

## 2018-2019 LAG Meeting Dates & Programs

Held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. of the month at 7:00 pm (unless indicated with \*) at Homer Township Public Library

September 19, 2018-PLEIN AIR LANDSCAPES

**Tom Henrichsen** will talk about the use of a secondary limited palette when painting outdoors. When indoors, he uses a full palette and bases his watercolor and oil paintings on his plein air watercolor sketches. His website is <http://tomhenrichsen.com>

October 17, 2018-WOODBLOCK RELIEF PRINTMAKING

**Ben Calvert** will demonstrate woodblock relief printmaking and will go over techniques used while carving on a wood block. He will also cover registration in multiple color works.

His website is [www.benjamincalvert.com](http://www.benjamincalvert.com)

November 14, 2018\* (2nd Wednesday)-GRID PORTRAITS

**Samantha DeCarlo** will show us how she does her popular portraits using a grid with creativity. She will discuss grout, gels, modeling gel, found objects and tissue paper among other media. Including creating art, she also is an art instructor, a muralist, a graphic designer and illustrator.

Her website is [www.samanthadecarlo.com](http://www.samanthadecarlo.com)

December TBD, 2018-Holiday Party-We celebrate the season and each other at a holiday party that takes place at a TO BE determined location and date.

January 16, 2019-ANNUAL SHOW AND TELL-LAG Members and Guests show & discuss each's own artwork.

February 13, 2019\* (2nd Wednesday)-CARICATURES

**Dan Laib** got his start as an artist drawing Sesame Street characters with his crayons at the age of five years old. He will demonstrate how he does his caricature portraits. He will give a short review of facial proportions and talk about where he gets his inspiration and how he exaggerates facial features.

His website is [www.danlaib.com](http://www.danlaib.com)

March 20, 2019-PAPER FILAGREE QUILLING

**Betty Burian Kirk** will do an interactive program on Quilling which is an art form that involves the use of narrow strips of paper that are coiled, shaped, and glued together to create decorative designs and images. Participants may purchase a kit for \$3 which includes a tool to make a card with a snowflake design, strips and envelope. Her website is [www.bbkirk.com](http://www.bbkirk.com)

April 17, 2019-DISCOVER WATERCOLOR-BOLD, LOOSE AND FUN

**Dan Danielson's** will demonstrate his watercolor techniques. Currently, Dan teaches at the DuPage Art League and other regional groups. He is a member of the DuPage Art League and the Illinois Watercolor Society.

His website is [www.dandanielson.com](http://www.dandanielson.com)

May 15, 2019-PHOTO-LIGHT TECHNIQUES AND DIGITAL EDITING

**Mike Bessler's** program will be an introduction to what is available from the online ADOBE® photograph editing programs. This includes ADOBE® Lightroom on laptop and mobile phone demonstrating basic uses, cataloguing, editing, and free vs. paid features. He also will touch on basic editing in ADOBE® Photoshop. His website is <http://www.besphoto.com/>



Lemont  
Artists  
Guild

Building Appreciation for the Arts

## 2018-2019 INFORMATION AND MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Visit us on the web!  
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Alliance of Fine Art  
[www.allianceoffineart.org](http://www.allianceoffineart.org)

**WELCOME TO  
THE LEMONT ARTISTS GUILD!!!**

The Lemont Artists Guild, established in 1992, is the gathering point for many local artists and friends of the arts. The Lemont Artists Guild welcomes adults and young adults with various levels of ability and interests in art. The Guild's purpose is to create a supportive environment to nurture creativity and individuality in the arts. The Guild brings people together to share ideas, spark creativity, and encourage interest in all forms of creative art, as well as to stimulate understanding and appreciation of art in the community. In 2007 we received Tax Exempt 501(c)(3) Status from the Federal Government.

**BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP**

Members are invited to attend our monthly membership and board meetings (see programs for the year on reverse), teach/present programs/seminars/classes, suggest speakers and programs of general interest, receive our monthly newsletter and yearly membership directory, and are welcome to participate on our various committees.

**MISSION STATEMENT**

*Our mission is to enhance life in Lemont and surrounding communities by providing fine art, education, instruction, programming, and appreciation through a supportive environment that nurtures creativity and individuality.*

**PLEASE JOIN US**

ARTISTS, ART EDUCATORS, ART ENTHUSIASTS, AND VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

**LAG MEMBER SHOWS**

**TBA**

**BEST OF THE BEST SHOW**

**Alliance of Fine Art**  
**www.allianceoffineart.org**  
Annual Juried Exhibit of Award Winning Members from regional art guilds held annually, (yearly date TBD, qualified winners are announced at monthly meetings)

**BACK OF THE HALL**

Ongoing: Members bring a piece of their artwork to our meetings, members vote on their favorite piece. The top three winners are announced in our monthly newsletter.

**MEETING PLACE**  
**2018-2019**  
**Lemont Artists Guild**  
**MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS**  
Held the 3rd Wednesday of each month  
(unless otherwise noted)  
**September thru May**  
7:00 to 9:00 pm  
held at the  
**Homer Township Public Library**  
14320 W. 151st St., Homer Glen, IL 60491  
(Program Times & Dates are Listed on Reverse)

**Yes! I would like to join  
the Lemont Artists Guild!**

*I have enclosed the appropriate dues,  
please start my subscription to the monthly  
newsletter right away!*

- \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Senior Citizen \$20
  - Student \$20
  - Individual \$25
  - Family (same address) \$30
  - Corporate \$50 (business)
  - Lifetime \$200 (individual)
  - Friend of the Arts \$500
- (Note: No prorated fees)

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please circle preferred method(s) in which you would like to be contacted)

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Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Medium: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer Interest? Yes/No/Maybe (circle)

Please make **check payable to:**

**LEMONT ARTISTS GUILD**

Cut this section and mail to our Treasurer:  
Lemont Artists Guild-c/o Jim McGloin  
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