



BRUSHSTROKES

MAY/JUNE
2021

MARK YOUR CALENDAR'S - PAG'S 1st meeting will be on Monday, September 13th. LOCATION: Jim Ward Community Center, 301 NW 46th Ave., Plantation, FL 33317 (Phone 954-585-2344)
TIME: 10 am to noon.

October's Meeting will be on Monday, October 4th. Same location and times.

November's Meeting will be on Monday, November 8th. Again, same location and times.

The Deicke Auditorium is currently occupied by the Helen B. Hoffman Library during renovations to the library. .

OTHER NEWS

THE FLORIDA WATERCOLOR SOCIETY'S 2021 CONVENTION AND TRADE SHOW is scheduled for September 19 - 26 at the Coral Springs Marriott, 11775 Heron Bay Blvd, Coral Springs. Workshops are scheduled from September 20 - 23 and the flyer is attached below as well as the Volunteer opportunities information sheet. Link to workshops: <https://floridawatercolorssociety.org/events/#!event-list>
Please sign up early as Susan Hansen is sold out and has wait list. Alexis is virtual but Jorge and Keiko will be at the convention.

The Anne Kolb Nature Center has notified PAG that their exhibit hall has reopened. Exhibit hall hours of operation are 11 am to 3 pm daily. They are resuming the display of art but will not be taking new reservations at this time. The shows that had to be cancelled due to covid will be given the current opportunities but you may want to keep this location in mind for a future show. (Phone: 954-357-5161).

The Broward website also lists art opportunities and shows: www.broward.org/arts/opportunities

Royal Talens (Previously provided product awards for PAG) has an interesting newsletter with tips, etc. at www.royaltalens.com

Susan Convery has been hosting virtual events and providing individual instruction - more information is available at www.SusanConvery.com or email her at SusanConvery.Art@gmail.com

MEMBER AWARDS

Marilyn Johansen's painting "Learning the Ropes" was accepted into the Watercolor Society of Alabama 2021 National Exhibition and her painting "Huh?" was accepted into the 2021 Texas Watercolor Society Nation Exhibition.

Karen Braverman was accepted into the National Watercolor Society 2021 Member Show with "String Theory - Particles" and received a merit award at Louisiana Watercolor Society's 51st International Exhibit for "String Theory - Space Invaders".

Judy Nunno's painting "Canes and Lollies" received the Potomac Valley Watercolorists Award in the

Southern Watercolor Society 44th Annual Juried Exhibition. Her painting "Pins and Needles" won Best Watercolor in the City of Pembroke Pines 16th Annual Art Competition, and "Stringing Beads in Maasai Village" won First Place at the Gold Coast Watercolor Society Wet Paint Exhibit.

Jorge Leon won Judge's Recognition at the Gold Coast Watercolor Society Wet Paint Exhibit for his painting "At the Opera".

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!

GET WELL

To Frances Tyler and Lois Perdue, PAG and all it's members send love and prayers for speedy recoveries.

[Link to Additional Resources](#)



BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

May: Phyllis Casper, Toni Eisenhauer, Eileen McNally,

June: Pat Ellson, Myra Goldstein, Nancy Lussier, Diane Marrett, Sally Smith,

[Text Link](#)

Florida Watercolor Society

Volunteer Opportunities

Artist Demo Volunteers - 2 separate job categories

Friday: 8:00am - 4:00pm / Saturday: 8:00am - 4:00pm

1. Artist Assistant - Assist Demo Artist with set up, timing and take down.
2. Door Monitor - Receive entry tickets and monitor door during demo.

FWS Booth Volunteers

Friday: 8:00am - 4:00pm / Saturday: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Distribute 2021 catalogs to FWS members, sell catalogues to non-members and sell FWS merchandise all from the comfort of a table set up near all the action.

Must be able to use "PayPal credit card swipe" or accept cash/checks and provide receipt for each item purchased.

Paint Around Volunteers - 3 separate categories

Saturday: 7:00am - 11:00am

1. Artist Assistants - assist artist with whatever they need during set up and throughout the Paint-A-Round... 7:00am - 9:00am & 9:00am - 11:00am (2 2-hour shifts)
2. Sell Paint-A-Round Raffle Tickets... 7:45am - 11:00am (1 hour or more shifts)
3. Mat and display finished paintings.

Registration Desk Volunteers

Thursday 12:00pm - 5:00pm / Friday: 9:00am - 4:00pm / Saturday: 9:00am - 2:00pm

Check in members, Hand out badges and tickets, answer questions.

Raffle Sales Volunteers

Friday: 8:00am - 4:00pm / Saturday: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Sell tickets for Healing Arts Award raffle and Paint-A-round. Contact winners, take unclaimed items to FWS Booth for pick up by winners.

Volunteer Room Concierge Volunteers

Friday: 8:00am - 4:00pm / Saturday: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Check in volunteers. Give them their assignments, Track assignments to be sure they are covered. If not covered, find someone to cover the job (Floaters).

Distribute volunteer raffle tickets for completed hours to volunteers and pass out cookies made by the fabulous Ruby!

One-On-One Critique Volunteers

Times to be announced.

Sit at table outside Critique room, check in artists for their critique, send them in for their appointment time, time the critique appointment, give the 5 more minutes signal and the final signal that the critique time has ended.

Packing It Up

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00pm

Assist Board Members with tear down of demo rooms and packing up supplies.



Diane Lary
FWS 2021 President



2021 Convention & Trade Show

September 19-26th, 2021 Marriott Coral Springs

50th Golden Anniversary Exhibition

September 11-November 13, 2021

Coral Springs Museum of Art, Coral Springs, FL

Reception September 24th, 2021

4 Day Workshops
September 20-23, 2021



Keiko Tanabe: AWS, NWS, Exhibition Judge, workshop instructor. Learn about 'Color vs. Value' exploring the energy & rhythm of vibrant colors and learn how to make color and light sing with watercolors.

Alexis Lavine: NWS, TWSA, WHS, Online Exhibition Judge, Workshop Instructor: 'Ordinary to Extraordinary'. We'll start with modest subjects and learn how to transform them into extraordinary paintings.



1&2 Day Workshops
September 22-23, 2021



Jorge Leon 2-Day: FWS, MWS 'Put a little Drama in your Pour' Jorge will excite & stimulate your imagination and help you jump into your art, have fun and approach your art with an open attitude of exploration and new vision. It will fully energize your art.

Susan Hanssen 1-Day: NWS, AWS, FWS 'How to See and Design Abstractly'. Using the Principles of Design and Composition, Susan teaches how these elements can create strong compositions in your paintings.



Enjoy the Demos, Critiques, the Paint-A-Round, buying supplies at the Trade Show Sept. 19-26, 2021

Details at FloridawatercolorSociety.org