

**New Braunfels Art League and
Gallery**

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Above the caldera, Santorini, Greece

Demonstration at March Meeting
Exploring the Nature of the Photograph



Darryl Patrick

The illustrated talk will focus on questions every art photographer must ask. Beginning with such ideas as taking or making a photograph, what the photograph means and the structure of the photograph. We will not overlook the role of the viewer in the creative process.

With a background in farming it was logical that Darryl Patrick should be attracted to the landscape. In the Fifty’s it was possible for many farm families to send their children to college, a route that he found provided vistas only dreamt of. Now a vast field of images and ideas became accessible. Teaching would replace the plow and travel take the place of daily livestock chores until retirement allowed a time for a deeper exploration of hobbies, one of which was photography.



Along the covered sidewalk
in Almagi, Italy



Bridge over Rio della Frascada,
Venice

Meetings: Third Tuesday of each month (no December meeting)

Next meeting: Tuesday, March 15

Executive Board 10:00 am (new time)

Team Board 12:30 pm

General meeting and Demo 2:00 pm

Treasurer's Report

January 2016

Top ten sellers are: Barbara Blaschke, Jean Crow, Mary Riddle, Karen Cruce, Cindy Capitani, Tilo Schmidt, Karen Scherrer, Susan Raine, Robert Anshutz and Kathy Rigdon.

Artist sales January 2016 \$3,659

January 2015 \$3,233

26 artists had sales of 46 items in January, 2016.

The average price for an item sold was \$59. Highest priced item was \$430.

The credit card machine is up and running. It will prompt you when a card needs to be put in the chip slot at the bottom front of the machine. Leave it in the machine until it says OK to remove. And be sure to give the card back to the customer. A detailed financial report of the Art League balances is furnished to the board each month and is available to anyone upon request.

Upcoming Events

March

March 11-14 Carol Nelson workshop

March 15 NBAL meetings and demo

March 19 Mary K Hammond workshop

March 24 NBAL Sidewalk Sale

March 31 Canyon Lake Art Guild pickup for unsold work

April

April 2 Texas Watercolor Society Show opens

April 9 Texas Watercolor Society meeting, reception, & awards 5:30-7 pm

April 12 Chamber Mixer and 2nd Floor Show

April 15-17 Kim Roberti workshop

April 19 NBAL meetings

April 24 Leila Reynolds workshop

April 29 Artwalk Weekend and 2nd Floor Show

May

May 1 Artwalk Weekend and 2nd Floor Show

May 6-8 Kay Smith workshop

May 17 NBAL meetings

May 30 Texas Watercolor Society pick up unsold art

May 31 "Art in the Hills," juried show submission 9 am – 1 pm

Workshops at NBAL

(All workshops are listed on the NBAL website: www.newbraunfelsartleague.org)

Carol Nelson, "Experimental Acrylics and Mixed Media" March 11-14, 2016 NBAL Members: \$440 Non-Members: \$470 \$100 Deposit 9:30 - 4:30 All skill levels welcome

Mary K. Hammond, "The Language of Art" Saturday, March 19 NBAL Members \$60 Non-Members \$90 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Kim Roberti, "Figure Painting Simple and Fast, an Intuitive Approach" April 15-17, 2016 NBAL Members; \$300 Non-Members \$330 \$100 deposit

Leila Reynolds, "Playing With Textures in Art" April 24, 2016 Min: 5 Max: 14 NBAL Members: \$125 Non-Members: \$155 Hours: 10 am - 4:30 pm All skill levels welcome

Kay Smith, "Ways with Watercolor" May 6-8, 2016 NBAL Members \$405 Non-Members \$435 \$100 Deposit

Nancy Medina, "Painting Brilliant Florals" Oils or Acrylics June 10-12, 2016 \$425, \$200 Deposit

For registration, contact Nancy Medina at nancy@nancymedina.com or check out her workshop page at: <http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ebvboljd5cafd788&llr=lmrhfmcab>

Elizabeth St. Hilaire, "Painted Papers Collage" August 5-7, 2016 NBAL Members \$395 Non-Members \$425 \$100 Deposit

Joan Fullerton, "Contemporary Approaches for Self Expression" October 14-17, 2016 NBAL Members: \$440 Non-Members: \$470 \$100 Deposit

Workshop Contact for Deposits and Registration:

Sandy Oberg, 1400 Greystone Dr., New Braunfels, TX

78132, 210-861-0751, email: oberglabs@aol.com

Make checks payable to NBAL and be sure to indicate on the check which workshop you will be taking, along with a **phone number and email address**.

