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BAKERSFIELD, CA
93301

BAA Art Center Dates:

- Managers Meeting—
Tues., September 9, 11
am
- Board Meeting, Thurs,
September 11, 5 pm
- General Meeting, Septem-
ber 13 @ 10 am

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NEW MEMBERS

Gail Caffrey
Kevin Chidgey
Christine Blain
Megan McGuire
Michael Roussel
Aaron VanCleve
Adrian Velasquez

BAKERSFIELD ART ASSOCIATION

September 2025

SEPTEMBER FEATURED IVA'S WATERCOLOR CLASS

Iva Fendrick's students will be exhibiting their artwork at the Bakersfield Art Center for the month of September 2025. Join them for a reception on First Friday, September 5th from 6 to 8 p.m. The Art Center is located at 1607 19th St., Bakersfield

Iva says, "My watercolor/ink class started over 10 years ago when the Bakersfield Art Center was on Eye Street, around the corner. Some of my students have been with me for many years and others just months. Watching the student's talent progress over time is a joy. We are always learning new techniques and skills and having fun."

The following are the students' work and their expressions about the class.

"Hare" - watercolor Deborah Cooper

"Iva's class is always fun and educational. She demonstrates techniques and encourages everyone in a kind and helpful environment. It's a great place to grow your art and make friends."



"Bristling Canada Thistles" Debbie Salowski

"I enjoy my Wednesday Art class with Iva. She is always prepared to share her knowledge, ideas and laughter with our class. It's definitely a relaxing and fun time."



"Walk in the Park"

Gus Lomeli

"I love our watercolor class because it allows me to express myself other than words. I'm always looking forward to our next class"



"Provence Market"

Kay Hall. "We come for the painting...but stay for the friendships".



"Pumpkin Friends"

Pam Smith

"I love our class with so many great artists and of course our very talented teacher Iva.. I look forward to Wednesday mornings every week!!"



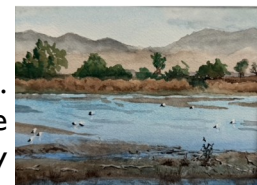
"Dreams of the Mediterranean", Mar- cia Ohlman. "Iva is a wonderful teacher and very knowledgeable."

The class has a wonderful camaraderie and it is fascinating to see how everyone progresses each week. Being creative each week has open something inside of me and giving me quiet joy."



"A Wet Year"

Jane Thornton.
"Painting is a challenge
for me. Iva makes it easy
and fun."



"The Junk"

Dan Champness



Chrissy Rogers is the featured artists at the Dagny's BAA Art Gallery, 1600 20th Street thru September. See page 3.

BAA PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello everyone. I hope you have all enjoyed your summer. The Smith family recently relocated to Solera near the Kern Canyon and are still in boxes, but we are here and that feels so good!

The First Friday reception on September 5th will feature the art of the students in Iva Fendrick's watercolor class. More information and images are on the 1st page. And Chrissy Rogers will exhibit for the month of September at Dagny's. Please join us.

The reception for Tom Wright was held on August 1st and was enjoyed by all. The turn-out was great and all enjoyed Tom's wonderful exhibit.

The next General Meeting will be September 13th at 10 a.m. with the program featuring David Gordon talking about his workshop (9/20) plus he will critique art that anyone is requesting help with.

The high school exhibition during the summer months July through September will continue to feature Summer School art students. See page 7 for more information. The High School Wall during the month of September is sponsored by the Guilarducci Family.

In order to continue what Julie Flemming created, I will be teaching the "All Media" class beginning Monday, October 6, noon to 3pm. Cost \$25. Mixed media class using oils, watercolors, or acrylics, for adults only, beginner through intermediate painters. Limited to 8 seats, so early registration is encouraged. Please contact Marilyn for availability at (661) 204-4014 or mjs3419@yahoo.com.

