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keizer *art* association

NURTURE CREATIVITY

# President's Message

Robert Selby

OUR McNARY HIGH SCHOOL ART SHOW drew good audiences to view the student artwork. It was great that the show went so well. This is such an important part of the Association's educational outreach and support of art in our community. We provided KAA certificates for all student participants to include in their budding portfolios.

The Board is developing clear job descriptions for all the various work elements that are critical to our Association. You'll find some of them on page 4 of this newsletter. Of course those listed are but a few of the functions that are important and available. If you have an area of interest, contact us.

Immediately our focus turns to the "Pacific Northwest" art show this month in the Gallery. This will be a celebration of the Northwest and what makes it a special place for artists. So please join us at the Artists' Reception Saturday, April 3 from 2 to 4 pm at the Enid Joy Mount Gallery.

We are looking for new show ideas for next year. Themes that will provide provocative points of departure for artistic expression are what we are after. Email us with your ideas.

Please pay particular attention to the job descriptions on page 4 and send me an email regarding what you'd like to assist with. In addition to those tasks mentioned, we particularly need someone to take the reins of managing our website.

Currently we are updating our membership list for accuracy. If you haven't yet renewed your membership, please do so right away. Otherwise you may not be getting email updates, the Newsletter, calls to artists, show reminders and other important Association news.

In August we will be participating in the annual Keizer RiverFair with booth space for selling our members' artwork as well as having an area for kids to create art under the guidance of member volunteers. We'll keep you posted on that as plans develop.

Thank you for your support of the Keizer Art Association.



*FUTURE ARTIST?  
McNARY HIGH SCHOOL KAA SHOW*

*DON'T MISS THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST ART SHOW IN APRIL & RECEPTION 4/3*

keizer art association presents

## Pacific Northwest Art Show

april 2 - may 1, 2010

artists' reception saturday, april 3, 2pm - 4pm

Enid Joy Mount Gallery  
9800 Chiemawa Rd. NE Keizer, OR  
503-390-3010 or www.keizerarts.com

**KEIZER**  
ART  
ASSOCIATION

Gallery & Gift Store Hours  
Thursday & Friday: 11am - 4pm  
Saturday: 10am to 4pm

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## Greetings from GalleryK!



Attractive colors and whimsical designs make scarves by Jean Lawrence a nice accent to any outfit or a very nice gift.

TRAVELING THROUGH THE MANY SMALL TOWNS in Oregon it's fun to seek out local art galleries and artist co-ops. We hope people from other communities will do the same when passing through Keizer. We've found the people working in the galleries to be friendly and we are quick to tell them about Keizer Art Association. Please help spread the word about our Gallery when traveling about.



Be sure to check out our class and workshop calendar for woodcarving instructions by Dave Disselbrett. These original figures are available in GalleryK and sell for \$25 each.



New candles from Tim Rogers have such interesting names as Hot Apple Pie, Cinnamon Woods, Snow Covered Pine and Peanut Butter Cup. Each candle smells wonderful, sells for \$9.95 and would be great on the table for outdoor picnics.



What a great bargain you will find when looking for a card at GalleryK. From original work by Barbara Hunter these colorful cards sell for \$2 each.

PHOTOS BY BEV ZWEMKE

### KAA's WISHLIST

#### Currently needed:

- CD player
- Sodas for receptions
- Paper towels
- Hanging putty
- Purchased food (to have on hand for receptions)

### PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

KRIS LOCKARD WAS AWARDED the People's Choice for her lovely photograph "Tulip Dreams II". Votes were tallied at the end of KAA's February Photography Show "Through the Looking Glass". Thanks to everyone who took the time to choose. And congratulations Kris!

### TULIP FESTIVAL SHOW

THE ANNUAL WOODBURN ART SHOW is now taking place at their gallery 2551 N. Boones Ferry Road, Woodburn. The show runs March 19 - April 24.

