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Headline News

KAA MEMBERS,

We need your help. KAA is a dynamic art association and we have SIX additional opportunities to support arts and local artists, but we need YOU!

Current Programming

(Volunteers covered) Monthly Art Shows Art Classes (50+ per year) 1st Tuesday Art Demonstration Gallery K Artist Sales Open Studio 5 days a week Community Outreach Events

Proposed NEW Programs

(Volunteers needed to move forward) Keizer Riverwalk Art Fair Keizer Art Book Best of Show Calendar Art to Go (art instruction) Kids Vacation Art School (VAS)

Most of these volunteer assignments are a ONE TIME commitment of less than 20 hours. The MOST pressing needs are Leadership sub-committee members for the Art Fair and the Art Book projects. Duties of the committee include:

Creation of an admission form and process Develop a time line Approval of art/artists to be included Creation of the Art Fair Rules Select cover and inside covers

Current Sub-committee Members:

ART FAIR

ART BOOK

1. Julie Thoreson

Linda Chatfield
Terry Dempsey
Carol Sims
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We will NOT move forward with our two biggest initiatives until we have filled a temporary leadership subcommittee of 7 members to move forward.

Contact Lore Christopher directly for more information 503-910-4439 or Chrisfam1@msn.com

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NOVEMBER SHOW: CHEMAWA INDIAN SCHOOL

This is a hosted show. Come to the gallery to see photos of all of the incredible murals which have been painted on the walls of Chemawa Indian School.

The Reception will be on Saturday, November 4th from 2 to 4 pm.

The public, artists, family and friends are invited to attend.

This show will run from November 2nd through December 5th.

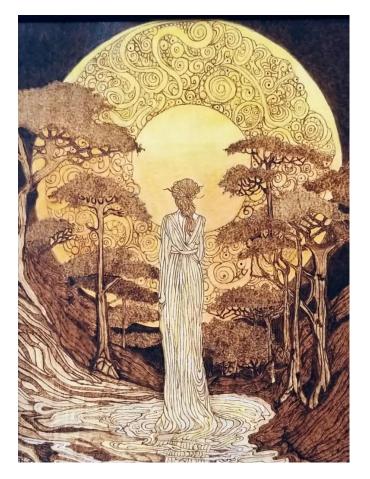


KAA OCTOBER: "ART FOUND IN WOOD" SHOW

The October "Art Found in Wood" show was judged by the KAA board of directors.BEST OF SHOW: "Woman in the Forest", pyrography, Barbara FromherzCaricature First Place: "Prepare for Departure", Terry MossRelief First Place: "Stump Pulling", Tim FloraRealistic First Place: "Harris Hawk", Cheryl AyresPyrography First Place: "Woman in the Forest", Barbara FromherzOther, Chip Carving,
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Other, Chip Carving, First Place: "Globe", Don Fromherz

SEPTEMBER PEOPLE'S CHOICE

"Misty" by Evangellin Paulson





ARTIST OF THE MONTH DEBBIE HORNIBROOK



"Debbie Hornibrook is a Northwest watercolor and acrylic artist. Her Mother shared her love of roses with her at a young age, and both her Parents encouraged her creative drive and her connection to animals. Her love of nature was inspired by childhood picnics to mountain stre streams and woodlands, and a family farm life that included horses, chickens, dogs, and cats as well as a few frogs and gerbils.

Debbie experiences painting as a spiritual practice that restores her Soul and helps her develop connections with other people. She Believes that perhaps our greatest power is in choosing the direction of

our mental focus. While painting and creating, she finds herself immersed in the practice of practicing close observation and appreciation and becomes lost in the "flow" of being deeply engaged with her subject, her process, and her friends. She feels restored and at peace after taking time to appreciate the patterns, colors, and connections involved in art-making.

"Every artist dips his brush in his own soul, and paints his own nature into his pictures." --Henry Ward Beecher

She hopes her paintings inspire feelings of pleasure and peacefulness, and are a reminder of what can be seen when we slow down and really take in what the Universe has to offer.

Debbie has been juried into the Watercolor Society of Oregon, is a member of the Watercolor Society of Oregon, the Keizer Art Association and the watercolor group: Wild Over Watercolor!"



