# Nevada Watercolor Society



Nevada Watercolor Society Newsletter

January 2024

Virtual Workshops with Cindy Briggs - Monday, January 8th and Tuesday, January 9th from 1:00 p.m to 4:00 p.m. Please register on website to get invitation to join.

Next Virtual Board Meeting: Thursday, February 8th at 7:00 pm

### President's Message



2024 is going to be Outstanding! Exciting! Abundant! And a fun year. So put on your happy face and join us for our first meeting this new year.

Please note change of date and time! We have had many asking for afternoon meetings to avoid driving at night and we've made it happen, so please come see all your old friends in person.

#### Saturday, January 13th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

There will be free raffle tickets for some great surprises!

Our presentation will be from Linda Smith: "What to do with your old watercolors." Suggested supplies are listed in another section in this newsletter. Come and save what you thought were hopeless paintings.

Meet some of our new watercolor members and visit with old friends! Jeff and Laura will provide light snacks as our new Hospitality team.

We have some new committees and available positions – talk to me about what you'd like to do!, Second VP – Membership, Photography, Advertising, and new committees: Social Media (to assist Lin Pacific) and At-Large (special projects). First VP – Programs will be open for the 2024-2025 year. The Board has set up meetings through May 2024 and Barbara Stanton will serve as Secretary.

I know it is a commitment to volunteer, but we want to provide everyone with a fabulous and fun organization and we can do it if we all work together.

Sharon Menary, President

#### January 13th – Supply List for What to do with your old watercolors

Linda Smith is the presenter. Please bring:

- 3-4 old paintings (any size) that can be cut up and repurposed
- 6 sheets of cardstock, any color, 8.5 x 11 inches (approximate)
- Scissors and glue (glue sticks are fine)
- · Pencil and rulers
- Assorted marking tools: crayons, markers, gel pens, etc.

### 2023 Spring Show

## 2024 NVWS Spring Show February 22nd through May 4

Charleston Heights Art Center 800 Brush St. Las Vegas, NV

**Entry Deadline: Thursday, January 18th (midnight)** 

**Acceptance Announced: Thursday, February 8th** 

**Show Dropoff: Friday, February 16th from 12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.** 

Opening Reception: Thursday, February 22nd from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

End of Show Pick-up: Monday, May 6th, from 12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m.

**Judge: Kim Johnson Fetchman** 

Vina Curtis, Show & Exhibit Chairman

If you have questions, please call 725-724-5942 or email vincur@cox.net

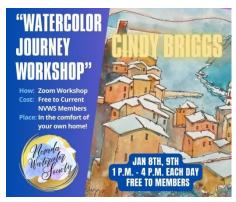
## Open Positions and New Committees for 2024

Please reach out to Sharon to volunteer for:

- First VP Programs
- Second VP Membership
- Photography
- Advertising
- New Social Media
- New At-Large (special projects)

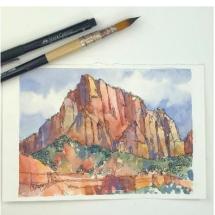
Upcoming Workshop – Free to Members – Cindy Briggs – Register Now! Monday, January 8th and Tuesday, January 9th: 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

## **Cindy Briggs**











## **Kim Johnson Netchman**

## Fur and Feathers in Watercolor Workshop



\*\*\*March 13, 14, 15, 2024 (Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)\*\*\*

<u>тіме:</u> 9 а.m. - 4 р.m. each day

**PLACE:** Spanish Oaks Clubhouse

**2201 Spanish Oaks Drive** 

\*cost: EARLY BIRD RATE: \$315.00 (Members only by February 1st)

MEMBER RATE: \$340.00 (February 2nd)

NON-MEMBER RATE: \$365.00







March Meeting: Wednesday, March 13 at 6:30 p.m. at Spanish Oaks.

Demo from Kim Johnson Fetchman at 7:00 p.m.







Workshop description:

In this watercolor workshop Kim Johnson Netchman will share her thrill of throwing, dropping, and pushing paint until the subject emerges on the paper. She believes every painting is a learning experience. She will encourage you to experiment and take on new challenges as she guides you through the process of creating animal fur and feathers. Kim will take you step by step through the process of contour drawing as a guide and how to build form through glazes and washes. Explore a variety of techniques while breathing life into your subjects. Improve your color selections for animals/birds and backgrounds to see them come alive!

Join us in taking your animal paintings to the next level! To learn more about Kim's work, visit her website at:kj-art.com.

Want to receive Member Discounts?

Join NVWS Now

To reserve your spot, complete your registration online by clicking "REGISTER" PayPal and Credit Cards are accepted

email: lsmith.lv@outlook.com or call: 509-499-1156

\*Full payment is due by December 6, 2021 in order to give David ample notification if we have to cancel. It's a great opportunity to have David come to LV after two years of a pandemic! If the workshop is canceled, all payments will be refunded. If the workshop is a go, deposits and full payments are non-refundable, but transferable. Feel free to sell your spot if you need to cancel.

### Art Classes at the Mesquite Club

Wednesday mornings from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon at the Mesquite Club, 702 E. St Louis Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89104

There are several options:

- 1. Most days you work on your own, without a teacher, for \$10.
- 2. An invited teacher may conduct classes. Jan Schaeffer usually teaches once a month from 9:00 a.m. 12:00 noon for \$20 a class.

The contact to RSVP to be sure there is space is Sue Churchill. Please text her only at 702-343-5488. Payment is by cash at the time of class. There is limited space, so please RSVP.

#### Notification Regarding Nevada Watercolor Society Post Office Box

You may have had mail returned from our Post Office Box. The Post Office closed our box due to miscommunication. It is now functioning again, so please re-send any items that were returned to:

P.O. Box 27224 Las Vegas, NV 89126

We apologize for any inconvenience this oversight may have caused you.

## December Meeting – Painting Exchange

It was a festive evening! Here are some highlights:







