




Shenandoah Valley Watercolor Society

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The Shenandoah Valley Watercolor Society met on March 3, 2016 at the Westside Baptist Church in Harrisonburg, VA. Due to inclement weather there was a slim attendance.

SVWS President, Donna Detrich welcomed guest Barbara Fultz. Donna thanked Janet Kuller and Jim Bomberger for organizing the January and February SVWS Paint-outs. Donna will be coordinating a Paint-out on March 14 from 10:00 to 3:00 at Valley Friends' Meeting House, 363 High Street, Dayton. Enter at the side door. All members are welcome and it is suggested that they bring old paintings to revive or incomplete ones to finish. Participants should bring a brown bag lunch.

Gallery Day is March 7. A volunteer is needed to serve for Gallery Day at the Hardesty Higgins House.

OASIS Coordinator, Janet Kuller asked members to update her OASIS inventory list and passed around the April, OASIS sign-up sheet. Members were reminded to make sure that exhibited art was properly placed in the OASIS inventory and that an E-mail was sent to the person at OASIS preparing the title card.

The Spitzer Art Gallery 6 by 6 by 30 by 30 Show at VMRC opened on March 4 and will continue through the month of March.

May 6 is the deadline for application to the San Diego International Art Show.

Brushstrokes:

Jim Bomberger and Anne McFarland each sold a painting at OASIS.
Bonnie Stutzman sold a painting.

Remember the challenge to members for the May meeting of overlaying painting on 3 line drawings. Brenda provided members with a sample drawing at the February meeting that may be used if desired. She suggested that one should decide the locations of lights and darks.

The March program was postponed until April so you will still get a chance to learn from Brenda about Complementary Colors!

The meeting concluded with painting critiques by Brenda Hounshell.

Meetings are at
7PM on the 1st
Thursday at
Westside Baptist
Church, 715 W
Wolfe St.,
Harrisonburg, VA

A short business
meeting is followed
by refreshments
and a critique of
members'
paintings. Guests
are always
welcome.

Calendar of Events

Oasis

Ongoing show of
Members' work

Paint-Out

JMU Arboretum
May 9

Workshop

Christopher Wynn
Returns Sat, June 4
10 am-5 pm
Cost: \$45
(members)

VMRC Show

May 29-June 30th

2016 Calendar of Meetings and Events

<p>February 20th, Paint out Coordinator: Jim Bomberger 9:00 to 3:00 at VMRC Bring brown bag lunch or eat at the diner</p>	<p>March Meeting: Mini Lesson – Complementary Colors March 7th, Gallery Day VMRC Juried Art Exhibition – deadline March 15 Date to be Announced. Paint out Coordinator: Donna Detrich. Time and place to be announced</p>	<p>April Meeting: Complementary Colors (postponed from March)</p>
<p>May Challenge: Paint over a line drawing; determine lights and darks! Mini Lesson- Creating Depth in Paintings. Date to be Announced. Paint out Coordinator: Pat Martin JMU Arboretum May 28th, Paint out Coordinator Anita Brechtel Sunny Side Retirement Home</p>	<p>June Meeting: Mini Lesson – Underpaintings June 6th - Gallery Day June 4th – Christopher Wynn returns for a workshop: 10 am - 5pm, Cost: \$45 (Members) Call Janet Wright for more information.</p>	<p>July Meeting: Mini Lesson- Volume of Objects July 15th, Paint out Coordinator: Anne McFarland Oakdale Park, Bridgewater. Time to be announced.</p>
<p>August Meeting: Guest for Critique August 27th Golden Paints Demo and paint out at West Side Baptist Church, 10 to 3:00. Coordinator: Brenda Hounshell</p>	<p>September Meeting: Mini Lesson – Perspective September 5th, Gallery Day September 10th, SVWS Members' Show drop off September 11th, SVWS Members' Show awards and reception</p>	<p>October Meeting: Challenge to be announced Mini Lesson - Values October 22nd, Paint out coordinators: Martha Mobley, Debbie Nees, Alice Media Orkney Springs</p>
<p>November Meeting: Holiday Celebration/Election of Officers November 5th, SVWS Members' Show pick up of paintings</p>	<p>December Meeting: Mini Lesson: Cool versus warm colors December 5th, Gallery Day</p>	
<p>• February and August are months for perspective new Signature Members to be critiqued. President needs a letter requesting Signature Membership status review at least a month prior to the month of critique.</p>		

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