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Thanks to October Volunteers!

Terry Dempsey Bob Curtis Cheryl Manhire Bev Wittler Michelle Myers Barbara Hunter John DeJarnatt Julie Thoreson Lore Christopher Karen Saleen Amy MacTaggert Ellen Langsather Carol Harris Rebecca Mettert



Don't forget to stop by the Keizer Civic Center (located at 930 Chemawa Rd. NE, Keizer, next door to the old school house building where KAA is housed) during the month of October to see the award winners from our September show, Black White and Grau. It was a great show and the award winners are part of what was submitted. The Keizer Art Association gallery wall is at the north entrance to the Keizer Civic Center and just inside the double doors. You won't be disappointed! This show is brought to you by Terry Dempsey, KAA board member.

OCTOBER FIRST TUESDAY MEET-UP

October First Tuesday with **Capitol Woodcarvers: Cheryl Ayres, Tim Flora, Don Fromherz and Bob Curtis**. We learned about various forms of carving such as: realistic, relief, caricature and chip with lots of examples of each. The evening was filled with lots of questions, audience interaction and conversation with the carvers. We had our usual announcements, show & tell, door prizes, treats and comradery with talented artists. Thank you to Capitol Woodcarvers and their fabulous and friendly carvers.

NOVEMBER FIRST TUESDAY MEET-UP

November First Tuesday with the return of **Basketry and Native American culture with Chrystal Parsons on Tuesday, November 7, 6-8 PM**. Chrystal wowed us last year with her knowledge of basketry and the culture of her Suquamish Tribe from the state of Washington. She is an alumni of Chemawa Indian School, earned her teaching degree and returned to the school to teach Native Studies and Indigenous Arts until 2022. She currently resides in Washington and has returned to KAA to enthrall us with her knowledge! If you missed this presentation, last year, now is the time to save-the-date and plan to attend. We will have our usual announcements, show & tell, door prizes, treats and conversation with local artists.





DROP IN OPEN ART STUDIO

Artists are invited and welcome to use the KAA art studio whenever the Gallery is open.

Drop in to work on your art, share creative experiences and techniques, and socialize with other artists. This art-friendly environment is offered free of charge to promote art in the local community.

Time and/or location may be preempted by previously scheduled classes or events. Please call ahead to confirm venue availability. 503-390-3010

CHRISTMAS IS COMING

If you want to sell any of your Christmas crafts or art in Gallery K, please contact Julie Thoreson at juthor2000@gmail.com .

Julie will make a date to meet with you regarding helping you decide what to sell and/or meeting with you when you bring your "pretties" into the gallery.

KAA ART SWAP MEET

On <u>Saturday, December 2nd, 10 am to 3 pm</u> we will be having an **Art Supply Swap Meet** in the KAA classroom.

Bring what new or gently used art supplies that you want to donate to the classroom on Thursday, November 30th and/or Friday, December 1st, from 10 am to 5 pm. When you donate your art supplies, you will receive a ticket to fill a bag, on Saturday, the 2nd, with whatever items you may want, which were donated by others.

Please leave at home:

- Broken, crusty or dried out materials
- Gallons of paint, toxic chemicals
- Cameras, computers, other electronics

If you don't have any art supplies that you want to donate, you may come on Saturday to the Art Supply Swap Meet, purchase a ticket for \$5, and you will receive a bag to fill with art supplies from those donated.

Dates to Remember:

- Drop off art supplies: Thursday, November 30 or Friday, December 1, 10 am-5 pm.
- Art Supply Swap Meet: Saturday, December 2, 10 am-3 pm.

We hope to do this annually. Won't it feel good to clean out that art studio?

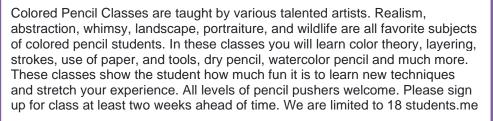
UPCOMING KAA CLASSES

Supply Lists for All Classes are on the Website, keizerarts.com

Keizer Art Association supports our art community by providing free art classes to Oregon Trail Card holders. This offer is provided on an as-available basis.

Please Note: If you are having a problem registering and/or paying for a class online, please contact keizerartassociation@gmail.com attention Carol Harris. Carol will help you through any problems you may be experiencing. We are always happy to register you for a class by email or in person at KAA.

