



KENTUCKY WATERCOLOR SOCIETY

NEWSLETTER

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Message to Members

Hello from the President

Spring is here and the KWS is in full bloom. We want to welcome our new members (see the Directory Supplement inside) and encourage everyone to take advantage of the many activities listed in this newsletter. Plus, we continue to plan many more. Picturesque is about to open; you should receive your Aqueous USA 2009 prospectus soon, if not already; En Pleine Aire is organizing the year's first expedition; pictures are selling in the gallery, even as artists and students continue their studies in our various classes and painting groups; our revised web page continues in its development and usefulness; our scope of digital communications continues to expand, (which some find useful). There is a lot going on!

Thank you to all the members who work hard all year to make KWS so successful. Without these people we would not have such a wonderful organization.

I look forward to seeing all the beautiful art in this year's Shows. Please enter at least one show this year so that all may enjoy your accomplishments. Each artist adds a unique definition to the meaning of art and all contribute to our art experience.

Please feel free to contact us and let us know how you are doing and if the KWS can do anything to help you. Sincerely,

Jean Jansen, President
Phone: 502.339.9584
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In Memoriam

We are sorry to share with you the loss of KWS Signature Member, Al Zerries, of Huntington, NY. He had been a KWS member since 2003, exhibiting in every Aqueous since then. His painting, *Wedding Guest*, is in the 2008 Traveling Show.

CALENDAR

- Apr 24 KWS Gallery Artists Reception
- Apr 30 Framing Discount Expires. See back page.
- Apr 28-Jul 28. . . Picturesque 2009. Artemisia Restaurant
- May 12, Tue Plein Aire Outing.at Blackacre
- May 7, Thur Picturesque 2009 Opening & Awards
Reception, 4 - 6 pm. Artemisia,
620 E. Market Street, Louisville
- Jun 2 - 5 Ann Pember Workshop. See p 3
- Jun 10, Wed. Entry Deadline, All Member Show, p 2
- Jun 26, Fri All Member Show Opening
Reception 5 pm. See page 2.
- June 26 - Aug 30 All Member Show. Mellwood Gallery
- July AquaVenture Prospectus in Newsletter

KWS GALLERY NEWS

Don't forget. Gallery members and a guest are invited to a wine and cheese party on April 24. Check your email for details. This is sponsored by KWS as a thank you for making our gallery possible.

Pictures hanging in the gallery are selling! Congratulations to our KWS artists!

Our next three month display will feature a CITYSCAPE exhibit.

We welcome new members to the gallery. There are currently 2 full wall spaces available for \$40 per month and a half space for \$20.

The Gallery is also available for rental for special events. If you are interested in displaying some of your work at the KWS Gallery at Mellwood Arts & Entertainment Center, contact: Gallery Director, Luci Mistratov, KWSGallery@yahoo.com or 502.819.8898

KWS ON THE WEB Check out: www.kentuckywatercolorociety.org

Thanks to Mary Lee, our new web site continues to expand. It will have available for downloading the prospectus for each of our shows, as well as our newsletters, in case yours has disappeared, plus updated links that might be useful to our artists.

If you would like your work shown on our website, it's a mere \$25 per year. Via e-mail, send a photograph of yourself and one of your pictures, a brief biography and description of your work.

Other ideas are welcome, too. Please send submissions to KWS at: kwsociety1100@yahoo.com.

ALL MEMBER SHOW 2009

June 26 - August 30, 2009

**Mellwood Lobby Gallery
Mellwood Arts & Entertainment Center**

1860 Mellwood Avenue
Louisville, KY 40202

Gallery Hours: All Week! 9am – 9pm

OPENING AND AWARDS RECEPTION

June 26 (Art Hop Night) 5-7 pm, Awards at 6 pm

Calendar

- June 10 Entry form and entry fee accepted. No further entries will be accepted after 40 are received.
June 24 Accepted paintings due and hung, 1pm - 4pm
June 26 Opening and Awards Reception, 5-7 pm
Mellwood Lobby Gallery, Awards given at 6pm
Aug 30 Exhibit closes
Aug 31 PICK UP AND REMOVE, Noon - 3:30 pm

Eligibility and Specifications

All Kentucky Watercolor Society members whose dues are current for 2009 are eligible. Each artist may enter one painting. The painting must be hand delivered (no shipped work will be accepted). Art work must be original: conceived and created by you. Prints or copied work of another artist or copies of published pictures or photographs are not considered original art work. Work must be completed within the last four years. **The painting must be predominantly water-based works on paper or board with mats; must be framed under plexiglass (NO GLASS) with eye screws and wire, and should not exceed 39 inches framed in either direction.** Minimum size is 10x14. Watercolor canvas will also be accepted this year and must be spray sealed with acrylic glazing. Gallery wrapped frames need not be framed. Those canvases with stapled sides must be framed. The Mellwood Gallery takes 30% commission.