### KAA Welcomes New Members

THANKS TO RENEWING MEMBERS and please join us in welcoming new members: Keith Rislove, acrylic wildlife & landscapes, Salem; Hazel Sandahl, Keizer; Ray Anthony, photography, cards, photography art, Keizer; Dennis Snyder, Salem; Jacqueline (Margareau) Piper, Keizer; Ulan Moore, oil paint, Silverton; Peggy Norbury, Salem; Leslie Whitaker, Salem; Pamela J. Valley, Salem. We are pleased to have you all!

### SILVERTON POETRY FESTIVAL

THE SPRING DEAD POETS READING shepherds in the 2010 poetry season, which swings into high gear with National Poetry Month in April and the 10th Annual Silverton Poetry Festival held April 10-18. Featured poets, poetry writing workshop, discussions with poets and live music, concluding with a Feast of Poets: food, drink and poetry. For details, visit, [www.silvertonpoetry.org](http://www.silvertonpoetry.org).

### 2010 Keizer Art Association Board of Directors

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# McNARY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ART SHOW & RECEPTION

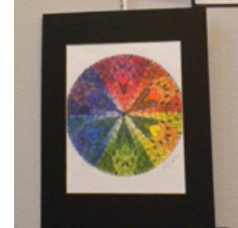
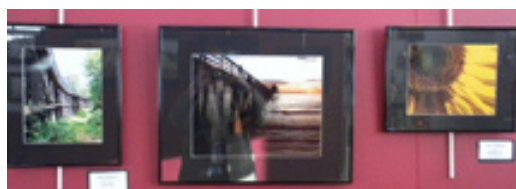
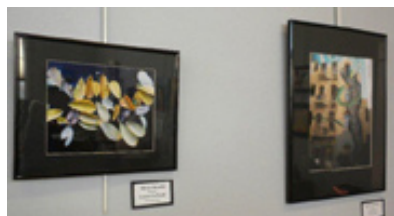
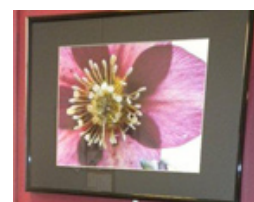
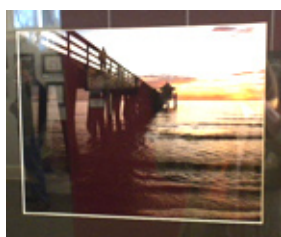


FOR OVER SIX YEARS, the McNary High School art students have created imaginative works for the Student Art Show at Keizer Art Association. Students in the show were in 9th through 12th grades with work from all McNary High School art classes: drawing, crafts, calligraphy, painting, sculpture, pottery, printmaking, photography, and graphics.

The outstanding Show poster this year featured nine works of student artists: Keri Bonn, Sam Marcus, Aryn Diehl, Forrest Imel, Michelle Linscheid, Brandy Peters, Sabrina Schmit, Michelle Morley and Melissa Curtis. They

are from the drawing I, II, and advanced classes. The projects are creative color wheel mandalas and rainbow scratch-board pieces based on the Statue of Liberty and the art of Peter Max. Their art was selected by the art teachers at McNary High School.

The show opening reception was well-attended by friends and families of the student artists, as well as their art teachers and KAA members. Connie Toland, McNary art teacher, again coordinated the show and introduced everyone to the variety and talent of our community's young artists.



PHOTOS BY BEV ZWEMKE

## KAA NAMETAGS

YOUR OFFICIAL KAA NAME TAG may be waiting for you! We are making laminated name tags for every greeter or volunteer. They are kept in a plastic box (labeled "Name Tags") on the closet shelf. Please use your name tag and then return it to this box so it will be there the next time you come in. If you volunteered for the Winter Art Sale at the

Keizer Civic Center, a name tag was created for you. If you still have it, please bring it in and put in the Name Tag box for future use. If you don't see your name tag and would like one, contact Miriam at [ms@sibylbooks.com](mailto:ms@sibylbooks.com). Your new one will be ready as soon as possible. Name tags are a simple thing, but they add greatly to the professionalism of KAA. Wear it proudly!

