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Monthly Art Show & Sale

Beautiful, original art at affordable prices. Drop in – send your friends & family and support your fellow artists

March

Water

April

Shower & Flowers

May

Tea Time

- Celebrating Mothers

June

People

July-August

Tropical – Sun & salsa

March – the first month of spring – heavy sigh! March always seems a month of such promise and new beginnings. March birthstones are the aquamarine and the bloodstone, both of which mean courage. The daffodil, one of the first flowers of spring, is the March birth flower and stands for rebirth, respect, regard and unrequited love.

We have a great lineup of workshops and special events for March and hope you will make time to come and join us for a class, a workshop or to see the wonderful show of artwork. Looking forward to spring,
Nancy-lyne Hughes
Owner

Upcoming Workshops and Events for March

First Friday Painting Demo Watercolour – wild and free!

Back by popular demand, Doug Smith will wow you with his watercolour painting techniques. Sit back, relax and prepare to be entertained and amazed by Doug's palette, his drawing skills and his use of this medium. Join us for an educational and entertaining evening and be prepared to be inspired! Please call to book a seat as space is limited.

Friday, March 2, 2012 6 – 9 PM Fee: \$26.25 (incl gst)

Painting Getaway at the Diamond Willow Artisan Retreat

Friday, March 9 to Sunday, March 11, 2012

Join instructor/facilitator, Nancy-lyne Hughes, and escape the city for a weekend of painting at the beautiful ***Diamond Willow Artisan Retreat*** only one short hour south of Calgary in Alberta's picturesque foothills. Wonderful, home cooked meals and luxurious accommodations are included so all you have to do is paint! The painting weekend will be aimed at (but not restricted to) painting the landscape. Nancy teaches all mediums so you are invited to come along and paint in your favorite medium. Your weekend will include; supportive and encouraging instruction, fabulous scenery, two nights (shared) accommodations, terrific people, wholesome meals, plus snacks and refreshments, wonderful, creative people to paint with AND, the studio space is available 24 hours a day ☺ Did we mention the fabulous scenery and wonderful people to paint with?!

All for \$450.00 per person + taxes

To register : Phone 403 933 5755 Email: info@DiamondWillowArtisanRetreat.com

"To have taken up painting, no matter at what age, or point in one's life, is to have entered into a new and deeper awareness of the whole meaning of existence, to have tasted spiritual refreshment and to have found the perfect form of creative relaxation."

Mervyn Levy from *Painting For All*

Itajime Surprise – Tie died paper

Facilitator: Susan Kristoferson

Susan is offering an afternoon devoted to this traditional Japanese folk art technique where beautiful and varied patterns are created by folding and dipping paper into dyes. The designs created may range from simple to very complex. Create your own beautiful itajime paper. Learn to fold and tie-die papers creating unique, individual designs. Then learn how to use these papers to create a book. All supplies included.

Saturday, March 10, 2012 1 – 4 PM Fee: \$73.50 (incl gst) Max 11 students

GOLDEN Products, Lecture and Demo Saturday, March 17th, 2012 1 – 4 PM

Join Jason Broatch to learn everything you need to know about acrylic paints, gels and mediums. Learn new techniques, see products in use, have your questions answered. This presentation is great for either beginning artists or the experienced professional. Free product samples and literature. Tickets \$ 5.00 and valid for a \$5.00 credit towards the purchase of products. Please register by calling Kensington Art Supply:403 283 2288 or online at info@kensingtonartsupply.com

Workshops and Events for March, continued

Golden Artist Colours, Inc. Acrylic Workshop is a fun, hands-on event covering a technical review of acrylics and their varied application possibilities. The workshop will present information on pigments, viscosities, gels, mediums and introduce the new golden products; Open and Digital Grounds.

Learn how acrylics can be used as grounds for other media, such as watercolor or colored pencil; get key information on color mixing, blending and controlling drying time; and see how gels can be used to modify paint properties or create unique textural surfaces. From traditional to contemporary to mixed media, acrylics are infinitely versatile. Artists of all levels will come away from this workshop with fresh insights to feed their creative expression.

All participants will receive Golden products for the workshop and a literature packet including hand painted color charts. Space is limited so register today! The workshop will be held at Hughes on Tenth but please register by through Kensington At Supply at 403 283 2288.

Sunday, March 18th, 2012 10:00 am – 4:00 pm Fee: \$135.00

"I hope with all my heart that there will be painting in heaven."

Jean-Baptiste Camille Corot (1796-1875)
his dying words

Perspective – Level II**Facilitator: Margaret Holland**

Join Margaret for more in-depth work with linear perspective. This workshop is devoted to helping students achieve a greater understanding of perspective through lecture, demonstration and perspective exercises showing how to establish the scale and relationship of objects at different positions in space.

Prerequisite: Perspective I

Saturday, March 31, 2012 1 – 4 PM Fee: \$57.75 (incl gst) Max 11 students

Photography for Artists

Instructors Annette Wichmann and John Warga will present this one day workshop full of information and inspiration to educate and inspire the novice to advanced photographer.

Saturday, March 24, 2011 10 – 4 PM Fee: \$157.00 (incl gst) Max 20 students

Sampler Classes**Oil Sampler Class****Instructor: Kathy Aldous-Schleindl**

Do you want to try oil paint without having to buy the supplies? Then this sampler class is for you! We provide the materials and your instructor will lead you through a project. You get a chance to sample the medium and go home with a finished piece of art. All you bring is your enthusiasm and a desire to learn!

Saturday, March 3, 2012 1 – 4 PM Fee: \$57.75 (incl gst) Max 11 students

NEW: We are pleased to announce that Andrea Slack will be joining our lineup of instructors and will offer "**Art for Kids**"; fine art classes for home school kids. These 12 week sessions offer small class sizes and they are student-paced. Parents have two days and times to choose from as classes will be offered Tuesdays and Wednesdays. For the younger students class time is 10 AM – 12 noon for ages 6 - 9 years. Afternoon class for ages 10 – 14 will be offered from 1:30 to 3:30 PM.

Tuesday classes commence Tuesday, March 6 and run to May 30, 2012 (12 weeks)
Wednesday classes begin Wednesday, March 7 and run to May 31, 2012 (12 weeks)
Art supplies sold separately. Supply kits will be available at time of registration.
Welcome Andrea!

For more information or to register please call 403 457 1423.

