



Desert Wash

Nevada Watercolor Society Newsletter

March 2020

March Meeting: Wednesday, March 11th at 7:00 p.m.

Chris Mazglad Demonstration

Spanish Oaks Clubhouse, 2201 Spanish Oaks Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89102

Next Board Meeting Date: Thursday, March 5th at 1 p.m. at IHOP, 9480 W Sahara

President's Message



The Clark County Museum recently concluded a four- month exhibit of "**Art and Artists of Southern Nevada: Selected Works from the Collections of the Clark County Museum**". The exhibit featured Southern Nevada themed art painted by local artists. Several were Charter and former members of the Nevada Watercolor Society. In case you missed the exhibit, this issue of the *Desert Wash* contains photos of those paintings, all of which were donated to the museum by our former members. I hope you enjoy them as much as I did.

Many thanks to Betty Carr for her workshop and presentation at our February meeting. Betty's workshop received rave reviews, and we were delighted by her "cheerleader" personality, her excellent artwork, and her helpful painting tips.

We are looking forward with much anticipation to the March demonstration from award winning local artist Chris Mazglad who will show us how she applies gold leaf to her watercolors. You won't want to miss it.

Gail Montoure, President

March 11th Meeting Program

Join Chris Mazglad for a demo showing how to add gold leaf to to your paintings!



Join Chris Mazglad as she does a short demo on leafing at the March meeting.

While not a watercolorist, Chris loves using metal leaf in her work with acrylic, oil, or mixed media. She'll bring several examples of how she's used it to the meeting. She'll discuss sizing, several choices for leaf and applying it to your artwork.

Chris is a member of City Lights Artists' Co-op and currently serves as Treasurer. She currently has a 20 piece exhibit of her artwork on the 2nd floor of Henderson City Hall through the end of March, a few pieces at Las Vegas City Hall along

Volunteers Needed

The Nevada Watercolor Society bylaws require members to elect Board Officers each year at our May meeting. Most of you have or will in the next few weeks be receiving a phone call from one of the NVWS nominating committee representatives (Barrie Cooke-Folsom, Grace Kent, or Georgia Lawson), to determine your interest in being a candidate for Board Officer positions for next year.

We have two vacancies that must be filled. Those are Treasurer and Secretary. In addition to the two vacancies, you are free to declare yourself a competing candidate for any of the four other Officer positions (President, 1st Vice President - Programs, 2nd Vice President - Membership, and 3rd Vice President - Shows & Exhibits). The calling representative should be able to answer any questions you may have. You can also find additional details regarding all Board Officer positions in our bylaws and standing rules, which are posted on the NVWS website.

Please also consider volunteering to help with Shows & Exhibits. We continue to search for an intern to the incumbent chair, Carmen Egolf, who may be leaving the area.

We would appreciate your talking to the nominating committee representative and giving due consideration to becoming a candidate.

Featured Artist: Attention Art Teachers

March will feature Georgia Lawson's students, and April will feature Sharon Menary's students.

If you are an art teacher and are a member of the NVWS, please consider coordinating a showing of your students' art next fall! We would love to see their work and perhaps attract new members to our society. Email Nancy Buford at njbuford@ttl.vnet.

Member Notes

Our organization is thriving! We continue to grow and are attracting artists who are diverse in age, background, and art experience. Many of our newest members have already volunteered for committees! I know our Society will benefit from this influx of new energy and ideas.

Put a link to your website in the Member Directory

It's simple. Login to www.nevadawatercolorsociety.org and edit your member profile and insert your link.

If you teach art, and would like your information in the Member Directory, do the same thing! Login to www.nevadawatercolorsociety.org and edit your member profile.

Please make sure that your contact information is correct and complete. If you have never logged in or are unable to, please contact Molly McClain, Membership at mcclainbill@yahoo.com or call her at 702.769.4852.

Reminder

Any payment made to the Nevada Watercolor Society using a credit card or Paypal account will show up on your credit card or bank statement as "Paypal Nevadawater" followed by a transaction number. This information is also highlighted on the email payment receipt you are sent. We have no control over how our name appears on your credit card and bank statements, and regret any confusion.

