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TO: NSWS Members
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**NEXT MEETING
THURSDAY, April 27, 2017**

7:00 PM

**Rose Room, Roseville Skating Center
2661 Civic Center Drive, Roseville, MN**

DEMO BY JENNIFER STONE



Jennifer Stone is an acclaimed artist from Watertown, South Dakota. Her singular style has earned her numerous awards and countless admirers. Her accolades include both state and national titles with her work displayed in private and corporate collections. Her expressions are primarily watermedia and feature unconventional methods to enhance design, color, and texture. The art she creates is typically abstract or non-representational and reflects Jennifer's unique style and interpretation.

Jennifer will show us the tools she uses to create her signature paintings. She will share samples of the carving stamps and stencils she uses. A brief demonstration will show how these tools are used to create her one-of-a-kind collage papers. She will share some of her designs along with the unique papers that students in the workshop have created during the week.

Starting with studies she has created, Jennifer will demonstrate how to begin a painting using the collage papers. She will also exhibit a few of her finished paintings to show how she uses the papers in her work.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

NorthStar still needs one or two people to help Carol Spohn with our video setup at each meeting. (Frank Zeller's replacement) We also need a workshop co-chair (replacement for Ann Sisel) to work along with Patty Healy in planning future workshops. Contact Patty Healy pmhealy11@gmail.com or Ann Sisel annesisel@gmail.com

The National Exhibition committee needs assistance in fund raising, registration, program, reception, and other areas. Maybe you are willing to do a small job without a major commitment. Every little bit helps! Please contact Committee Chair Janice Anderson jlanderson2014@fastmail.fm.

APRIL MEMBER EXHIBITION OPENING RECEPTION - APRIL 20

Plan on attending the opening reception for "Inspirations" Thursday, April 20, 6:30 - 8:00 with awards presentation at 7:00. White Bear Unitarian Universalist Church, 328 Maple St. in Mahtomedi. Remember to pick up your painting Sunday, April 30, 1:00-3:00. Late pickups will incur a \$25 fee.

JENNIFER STONE WORKSHOP APRIL 25 - 28

There are still a few openings for this workshop. Details and registration form are on the NSWS website. For information contact workshop chairs Patty Healy pmhealy11@gmail.com or Ann Sisel annesisel@gmail.com.

ARTISTS' MARKET - MAY 19, 20, 21

Registrations will be accepted through Saturday April 8. If you are that last minute person, please remember that there is much work to be done by the committee after registrations are in. Packets will be distributed to participants at the April meeting.

If you took a small mat to make a painting for the hourly drawings at Artists' Market, please remember to bring it to the April NorthStar meeting.

For information contact Connie Keithahn conkaystpaul@yahoo.com or Sue Olson solson55@comcast.net.

Many thanks to the Artists' Market Committee:

Connie Keithahn and Sue Olson - co-chairs
Barb Neihart - treasurer and hourly door prize drawings
Jill Jacobson, Carol Tana, Carole Anderson - computer chiefs
Lynda Paduano and Carol Rodriguez - reception
Carol Rodriguez - outdoor street/yard signs
Pat Choffrut - registration
Diane Lee - demos
Fabienne Mader - demo artist bios
Mary Lewis - work assignments for volunteers
Diane Lee and Kathy Magnus - publicity
LouAnn Hoppe - demo mirror, storage unit
Lyndy Johnson, Jill Jacobson, Carole Anderson - signature artist display
Barb Neihart - artists at work schedule

MARK MEHAFFEY WORKSHOP - SEPTEMBER 19-22.

It's not too early to sign up for this workshop. Students will start the workshop by designing the picture space, using color to create a mood that the participant wishes to convey and making abstract/non objective work meaningful to each. This will be a fast paced, hard working and fun workshop! Students will work with various surfaces, learning to paint intuitively and experimentally. Details and registration form are on the NSWwebsite. For information contact workshop chairs Patty Healy pmhealy11@gmail.com or Ann Sisel annesisel@gmail.com

NSWS COMING EVENTS

April 1 - drop off painting in Mahtomedi 10 am - 1 pm
April 20 - Member Exhibition reception 6:30 - 8 pm; awards at 7 pm
April 27 - member meeting and demo by Jennifer Stone
April 25 - 28 - workshop with Jennifer Stone
May 1 - registration open for NSWS National Art Exhibition
May 19-21 - Artists' Market at the Fairgrounds
Sept. 19-22 - workshop with Mark Mehaffey
October 2-31 - NSWS National Art Exhibition at Blaine City Hall with reception on October 15.

MINNESOTA WATERCOLOR SOCIETY COMING EVENTS

April 12 - June 18 - MnWS Spring Exhibition at the U of M Landscape Arboretum
April 13 - Spring Exhibition opening reception 6-8 pm
May 31 - June 3 - workshop with Kathleen Conover - "Chaos to Order"
June 10 - Members' Day at Fish Lake Regional Park

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