We're always looking for new artists to show their art in the Art Center. We are sadly saying goodbye to Danielle Grimes as an exhibitor but she will remain with us as a member & possible exhibitor at any of our Satellite locations. New artists exhibiting as of September 1st are Gail Caffrey, Kevin Chidgey & Michael Roussel. As a member, you are encouraged to get your art "juried" so that you can either show your art in the Art Center or at one of our Satellite Shows (page 6). Jim Bates is taking reservations for 2026 to be on the Featured Wall, email jab888s@gmail.com and is also looking for ideas for possible group shows. The sign-up sheet is at the front desk.

We also hope that you will be looking to volunteer for one of the committees supporting our organization. Check in the adjoining column for areas looking for your participation. We are looking for those of you are especially interested in Grants, Fundraising or Scholarships. Of special importance is someone to organize a couple Paint Nights in the next 6 months going forward.

Marilyn J. Smith, President, 2025-26

BAA MISSION STATEMENT

It is important for us to revisit the Objectives and Purposes for which the BAA was formed (the Mission Statement).

- To provide an opportunity for study and improvement in art technique;
- To encourage an interest in and an appreciation of art in the community;
- To provide opportunities for exhibition and for sales of member's work.
- To recognize the works of other artists; and
- To offer scholarships to the community for art education.

MEMBERSHIPS

ART LOVERS: Christine Blaine, Deborah Cooper, Lisa Faulkenberry, Kathy Hanna & Gary Howze

LIFE MEMBERS: Iva Cross Fendrick, Kathleen & Jim Faulkner, Kay Hall, Stella Mullins, Kathy Schilling, Pam and Bob Smith & Charlotte White

SUSTAINING MEMBERS: Iva Cross Fendrick, & Mimi Placencia

CONTACT INFORMATION

BAA ART CENTER

Bakersfield Art Association

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P.O. Box 386, 93302

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HOURS:

Wed.—Fri .10-5 pm, Saturday 10—4 pm,
Sunday 11-4 pm

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AC Scheduling: Stella Mullins, 477-6933

Art Supply Center: Jane Thornton, 331-5564

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Classes: Iva Fendrick, 872-2332

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Fundraising: TBD

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809-0496

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Master Calendar: Stella Mullins, 477-6933

Membership: Kay Hall, 324-0311

Newsletter: Stella Mullins, 477-6933

Office Manager/Supplies: Kay Hall, 324-0311

Plant Maintenance: Iva Fendrick, 303-5327

Plein Air: Charlotte White, 330-2676

Programs: Lisa Faulkenberry, 205-4732

Publicity: Mimi Placencia, 444-0186

Schedule Artist Critiques: Jim Bates, 805-6201

Scholarships: TBD

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Webmaster: Edwina Davis, 632-6517

Workshops: Bob Ross, 303-7894 & Micki Schulz, 330-3002

DAGNY'S FEATURED ARTIST: CHRISSY ROGERS

Chrissy Rogers is the featured artist at Dagney's Coffee Shop for the month of September 2025. Chrissy will be on hand on first Friday, September 5th for those who want to meet the artist.

Local artist, Chrissy Rogers was first introduced to horses as a child, and she expressed her interest through drawing.

She now paints them in acrylic or oil on canvas, capturing their spirit through expression, gesture, and color.

Recently her piece "The Third Braid" was awarded second place in the fifth district as part of the "Best of Kern" That work will be included in this show.



"The third braid"



"In Flight"



"All Casual"



"Sorrels"



"Superstar"



"Brass in Pocket"

"Fancy Work"



SHARE YOUR CREATIVE SPARK!



Hello BAA friends! What inspires you? Would you love to see more workshops, art demos, paint parties or something else?



Have a class you'd like to teach, a skill to share, or a fresh idea for something new? Maybe you know someone who could lead a unique activity?

Whether you want to jump in, help behind the scenes, or simply share your creative dream, I'd love to hear from you.



This Month's Spotlight. September 13 — After our General Meeting at 10 am, David Gordon will speak about his upcoming workshop.