Sun City Summerlin Art Club Show

The Sun City Summerlin Art Club proudly presents the 28th Annual Fine Art Show and juried competition Saturday, April 4 and Sunday, April 5, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Desert Vista Community Center, 10360 Sun City Boulevard.

The show, which is open to the public, features original art by many of our 130 very talented member artists. The competition includes drawings and works in acrylics, oil, watercolor, colored pencil, mixed media. Official judging will be conducted by Cornell University educated and renowned artist, instructor and certified art appraiser, Gabbie Hirsch.

In addition to the show, attendees will have the opportunity to purchase hand painted greeting cards, original unframed works and high quality Giclee reproductions in the popular Art Bin. Refreshments, music and exciting raffle prizes will also be offered.

For more information or more photos, contact Rosanne Heideman 702-217-2364.

Sun City Summerlin
ART CLUB

proudly presents
The 28th Annual

FINE ART SHOW

And Juried Competition

FEATURING ORIGINAL ART BY
MORE THAN 50 SUN CITY SUMMERLIN ARTISTS

DESERT VISTA COMMUNITY CENTER
10360 SUN CITY BOULEVARD LAS VEGAS, NV 89134

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, APRIL 4 & 5, 2020
10:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.
AWARDS CEREMONY: SATURDAY 11:00 A.M. RAFFLE DRAWING: SUNDAY 2:50 P.M.

FREE ADMISSION
ART FOR SALE ~ MUSIC ~ REFRESHMENTS ~ RAFFLE ~ PRIZES

In Memoriam: Lucy Foley

We are sad to report that Lucy Foley, a talented watercolor artist and a member of the Nevada Watercolor Society, passed away on February 17th at the age of 101. A Las Vegas resident since 1952, she was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas A. Foley, in 1993. Lucy is survived by her four sons, Roger, Thomas, Michael, and Clark; and her granddaughter, Mira.

Lucy was a successful leader in many community projects that helped shape this city that she loved. She grew up in Berkeley, CA, and graduated from UC Berkeley (Cal) in 1941. Lucy was a school [teacher](#), a professional singer, an artist, and a world traveler that positively impacted many. She was loved and will be missed dearly.



Lucy Foley



Lucy Foley and Mary Shaw

Upcoming Shows

Signature Show: February 27 through March 24, 2020

**Lake Las Vegas Sports Club
101 Via Vin Santo, Henderson, NV**

End of Show Pick-up: Wednesday, March 25, 2020 from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Link - <https://nevadawatercolorsociety.org/event-3607245>

Spring Show: April 9 through June 7, 2020

**Springs Preserve
Las Vegas, NV**

Results Announced: Monday, March 16, 2020

Drop Off: Monday, April 6, 2020 from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Reception: Thursday, April 9, 2020 from 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (awards announced at 6:00 p.m.)

End of Show Pick-up: Monday, June 8, 2020 from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

If assistance is needed with photography, please email Carmen Egolf at nvws.artshows@gmail.com

**Exhibit: "Art and Artists of Southern Nevada:
Selected Works from the Collections of the Clark County Museum"**



Long time Signature member and past-president Mary Shaw, "Train Station", circa 1980, watercolor



Charter Member Alice Atkinson's 1972 watercolor, pen & ink, to promote the grand opening of the Riviera Travel Trailer Park.



Charter Member Cliff Segerblom, title unknown circa 1965 – 1975, acrylic on canvasboard. Cliff was the first official photographer for the recently completed Hoover Dam project, appointed by the Bureau of Reclamation.



Signature member Mary Heinrichs, title unknown, 1959, watercolor



Charter Member Dorothy Paulsen, *"Indian Dolls"*, 1969, watercolor, inspired by the Nevada Watercolor Society's first field trip to the new Clark County Museum, then on Water Street in Henderson, Nevada.

Betty Carr Workshop and February Meeting Photos



