

#### Volunteer Positions Available!

#### **1st VP of Programs**

Most of 2024-2025 programs have been outlined, but we need a leader.

#### **Board Chair Openings**

Some have a low time commitment, others are for special projects that come up from time to time.

> Contact Nancy Buford njbuford@ttlv.net

### Nevada Watercolor Society Newsletter May 2024

Next Meeting: Saturday, May 11, 2024 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Spanish Oaks Clubhouse, 2201 W Sahara, 89102 Potluck – bring your favorite dishes!

#### **Artist Spotlight: Wendy**

Creating art with an iPad (special Apple pencils are needed for each iPad model/year – please check to see which Apple pencil version you'll need to use this method). If you don't have an iPad, maybe this will spur your interest in a new area of creativity!

#### **Critique Tables**

Bring a painting for critique by an award-winning NVWS member. There will be a handout for how jurors evaluate paintings for awards.

Important member votes for the 2024-2025 year: Slate of Officers Budget Revised Bylaws



### **President's Message**

Spanish Oaks featured NVWS on the cover of its newsletter! They want to learn more about us, so we are planning a party at our September meeting, an exhibiting our paintings. This will be a totally different and fantastic meeting on September 14, 2024 at 1:00 pm.

The theme for the Summer Challenge is *Out of the Blue*. Let your imagination fly! We will vote on the winners at the September meeting.

We are planning to have a monthly painting group over the summer months. Date and place to be announced!

I am hosting a party for the new officers and board members at my house on May 18, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. Thanks to all who volunteered to serve, and we hope more of you will volunteer.

Thanks to all members for their support. Please invite your family and friends to our meetings.

Sharon Menary, President

#### Register Now at <u>www.nevadawatercolorsociety.org</u>!

#### Free drawing class for current members with Carl Purcell on May 16 from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**NOTE from Carl:** I am going to treat this workshop as a drawing for painters workshop. The first part will be in seeing shapes and how to assess them correctly, and the second part will be about doing drawings with paintings in mind – planning the arrangement of shapes in a painting format.

www.carlpurcellart.com

#### **Spring Show**

Pick up will be Monday, May 6, 2024 from 12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.

> Charleston Arts Center 800 Brush St. Las Vegas, 89107

#### Slate of Officers 2024-2025

| President              |
|------------------------|
| 1st VP, Programs       |
| 2nd VP, Membership     |
| 3rd VP, Shows/Exhibits |
| Treasurer              |
| Secretary              |

Sharon Menary OPEN Barbara Stanton Vina Curtis Jessica Day Ruth Marlaire

Note: Board of Directors is comprised of Officers and Committee Chairs

#### **NVWS Website**

#### www.nevadawatercolorsociety.org

Our website is your resource for member contacts, painting galleries, details on upcoming events, and all things watercolor!

#### **Signature Show**

Drop off Saturday, June 1, 2024 from 12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.

Reception will be Sunday, June 16, 2024 from 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Awards at 2:00 pm

Pick up will be Sunday, July 28, 2024 from 12:00 noon – 1:30 p.m.

Clark County Wetlands Park 7050 Wetlands Lane, Las Vegas, NV 89122

#### Committee Chairs 2024-2025

| Workshops                       | Linda Smith        |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Website Manager                 | Lin Pacific        |
| Social Media/Publicity          | Karla Shoup        |
| Publications                    | Nancy Buford and   |
|                                 | Debbie Tomme       |
| Hospitality                     | Laura Cyr          |
|                                 | Jeff Varadi        |
|                                 | Rita Maroun        |
| Photographer                    | Kathleen Mullinnix |
| Paint Outs                      | Pam Lopez          |
| Parliamentarian                 | Myra Oberman       |
| <mark>Equipment Manage</mark> r | Hyrum Huskey, Jr.  |
| Scholarships                    | Salley Sawyer      |
| Community Support               | Barbara Konrad     |
| At-Large                        | Sharon Menary      |
|                                 |                    |



# Henderson Bird Viewing Preserve

350 E Galleria Dr., Henderson NV 89011

## May 25, 2024 - 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

(If you are a keen bird watcher or want to see more birds, you might want to head out earlier)



New Signature Members Announced at April Meeting– pictures thanks to Kathleen Mullinnix, Photographer



Karen Vogel



Paulette Baker

## Artist Spotlight – new member Ben Ortiz