The first 40 paintings submitted will be accepted.

Entry Fee

A non-refundable fee of \$22, a check made out to the Kentucky Watercolor Society, must accompany the entry form. Enclose a SASE (.44 postage) for selection form return. If notification of acceptance is not received, it is the artist's responsibility to contact the Chairperson, Claudia Zoll. Send the entry fee, completed entry form, selection form and the SASE by the deadline date to: KWS, P. O. Box 7125, Louisville, KY 40257-0125.

Substitutions

If needed, an artist will be allowed to replace a picture, such as if one sells and the buyer needs to take it before the end of the show.

Questions should be directed to

Claudia Zoll 502.491.3276

AWARDS:

1st Place - \$300

2nd Place - \$200

3rd Place - \$100

Carl Louderback Award - \$50

Two honorable mentions at \$25 each

Judge of Awards: To be Announced

All Member Show 2009 Painting ID Label (do not mail in)

Tape this label to back, upper right hand corner of painting

ARTIST _____

PHONE () _____

TITLE _____

All Member Show 2009 Entry Form
(please print or type)

ARTIST _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE (_____) _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Waiver: I, the undersigned assume all liability and insurance for the submitted painting and will not hold either the Kentucky Watercolor Society or the host responsible for damages or losses incurred during the All Member Show.

DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____

TITLE _____

FRAMED SIZE: Height _____ Width _____

YEAR COMPLETED _____

Price \$ _____ NFS _____ Ins Value \$ _____

Selection form....the first 40 paintings will be accepted

Ann Pember Workshop

June 2-5, 2009

Flowers and Landscapes with Glowing Colors and Dramatic Designs

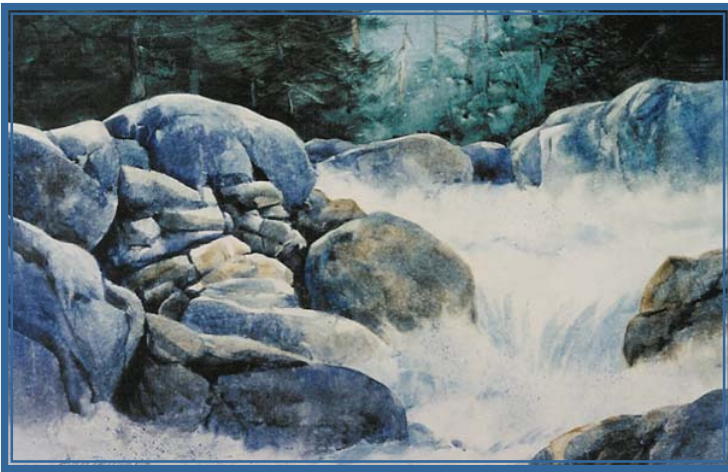
Learn to paint flowers and landscapes with clean, luminous color and dramatic design on traditional and smooth surfaces. Students of all levels will be encouraged to develop a personal style and strengthen their skills. Ann's workshops are based on careful planning and step by step instructions.



White Echinacea, Ann Pember

She begins each day with a lecture and demonstration. The afternoons will be individual instruction and she will critique as a group as well as privately on the last day of class. Ann conveys her fascination of abstract patterns of light and the dramatic shadows she creates.

Ms. Pember is a signature member of the National Association of Women Artists, Knickerbocker Artists, Catherine Lorillard Wolfe Art Club, Audubon Artists, Watercolor West and many regional societies. Her book, *Painting Close Focus Flowers in Watercolor* is very popular and her work has been published in many other books, such as *Splash 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7*; *Best of Flower Painting 1 and 2*; *Best of Watercolor*; *Exploring Color*; and *Painting for the Many Moods of Light*. She has also had numerous articles published in magazines such as *Watercolor Magic*, *Artist's Magazine*, and *Watercolor Magazine*. Her work has been included in more than 130 national juried exhibitions and she has received numerous awards. She has been teaching workshops since 1988. Her website is www.annpember.com.



