

Central Ohio Watercolor Society
Newsletter

January, 2020

Our next meeting is Sunday, January 12th

Meetings are held the 2nd Sunday of the month from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.
At **Glen Echo Presbyterian Church** 220 Cliffside Drive
Clintonville, Ohio 43202
(There are no regular meetings scheduled during June, July, and August)

MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Artists,

I hope everyone had a beautiful Holiday with your family and friends! At our December meeting, we celebrated the holidays with a beautiful, informative and fun-filled Annual Holiday Party! As my daughter always said when she was little, “it made my heart happy” to be with all of you during the holidays. Thank you so much to all of you participating and a special thanks to our Social Committee for your hard work!



During the “business” part of the meeting, we awarded Suzanne the “Honorary Lifetime Membership” Award. Thank you, Suzanne for all of your inspiration, contributions to COWS, and to the art community in Ohio. We all wish you continued success and happiness with your beautiful family in the South!☺

As we look forward to our meeting in January, I am especially excited to welcome portrait artist, Mary Jane Ward as our guest presenter. Mary Jane was born in Eugene, Oregon and currently lives in Columbus. She studied ballet at the Eugene School of Ballet and the University of North Carolina School of the Arts. She danced professionally from 2003 to 2012. In 2012 Mary Jane began studying classical drawing and painting at the Grand Central Academy of Art in New York City. In 2013 she was awarded the First Year Scholarship to join The Water Street Atelier, now called the Grand Central Atelier. She continued her studies there, under Jacob Collins, until moving to Ohio in 2015. Mary Jane currently teaches at the Columbus Cultural Arts Center and out of her home studio in Columbus. Her studio practice is currently largely devoted to drawing and painting portraits from direct observation.

Our 2020 2nd Vice President, Kate Hagovsky, will be the Chair of the 2020 Spring Show this year at the Columbus Metropolitan Library. Detailed information concerning the show is included in the body of this Newsletter.

Elected Officers and Committee Chairs: Looking forward to 2020, we will have new elected officers and committee chairs. Many of our members, in case they are called upon for committee chair or elected office, have asked for a written narrative explaining the responsibilities, timeline, contacts, and recommendations for your specific position. I know the general responsibilities are stated in the bylaws, but I think members who take over these positions in the coming years would

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appreciate something more detailed than what is in the bylaws. I would like to publish this information in a booklet to be available to newly elected officers and committee chairs. If you would please send your narrative to me by the end of December, 2019, I would appreciate it very much. My email is marshakcavanaugh@hotmail.com. Thank you!

As you look forward to upcoming COWS programs, exhibitions, workshops, and activities, **please refer to our website**. Pam has worked very hard to streamline our website and keep it continually updated! Information concerning items mentioned in our Newsletter and our meeting Minutes may be located in the following places:

- Newsletter information may be found under **“Calendar”**.
- Meeting Minutes may be found under **“Calendar”**.
- Information concerning the **“Ned Moore Memorial Library”** can be found under **“Ned Moore Library”**

The Newsletter goes out the end of each month. If you would like something (an award, recognition, etc.) included in the Newsletter, it must be submitted to our Corresponding Secretary/Recording Secretary, Pam Hartford, by the 15th of the **preceeding** month.

- For example, if you would like something included in the February Newsletter, it must be submitted to Pam by January 15th. The **announcements can be included in an e-mail. Be sure to include a title and your name.**
- The date for submitting announcements pertaining to instruction and classes you may be teaching has been changed. The deadline for submitting all **instruction announcements is the 15th day of each month.** This information should be sent to our **Secretary, Pam Hartford.** The **information will be included in our COWS website under “Classes”**

Just a reminder that members may pay their dues **anytime before January 1st**. The dues are \$30.00 and they may be paid personally to Mitch or a check, made out to COWS, may be sent to our Treasurer, Mitch. Mitch's address is:

Mitch Masters
2250 Wickliffe Road
Columbus, OH 43221-1832

I look forward to seeing everyone at the January meeting! My wish for you all is a happy, blessed, and healthy New Year!!