## CHILDREN'S ART BOOKS?

DO YOU HAVE ANY CHILDREN'S ART BOOKS to donate to KAA? We are creating a children's section in our library. "How to" books, art history, even beautifully illustrated books — all art-related and geared for the younger set.

## YOU ARE NEEDED!

KEIZER ART ASSOCIATION BOARD IS SEEKING VOLUNTEERS for ongoing tasks. Here are a few of the ways you can contribute to KAA. Contact Robert or other board member (see p. 2 for email addresses) to sign up. Your efforts will be greatly appreciated.

### MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

KAA needs to improve its method of keeping track of members, dues renewals, and updates on membership status. We'd like to create a simple database that produces reports and information about renewals and volunteering. Once the database is created, the job is pretty much keeping up with new members and printing out reports.

Tasks:

- 1 - Enter member info into database. Send welcome letters to newcomers
- 2 - Create or have created a membership database, using Microsoft OpenOffice database
- 3 - Define and print out monthly reports
- 4 - Track renewal dates and send reminders
- 5 - Respond to queries about membership

This job would take approximately one-two hours per week after the database is complete. Assistance with developing the database is available. The Membership Chair is an essential job at KAA; it is key to keeping accurate records and clearly communicating with members.

### ONE-TIME JOBS

FROM TIME TO TIME, KAA has a need for people to help out on specific activities.

Sign up for one of these:

- ◆ RiverFair art booth
- ◆ 2011 Mayor's Invitational
- ◆ Grant-writing
- ◆ Gallery greeter

### GALLERY WALL MANAGER

THE MEMBER'S WALL IS THE GALLERY SPACE inside the classroom that features KAA member's art. Open to all members, it is an excellent place to showcase and sell your art. While artists are taking classes in the classroom they can enjoy seeing your art and becoming inspired.

KAA is looking for someone to take charge of our Member's Wall. It is a great way to help keep KAA functioning smoothly. Please volunteer for this important task.

Tasks:

1. Keep wall art hung attractively with name cards and prices
2. Have the artist fill out an Inventory Form and track inventory based on that form
3. Occasionally contact members to see if they have art they would like to display
4. Call artists to collect their work after it has hung for quite awhile and not sold, suggesting they exchange it for something new
5. Make sure artists know they need to fill out an inventory sheet for insurance purposes

For more info, contact Bev Zwemke at [zwemkera@comcast.net](mailto:zwemkera@comcast.net)

### ONLINE EXPERTISE?

YOU COULD PROVIDE A HUGE HELP in publicizing KAA happenings by entering monthly information into a variety of websites that accept community calendar notices and other event listings. Examples are: Statesman Journal, Travel Salem.com, Craig's List, Artists in Action.

On a monthly basis, you would receive details about each event to be publicized (and graphic images as needed) from the Communications Chair and then enter them on each site. Then report back when they are confirmed online.

Searching out new sites to enter KAA info would be very helpful in expanding our on-line presence. Online publicity is becoming ever more critical to alerting the public and other artists of upcoming events and opportunities. You can provide a real service to KAA by moving us further into cyberspace.

### DTP CAPABILITIES?

DO YOU KNOW PUBLISHER SOFTWARE? or InDesign? Or PhotoShop? Or other desktop publishing software? Are you so facile with Microsoft Word that you can insert photos and arrange pages in page layout spreads?

We are seeking someone to assist with the monthly newsletter production. A fun job, you get an inside peek into the happenings at KAA and are central to alerting members to art opportunities and KAA news. And you receive lavish praise every time an issue is distributed. Contact Miriam at [ms@sibylbooks.com](mailto:ms@sibylbooks.com) to help. It is an enormously rewarding job.

**Contact Robert or other  
board member to sign up**

## ART OPPORTUNITIES

### KAA IRIS FESTIVAL SHOW 2010

ARE YOU WORKING ON YOUR MASTER-PIECE for the May Iris Show at KAA? Does it highlight this year's iris "Autumn Circus" and the theme Cutting Edge? Pieces that show irises in general are perfect too.