Leila Reynold's workshop

Leila Reynolds is offering a one-day workshop at the New Braunfels Art League on Sunday, April 24. Leila will introduce you to unique techniques to add texture to your art. She will demonstrate how to use materials such as Tyvek, Lutradur, adhesive webbing and screen printing using Thermofax screens. The workshop fee includes all supplies. There is a limit of 14 participants. Information about registration, cost, deposit, etc. is on the New Braunfels Art League website, www.newbraunfelsartleague.org.

Mary K Hammond's workshop

Mary K. Hammond will present, *The Language of Art*, as a one day seminar for all artists on March 19 at NBAL. Mary will explain why the art elements and principle are the basic building blocks of the fine arts and therefor the most important tools that an artist has. Learn how to use them to plan, organize and make decisions while creating your art and then how to use them to write, talk and critique completed artwork. Mary guarantees it will improve both your technical and critiquing skills. Notebook and a critiquing sheet included. Cost \$60

Central Texas Watercolor Society workshop

The Central Texas Watercolor Society is offering a multi-day workshop featuring Soon Warren in Waco. On March 15, we are opening enrollment to non-members who would like to join us. Currently, we do have several spots open and information with contact person, fees and supply list can be found on our website:

<http://centraltexaswatercolor.com/>

We welcome anyone who has an interest in watercolor and would like to study with us. This is a very limited and close study program with lots of fun people and good information.

Thank you,
Carol Carter
Publicity

Classes at NBAL

Angie Banta Brown, Watercolor, Wednesdays from 9:00am to 12:00pm. **Oil Painting**, Thursdays, from 9:00 am -1:00 pm.
Call 830-609-2581.

Linda C. Jacobson, Children's Art Classes (ages 5 -13), in painting, drawing and other mediums, Call 830-624-5302 or visit online at www.casadelinda.com for a complete schedule.

Anne McCoy, Watercolor, Mondays from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm Call 830-629-6836.

Julie McCollum, Experimental Painting, 4th Tuesday of each month from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Call 830-223-5018.

Gaye Sekula, Oil Painting Classes Cost: Six week class is \$153 plus studio fee

Monday, 9 am-12 noon; Monday, 1pm-4 pm

All classes are limited to 10 students Call [210-259-3233](tel:210-259-3233), or e-mail sekulastudio@gmail.com.

Vie Dunn-Harr, Painting and Problem Solving, in medium of choice, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month from 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm and 6-9:30 pm. \$70 plus \$6 in studio fees per month for either afternoon or evening session. Call 210-532-8036, or e-mail vie@dunn-harrstudios.com.

Trace Guthrie, Clay Sculpture, weekly sessions on Thursdays for 4 session commitment. Cost: \$80 + \$12 NBAL studio fee for 4 consecutive sessions. Next set of sessions drops to \$70/ 4. Time:2:00 - 5:00 - Back room studio, 830-609-6196 tguthrie7@gmail.com

Gaye Sekula, Facilitator, Portrait Group, 2nd Tuesday of each month, 1-4 pm, 210-259-3233

Teri Dauk, Open painting Group, 1st Tuesday of each month, 10 am-3pm, tdauk@satx.rr.com 830-515-0330,

See www.newbraunfelsartleague.org for more information on workshops or classes.

Check out what students in China have to do to get into art school!

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/peoplesdaily/article-3451270/Painting-future-7-000-students-sit-fierce-exam-place-Chinese-art-schools-30-candidates-make-cut.html>

What if U.S. students had to do this?

Yearbooks are ready for pickup in the back room!!!!

Want to Send Your Art into Space? See this!

