

Chisholm Trail Art Association

JANUARY newsletter



Everything you need to know

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 Chisholm Trail Art Group

January 11th Meeting

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Our meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the Month at the Wellington State Bank in Bowie. See you at 6 pm Thursday January 11th at 6 pm in the Chisholm Trail Room

This is our annual SHOW & TELL meeting. Not only will our members be giving a short description of what they might be working on or planning to do, we will also have our finished mini floats on display for the upcoming Nocona Mardi Gras festivities. So everyone please remember to bring those floats to the meeting!

Other items for this meeting will be the election of new officers for 2024. These are not nominations, they are

volunteer positions to replace the current officers who are have held their offices for years.

This includes all the offices we have except the Secretary & Hospitality Offices.

All offices can be run however you feel works best for you. It's time to hand the reins over to new people with a fresh look on things!

So pick an office and make it yours!

The future direction of our group will be decided at our January Meeting.



Update on CTAA member Jesse Coulson

Prior to Thanksgiving, Jesse & Gwen were on their way to their daughter's home in east Texas and were involved in a bad accident. Jesse was air lifted to a hospital in Tyler and has been there since going through several surgeries. Luckily, Gwen and their dog were not injured in the accident.

Gwen said that he's healing and has a positive attitude, but is facing several more surgeries. He's out of ICU and is expected to be in hospital at least 30 more days before moving to a rehab facility. Prayers are welcome for his recovery.



Soon Warren 2024 Watercolor Workshop Nocona, Texas

JUNE 5, 6 & 7, 2024 (3 days) only \$250!

LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE!

The cost of the workshop will be **\$250** per person. Workshop is limited to 25 people. Reservations will be taken on January 1, 2024, and will require a **\$50** deposit (check made payable to CTAA and sent to the attention of Gale Cochran-Smith, PO Box 354, Montague TX 76251). Checks for the deposit **MUST BE** received not later than 15 days after registration, or the spot may be made available to another person. Contact Gale Cochran-Smith ASAP to register for the workshop **AFTER DECEMBER 31st, 2023**, at 817-832-6991(cell) or via email at galecsmith@gmail.com. A waiting list will also be taken, so call soon for reservations! First come, first served!

A supply list and step-by-step instructions for the painting above will be sent via email to each registered artist no later than May 15th. The entire remaining cost of the workshop of **\$200** must be received no later than the first day of the workshop, June 5th, and can be paid on site at the workshop. For additional information, please contact Gale.

The workshop will be held in the Justin Building in Nocona at 100 Clay Street from 9am until 4pm each day, with a lunch break from noon to 1:30pm. A list of local restaurants will be provided. On Friday the CTAA will host a free potluck lunch for all participants.

Overnight lodging in Nocona can be found at Red River Station Inn (www.redriverstationinn.com) or at the Veranda Inn (www.verandanocona.com) - both are very nice, locally-owned, comfortable hotels.


Workshops

404 Ranch Workshops

404 RANCH WORKSHOPS

LYNN MCLAIN, AWS

WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP
MARCH 3RD - 8TH 2024



INFORMATION

Lynn's watercolor workshops are open to anyone no matter if you are a beginner or a seasoned watercolorist! Plus along with the workshop, you get the southern hospitality on a working ranch. Lodging provided in the Ranch Bunkhouse. Arrival on Sunday, March 3rd, between 2:00 pm & 6:00 pm. Classes begin Monday morning 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Classes end on Friday March 8th at 4:00 pm. After critiques, there is a Dinner Celebration. Fee: \$950 Includes 5 days of workshop Food & Lodging for 6 to 7 nights. Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner provided plus extras! Class limited to 15 and is expected to sell out quickly.

Don't delay in reserving your place. \$425 deposit - ASAP or no later than February 15, 2024 to: Jackie Railsback (Ranch Owner/Host) 2520 Norwood Dr., Hurst, TX 76054 jjrails@me.com, 817-657-8691. Deposits are Non refundable after March 1, 2024. The "404 Ranch" is located About 65 miles west of downtown Ft Worth, about 95 miles west of Dallas and 21 Miles north of Stephenville on Hwy 281. You will be provided a map & GPS coordinates to the gate of property. Check out Lynn's web site at: www.lynnmclain.com. If you have questions for Lynn call: 1-575-587-1625.

A SUPPLY LIST WILL BE SENT OUT AT A LATER DATE.

CONTACT: JACKIE RAILSBACK JJRAILS@ME.COM

404 RANCH WORKSHOPS

JAN THOMPSON, PSA

SOFT PASTEL WORKSHOP
MARCH 17TH - 23RD 2024



INFORMATION

Experience Jan's creative & artistic abilities along with the southern hospitality on a working ranch. Lodging provided in the Ranch Bunkhouse Sunday, March 17th, 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, Dinner Celebration. Fee: \$950 Includes 5 days of workshop Food & Lodging for 6 to 7 nights. Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner provided plus extras! Class limited to 15 and is expected to sell out quickly. Don't delay in reserving your place.

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A SUPPLY LIST WILL BE SENT OUT AT A LATER DATE.

CONTACT: JACKIE RAILSBACK JJRAILS@ME.COM

404 RANCH WORKSHOPS

LORI HESS

TWSA, RMWS, NWS

PAINTING PEOPLE FROM PHOTOGRAPHS

WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP

MAY 6TH - 11TH 2024



INFORMATION

Experience Lori's encouraging guidance along with southern hospitality on a working ranch. Lodging provided in the Ranch Bunkhouse Sunday, May 5th: Arrival between 2:00 pm & 6:00 pm. Dinner is served at 6 pm. Classes begin at 9:00 am till 4:00 pm daily. Classes end on Friday at 4:00 pm. After critiques, a Dinner Celebration! You may leave on Friday or wait till Saturday AM. Fee: \$1,200 Includes: 5 days of workshop Food & Lodging for 6 to 7 nights. Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner provided plus extras! Class limited to 15 and is expected to fill up quickly. Don't delay in reserving your place!