Bonus: Bring your paintings for a professional critique from David!

September 20 — One-day workshop: explore values, temperature, and add drama and interest to your landscape paintings, led by David Gordon.



Lisa Faulkenberry
VP, BAA (661) 205-4732



ADS IN BAA NEWSLETTER

Here is your chance to support the BAA. Buy an ad in this newsletter @ \$10 each issue, the size is shown below.. Contact Stella at either 477-6933 or simullins41@gmail.com



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 2250 R Street code 0122

ART CLASSES FOR TEENS & ADULTS

PLEASE REGISTER FOR CLASSES WITH THE INSTRUCTORS

MONDAYS:

(Starting in October) Monday 12:00 - 3:00 pm All Media Painting with Marilyn Smith. Cost: \$25. Mixed media class using oils, acrylics, or watercolor paints. Open to Adults only, beginning to intermediate painters. Limit of 8 seats, so early registration is encouraged. Please check availability by calling Marilyn (661) 204-4014 or mjs3419@yahoo.com.

Monday, Portraits and Figure Drawing, with Charlotte White. 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. The model will be clothed. Artists skilled in portraits or figure drawing may just sketch the model and not be involved in the instruction. Artists will provide their own materials. Cost: \$20.00 (for 2 hour class). For registration and additional information contact Charlotte White at (661) 330-2676 or charlottewhiteartist@icloud.com.

TUESDAYS:

Tuesday, 1-3pm. Meditative Pattern Drawing through Zentangle ® Art with Terry Hall. Learn to unwind and calm a busy mind. Get in a state of mindfulness through simple repetitive steps using a few basic strokes. Cost is \$25. **Pre-registration REQUIRED for these classes.** For more information contact Terry, 661-343-5303 or email tangledterry@gmail.com.

Tuesday, Casey Dee Hibbard, 4:30-6:30 pm. ART 2 HEAL - Taking the connection of creativity to another level by using art as a tool for self-expression & self-exploration. Miss Casey will facilitate the creative process while participants are in charge of their own exploration, whether it is through abstract art, sculpture, or journaling. Emotional healing through art & creative expression for those living in pain, grief, fear, or stress. Or simply participate in art to heal because it is relaxing and fun. All ages are welcome to participate every Tuesday from @ THE ART CENTER 1607 19th Street. \$40 per class (includes supplies but some projects may require the artist to purchase extra supplies) . Please text or call Miss Casey to reserve a spot, 661-301-2195

WEDNESDAYS:

Wednesday 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. WATERCOLOR "Fun With Watercolor & Ink" with Iva Fendrick

Cost: \$25. Find your creative side and learn fun ways for combining pen & ink with watercolor. Please call if you are planning to attend! For more information or to register, contact Iva at (661)872-2332 or (661)303-5327.

Wednesday 2:30-3:30 p.m., 4-5 p.m., 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. All Media art classes with Wendy Johnson. All ages. Materials included. Registration required. Text or call 541-543-4869 or email art.with.heart@gmail.com.

THURSDAYS, 4:30-6:30 pm. Miss Casey Dee Hibbard's Art Class. Explore painting, sculpture, collage and/or drawing while experimenting w/ different techniques & materials. Enjoy the different art styles & mediums in a supportive environment. Projects are developed in order for students to express themselves through their work and vary from session to session. All ages are welcome to participate every Thursday @ THE ART CENTER 1607 19th Street. \$40 per class. **Supplies included.** Please text or call Miss Casey to reserve a spot. 661-301-2195

OPEN STUDIO

Cost is \$5 per member, \$10 per non-members (payable to the BAA). Open Studio is available during regular business hours. Instruction is not provided & individuals must bring their own supplies. Please call ahead to confirm and check space availability (661) 869-9320.