2010 IRIS: "AUTUMN CIRCUS"

Or are you entering the poster contest for 2011, featuring the "Made of Magic" Iris with the theme of the same name?



2011 IRIS: "MADE OF MAGIC"

**Art is due Wednesday, April 28, 3-7 pm**, with the opening reception on Saturday, May 1st 2-4 pm.

The Festival is the City of Keizer and the Chamber of Commerce's month-long community celebration that includes all manner of fun activities for the entire family. Visit [www.irisfestival.com](http://www.irisfestival.com) for the schedule.

#### MAUDE KERNS ART CENTER

##### 2011-2012 Exhibit Schedule

Artists working in all 2- and 3-dimensional mediums, including installations (with or without a video component), are invited to submit images of their work along with an application form to be considered for the next biennium (2011-2012) of exhibits at the Maude Kerns Art Center, Eugene. Group show proposals will also be considered. Submission Deadline: **April 16**, Application forms and prospectuses are available at the Art Center or online at [www.mkartcenter.org](http://www.mkartcenter.org). Call 541-345-1571 for more information.

#### MONMOUTH'S 4th of JULY CELEBRATION

Artists are invited to participate in the Arts Celebration July 2-4, held in Monmouth's Main Street Park. Applications due **May 15**. Open-air festival features hand-crafted arts, crafts and food sellers. Booths for arts and crafts are \$50. Contact Mark Fancey at 503-751-0147.

#### VAST VISUAL ARTIST STUDIO TOUR

The 15th Visual Artist Studio Tour is on track for September, 2010! Tour Dates: Sept. 11-12, Sept. 18-19. Artists with studios in Salem, Keizer, Independence, Monmouth, Dallas and Rickreall are encouraged to apply for VAST, a self-guided public tour of local artist studios. Any visual art or craft medium is acceptable. Registration fee: \$70 per artist. Printed applications are available at KAA and the following businesses: Art Department, Inc., Bush Barn

### KEIZER RIVER FAIR

A MAJOR SUMMER EVENT for Keizer Art Association is Keizer RIVERfair, to be held Saturday, August 14 at the Keizer Rapids Park (west end of Chemawa Road). KAA is sponsoring four art booths, with all art for sale. The Fair is a fun-filled family event and continues KAA's community outreach. Details are in the planning stage now. If you would like to volunteer to contribute to its success and have a fun time too, contact Robert or one of the KAA Board members.

Gallery, Willamette Art Center, River Gallery. Deadline for submission: **June 1**. Further info: Lorraine Dye 503-364-5410; [lowrain@q.com](mailto:lowrain@q.com)

#### Radius 25: Patterns of Place Salem Art Association

Artists living within a 25-mile radius of Salem can apply for a July-August show at SAA. The theme reflects a particular place, with patterns, repeated motifs, landscapes, cityscapes, maps or psychological signifiers. Submissions due: **May 15**. Exhibition runs July 2 to August 29. Visit SAA's website: [www.salemart.org](http://www.salemart.org) for a prospectus.

#### Artist-in-Residence Program Salem Art Association

Artists with prior teaching experience are invited to apply to SAA to be an artist in residence at local schools and community organizations. See their website: [www.salemart.org](http://www.salemart.org) for the Community Arts Educations section. Contact is Ann Kresge at [ann@salemart.org](mailto:ann@salemart.org).

### VISIT KEIZER ART ASSOCIATION

#### ENID JOY MOUNT GALLERY

See the current exhibit in the Gallery and attend classes next door.

**CLASSES** Attend a variety of art classes. Call Carol Harris at (503) 363-5667 or (503) 580-5476

**GIFT GALLERY** Browse our "GalleryK".

**LENDING LIBRARY** Free to members

**VOLUNTEER** Get involved. Sign up for a show, the Gallery and community activities.

#### ADDRESS

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**PHONE** (503) 390-3010

**E-MAIL** [keizerarts@gmail.com](mailto:keizerarts@gmail.com)

#### WEBSITE

[www.KeizerArts.com](http://www.KeizerArts.com). Check out all our classes and register online.

