

May's Meeting

Wednesday, May 14th @ 7:00 pm

Mesquite Club

702 E. St. Louis Ave.
Las Vegas, NV 89104

Board Meeting
Wed, May 14th @ 5:30pm

May's Program 5th Annual Artist Trading Card Exchange

Summer Challenges
Find out the summer challenges
... Exciting projects to do over
the summer and bring to the
meeting in September

****Potluck****

Bring your favorite dish

**Election of Officers
and the Treasurer's Annual
Fiscal Report**

Video Rentals
Great videos to rent for the
entire summer \$5.00 each



*Barbara Yoerg with Mary Todd Beam, AWS-DF
in Myrtle Beach.*

Huge thanks go out to **Shirley Winslow, Shirley Jeane and Barbara Stanton** for demonstrating a variety of techniques to about 40 members of the Society at last month's meeting.

This past season celebrating watercolor has flown by with the vital assistance of the Board and Chairs. They are superstars extending the joy and providing learning opportunities, exhibition venues, and workshops for the Society and the community.

It was a delight asking children touring the Wetlands Preserve if they had a good time painting turtles and making paper. The smiles on their and their parent's faces were priceless.

We've had our moments, too. The "town hall" meeting in January was difficult for me, personally. In hindsight, the meeting was very rewarding resulting in awareness.

The Society is unique here in Las Vegas offering workshops by nationally recognized instructors, and three exhibitions at exceptional venues. However, it is the members that make the Society work.

It has been my privilege to have served as your President this past year. I hope that the celebration and enthusiasm of water-media continues by all. Thank you for your support.

Continue painting with wild abandon!



At May's meeting

In addition to our annual election of officers and a delicious pot luck feast:

Join an Artists Trading Card Exchange.
Bring as many ATCs as you can and trade.
ATCs are 2 1/2" X 3 1/2"
painted, stamped, collaged, etc.
These miniature cards are amazing!
and fun to collect!

NVWS Workshops

Carl Purcell Drawing Workshop

Thursday thru Saturday
October 9th, 10th and 11th, 2014

\$335 for 3 days (members) , \$360 for Non Members

To reserve a spot, send a check for \$50
which is non-refundable,
made payable to Nevada Watercolor Society
and mail to: Sharon Menary,
3047 Evening Wind St, Henderson, NV 89052

*ONLY NVWS Members may sign up until July 9th,
then it will be open to the public. (As of March 19th,
14 people have signed up so it is filling up quickly.)*

For additional information
contact Sharon Menary at 702-463-2454

NVWS Workshops

Lian Zhen Workshop

Thursday thru Saturday
February 12 - 14th, 2015

\$275 for 3 days (members) , \$300 for Non Members

To reserve a spot, send a check for \$50
which is non-refundable,
made payable to Nevada Watercolor Society
and mail to: Sharon Menary,
3047 Evening Wind St, Henderson, NV 89052

Election of officers

The nominating committee is presenting the following slate of nominees as NVWS's Board of Directors 2014/2015 to be voted on during the May meeting.

President - **Roberto Rico**
1st Vice President/Programs - **Sylvia Bachiochi**
2nd Vice President/Membership - **Deb Mays**
3rd Vice President/Shows and Exhibits - **Barbara Stanton**
Secretary - **Susan Neiry**
Treasurer - **Shirley Jeane**

NVWS Critique Group

The Critique Group will meet
May 6th and 20th
(every 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 10am - noon)
at Bill Fravel's residence
2510 El Paso Grande Ave, Henderson NV 89074
For information, contact Bill Fravel at
(702) 468-6041 or billfravel@aol.com

NVWS Shows and Exhibits

2014 Open Spring Show
Springs Preserve
333 S Valley View Blvd
Las Vegas, Nevada 89107

now through May 11th, 2014

Important Note : Show Pick-up

We will be picking up the Spring Show on

Monday May 12 from 10 to 12

at the Springs Preserve

If you are unable to pick up your work up at this time please either arrange to have someone pick up for you or call me to make other arrangements. My number is

(702) 463-0857 or my cell is (763)442 -8051.

Thanks all and see you then. Sylvia Bachiochi

Past Meeting / Event Photos



May 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6 Critique Group at Bills house 10am - noon	7	8	9	10
11 Mother's Day	12 PICK-UP Paintings from Spring Show @Springs Preserve 10am - noon	13	14 NVWS Meeting 7pm Mesquite Club	15	16	17
18	19	20 Critique Group at Bills house 10am - noon	21	22	23	24
25	26 Memorial Day	27	28	29	30	31

**\$40 Dues for the 2014-15 season
are due by May 1st, 2014**

Please bring to May's meeting or mail a check to:
NVWS, P.O. Box 27224, Las Vegas, NV 89126

Signature members - To keep your Signature status active, dues must be paid by June 1, 2014.

Call for Artists:

The Southern Utah Art Guild is sponsoring its Annual Spring Art Show in the new Red Cliffs Art Gallery, located in the newly remodeled St. George City Annex Building. The gallery has about 2500 sq. ft. of exhibition space with over 200 linear feet of wall space for hanging art.

This show will be the initial show at the venue. The show is scheduled to last for 2 weeks and will kick off with an opening reception on Thursday, May 22nd and will run through June 5th. Please note that the dates are "soft" at the current time; actual dates depend on the completion of the remodel and occupation of the build offices by the city.

The show is open to all media including 2-dimensional (painting, photography, textiles, etc.) and 3-dimensional art (sculpture, pottery, etc.). The show will be judged with ribbons being awarded. Cash prizes will be given for Best of Show, 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. We are currently limiting the number of pieces to two per artist. This may be increased if space is available.

Contact **John Mangels** for more information
The Southern Utah Art Guild
 johnmangels@msn.com or 435-674-4323