COLORED PENCIL CLASSES



Fall Term October 2 – November 20. 2023, 9 am – 12 noon, 8 weeks, \$80

Winter Term January 8 – February 26, 2024, 9 am – 12 noon, 8 weeks, \$80 Spring Term April 2 – May 20, 2024, 9 am – 12 noon, 8 weeks, \$80

Supply list on KAA website. keizerarts.com

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WATERCOLOR TECNHIQUES

Instructor Michelle Myers Wednesdays, October 4th – November 8th 10 am to 1 pm \$100

Join us for this 6-week watercolor course that will steer you through a variety of techniques to create beautiful watercolor paintings. This class is open to all levels of students, even if you've never picked up a brush, you will gain confidence in your artwork. We will practice many ways to create various artwork that is fun and will help you to learn to use this medium, Use your own photos or the instructors' images to paint 3 - 4 paintings in a step-by-step process. The lessons will include floral, landscape and still life.

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Session 1. An intro to the basics of using this paint, and discovering the wide variety of textural additives. What will it do and not do for your art practice. A simple still life using some of this information will be completed in class.

Session 2. Using more complex image, uses of glazing, underpainting and textural technique will be explored in a small landscape. Your photo reference or use one of mine.

Session 3. Using what you have learned in the fist two classes, and developing ideas for mixed media, collage and metallic techniques, expand your use of acrylics with other media and surfaces.

What do I provide?

Quality acrylic paints, palettes and supplies, 11x14 and/or 12x12 surfaces. A sampling of mediums and additives, images, and some brushes. And 50 years of using this medium.

Bring an apron or overshirt, acrylic brushes and any acrylic paints you may have.

LET'S GET STARTED.

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WATERCOLOR FUNDAMENTALS

Instructor: Stacie Clark Saturdays, November 4, 11 & 18 10 am to 1 pm

Topics covered in this three-day class include watercolor materials, a variety of techniques including stretching watercolor paper, color mixing, wet into wet, masking, and paintbrush textures. We will practice these techniques into practical approaches to building a sky, land, and waterscape sketches. All materials included. We will be using latex masking fluid that is unsuitable for people with a latex allergy.

Stacie will be everything needed for this class. Instructor supplied items may be found on the KAA website.

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PAINTING WOOD CARVINGS

Instructor: Kelley Stadelman October 28, 9 am – 4 pm, \$50 for 1 class



Do you need help finishing your carvings? Kelley is a skilled painter and carver. In this class she will teach painting techniques that will give your carvings more depth and appeal. "Painting" may mean only mild shading or may involve adding complex color. The techniques to achieve a beautiful, finished project will be taught in this class.

The best way to learn is with brush in hand. Learn shading, highlighting, stroke work and other techniques that will help achieve a beautifully finished carving project. Work sheets will be given out to take home to practice these techniques. Exercises will include shading and highlights which make a flat object look dimensional.

Keizerarts.com 980 Chemawa Rd., NE, Keizer

ART TO GO

Keizer Art Association is offering a new program called, "Art to Go". This offering is available to facilities and organizations within Keizer and the surrounding area and helps to achieve our mission of promoting art in the local community.

DESCRIPTION: KAA will provide instructors and equipment to conduct art classes, one time or recurring, at remote facilities. This program is intended to reach art students who are facility confined or who have no means of traveling to our classroom.

TOOLS NEEDED: KAA will provide all tools and equipment for each class. Students are welcome to use their own supplies if available.

PLANNED CLASSES: Colored Pencil, Watercolor, Drawing, Acrylics. Additional classes will be added if requested.

CONTACT KAA: Contact us if you would like more information or are interested in having an "**ART TO GO**" class at your facility or organization.

Contact us at: keizerartassociation@gmail.com

Information:

GALLERY HOURS: TUES 3 – 7 pm. WED – FRI 1 – 5 pm, SAT 11 am – 3 pm. LENDING LIBRARY – Free to members. KEIZER ART ASSOCIATION and ENID JOY MOUNT GALLERY are located in the Keizer Heritage Center at 980 Chemawa Rd., NE, Keizer, OR 97303, 503-390-3010

