art Center
2018 Date: Thursday, November 29th
A unique opportunity to purchase an original 5 x 7 piece of artwork for \$20
SAVE THE DATE!
Be sure not to miss this exciting event!
Join the fun by donating your own 5x7 artwork:
Download the application at carnegieqartcenter.org



Night Walk

KATIE TURNER



Blooms