

# Chisholm Trail Art Association

## October 2021 Newsletter



### Upcoming Meeting Dates

November 11: Regina Scroggins presents her gourd and glass art

December 9: Christmas Party & White Elephant Gift Exchange (location TBA)

### Area Art Opportunities

Randy Meador's

"That's Not Watercolor" Workshop

Fri.-Sat., Oct. 22-24

Davis & Blevins, The Main Street Gallery

Sign up by calling 940-995-2786 or email

Ginger@donnahowellsickles.com

**PASTEL WORKSHOP** by Jan Thompson at the 4R Ranch near Morgan Mills, March 27, 2022 through April 1, 2022. For more information, visit the CTAA website.

**ART CLASSES BY DON MacLAUGHLIN, Nocona, TX.**

For more information, contact Don at 214-616-2449.

**OIL PAINTING CLASSES BY JUDY GELFERT, Arlington, TX.** For more information: visit the CTAA website.

**FOR ART SHOW EVENTS ALL OVER THE UNITED STATES,** go to [www.callforentry.org](http://www.callforentry.org) for a calendar listing!

### October 14th Presentation Vonnie Kohn



Associate Oil Painters of America American Women Artists Portrait Society of America Southwest Watercolor Society Sacred Fine Arts

Texas Nationally known artist, Vonnie Kohn, has more than 40 years experience in painting the Southwest. She is also a printmaker, sculptor (lost wax process), a workshop instructor, juror, and recipient of numerous awards. Ms. Kohn has participated in Plein Air paintouts & workshops. Extensive travel added new inspiration to a variety of subject matter—Contemporary Western, Native American, Still life, Landscapes, Wildlife, & Inspirational. Her credits include: Southwest Art Magazine (Collector's Edition) George Phippen Memorial Western Art Show (award. Arizona) All Indian Nat'l Art Show (award...Kansas) Arte de Los Brazos (awards...Texas) Doss Heritage & Cultural Center (permanent collection...Tx) Wild Winged Raptor Nat'l Art Show (Best of Show...Kansas) One Woman Show, Buffalo River Art Gallery (Parkville, Missouri) Christian Art Museum (Ft. Worth, Texas)



Join us at the Wellington State Bank in Bowie on October 14th for Vonnie's presentation.

The meeting begins at 6 pm, please arrive on time.

Anyone may attend two meetings without paying dues. If you would like to attend regularly our dues are only \$35 per year!

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## September Meeting Minutes

**Larry Lemons, President, called meeting to order @ 6:00 pm, Sept 9, '21 Treasurer's Report:** \$ 2920.11 (All bills paid) **Art News in the community:** (As of the posting of these minutes, these events are now over). Tales N' Trails Museum hosted "Shebang" an annual fundraiser for the museum in Nocona, Tx. Clay Co. Art Association had their 63rd Annual Fine Arts Display & Sale on Saturday, Sept. 18th at the Clay County Pioneer Reunion Festival) **Current:** Randy Meador watercolor workshop is still open. Contact the Davis & Blevins Art Gallery in St. Jo, Texas. (940) 995-2786 V. Kohn mentioned a possible Small Works Christmas Show in Nocona? (Oct Nov)..3 days? Larry Lemons will check on this. **Movie Night: in lieu of guest speaker, CTAA had several options for movies.** "Loving Vincent" was the feature (popcorn & sodas were provided!). "Loving Vincent" is a 2017 experimental animated biographical drama film about painter Vincent van Gogh. Unfortunately, the sound system at the bank malfunctioned, enabling CTAA members to observe the video movie in silent motion picture form. The movie was entirely painted by 125 classically trained artists from many countries. The artists created 65,000 canvas paintings for animation using Van Gosh's paintings for the film storyboard. The theme of the movie was inspired after an artist, Dorota Kobiela, studied his techniques & the artist's story through his letters. It was a story about Van Gosh's persecuted life, the rejection of his peers & the strange circumstances of his death. Van Gogh was known to have painted over 900 paintings in his lifespan with the sale of only one painting. Ironically his paintings today are worth millions. According to Sostheby's his last painting was auctioned March, 2021 for \$ 15, 356, 311 U.S. currency! Without audio, watching the movie provide a fresh observation of the skills of the 125 artists from different countries who were able to reproduce the techniques of Van Gogh's style. The animation of the hundreds of paintings were able to capture lifelike facial expressions with his dominant brushwork. Even changing of the seasons and weather patterns of the landscape settings were painted as if by Van Gogh himself. A most unusual artistic form of animation in the form of fine art painters rather than animators! **Artist of the Month:** We have a tie! (1) Jennifer Hammer, pastel, "Wednesday Morning Bath" (2) Regina Scroggins (sculpted gourd), "Autumn Leaves" **Hospitality Chair:** Dian Rhodes...thank you for the Popcorn and other refreshments Meeting adjourned @ 7:50 pm. Respectfully submitted by Vonnie

Kohn, Sept 20, 2021

# Upcoming Workshops



## Randy Meador's "That's Not Watercolor" Workshop Fri.-Sat., Oct. 22-24

Registration includes concert tickets to Saturday night's Red River Station BBQ concert, including a chance to sit at Randy's table if you register early.

Signup by calling 940-995-2786 or email

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Randy's enthusiasm and natural charisma are enough to draw a crowd, but his skill and mastery of watercolor is what keeps the crowd around! His 2-3 day workshops sell out quickly and are a fan favorite each year. Register today to reserve your space.



## JAN THOMPSON, PSA ANNUAL PASTEL WORKSHOP at the 404 Ranch March 27th - April 2nd, 2022



Experience Jan's creative & artistic abilities along with the southern hospitality on a working ranch.

Lodging provided in the Ranch Bunkhouse

Starts: Sunday, March 27th, arrival between 2:00 pm & 6:00 pm

Classes begin Monday morning 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Classes end on Friday at 4:00 pm After critiques, there will be a dinner Celebration

Fee: \$950 Includes 5 days of workshop plus Food & Lodging for 6 to 7 nights

Class limited to 15 and is expected to sell out quickly. Don't delay in reserving your place.

\$400 deposit - ASAP or no later than February 15, 2022 to Jackie Ralleback (Ranch Owner/Host), 2520 Norwood Dr., Hurst, TX 76054 Email: jrallechas@att.net Phone:

817-657-8691

Deposits are Non-refundable after March 1, 2022.



# Area Art Sites to Visit



<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/>



**Chisholm Trail Heritage Center**

**1000 Chisholm Trail Parkway**

**Duncan, Oklahoma 73533**

<https://onthechisholmtrail.com>



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