ART CLASSES FOR CHILDREN

TUESDAYS:

4:30-6:30 pm. ART 2 HEAL - Taking the connection of creativity to another level by using art as a tool for self-expression & self-exploration. Miss Casey will facilitate the creative process while participants are in charge of their own exploration, whether it is through abstract art, sculpture, or journaling. Emotional healing through art & creative expression for those living in pain, grief, fear, or stress. Or simply participate in art to heal because it is relaxing and fun. All ages are welcome to participate every Tuesday from @ THE ART CENTER 1607 19th Street. \$40 per class (includes supplies but some projects may require the artist to purchase extra supplies). Please text or call Miss Casey to reserve a spot, 661-301-2195.

WEDNESDAYS; 2:30-3:30 p.m., 4-5 p.m., 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. All Media art classes with Wendy Johnson will resume September 3rd. All ages. Materials included. Registration required. Text or call 541-543-4869 or email art.with.heart@gmail.com.

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FRIDAYS: 11:00 am 12:00 pm ART CLASSES

Painting with R. Bob Ross. Acrylics, watercolor and drawing. Cost: \$15 per class (CASH only). Students should bring their own supplies and/or any current work in progress from home.

For more information please contact Robert (Bob) Ross at rossart@gmail.com or text att (661) 303-7894.

LABOUR DAY



SATELLITE ART SHOWS IN BUSINESS - GUIDELINES

For all BAA members to have a chance to exhibit, wait one year before exhibiting at the same location a 2nd time. Also, only exhibit in one location each month. All juried BAA members may participate in BAA Satellite Art Shows. All artwork submitted must be original with the artist; and, free reference photos are acceptable.

Put title of the painting/photograph, medium, copyright date/date painted, artist's name, address & phone number on the back of each painting/photograph. 16"x20" is the recommended size, but 11"x14" is ok. Some locations may take larger pieces. D-rings only. All work must have wire for hanging. Please tape wire & use transparent shipping tape. Wires must hang 2 inches from top of frame when painting/photograph is hung.

Price tags for Satellite Art Shows available in the Art Center office, the third drawer of the file cabinet. Use black pen when writing on labels. Labels will be taped on the bottom right corner or frame w/ transparent shipping tape. 30% or 40% commission depending on location purchases are made, the artist must turn in the total price, plus the tax, to the Treasurer.

PLEIN AIR TREKKERS

The Plein Air Trekkers meet every Thursday at the Kern County Museum on North Chester at 9:00 a.m. Park in the front parking lot and enter the front gate. Pay regular fee or membership.

The Trekkers will be meeting on other days and at various locations. Call Charlotte White at 330-2676 for the details.

Plein Air is a French term for sketching/painting outside on location. These activities are part of the Bakersfield Art Association. Plein air artists, not members of the association, are welcome to participate. Artists are responsible for their own art supplies, transportation, motel reservations and meals.

SECOND SATURDAY FREE CLASS

Wendy Johnson will be hosting a free Second Saturday class on September 13th from 1 to 3 p.m. at the BAA Art Center at 1607 19th Street, Bakersfield.

Come explore creating a "suncatcher". We'll guide you step-by-step as you create your own suncatcher.

Drop in anytime between 1-3 PM. All materials provided. *Free and open to all ages!*

Contact Wendy at 541-543-4869 for more information.



IVA FENDRICK

Presents for sale:

Original art, prints, cards, and her coloring book, "A Cats Life". Also available is Randy Fendrick's book, "The Other

Music of Bakersfield". Check gallery days and gallery hours. Iva's phone 661 303-5427

Casey Dee Hibbard, Chairperson

If you are going to hang your display at a location, you need to call the artist currently exhibiting their art & agree when it is best for you to arrive.

Guild House, 1905 19h Street, **Marilyn Smith**
will exhibit September thru December. If you want
to exhibit, sign up in the notebook. Charlotte

Tina Marie's Restaurant, 1534 19th Street. Open 6 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. **Marsha Black** will exhibit July thru September. **Lisa Faulkenberry** will exhibit October thru December. To exhibit sign up in notebook. **Charlotte White**, Coordinator, 330-2676. (Com: 30%, 30% to BAA, T.M. donating their 15%)

If no one volunteers, then there is a possibility that we will no longer be exhibiting art at these locations.