#### GALLERY & GIFT STORE HOURS

Thursdays and Fridays, 1-4 pm,  
Saturdays, 10 am to 4 pm.  
Closed Sundays to Wednesdays,  
except for classes.

## WINNING ART POSTER ON SALE

A COMMEMORATIVE POSTER OF "EARLY SPRING" by Shari Lord is available at KAA for \$15. The 11x17 inch poster was created by Robert Selby for the Mayor's Gala and captures the beauty of Shari's art. Posters are on sale now at KAA during Gallery hours. Poster sales are sponsored by Keizer Art Association as part of its ongoing art outreach. A perfect keepsake.



Shari Lord's Poster on sale now

## 2010 Membership Cards are Ready

IF YOU HAVE PAID YOUR 2010 MEMBERSHIP DUES, you have a membership card awaiting you at the Keizer Art Association Gallery K. The next time you are in, ask the docent for your card. For those of you who became members anytime after June, 2009, your renewal for 2010 won't come due until the beginning of the month of your anniversary. Shortly after paying your dues, a card will be prepared and will be available for you at the docent's desk.

## THANKS GREETERS!

THANKS TO these greeters at the Enid Joy Mount Gallery for March. KAA thrives because of you!

Teresa Haines  
Joanne Armintrout  
Linda Jacobson  
Pat Domogalla  
Billie O'Berry  
Brigitte Cobb  
Miriam Selby  
Dana Barricklow  
Kathy Fox  
Jody Bartruff  
Bev Zwemke  
Penny White  
Roberta Sedey  
Gloria Gordon  
Kristen Hunt  
Sharon Diebel

## MEMBER NEWS

KEIZER ART ASSOCIATION ARTIST LINDA JACOBSON is the featured artist for the month of April at Gallery 444. Linda's primary medium is textile into which she incorporates leather, beading, gems, stone slices or other embellishments. Each piece of wall art contains her signature folds of fabric that are turned to reveal highlights of contrasting fabrics. The opening reception is Saturday, April 10, 3-5 pm. Gallery 444 is located in Elsinore Framing and Fine Art Gallery, 444 Ferry St SE in Salem. Gallery hours are 9 am to 6 pm weekdays and 10 am to 5 pm Saturdays.

## NEW WEBSITE TO CHECK OUT

CHANNEL 23 HAS A NEW WEBSITE that airs all their video-taped programs. Go to [www.KeizerTV.com](http://www.KeizerTV.com) for some excellent videos about the Keizer community, including some wonderful videos of the Winter Art Solstice weekend. See the Mayor's Art Gala video with interviews of the artists who created the Mayor's invitational art. Watch the video of the Unveiling of the Thomas Dove Keizer Statue with the sculptor riding up on horseback. For those KAA members who live outside the Channel 23 broadcast area, this is a great way to visually catch up on events in Keizer.

*Save these dates*

## 2010 KAA SHOW SCHEDULE

MONTH	SHOW	DELIVERY	RECEPTION	PICK-UP
		3-7 pm	2-4 pm	3-7 pm
JANUARY	URBAN ART	1-06	1-09	2-03
FEBRUARY	THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS (Photography)	2-03	2-06	3-03
MARCH	M McNARY HIGH SCHOOL	3-03	3-06 (4-7 pm)	3-31
APRIL	PACIFIC NW SHOW	3-31	4-03	4-28
MAY	IRIS SHOW	4-28	5-01	6-02
JUNE	ARTISTS GONE WILD (Members' Show)	6-02	6-05	6-30
JULY	STATESMAN JOURNAL Salon De Refuseé	6-30	7-10	8-04
AUGUST	SIZZLIN' SUMMER NIGHTS	8-04	8-07	9-01
SEPTEMBER	ECHOES OF GREEN	9-01	9-11	9-29
OCTOBER	INTO THE WILD (Wildlife)	9-29	10-02	11-03
NOVEMBER	BLACK/WHITE/GRAY	11-03	11-06 (5-8 pm)	12-01
DECEMBER	HOLIDAY SHOW	12-01	12-04	01-05

ALL SHOWS ARE OPEN, EXCEPT June & July. Open shows are juried, based on each show's prospectus. Look for show prospectuses on our website.

# KAA APRIL-JUNE ART CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

## FRIDAY OPEN STUDIO

April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. This “no host” studio is for artists of all mediums. Spend the afternoon in our brightly lit classroom with the benefit of good company and a great place to work. Open 1:00-4:00 every Friday. Free to members. \$3/day or \$10/month for non-members.

## SCRATCHBOARD DRAWING CLASS

April 3, 17, 24-taught by **KATHY HANEY**. Learn techniques needed to create dramatic drawings in scratchboard. Focus will be on understanding tools and materials, creating values and textures, choosing effective subjects and compositions and finishing and presenting scratchboard artwork. See Kathy's website: [www.kathyhaney.net](http://www.kathyhaney.net). Supply list. 3 Saturdays, 9:00am-12:00 noon. \$60\*

## COLORED PENCIL

April 5-May 24-taught by various talented artists. This term's featured instructors will be **Maureen Frank** and **Kris Mitchell**. Realism, abstraction, whimsy, landscape, portraiture, and wildlife are all favorite subjects of colored pencil students. In these classes you will learn color theory, layering, strokes, use of paper and tools, dry pencil, watercolor pencil and much more. These classes show the student how much fun it is to learn new techniques and stretch your expertise. All levels of pencil pushers welcome. Supply list. Monday mornings, 9:00am-12:00. \$50/8 weeks.\*

## ACRYLICS

April 5-May 10-taught by **SHIRLEE JOHNSON**. Have the time of your life and become an accomplished painter at the same time. Individualized help. Shirlee accepts all levels of painting expertise. New and continuing lessons about lights, darks, and in-betweens. Landscapes, seascapes, and more. Learn about colors, backgrounds, design and putting SPARK into your paintings. Supply list. Monday afternoons, 1:00-4:00pm. 6 weeks, \$60\*

## WOODCARVING

April 5, 12, 19-taught by Master Woodcarver **DAVE DISSELBRETT**. Learn from an expert

about wood, carving tools, paints, techniques, and opportunities to share your finished project. Dave gives help and advice freely in this relaxed and fun class. This month's project is “Whimsical Items”. The dictionary defines whimsical as: playful, fanciful and quaint. That also defines this class. No registration required. Monday evenings, 7:00-9:00pm. \$5/class.

## CALLIGRAPHY

April 6-May 25-taught by **PENNY WHITE**. This talented calligrapher and teacher is continuing the beautiful art of writing this term and emphasizing layout and design. You will learn how to enhance your writing skills with utilizing the space around and between letters and words. Your writing will be visually pleasing, which is crucial to the success of a piece of work. Supply list. Tuesday afternoons, 1:15- 3:15pm. \$40/8 weeks.\*



## WINGS, ROCKS & BUGS! A COLORED PENCIL WORKSHOP

April 10-taught by **WENDY THOMPSON**. Nationally known artist Wendy Thompson is teaching, by request, her most popular subjects: dragonflies, rocks, and bugs. Create realistic, botanical-style drawings with colored pencils. Learn to develop the iridescence of a dragonfly's wings, and maybe a bug and a rock or two! There will be two dragonfly designs with one supplied on Canson paper with the printed image, ready to begin. Supply list. Saturday, 9:00am-3:00pm. \$50\*

