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C A L E N D A R

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| September Members Meeting Thursday, Sept. 19, 7 pm Drayton Jones |
| Fall Workshop Tues, Oct 15-Fri, Oct 18 Kenan Center, Lockport Iain Stewart |
| October Members Meeting Thursday, Oct 17, 7 pm Iain Stewart |
| Fall Exhibit 14 th International Exhibition of Transparent Watercolor Oct 20-Nov 17 |

WATERBUCKET



DRAYTON JONES

Drayton Jones, a Fayetteville, NY resident, is an active member of the Cazenovia Watercolor Society, participates in local shows including St. David's and The Dark Isle at Lorenzo, and teaches various workshops. Recently he became a Signature member of Watercolor West, a nationally recognized Watercolor Society. He has studied under Nicora Gangi, a full time nationally award-winning painter/artist. Gangi says "Drayton Jones' sensitive style of expression, through the medium of watercolor, poetically captures the drama of natural light on his subject matter, whether it be the soft rolling hills of central New York or the tranquil beauty of our surrounding lakes". Jones also received acclaim by Syracuse Post writer, Katherine Rushworth, in her article, Sunday June 10th, 2007 declaring "one of the highlights in the show was discovering the work of Drayton Jones. His style is reminiscent of the great American watercolorist John Marin, but Jones is crisper and less abstract in his approach." Ms. Rushworth called his work "fluid, bold" and "daring".

ALL Members' meetings are held at Amherst Community Church (ACC), 77 Washington Highway, Snyder, NY. Submit OCTOBER newsletter items by SEPTEMBER 23 to waterbucketeditor@juno.com or treanorsally@gmail.com or US mail to NFWS Waterbucket Editor, 756 Richmond Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14222.

SEPTEMBER 2019



Dear NFWS friends:

Great summer, gone too soon. I actually got some painting done.

Welcome back. The upcoming year is loaded with opportunities to learn new techniques, make new connections with other watercolor artists, and participate in the best arts organization that you could possibly join. Check out the calendar for dates you need. Look at the cover of the Waterbucket for info on our really exciting September visiting artist. Make a bargain with yourself that you will jump into every activity we have available and help anyplace you can

I'm going to keep this letter short because otherwise I won't have room for all the wonderful doings of our society and members.

Call or email me any time!

Sally Treanor, President, NFWS
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Kathleen Giles will be teaching two watercolor classes, Kenan Center, Lockport. Thursdays, eight weeks Sept 19-Nov 14. (No class Oct. 17.) Mornings, 9:30-12:30 or afternoons, 1:30-4:30, \$185.00. For more information, visit www.kgilesstudio.com. To register, email Kathleen at kgilesstudio@hotmail.com.

Joan Hambleton will teach 2 classes. 1st: Outdoor Painting and Sketching around Walton Woods. 3 sessions. 9/26 -10/10, 12:30-3:00, \$27.00. Some experience is helpful. 2nd: Acrylic, Watercolor, and other soluble media. 5 sessions. 10/24-11/21, 12:30-3:00, \$38.00 Some experience is helpful. For info, call Amherst Center for Seniors, 370 John James Audubon Pkwy, Amherst.14228. 716-636-3055 ext. 310. Questions, call Joan Hambleton, 946-2583

Chautauqua Institution Fall Watercolor Workshop with **Jody Ziehm**. September 19-24. To reserve a space, jodyziehm@yahoo.com

Sheila Reigh at the Tonawanda Senior Center, 291 Ensminger Road, Tonawanda. Register with Sr. Ctr. (716) 874-3266 and be 60+. 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. Details: sperez515@roadrunner.com.

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

BURCHFIELD-PENNEY (BPAC)

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

• **Seasonal Color Transitions.**

Artist/instructor: Jennifer Koury. Saturday, September 21. 10:30 AM-1:30 PM. \$36 members/\$46 not-yet

• **Though The Doorway.** Artist/instructor: Jennifer Koury. Saturday, September 28. 10:30 AM-1:30 PM. \$36 members/\$46 not-yet

• **Still Life Sunday.** Gerald Mead, artist and Russell Ram, artist. Sunday, October 6, 1:30 - 4:00 PM. Free with admission fee.

Sharon M. Bartell's painting *The Gem: Knox Stables* was awarded 1st prize in mixed media, East Aurora Outdoor Fine Arts Show 2019.