Late Spring, Ann Pember

For more information call Sue at 502-458-5043.



Phalaenopsis, Ann Pember

WHERE: KWS Gallery
Mellwood Arts and
Entertainment Center
Suite 116,
1860 Mellwood Ave,
Louisville, KY

WHEN: June 2 - 5, 2009
9:30 am - 4 pm

COST: KWS members: \$310
Non-members: \$335
Lunches included

REGISTRATION: Seats are filled on a first come basis upon receipt of half or full payment. **Make your check out to KWS.**

Send check to:

Sue Hinkebein, 2015 Gardiner Lane,
Louisville, KY 40205.

PORTRAIT MINI WORKSHOP WITH KATIE BURKE

August 7 & 8

Learn beautiful skin tones, shadows, colors and values from this very popular teacher. Place this on your calendar now and call Pat Greer at 502.834.7954 or Sue Hinkebein at 502.458-5043 to sign up. Only \$75 (\$85 non-members) for two days, including model fees each day. Workshop runs from 10-3, Friday, Aug 7 and Saturday, Aug 8. There will be a break at 11:30 for lunch (bring your own). Sign up soon.....This will fill fast!!

2009 KWS Shows

Dates subject to change and confirmation. Please watch for Prospectus to confirm details. The KWS website will also have copies of the Prospectus, once published.

Event	Entry Deadline	Show Opens
Picturesque 2009	April 8	Apr 28
All Member	June 10	June 26
Aqueous 2009	June 15	Sept 22
New Member	Sept 24	Sept 25
AquaVenture	Sept 8	Oct 24

AquaVenture Show Scheduled

AquaVenture 2009 will be exhibited at the Henderson Fine Art Center in Henderson, Kentucky beginning in October. Jule McClellan and Pat Reeser of the Ohio Valley Art League are co-chairs. Thank you, Jule and Pat!

Juror will be Dean Davis, NWS.

Transportation for entries will be available from our Mellwood Gallery to & from Henderson for a small fee.

The Prospectus will be published in the July newsletter, but we wanted to give you a heads up so you could be planning for this fine annual event.

KWS Watercolor Classes

Our Summer Schedule is being finalized, but most classes will begin in June. Check out the class matrix below and call Mary Sue Klusman for the classes you're interested in! New on the schedule is a Drawing Class to be taught by Donna Miller. Sign up sheets and supply lists will be available in the KWS Gallery. Pay Kathleen in the KWS office, gallery staff or call Mary Sue Klusman at 459.0581 or 262.6371 for more information or to register by phone. Payment is due in advance (Checks payable to KWS) with no refund for missed classes. Class size may be limited.

Day	Topic	Time	# Sessions	Begins	Fee*	Contact	Instructor
Wed	Informal Painting Group	11 - 1:30	4 wks	Ongoing	\$ 25/\$35	Jean Jansen	Jean Jansen
TBA	Drawing	TBA	6 wks	Jun -TBA	\$ 95/\$110	Mary Sue	Donna Miller
Thur	Evening Beg & Interm.	6 - 8 pm	6 wks	Jun -TBA	\$ 95/\$110	Mary Sue	Luci Mistratov
Fri	Beginner Watercolor	10 - 12	6 wks	Jun -TBA	\$ 95/\$110	Mary Sue	Luci Mistratov
Sat	Advanced Watercolor	10 - 12	6 wks	Jun -TBA	\$ 95/\$110	Mary Sue	Luci Mistratov
Sat	Intermediate Watercolor	1 - 3	6 wks	Jun -TBA	\$ 95/\$110	Mary Sue	Luci Mistratov
Thur	Painting with Tom Scott	10 - 12	8 wks	Jun 11	\$ 50/\$55	Connie Kuhn	Tom Scott
Tu-Fri	Ann Pember Workshop	9:30 - 4	4 days	Jun 2-5	\$310/335	Sue Hinkebein	Ann Pember
Fri-Sat	Katie Burke Workshop	10 - 3	2 days	Aug 7-8	\$ 75/\$85	Pat Greer	Katie Burke
Mo-Fri	Ratindra Das Workshop	9:30 - 4	5 days	Sep 22-25	\$395/420	Sue Hinkebein	Ratindra Das

Contact Information: If no other contact is specified, contact Mary Sue Klusman or the KWS office

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Fee* Costs are for members / non-members.