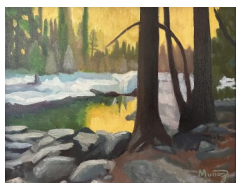
AGUSTIN MUNOZ, NEW EXHIBITOR AT THE ART CENTER & SATELLITES

Agustin Munoz is currently showing at several Satellite locations (AltOne Federal Credit Union in September, Covenant Coffee Shop in September, and Chamber of Commerce in October).

Rooted in Bakersfield's vibrant creative community, Agustin brings a lifetime of artistic dedication to every piece he creates.

His journey began in 1980 at California State University, Los Angeles, and was shaped further at Los Angeles Trade-Technical College, where he studied under master billboard artist Mario Rueda of Foster and Kleiser. Through Rueda's mentorship, Agustin embraced the discipline and technique of the old masters, a foundation that continues to influence his work today.

Specializing in still lifes and portraiture, he works in oil, watercolor, pastel, and charcoal, blending classical methods with personal expression.



SUMMER HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ART EXHIBITION

Join us in celebrating the creativity, talent, and vision of young artists at the **Summer High School Student Art Exhibition** held at the BAA Art Center held over from through September! This vibrant showcase features exceptional artwork created by students from the **Kern High School District Summer School** programs, held at various high schools across the district.



The exhibition includes standout pieces from **Ceramics, Graphic Arts, and Beginning Art** classes, each one thoughtfully crafted under the guidance of the district's dedicated and passionate art educators. This diverse collection highlights a wide range of artistic styles and expressions, offering a unique glimpse into the perspectives of our emerging artists.

Don't miss this inspiring show that honors the creative spirit of our youth and the powerful role art plays in education and community life.



Lisa Mayo (Art Teacher/HHS VAPA Department Chair)
**Academic Decathlon Advisor/
Art Club Advisor/Newspaper Advisor
Highland High School**

lisa_mayo@kernhigh.org

BAA SOCIAL MEDIA

Lisa Faulkenberry (BAA Social Media Manager) encourages Facebook & Instagram users to follow the BAA pages & engage with posted content by liking, commenting, and sharing. The goal is to enhance the BAA's online engagement, thereby increasing visibility and driving potential customers to the gallery.

If you currently display artwork at the BAA Art Center & would like your work showcased on social media, please text pictures of your artwork currently displayed to Lisa at (661) 205-4732 or call for any questions or needed help.

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GIVING CATEGORIES: PEARL - \$500, SILVER—\$1000, GOLD—\$2500, EMERALD—\$5000,
RUBY—\$10,000, DIAMOND—\$20,000

*There are many benefits of becoming a Bakersfield Art Association member! Members get discounts on art supplies, discounts on workshops, and the full use of a very extensive art library.

BAKERSFIELD ART ASSOCIATION

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

NEW ____ RENEWAL ____ RETURNING ____

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Membership is from July 1 through June 30
Dues will be prorated. If you join in:

July-Sept: \$45/\$40

Oct-Dec: \$34/\$30

Jan-Mar: \$22/\$20

April-June: \$11/\$10

Name _____ Date _____

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*****check space that applies:**

___\$45 Individual ___\$40 Seniors (62 plus) ___\$30 Student (age under 25 full time) ___\$55 Family (same household) ___\$10 Youth (10-15)

___\$100 Art Lover - Recognition in the BAA Newsletter. ___\$200 Art Patron - Recognition in BAA Newsletter and in AC

___\$300 Art Champion - Recognition in the BAA Newsletter, in the Art Center and 10% off one piece of art in the AC

All membership dues are donations and tax deductible

*** We are looking for someone like you to join our family of artists. The BAA needs volunteers and you could be a valuable part of our organization and help us contribute to our community for another 80 years. See page 2 for committees.***