



## Of Special Interest

May Show Info

New members

March Program Artist



## From Our President. . .

Dear Creative Ones,

It's hard to believe that February is over! In spite of the erratic weather it has been wonderful for WTWS. How about that Splash of Red Show and Reception!! What a memorable night! Emily and her staff provided beautiful decorations, food and entertainment. Our members knocked themselves out with the finger foods and presentation. I heard lots of comments on how great the food was. Of course the star of the show was the beautiful red artwork. You members came through with one of the

best shows I've ever seen. Lots of Lubbock folk came out and even bought a few. I can't think of better way to start 2014. Pat yourselves on the back.

March brings even more opportunities for us. Ceta Canyon is coming up and always a good way to get away from everyday distractions and just paint with fun people. The Arts Festival is next month which gives us time to paint those small painting to sell at our booth. Crank out those matted 5x7 and 8x10 works of art and clear your

calendars so we can all take a shift working at our booth. I'll have a sign up sheet at our March meeting.

Stay inspired and eager to paint. The best thing about the WTWS to me is the willingness to share tips, techniques, and suggestions so that whatever level you may be in there is someone you can learn from or help. Thanks for the sharing of you knowledge and insight, Marsha Wilkes.

Keep creating,  
*Annalee*

## March 16<sup>th</sup> Program

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One of our newer members, Mr. Reg Narmour, will be the demonstrating artist for our upcoming March meeting.

He will be sharing with us his love of painting landscapes in watercolor.

Reg was one of the participants in our Fall Show last October at the 5th and J building on the LHUCA campus. He won two awards for his beautiful landscapes: 3rd Place and an Honorable Mention. While he paints predominantly realistic landscapes, he does break out of his comfort zone on occasion and try new directions. But the beauty of

the big vistas of the plains and the mountains continues to captivate him. Many times though he also paints from the mental images he has rather than from real locations.

Reg moved to Lubbock as a young boy in 1950. He ended up being attracted to architecture in college because of the art involved in project presentations more so than in building structures. He received a Bachelor of Architecture from Texas Tech in 1963. He says that architecture was a perfect fit for him because it allowed him to enjoy art and still

make a living. (His mother, Etoile Narmour, was a painter in Lubbock for many years and an early member of WTWS.)

After living and working in Seattle for 10 years and in Charlotte, NC for 40 years, Reg and his wife Pat retired and moved back to Lubbock last summer. I am excited that he has graciously agreed to do a demo for us and am really looking forward to our program, Sunday, March 16th at 2:30 at the Legacy. Please join me in welcoming Reg Narmour.

Beth Pennington  
Program Co-Chair



## Spring Show- May 2<sup>th</sup> – June 8<sup>th</sup>

Members,  
I hope you're already painting for our Spring Show which will take place at the Buddy Holly Center from May 2nd to June 8th. Find the **Spring Show Guidelines** on the website, [www.wtws.org](http://www.wtws.org), under **Exhibit Information...Art Show Criteria**. Jerry Yarnell will judge our show on May 8th. Because of the generous grant

received from Civic Lubbock, Inc. and the Lubbock City Council, we hope to have approximately \$1200 in awards for this show.

future "judged" shows, as long as they meet that particular show's criteria.

Kathryn Thomas

Thanks so much for your great participation in the RED show. Awards for this show will be presented at the March 16th meeting. And remember that the RED show pieces are not disqualified from

## Western Federation Update

Carol Peterson and Joyce Runyan will be heading to Phoenix at the end of April for the WFWS-39 delegate meetings. At these meetings our delegates, Carol and Joyce, will present a 30+ page document outlining our plans for the WFWS-40 show which will be in Lubbock sponsored by our own WTWS.

Some of our plans include the following –

- *WFWS-40 will run from April to July and feature 100 paintings*
- *The show will be in two main floor galleries at the Museum of Texas Tech University*
- *Linda Baker will judge the show and give a workshop in April 2015*
- *Delegate meetings (around 24 people from all over the Western US) will take place at the end of May 2015*

A committee of around 15 WTWS members have been busy making plans for the WFWS show here. All WTWS members are encouraged to help with the show and delegate meetings. We will need workers to drive delegates to various functions, hostesses at dinners, helpers to remove paintings from their frames and pack them to be returned to their societies, etc.

**Every member of WTWS will be invited to attend the delegate dinners and other functions. THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO MEET Watermedia artists from other parts of our country and see great watermedia paintings here in Lubbock. THIS IS A FUN AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR OUR CLUB!!**

**BE SURE TO PAINT...PAINT...PAINT FOR THE WFWS-40 SHOW!!**

## Ceta Canyon Painting Retreat

Hi everyone - there is still plenty of room for the Ceta Canyon Retreat.

We only have six confirmed going right now, with the possibility of four more. There is a 4-day minimum, of \$230. You can come and go as you like. If you can come for a couple of days and then have to go home and then come back, we can work with you.

