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An example of Mark Mehaffey's Work. See details on his upcoming workshop and demo below.

**NEXT MEETING**  
**Thursday, August 17, 2017**  
**NSWS Member Picnic**

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
**PICNIC SUPPER at 6:00**

Parkview United Church of Christ  
3737 Bellaire Avenue, White Bear Lake 55110

**Please bring a dish to share.**

Join us for NorthStar's annual member picnic. Bring your paints, sketchbooks, or summer plein air paintings for a little creative work or sharing. Weather permitting we will be outdoors in the courtyard, but the Fellowship Hall will also be available. If you wish to beat the rush hour traffic, you may arrive around 4:00. Church member Janice Anderson will be there early. Bring games if you wish to mix it up a bit. Celebrate summer with your artist-friends!

**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**

Jim Munzel  
Tammy Nara  
Elizabeth Oppenheimer  
Ken Witte

## PLEIN AIR SCHEDULE

There is still time to join the plein air group. Five more Wednesdays in August! The plein air schedule can be found on the NorthStar website at:

<http://northstarwatermedia.com/resources/group-paint-events/>

## WORKSHOP WITH MARK MEHAFFEY

NorthStar Watermedia Society is hosting a 4-day Multi-Media Workshop with Mark Mehaffey this fall. Look at NorthStar's website and you will want to take this creative workshop! The class will entail two days with representational imagery and two days with abstract imagery using watercolor and gesso along with black and white gouache.

**Date:** Tuesday-Friday, September 19-22, 2017

**Time:** 9 am – 4 pm

**Location:** Autumn Grove Park Facility, Roseville, MN

**Workshop fee:** \$450 for members and \$500 for non-members

## NSWS COMING EVENTS

August 1	Midnight - deadline for entering NorthStar's 2017 National Juried Exhibition
August 17	Member picnic at Parkview United Church of Christ
September 19-22	Workshop with Mark Mehaffey
September 21	Member meeting and demo by Mark Mehaffey
October 12	Member meeting and demo by Ellen Diedrich
October 2-31	NSWS National Art Exhibition at Blaine City Hall. Reception on October 15.

## MnWS COMING EVENTS

September 23-29	MNWS Fall Exhibition, "Luminous Light", Hopkins Center for the Arts
October 26-28	Watercolor Portrait Workshop with Fealing Lin

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