

View the colorful *Spring Show* until June 10th at the *Springs Preserve*

NVWS Newsletter - May 2018



Instead of an **Artist of the Month**, we will be celebrating our Founding Members' artwork from the Permanent Collection on a video loop during the meeting.

May's Meeting
Wednesday, May 9th 7:00 pm
Spanish Oaks Clubhouse
2201 Spanish Oaks Drive
Las Vegas, Nevada 89102

Permanent Collection Presentation

by Shirley Jeane

Potluck! Bring your favorite dish to share and celebrate the end of our 49th year.

UPCOMING MAY EVENTS

May 3rd - NVWS Board Meeting at 1:00 pm - IHOP

May 9th - May's Meeting @ 7:00 pm - Potluck, Presentation and Elections!

May 15th - Members will receive invoices and subsequent reminders for annual dues starting **April 15** for associate/student members and **May 15 for signature members**. You may pay the invoice online via PayPal/credit card by going to your profile and selecting "Invoices and Payments" from the horizontal menu. You may also pay by delivering a check to **Molly McClain, Membership Chair**.

CONGRATULATIONS!!



BEST OF SHOW

Congratulations to the Spring Show Winners:

Best of Show - Tatsiana Harbacheuskaya

First Place - Juan Varela

Second Place - Sue Roach

Third Place - Amy Smiecinski

Creative Award - Jackie Long

Honorable Mentions:

Myra Oberman, Carol Jean Peters, Patty Stroupe

NVWS 2018 SPRING SHOW

Click to view the [2018 Spring Show brochure](#)

Click to view the the reception photos: [SpringShowReception2018.pdf](#)

Reminder of important dates for the 2018 Spring Show:

Show runs April 12 to June 10, 2018

Springs Preserve, 333 S. Valley View Blvd., Las Vegas, NV

Pick-up: Monday, June 11, 2018, 10:30 am to 12 noon

NVWS 2018 FALL SHOW

2018 Fall Show Prospectus: [2018 Fall Show prospectus B.pdf](#)

Show runs September 25 to December 16, 2018

Sahara West Library, 9600 West Sahara Avenue, Las Vegas, NV

Entry deadline: August 11, 2018

Drop-off: Monday, September 24, 2018, 12 noon to 1:30 p.m.

Reception: Thursday, September 27, 2018, 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Pick-up: Monday, December 17, 2018, 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon

Juror: Ron Stocke

NVWS Election of Officers

Election of Officers for 2018/2019 will take place at the May Meeting:

Candidates are:

President: **Gail Montoure**

1st Vice President/Programs: **Judi Moreo**

2nd VP/Membership: **Molly McClain**

3rd VP/Shows & Exhibits: **Carmen Egolf**

Secretary: **Donita Murphy**

Treasurer: **Shirley Jeane**

Sale of Easel



We are accepting bids for the large easel we have been using for the display of Artist of the Month work because we are switching to smaller, portable easels that can be used for more than one purpose. The easel is approximately 8 feet long and 6 feet high, and when disassembled fits into special bags for storage. Bids will start at \$100.00 and due by June 1st. If there is a tie, we will have a best-offer final bid. Please email Nancy Buford at njbuford@ttl.vnet or see her at the meeting on May 9th, or call her at 702-521-0173 if you are interested

NVWS Artist of the Month Program

We have months available for 2018-2019 for Artist of the Month. Please email Nancy Buford at njbuford@ttl.vnet or see her at the meeting on May 9th, or call her at 702-521-0173 if you are interested. It's a great way to share your work!

Accolades to our Members



Jim Champlin's "THE SOUND OF FREEDOM" was accepted into the CELEBRATING LIFE ART EXHIBIT and will receive an award at the reception at the Charleston Height Art Center on May 26. The center is located at 800 N Brush St and the reception starts at 6pm.

Congratulations Jim!!

NVWS Summer Painting Challenge

Decorate our 50th Anniversary Logo. The winning design, to be selected at the September 2018 meeting, will be featured on all 2018/2019 products and publications. A copy of the Logo, printed on watercolor paper, will be distributed at the May meeting. Decorate the background, the foreground, or the entire Logo...the choice is yours!

For those who cannot attend the May meeting, here is a Logo graphic to print out and transfer to watercolor paper sized 8 ½" x 11" or smaller.

[nvws_outline2.pdf](#)

NVWS WORKSHOP



Ron Stocke Workshop - Oct 8-10, 2018

TIME: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily PLACE: 2201 Spanish Oaks Drive, Las Vegas, NV

*COST: Member Early - Bird Rate: \$315 (if paid in full by August 1, 2018)

Member Rate After August 1, 2018: \$340 for members

Non-member rate: \$365

Still thinking? - \$50 deposit will hold your spot. [Sign up now](#)

NVWS Greeting Cards



Still collecting: .jpg images of member's artwork (until **May 30th, 2018**) to be used for collage cards. If you would like your artwork included in this NVWS 50th Anniversary project, please send (up to 3) .jpg images of your paintings to Louise Gillespie at gillespie4@earthlink.net. Any questions, please contact Louise Gillespie or Sheila Spargo.

Dear Members and Friends,

Kelsy Antolik, Coronado High School Senior was selected as the Nevada Watercolor Society's 2018 **Public Education Foundation** scholarship winner. **Kelsey** will be presented her award at the Foundation's annual awards luncheon at the **Venetian Hotel** on May 4th.

It has been a pleasure to be your President the last two years and I have enjoyed seeing the Artist of the month and I am scheduled to show my **21 Missions of California** at the October meeting.

We wind up this year with our annual Potluck dinner and Shirley Jeane will be presenting a show of our **Permanent Collection**.

I wish to thank our present board for the

Sylvia Bachiochi Creative Award

*A message to the Nevada Watercolor Society
from Jackie Long:*

I am honored to be the first recipient of the Sylvia Bachiochi Creative Award, and I want to thank all who donated to make this award possible!

Hyrum Huskey Donation

Special thanks to **Hyrum Huskey** for donating \$100.00 to help purchase individual easels for displaying works from the Artist of the Month for the year 2018-2019.

View last month's meeting photos from

wonderful support they have given me. Many are continuing on the board and I ask you to volunteer to support our continuing programs.

Jim Champlin, President

Your NVWS board meets monthly the Thursday before the regular meeting. **We will be at the IHOP restaurant at Sahara & Fort Apache at 1:00pm, May 3rd.** You are invited to attend these meetings. Just let a board member know you are coming.

Myra Oberman. Thanks, Myra!

[April Meeting Photos.pdf](#)

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