For those of you that have already

paid your \$50 your balance of \$180 is due March 7th.

If you want to stay longer that would be great too; any additional monies would be collected at Ceta.

Please send monies to Dyan Newton, 1211 1st

Street, Abernathy, Texas 79311. If you have any questions, please call 806-470-3748.

If you want to know more about Ceta, check our website [www.wtws.org](http://www.wtws.org)

I will be sending a letter out in March to all participants with suggestions of to bring. TRY IT--YOU'LL LIKE IT!!!!!!!!!!!!

Dyan

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## Deep Creek Art Festival!

Deep Creek Art Festival is now accepting applications for the Spring 2014 festival, April 25-26, 2014 in Snyder, TX. Deadline for applications is March 31, 2014

The festival starts with a Patron's Preview, Friday, April 25, 5 pm to 6 pm, open to the public Friday from 6 pm to 9pm and Saturday, April 26, 10 am to 4 pm. The Festival will be held at The Coliseum located at 900 E. Coliseum Blvd., Snyder, TX. Free parking. Admission is \$5.00 each. The artists' works are available for purchase, as are food and beverages. There will be free artists' demos.

This is our first annual festival. The Deep Creek Art Festival is a juried festival. Jurors will select artists works in 14 categories: Painting, 2D Mixed Media, 3D Mixed Media, Clay, Digital, Drawings/Pastels, Fiber, Glass, Jewelry, Leather, Metalwork, Photography, Sculpture and Wood.

Nathalie Kelley



*"To catch the reader's attention, place an interesting sentence or quote from the story here."*



## Yarnell Workshop

Jerry Yarnell Acrylic (or Water Miscible Oils) Workshop  
May 9-10, 2014, Lubbock, TX

Tuition \$225, plus facility fee \$35

\* \$100 Deposit to hold spot due Feb 14

\* Full Payment by March 1 receives Early Bird Discount (\$15 off Facility Fee)

\* Full Payment due no later than March 15

(Jerry Yarnell Workshops generally run \$395 when facility is not provided by sponsor.)

Sponsored by Art League of West Texas Foundation

For more information: Jo Forbus 806-702-4574, or Kathryn Thomas 806-794-4655

# WTWS Officers

You can locate a “clickable” contact list of our officers and Board members online at [www.wtws.org](http://www.wtws.org)



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## New Members- Welcome!!!!

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## West Texas Art Guild Show

The West Texas Art Guild, Inc, is having its annual Regional Art Show on Saturday, March 15 at the Colorado City Civic Center (corner of 2nd and Oak). This show is open to anyone over 18 years of age and includes five categories; watercolor, oil/acrylic, dry media, photography, and 3-D (sculpture, jewelry, pottery, etc.) Ribbons and prize money will be given to 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and Hon. Mention in each category. Best of show and Judge's choice will also be awarded.

This is a one-day show and artists must enter their artworks between 8-10:00 a.m. on Saturday morning. The show will be judged and then opened to the public from 1-4:00 p.m., awards will be presented at 4:30 and then everyone takes their artwork home. Entry fees will be \$10.00 for members and \$15.00 for non-members for each entry.

Ken Rowland of Garden Dale will be giving a painting demonstration at the Thompson Room from 10-12:00 and anyone interested may attend.

He will be working in watercolor and is an excellent artist.

Railhead Days (arts and crafts show) will also be going on during this time.

For more information, call Carolyn Walker at 325-728-2184 or 325-242-0083.

## Memorial Policies and Information

The WTWS Board has approved adding honorary donations to our memorial donations. This will change the title of the office to: *Honorariums/Memorials Chairman*

The purpose of this change is to encourage members to not only give donations in memory of deceased members and loved ones, but to also give donations in honor of someone who is still living.

We want you to start thinking about how you could honor living and deceased loved ones and benefit WTWS as well. For instance, we already have a gift to honor LaWanda Murfee in the upcoming WFWS Show in 2015. It would be called the *LaWanda Murfee Award given by Friends and Family*. We also have money given for a *Lela Spencer Award given by the Thursday Painters* for the WTWS 2013 Fall Show.

Keep in mind that the minimum award for WFWS is \$100. The minimum award for WTWS is \$50. These amounts may be given individually or by a group.

We are encouraging awards at the present time because of the upcoming WFWS Show to be held in Lubbock in 2015. You may even donate an award in your own name, which would be called, for example, the *Jane Doe Award*. Or perhaps your spouse would like to donate an award in your name, for example, the *Jane Doe Award given by Bob Doe*.

Also, donations can be made to other causes in honor or in memory of someone, such as for scholarships or for the general WTWS fund.

Send all donations, whether in honor or in memory, to **Betty Blevins, Honorariums/Memorials Chairman, WTWS, 5715 78<sup>th</sup> Street, Lubbock, TX 79424.**

