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TO: NSWS Members

FROM: NSWS Communications Committee

DATE: November 1, 2017

**NEXT MEETING**  
**Thursday, November 16, 2017**

7:00 pm, Rose Room  
**Roseville Skating Center**  
2661 Civic Center Drive, Roseville, MN



**DEMO BY JAN JOHANSEN - "ACRYLICS - HOT COLORS AND MORE"**

I started my art life in the mid-60's working exclusively in watercolors for about 20 years. I am a former NorthStar member. Feeling I was too dependent on the magic of watercolor, I began working in pastel - a medium that would do only what I made it do. I earned signature membership in both TWSA and PSA. In more recent years I have been working in oils and acrylics. In the 1990's I became involved in the western art world, mainly the CM Russell Auction in Montana. That led me to painting four 3/4 size buffalo. I was guest artist at the CM Russell Ride and had many other invitations. Who knew? It was fun!

I will be demonstrating a procedure I sometimes use with acrylics where I cover the surface with hot colors and come back in to create my subject. I initially did this on the first buffalo I painted. Hope you enjoy.

## PLEASE NOTE

Members who have not renewed their membership will receive one more newsletter. After December, your name will be removed from the list if you have not renewed. Also, if you have signature status and have not renewed, your signature status will be removed.

## WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS!

- Christine Alfery
- Julie Dent
- Vivian Howatt
- Gina Judy
- Barbara Kastner
- Darlene Mowry
- Pat Rogers
- John Samuelson
- Barbara Sparks
- Ann Strack
- Sherri Wagner

## NORTHSTAR NATIONAL 3rd ANNUAL JURIED EXHIBITION

NorthStar can claim another successful National Juried Art Exhibition, held this year at Blaine City Center during the month of October. The exhibition committee and juror worked their magic to produce an excellent exhibit. The committee submitted an updated Prospectus and Call for Entry, created colorful advertising, produced punctual publicity, raised and sponsored funds of cash and products to support awards valued at \$8,472. Open registration started May 1 and closed August 1. Ninety-one artists submitted 225 pieces. Sixteen states were represented: AZ, CA, CO, FL, GA, IN, MI, MN, NJ, OH, PA, SD, UT, VA, VT, and WI. Fifty-eight NSWS artists applied.

Juror David Feinberg, judged all entries online inviting 65 artists to exhibit their paintings and selected the following 14 award winners:

- Best of Show - Frank Zeller, "Winter Light"
- Second Place - Kathleen Braud, "Four Clucks"
- Third Place - Christopher Palbicki, "Towards a Wholeness of Being"
- Wet Paint Award - CeCeile Hartleib, "Desiree"
- Blick Art Materials - Karen Poulson, "Coming Undone"
- Schmincke Award - Fred Dingler, "Red Roof"
- Holbein Award - Rick Lundsten, "From Out of the Past"
- Artists' Choice Award, I - David Smith, "Tranquil Waters"
- Artists' Choice Award, II - David Belling, "Offloading Salt"
- Artworks Art & Frame Award - Darlene Mowry, "Pink Glory"
- Winsor & Newton Award - Brian Gordy, "Seeking the Sun"
- Dillman's Creative Art Workshops Award - Ralph Hanggi, Jr., "BAV-011-T-the Midway"
- Judith Benham Art Award, Patty Healy - "Glass Surprises at the Botanical Garden"
- Merit Award, Susan Voigt - "Warm Spring Sun on Willows"

We are pleased by the representation of all watermedia materials and the variety of styles. We extend our congratulations to each and every winner of an award and a huge thank you to all artists who entered their artwork. We invite you to view the artwork on the NorthStar website. If you wish to purchase the show's DVD please contact Calvin deRuyter at [calsportfolio@hotmail.com](mailto:calsportfolio@hotmail.com) or 651-917-4182 ext.1

Committee Members: Janice Anderson, Carole Anderson, Judith Benham, Calvin deRuyter, Judy Fawcett, Jill Jacobson, Linda Paduano, Marie Panlener, Sylvia Roman, Wayne Sisel, Susan Fryer Voigt, and Leny Wendel

If you wish to join the committee, please contact a committee member for details.

Our 2018 Juried Art Exhibition will be held at the White Bear Center for the Arts mid-September – mid-October 2018.

## SPRING WORKSHOP - TED NUTTALL - "PAINTING FIGURES FROM PHOTOS"

This workshop is designed to give students the tools, inspiration and confidence to enjoy painting people. Working from photographs, students will learn how photos can be an effective and valuable tool for creating powerful and dramatic figurative paintings in watercolor. Ted will discuss the benefits of photographic reference as well as how to edit, interpret and compose from a photo in order to give life and vitality to the subject. His lectures, daily demonstrations and one-on-one instruction will help students find new enthusiasm for their work, regardless of their skill level.

Date: April 16-19, 2018, 9 am-4 pm. Lexington Park Facility, 2131 Lexington Ave. N. Roseville.

Fee: \$550 for members, \$600 for non-members. Limit 16. Registration form is on the NSWS website. For information contact Patty Healy [pmhealy11@gmail.com](mailto:pmhealy11@gmail.com)

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

Please consider volunteering for one of the following important positions for the 2017-18 year:

- Vice President
- Hospitality Chair
- Someone to set up the sound system at meetings

## **NSWS UPCOMING EVENTS**

Nov 16      Member meeting and demo by Jan Johanson

Dec 21      Member meeting, demo by James Nutt, art swap

## **MnWS UPCOMING EVENTS**

Nov 9      Member meeting and demo by Ellen Diederich

Dec 14      Member meeting and deno by Richard Kokenash

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