<http://glasstire.com/2016/02/22/boldly-send-art-where-no-man-has-gone-before/>

Various Texas Spring Art Shows

APRIL

April 1-3

Houston, Texas

Bayou City Art Festival
Memorial Park
1001 E Memorial Loop
10 am to 6 pm
450 Exhibitors

For more info: www.bayoucityartfestival.com

April 1-3

Dallas, Texas

Deep Ellum Arts Festival
Deep Ellum Entertainment District
Friday, 5 pm to 10 pm
Saturday, 11 am to 10 pm
Sunday, 11 am to 7 pm
100 Exhibitors

April 8-10

The Woodlands, Texas

The Woodlands Waterway Arts Festival
Woodlands Waterway Town Center
10 am to 6 pm
200 Exhibitors

For more info: www.woodlandsartsfestival.com

April 14-17

Fort Worth, Texas

Main Street Fort Worth Arts Festival
Main St. in downtown Fort Worth between
the historic Tarrant County Courthouse and
the Fort Worth Convention Center
Thursday, 10 am to 10 pm
Friday & Saturday, 10 am to 11 pm
Sunday, 10 am to 8 pm
235 Exhibitors

April 15-17

Lubbock, Texas

Lubbock Arts Festival
indoors at the Lubbock
Memorial Civic Center
presented by the
Lubbock Arts Alliance

Thursday, 6 pm-9 pm
(Premiere Night)

Friday & Saturday,
10 am to 7 pm

Sunday, Noon to 5 pm
110 Artists

Starting off with a Premiere night where you can meet artists from around the country and purchase original artwork without the crowds, the rest of the weekend also includes children's arts, stage performances and theatre. This a true *arts* festival celebrating both visual and performing arts.

For more info: www.lubbockartsfestival.com

April 16 & 17

San Antonio, Texas

Fiesta Arts Fair Southwest School of Art
300 August Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, 11 am to 5 pm 120 Exhibitors

April 22-24

Dallas, Texas

Artscape
Dallas Arboretum
8525 Garland Road
Friday, 5:30 pm to 8 pm
Saturday & Sunday, 9 am to 5 pm
100 Exhibitors

April 22-24

Southlake, Texas

Art in the Square
Southlake Town Square
Friday, 4 pm to 10:30 pm
Saturday, 10 am to 10:30 pm
Sunday, 11 am to 6 pm
140 Exhibitors

April 29 - May 1

Austin, Texas

Art City Austin
Austin's 2ND Street District
Cesar Chavez Street from Colorado Street
Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, 11 am to 6 pm
190 Exhibitors

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May 7 & 8

Richardson, Texas (Dallas)

Cottonwood Art Festival - *Spring*
Cottonwood Park on Belt Line Road, one block
east of Coit, west of I-75
Saturday, 10 am to 7 pm
Sunday, 10 am to 5 pm
250 Exhibitors

May 13 - 15

Clute, Texas

Texas Gulf Coast Art Festival
Center for the Arts & Sciences
400 College Blvd
Friday 5 pm
Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm
Sunday, 11 am to 4 pm
80 Artists
Friday night "Art Stroll" for patrons
Presented by The Center for the Arts & Sciences
at the front of Brazosport College
For more info: www.bcfas.org

May 14 & 15

Port Aransas, Texas

11th Annual ArtFest
sponsored by the Art Center for the Islands &
Port Aransas Chamber of Commerce
Robert's Point Park JC Barr Blvd.
Saturday, 10 am to 5 pm
Sunday, 10 am to 4 pm
60 Artists

May 10 & 11

Dallas, Texas

2nd Annual Paw Prints Art Fair at the Dallas Zoo
Dallas Zoo
650 South R.L. Thornton Freeway (I-35E)
9 am to 5 pm
100 Artists

For more info: www.dallaszoo.com/make-a-donation/galas-fundraising-events/paw-prints-art-fair

May 15 & 16

Longview, Texas

AlleyFest
Tyler Street in Downtown Longview
Longview Partnership Downtown Development
Friday, 6:30 pm to 11 pm
Saturday, 10 am to 12 midnight
Sunday, 11 am to 3 pm 100 Exhibitors