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Advertising: 30-word classified: Members \$10, Non-Members \$15. Display Ads: \$10/sq. inch. Payment due by Newsletter deadline.

We reserve the right to edit all submitted copy.

Aqueous USA 2008 Traveling Show Schedule

Apr 13 - May 8 • HAZARD COMM & TECH COLLEGE

1 Community Drive, Hazard KY 41701

Contact: Marlene Conley 606.487.3146

Open: Mon - Thur 8 am - 6:30pm • Fri 8 am - 4:30pm

May 13 - Jun 6 • CENTER FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT

2292 So. Hwy 27 • Somerset, KY 42501

Contact: Dianna Winstead 606.677.6000 • Special Functions

Open: Mon - Fri 8:00 am - 5:00 pm • By Appointment

Jun 10 - Jul 7 • ANN DAVIS GALLERY

1516 Winchester Avenue • Ashland, KY 41101

Contact: Zoe Brewer 606.324.1296 • Free Admission

Open: Tue - Fri 10 - 4 • Sat 10-2 • Closed Sun • By Appt

Directory Supplement and Corrections. We'd like to welcome our new members, who are listed in the supplement on the preceding pages. It is sized so you can add it to your directory. The information below lists general corrections and additions to the 2008 Directory. Currently, we plan to publish a complete Directory every two years. Please feel free to contact the office if you have corrections that need to be made.

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Coming this Fall: September 22– 26 Ratindra Das Learn the Simple Truths and Secrets of Watercolor

WHERE: KWS Gallery

at the Mellwood Center. Louisville, KY

COST: KWS members: \$395 before Aug 1, 2009, 420 after. Non-members: \$420 before Aug 1, 2009, \$445 after.

INFO: Call Sue Hinkebein at 502.458.5043

Free yourself and demystify old clichés in watercolor. Ratindra will help you carry your painting to a new level of expression and to paint a personal reality. The only rule will be to not make a "boring" picture. He will lead paint along sessions, giving daily demos and plenty of personal attention.

He is a signature member of the American Watercolor Society, Transparent Watercolor Society and 5 other national societies in which he holds master status and has won many significant awards. For more info, see www.ratindradas.net



Lunch Break, Ratindra Das

Enrollment limited to 20

Classified Ads

Sue Huttenlocher, art teacher, is offering **creative classes** in Open Life Drawing and Painting during April and May 2009. For more information, call (502) 491-7165. E-mail suehutt@bellsouth.net

WANTED!! Old issues of American Artist Watercolor, Watercolor Magic or other magazines specific to watercolor painting. Please call Alice Scanlon @ 502-241-6325.

Frank Francese, NWS

June 22 to 25 ~ 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

4-Day Watercolor Workshop

Denton Shelter House, Henderson, KY
Frank will share his creative process with students in this 4-day watercolor workshop. Instruction will include lessons in strong values and colors plus ways to paint in a freer style. View his work at www.francesewatercolorandworkshops.com
For registration & information:
Painting in Kentucky, Jule McClellan
625 North Main Street, Henderson, KY
270-827-3600 jule@ohiovalleyart.org

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Exhibition & Workshop Opportunities

Deadline for Entry

Event & Sponsor

May 1 **Marin Society of Artists:** www.marinsocietyofartists.org

June 1 **Woodstock School of Art:** www.woodstockschoolofart.org

Jun 1-4 **Tom Lynch Workshop:** Oxford, Ohio. 513.523.2537

July 2 **EWAC Art Club:** www.clwac.org

ARTIST'S EXCHANGE

NOTE: Submissions for this column are run as space permits; must be 50 words or

Lois Toole was sole Juror of Awards for the Miniature Art Society of Florida 34th Int'l Exhibition 2009. She received 1st in Watermedia in the Miniature Painters, Sculptors, Gravers Society of Washington, D.C. 75th International Exhibition 2008 – 09 and exhibited in Watercolor USA 2008 and Ohio Watercolor Society Watercolor Ohio 2008.

Marilynn Swan had her painting "Orchid Trio" accepted into the Glories of the Garden exhibit. The Arboretum, the State Botanical Garden of Kentucky, located in Lexington on 100 acres of plants indigenous to Kentucky, hosts the event, hence the theme.

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