Bob & Sandy Bemisderfer had their watercolor paintings on display at the Marketside Cafe in the Niagara Falls city market for the month of August.

NFWS members **Todd Chalk**, **Catherine O'Neill**, and **Carol Siracuse** were among the award winners at the 2019 Adirondack National Exhibition of American Watercolors.

Paintings by **Carol Koziol Clark**, **Beverly DiPalma**, **Jennifer Koury**, **Wendy Caldwell Maloney**, **Sue Palys**, **Carol Case Siracuse**, and **Sally Treanor** were juried into the Buffalo

Society of Artists 124th Catalogue Exhibition by juror Margot Muto, Head of Exhibitions at the U of Rochester Memorial Art Gallery. September 22-October 27, Sisti Gallery North, 6535 Campbell Blvd, Pendleton NY. Opening: Sun, Sept. 22, 2-5 pm.

Lynn Davis took home third prize in watercolors at the East Aurora Festival.

Kathleen Giles has a solo show "My Vision in Watercolors" at 1045 Elmwood Gallery for the Arts. Opening: Friday Oct 4, 6-9 pm. Runs thru Oct 30. Kathleen's self portrait *Vanity* won the 1st Place \$5000.00 purchase award at the National Watercolor Society.

Jennifer Koury won 1st place at the Plein Air Festival in Clarence NY.

Jennifer Koury, **Nancy Miess**, **Deb Radford** and **Peggy Walker** have

paintings in the Springville Center for the Arts "Changing Seasons II: Artwork of the Scenic Byways Exhibit", Sept 6 -Oct 19, W-F 12-5, Thurs 'til 8pm and Sat 10-3. Opening, Sept 27, 6:30.

Member **Linda Lucas** was awarded first prize Abstract Painting at the 62nd Allentown Art Festival in Buffalo.

DeEtta Silvestro received the Winslow Homer Award in the Missouri Watercolor Society 2019 International Exhibition and had a painting accepted into the PWCS 119th Intl Exhibition.

E Jane Stoddard had paintings accepted into Watercolor West, Rocky Mountain Intl Watermedia Exhibition, Philadelphia 119th Anniversary of Works on Paper, Pennsylvania National, Rhode Island National, Aqueous 2019 Kentucky. Accepted as artist member into International Guild of Realism. Won signature members award in Alabama National Watercolor Show. She was accepted into the Mid-Atlantic, Missouri, Hudson Valley, and Alabama watercolor shows. She also won the signature

Members' award and was accepted into, and achieved signature status, at the Rocky Mountain Watermedia Show.

Annie Strack had paintings juried into the Kentucky Watercolor Society 42nd Annual Aqueous USA, and the Georgia Watercolor Society 2019 Juried Members show. She has been invited by the Sennelier company to teach a plein air workshop in France next summer, and also to be their guest of honor at the Dinard Plein Air Festival in Brittany. Annie is also teaching workshops in watercolor and acrylics at the annual Art of the Carolinas hosted by Jerry's Artarama in November, and she will be conducting live painting demonstrations at the trade show during the expo.

Katie Turner has a painting juried into the International Society of Experimental Artists 28th Annual Juried Exhibition (ISEA). Show is in Lowell, Michigan, Sept 6-Oct 26.

Sale of paintings by American

Watercolor Masters from the collection of **Rita Auerbach** who has generously donated eleven paintings by artists who have influenced her work, with proceeds to benefit NFWS. They will be on display Sept 14-28 at Vern Stein, 5747 Main St., Williamsville. Opening reception 3-5 pm Sept 14, and Main Frame, Oct 1- 12, 1386 Hertel Ave. **View all images on-line** www.nfws.org.

Just for NFWS Members: Daniel Smith Lecture and Demo, Sept. 27, 6:00 pm, at Hyatt's. Space limited. RSVP to Sherryl Perez at sperez515@roadrunner.com.

Buffalo Society of Artists will have **Exhibiting Membership Jurying** on Saturday, **October 12**, at Our Lady of Hope Parish, 246 Lafayette Ave., Buffalo, NY 14213. Applications are available on the BSA website www.buffalosocietyofartists.org. For consideration, you must complete and mail all required materials by October 4, 2019.

Tent for Sale: An older tent, used in all conditions totally equipped for outdoor art or other festivals. \$600.00. Contact **Joan Hambleton** at 716-946-2583.