Required: \$600 deposit - ASAP or no later than April 1, 2024 check paid to: Jackie Railsback (Ranch Owner/Host) 2520 Norwood Dr., Hurst, TX 76054 jjrails@me.com 817-657-8691. Deposits are Non refundable after April 15, 2024. Balance of fee due the day of the workshop - \$600. The "404 Ranch" is located About 65 miles west of downtown Ft Worth, about 95 miles west of Dallas and 21 Miles north of Stephenville on Hwy 281. You will be provided a map & GPS coordinates to the gate of property. If you have questions please contact Lori at: website: lorihesswatercolors.com email: lori@lorihesswatercolors.com phone: 330-998-3524.

LORI WILL PROVIDE A DETAILED WORKSHOP SUPPLY LIST UPON REGISTRATION

CONTACT: JACKIE RAILSBACK JJRAILS@ME.COM

Three great workshops
upcoming in 2024 at the
fabulous 404 Ranch out of
Stephenville, TX!

Workshops & Shows

DAVIS & BLEVINS GALLERY



A Gift to Last a Lifetime

Her work is amazing, and now you have the opportunity to learn from Donna Howell-Sickles as she shares her experience in the casual setting of her church studio in historic Saint Jo, Texas.

Donna Howell-Sickles Drawing Workshop

- 10am-4pm, March 8-10, 2024
- \$450 Registration
- Limited space

Everyone is welcome

??Beginners ??Intermediates ??Advanced

This is an opportunity that you don't want to put off. Reserve your space today, or gift a reservation space.

- Call 940-995-2786 or
- Email ginger@donnahowellsickles.com



2024 Art Show Entry Deadline

Saturday, January 27, 2024
12:40 AM 6:25 PM

Red River Valley Museum, 4600 College Drive, Vernon, TX, 76384
Deadline for submission: January 27, 2024, 5:00pm

Notification of acceptance: March 2024

Receiving date for accepted artwork:

Receiving deadline for accepted artwork: April 20th, 2024 by 2:30pm

Reception: June 1st, 2024

<https://www.rvmuseum.org/events/2024-art-show-entry-deadline>

Exhibit Open: June 1st- July 12th

Removal/Pick-up: July 13th-19th, 2024

Return of shipped work: August 2024

Watercolor Landscape Workshop with Michael Holter



March 18, 19, 20
9:00 am - 3:45 pm

Cost: \$400 Art Club Members
\$475 non-members

*The Woman's Club
of Fort Worth*
1316 Pennsylvania Ave.



Michael Holter is an award-winning artist who works in watercolor and his paintings can be found in private and corporate collections in the US and several foreign countries. He is a member of the Salmagundi Club, a signature member of the American Watercolor Society, the National Watercolor Society and many more.

This workshop will focus on the use of watercolor to paint exciting impressionistic paintings of landscapes and cityscapes. You will paint from photographs and explore the use of light and shadow to create interesting compositions and achieve dynamic results, as well as work on basic perspective and how to appropriately incorporate figures into the painting.

Michael will demonstrate his approach to creating landscapes and you will have ample time to successfully complete your own paintings. Michael welcomes novice and advanced students and tailors the experience to individual needs.

Spaces are limited! To register or for more information go to womenoftheartsftworth.com

Questions? Contact Susie Monzingo
womenoftheartsfw@gmail.com
817 360-8711

Announcement, Workshops & Shows

DEADLINE FOR ENTRY JANUARY 27, 2024 for the Red River Valley Museum's 23rd Annual Juried Exhibition in Vernon. For more information, contact the Red River Valley Museum at 940-553-1848 or go to their website: www.RRVmuseum.org

WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP by Lynn McLain, March 3rd thru 8th, 2024 at the 404 Ranch near Stephenville, TX. \$950 includes 5 days of instruction, all meals, and lodging. Class limited to 15 students! For more information visit the CTAA website or [lynn_mclain_404_workshop_2024.pdf](#) or call Lynn at 575-587-1625.

SOFT PASTEL WORKSHOP by Jan Thompson, March 17th thru 23rd, 2024 at the 404 Ranch near Stephenville. \$950 includes 5 days of instruction, all meals, and lodging. For more information visit the CTAA website or call Jan at 719-253-2991.

PAINTING PORTRAITS IN WATERCOLORS by Lori Hess, May 6th thru 11th at the 404 Ranch near Stephenville. For more information visit the CTAA website or call Lori at 330-998-3524

SOON WARREN WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP in Nocona, June 5, 6 & 7, 2024. See our page for more information. Reservations open January 1, 2024.

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: [\[click here\]](#)

FOR ART SHOW EVENTS ALL OVER THE UNITED STATES, go to www.callforentry.org for a calendar listing!

Nocona Mardi Gras Mini-Float Delivery February 8th, 2024

Please bring your mini-float to the Central Christian Fellowship Hall, 300 Cooke St., Nocona, TX on February 8th between 4:00 - 6:00 pm. Adults may bring theirs at that time to the church, too. Judging will be done at the church on Friday. We will have waivers to sign. All floats will be transported to Justin building Sat., Feb. 10 for display and announcement of winners and presentation of prizes at 10:00 am. Floats may be picked up at 11:00 am.

Area Websites to Visit



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Weatherford Art Association

Weatherford, Texas

<https://weatherfordart.com/>



<https://www.gainesvilleareavisualarts.org/>



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Connecting community
through the arts.

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see our [Staff Page](#) for a complete
listing of contacts



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