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Newsletter April 2022

[Message from our President](#)

Spring has sprung in Central Ohio! Hope you are finding renewed energy in your studio! **Our next meeting date has been changed to MAY 15, 2022**, from 2-4 at the Church. This is the third Sunday in May as to not coincide with Mother's Day, May 8. Please note this change. The topic will be on Plein Air painting! Come with your watercolors and brushes and you will have an opportunity to see and discuss a plein air set up. Paint or watch! Get ready for the German Village Paint Out Sunday June 26! Details below.....

Our March and April monthly meetings have given us wonderful presentations. In March, we learned about composition from master artist, Joe Lombardo! He graciously took us step by step into all those details that give our paintings the edge of being designed to lead the viewer in and around the artwork. Thank you, Joe!

In April, our own Lavonne Sulwalski gave an awesome demo of a watercolor lighthouse using her new secret weapon, a watersoluble marker called the Elegant Writer! She shared stories and lots and lots of beautiful watercolor paintings. She is truly a prolific painter and educator. Thank you Lavonne!

The Ohio Governor's Youth Art Exhibition

You are invited to attend the opening of the Ohio Governor's Youth Art Exhibition on

Sunday April 24, 2022 12 pm to 2pm.

James A Rhodes Office Tower Lobby, 30 E. Broad St, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Parking under the Statehouse.

Cows members will be in attendance to promote community support for the Central Ohio Watercolor Society. Also, it is a great opportunity to connect with the Sponsors of this long standing organization that promotes K-12 art education in this award winning ceremony. Please come check it out!

2022 COWS Exhibitions

German Village Paint Out:

Sunday June 26 from 9-4.

Wednesday June 22 at 6 pm meeting at German Village Community Center to get your assigned house.

Kevin will send email to the 18 participants! We may have to double up. Parking is an issue. **Call Jeri if you want to meet and carpool.**

Fall 2022 : German Village Meeting Haus with November date TBD. Kevin Buckland will have details soon!

2022 Officers

President - Jeri Ellis Platt jeriellisplatt@gmail.com

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Fall Show Committee: Kevin Buckland

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Membership Committee: Bess Alexander

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Program Committee: TBD

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Scholarship Committee: Joni Meeker

Spring Show Committee: John Cameron

Website: Pam Hartford

Workshop Committee: TBD

Meeting Minutes:

<http://www.centralohiowatercolorssociety.com/meetingminutes>

Please submit any special announcements by the 15th of the month to Joni Meeker at jmeeker11@gmail.com

Classes offered by COWS Members

(Please contact the artist for details.)

Kevin Buckland kevin@bucklandgillespie.com 614-214-9900

Antonio Gonzalez Garcia <https://watercolorbyantonio.wordpress.com/> <http://www.studiosonhigh.com/classes.html>

Mindy Newman UA Senior Center
<http://mindy-newman.pixels.com/>

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(614) 645-3156 or (614) 645-3534.

Vivian Ripley Upper Arlington Parks and Recreation Department (<https://upperarlingtonoh.gov/parksrecreation/>)

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