

October's Meeting

Wednesday, October 14th
@ 7:00 pm

Spanish Oaks Clubhouse

2201 Spanish Oaks Drive
Las Vegas, Nevada 89102

Board Meeting
Wed, October 14th @ 5:30pm

October's Program

•Karen Wheeler Demo•

Karen Wheeler is the only surviving professional Artist in Southern Nevada with a Neuromuscular disease.

Her medium of choice is Watercolor.....

where she uses thousands of tiny brushstrokes to craft, paint and create her beautiful, detailed and often humorous images. Her art is sold in many galleries all over the West Coast.

She has collectors all over the world, a list that includes:

Julian Lennon, Phill Collins, Shadoe Stevens, Justin Hayward, Joan Rivers, Steven Seagal, Damon Wayans, Ozzy Osbourne and more.

She is the founder of the 'Spirit of Art'

a group that includes well known local artists.



Congratulations to the winners
of September's meeting Fashion Challenge

Hello Dear Members,

Our September meeting was a great one!! There were more than 60 in attendance and we also signed up a few more artists. I would like to thank the members that served in our Board last year. They did a fabulous job!!! I would also like to welcome the new ones that graciously answered the call to serve our society. Thanks to all who brought those delicious snacks. There was so much food and so much fun!

At our October meeting, we welcome a great friend and a fabulous watercolorist, **Karen Wheeler**. Karen's art, wisdom and wit will inspire us all. Meanwhile keep creating that gorgeous and timeless Art.

Your President, **Roberto Rico**



Some more paintings from September's meeting Fashion Challenge



2015 NVWS Member Show
Reception

Tuesday, October 6th
 from 5-6:30 pm
 West Sahara Library
 Public Invited

See “Young Billy” by Terry Titus (above)
 and 39 other beautiful watercolors

Show runs through Jan 3rd, 2016
 9600 West Sahara Ave Las Vegas, NV 89117

**Donna Zagotta
 Workshop**

Monday-Thursday, Nov 9-12th, 2015

www.donnazagotta.com

\$350 for members
 and \$375 for non members

First workshop in 2016.....

**Mary Ann Beckwith
 Workshop**

Monday-Thursday, Feb 8-11th, 2016

www.maryannbeckwith.org

\$330 for members
 and \$355 for non members
 (\$50 deposit, balance due 12/8/15)

To reserve your spot in these workshops,
 send your check to:

Sharon Menary
 3047 Evening Wind Street
 Henderson, Nevada 89052
 attn: (Zagotta or Beckwith) Workshop
 Call Sharon Menary 702-463-2454
 or email thestudioforartists@gmail.com



Accolades to our NVWS Members

“One Eye on the Prize” by Shirley Jeane
 was just published by North Light Books
 in “Incite 3 – The Art of Storytelling”

Congratulations Shirley!!!

October 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5 Fall Show ACCEPTED PAINTINGS DROP-OFF West Sahara Library 10:30 to noon	6 Fall Show RECEPTION West Sahara Library 5-6:30pm Public Welcome	7	8	9	10
11	12 Columbus Day	13	14 NVWS Meeting 7pm Spanish Oaks Clubhouse	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31 Halloween

Please submit any news for November's newsletter by **Monday, Oct 26th** to Louise Gillespie 702-419-0461 or gillespie4@earthlink.net

Might be of interest

Call for Entries

Yosemite Renaissance 31--Deadline: Nov. 15, 2015

Yosemite Renaissance is an annual juried competition/exhibition intended to encourage diverse artistic interpretations of Yosemite. Historically, the arts have played a very important role in the establishment of our State and National Parks. It is our hope that they can be just as important in future efforts to preserve and protect that heritage.

Entries should be recent works of the landscape, environment, wildlife, and people of **Yosemite or the Sierra Nevada**. Both representational and non-representational submissions are accepted. Entries may be in any fine art medium including painting, photography, drawing, printmaking, textile and sculpture.

Entries in the form of digital files are due by November 15, 2015.

The entry fee is \$15 per entry. Artists may submit up to eight entries each. 30 to 45 pieces will be selected for the exhibition. \$4,000 in cash awards donated by The Ansel Adams Gallery. Possible purchase awards. Please visit our website (www.yosemiterenaissance.org) for the Yosemite Renaissance 31 Prospectus

Misc NVWS notes

Louise Gillespie, the publications chairperson, needs a volunteer to mail the printed newsletters to the members that have requested printed copies. The volunteer would have to get approx 35 copies printed, labeled, stamped and mailed each month. (*Louise is on the east coast and mailing the newsletters from there takes too long*)

If interested, please let Louise know at gillespie4@earthlink.net or 702-419-0461.

And a very special thank you to **Pat Caspary**, who had been mailing the printed newsletters for the past year.

This year's Western Federation Entries are due by Jan 13th, 2016.

The prospectus in online now and will be in November's newsletter

Our NVWS Delegate is Elena Wherry
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Our Alternate Delegate is Elida Kidman



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