## BALLS, BALLS, AND MORE BALLS (Mosaic, that is!)

April 16, 23, 30- taught by **MARALYNN MALTZ**. It is spring and time to brighten up your home or garden. Mosaic balls are a hot home decor or garden item. They can be elegant or whimsical; perched upon a pillar candle holder, floating in a water tub, or set in the garden amongst flowers and plants. Yes, these balls really float! In this class you will make 3 small, 2 medium, or 1 large mosaic ball. No mosaic experience necessary, but students with experience will equally enjoy this creative and unique class. You will learn how to cut and nip your tiles, glass marbles, or other objects, set tesserae onto a rounded surface, use adhesives appropriate for interior or exterior use, and grout. All materials and tooling are provided. And, if you want to work independently after class on your project, you can bring a lunch and stay for “Open Studio” hours from 1:00-4:00pm. Fridays, 10:30am-12:30pm. \$50 for the class paid to KAA and \$20 for supplies paid to Maralynn.\*

## WOODCARVING WORKSHOP

April 18-taught by Master Woodcarver **DAVE DISSELBRETT**. Dave's April project is “Whimsical Items”. Whimsical items are playful, fanciful, quaint, and impulsive! Spend a rainy Sunday indoors carving the day away in the brightly lit classroom in the company of fellow carvers. Bring a lunch, make a warm drink and relax with a fun project. No registration required. All levels welcome. Absolute beginner? Dave has a project for you, too! 9:00am-3:00pm. \$15.

## WOODCARVING

May 3, 10, 17-taught by Master Woodcarver **DAVE DISSELBRETT**. Learn from an expert about wood, carving tools, paints, techniques, and opportunities to share your finished project. Dave gives help and advice freely in this relaxed and fun class. This month's project is the comical character in a circus. You guessed it: Clowns! Have fun creating and painting this new subject. No registration required. No previous experience required. Monday evenings, 7:00-9:00. \$5/class.

\*Please register several days ahead for classes to allow the instructor to prepare for the correct number of students. Woodcarving and Open Studio do not require pre-registration.

# KAA APRIL-JUNE ART CLASSES & WORKSHOPS, cont.

## FRIDAY OPEN STUDIO

May 7, 14, 21, 28 This “no host” studio is for artists of all mediums. Spend the afternoon in our brightly-lit classroom with the benefit of good company and a great place to work. Open 1:00-4:00 every Friday. Free to members. No registration. \$3/day or \$10/month for non-members.

## “LUSCIOUS FLOWERS, AN INTIMATE VISION IN COLORED PENCIL”

May 8-9 - taught by **PAT AVERILL**. A guest artist in nationwide publications, a demonstrator and instructor in national CPSA competitions, and a 15-year merit artist in CPSA, Pat is teaching a close-up view of a flower with more of an abstract design. Using a new technique with paraffin wax and a hair dryer, Pat will teach you to think, experiment, create and have fun. An accomplished photographer, Pat will share her collection of flower photos for inspiration, design and enjoyment. Supply list. Saturday and Sunday, 10:00-4:00. Bring a lunch or visit a nearby eatery. \$100.\*

## WOODCARVING WORKSHOP

May 16-taught by Master Woodcarver **DAVE DISSELBRETT**. “Clowns” is this month’s project. The clothing, shoes, hair, and face are all unique to each clown. Create your own special circus performer in this “hands on” class. Dave will get you started and help you step-by-step. Be ready to carve your first Big Top performer. Bring a lunch and have fun. No registration required. Sunday, 9:00-3:00. \$15 for the day.

## PLEIN AIR PAINTING AND SKETCHING

May 20-hosted by **JEANIE BAKER**. This month’s outing is at Dancing Oaks Nursery. The nursery is nestled in the foothills of the coastal range in the central Willamette Valley. It is a mature garden with many plant specimens, metal sculptures and blown glass art. There is a new pavilion building and a 120-ft long cedar pergola with a mantle of vines and roses. Many of the plants at this nursery are very unusual. Bring all your own painting supplies. Bring a snack or lunch. 17900 Priem Rd., Monmouth, OR 97361. Go to the website for directions: [www.dancingoaks.com](http://www.dancingoaks.com). 2:00pm. \$5.\*

## FRIDAY OPEN STUDIO

June 4, 11, 18, 25 This “no host” studio is for artists of all mediums. Spend the afternoon in our brightly lit classroom with the benefit of good company and a great place to work. Open 1:00-4:00 every Friday. Free to members. \$3/day or \$10/month for non-members.

## WOODCARVING WORKSHOP

June 6-taught by Master Woodcarver **DAVE DISSELBRETT**. Dave’s project for this month is a surprise, so be prepared for anything fun. Spend the day carving away in the comfortable classroom. Need a break? Walk next door and see the brand new gallery show “Artist’s Gone Wild” presented by the KAA membership. Never carved before? Dave has projects for beginners. Bring a lunch and have a great day. No registration required. Sunday, 9:00-3:00. \$15 for the day.

## WOODCARVING

June 7, 14, 21-taught by Master Woodcarver **DAVE DISSELBRETT** This ongoing carving class is well attended by crafty woodcarvers. Men and women enjoy the tools, wood, and artistry involved in creating keepsakes. No experience necessary to be a part of this social group. Join Dave and his never ending ideas. No registration required. Monday evenings, 7:00-9:00pm. \$5/class.

## ENCAUSTIC WORKSHOP: “PAINTING WITH HOT WAX”

June 12-taught by **DEANNA WHITE**. In this new and exciting class you will learn how to make your own bee’s wax paints, learn fusing techniques with wax, and the use of different heating tools in a safe manner. Deanna will cover texture, inlay, and collage techniques. You will work on your own projects at your own pace. At the end of class you will have one or two finished paintings. All supplies are furnished but you may want to bring some of your own personal photos (must be a copy center photo copies, not inkjet), special papers, and any other flat items, such as leaves, for collage. Deanna will also bring papers and collage items. Bring a lunch or snack. Saturday, 11:30-4:00, \$65.\*

## PLEIN AIR PAINTING AND SKETCHING

June 17-hosted by **JEANIE BAKER**. This month’s outing is at Heirloom Roses at St. Paul, Oregon. The Heirloom Rose Gardens have three English Style gardens featuring a large variety of roses. The peak blooming time is in mid-June. Often called America’s Most Romantic Rose Gardens, the five acres with 3,000 roses will delight your senses. Bring all your own painting supplies and a snack or lunch. See [www.heirloomroses.com](http://www.heirloomroses.com) for more information and contact Jeanie at [jeaniesart@comcast.net](mailto:jeaniesart@comcast.net) for the meeting spot. Thursday, 10:00am-2:00pm. \$5.\*

## “WHAT DO I DO WITH WATERCOLOR PENCILS?”

June 19-taught by **PAT AVERILL**. Most of us gather art supplies like candy and then don’t really know how to begin using them. This is your chance to learn easy ways to use water-soluble colored pencils in combination with dry colored pencils. You’ll make a reference sheet of the techniques first, and then start working on a painting. Your imagination is your only limitation when using watercolor pencils. Supply list. Saturday, 10:00-4:00. Bring a lunch or visit a nearby eatery. \$60.\*

## PLEIN AIR PAINTING

June 26-27-taught by **SAM COLLETT**. Landscape Painting Class Description: “Come and join in the excitement and challenge of plein air landscape painting and experience this new intimate and visceral interaction with your physical world. Learn to extract a 2D composition from the complex and seemingly chaotic visual subject matter before you and then translate those observations to your picture plane (the painting surface). There is nothing quite like the challenge of documenting the constantly whirling visual environment and experiencing this total sensory immersion in your surrounding.” Sam comes from beautiful Wallowa Lake in NE Oregon in the Swiss Alps of the west. Mr. Collett has more than twenty years of teaching experience in realism painting and drawing. To learn more about Sam and view his beautiful artwork see: [www.samcollettfineart.com](http://www.samcollettfineart.com). Supply list. Saturday and Sunday, 9:00-4:00. \$135/2 days.\*

*\*Please register several days ahead for classes to allow the instructor to prepare for the correct number of students. Woodcarving and Open Studio do not require pre-registration.*