Sincerely
Marsha

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2020 PROGRAMS

Date (Sunday)	Presenter	Additional Information
January 12, 2020	Mary Jane Ward – Portraits in Watercolor	https://www.maryjaneward.com/
February 9, 2020	TBD	
March 8, 2020	Jeff Suntala	http://suntalawatercolors.com/
April 12, 2020	Easter – May be cancelled	
May 3, 2020 (1 wk earlier)	TBD	
September 13, 2020	TBD	
October 11, 2020	TBD	
November 8, 2020	TBD	
December 13, 2020	TBD	

2020 EXHIBITIONS

Show	Location	Dates
Spring 2020	The Carnegie Gallery Columbus Metropolitan Library 96 S. Grant Ave Columbus, OH 43215	Show Dates: March 12 – May 1, 2020 Saturday, 1/25/20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:00a-12:30p Drop-off at Glen Echo Presbyterian Church • 12:30p – 1:30p Sharon Weiss jury the show • 1:30p – 3:30p Pick-up Paintings Monday, 2/3/20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Due by 8 pm – Artist Statement(s) with JPEG(s) Saturday, 3/7/20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10a-12n – Painting drop-off in labeled boxes at Glen Echo Presbyterian Church Saturday, 3/14/20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Artist Reception 2p-4p at Library After May 1st <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Painting pick-up – details TBD See http://www.centralohiowatercolorssociety.com/ for application
German Village Paint Out	German Village Haus and Garten Tour	Sunday, June 28, 2020 8 am-3pm
Fall 2020	German Village Meeting Haus, Exhibition Hall 588 S. Third St., Columbus, OH	TBD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

None at this time.

Please submit any special announcements by the 15th of the month to COWSWebsite@columbus.rr.com.

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MEETING MINUTES

Available at <http://www.centralohiowatercolorsociety.com/meetingminutes>

CLASSES OFFERED BY COWS MEMBERS

Artist	Dates	Description	Contact Information
Vivian Ripley	Start Dates: January 13	8-week classes at Upper Arlington Parks and Recreation Department (https://upperarlingtonoh.gov/parks-recreation/)	www.vivianripleyart.com 614-583-5331 614-451-6254
Vivian Ripley	February 15, 2020 9a-4p	“Watercolor on Yupo” 1 day class at Upper Arlington Parks and Recreation Department (https://upperarlingtonoh.gov/parks-recreation/)	www.vivianripleyart.com 614-583-5331 614-451-6254
Kevin Buckland	Thursdays, 6p-9p	“Fundamentals of Watercolor” Lazelle Woods Recreation Center 8140 Sancus Blvd, Columbus You can register at https://apm.activecommunities.com/Columbusrec-parks/Home	kevin@bucklandgillespie.com 614-214-9900

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2020 OFFICERS

President - Marsha Cavanaugh
1st Vice President - Jeff Stahler
2nd Vice President - Katrinka Hargovsky
Treasurer - Mitch Masters
Recording/Corresponding Secretary - Pam Hartford

2020 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Correspondence Committee: Pam Hartford
Exhibition and Outreach Committee: Sylvia Rosenthal
Fall Show Committee: Jeff Stahler
Finance Committee: Mitch Masters
Hospitality Committee: Cheryl Hill
Membership Committee: Bess Alexander
Nominating Committee: Lavonne Suwalski, Jeri Ellis-Platt
Paint-Out Committee: Jeff Stahler
Program Committee: Suzanne Accetta, Jeff Stahler
Public Relations Committee: Tom Masterson
Scholarship Committee: Linda Coe
Spring Show Committee: Katrinka Hargovsky
Website: Pam Hartford
Workshop Committee: Jeff Stahler, Kevin Buckland