

PRESS RELEASE - For Immediate Release Lakeshore Association of Artists Fall Exhibition - Art by the Lake Saturday and Sunday, September 10-11, 2022, from 10am – 5pm.

After three years the much-anticipated 66<sup>th</sup> Fall Exhibition of the Lakeshore Association of Artists (LAA) returns, rain or shine on Saturday September 10 and Sunday September 11 at Stewart Hall in Pointe-Claire.

Over 40 professional artists will be taking part, displaying their beautiful art throughout the grounds of the historic Stewart Hall, indoors if the weather is stormy, and online from September 10<sup>th</sup> to September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022 (<a href="https://www.artlakeshore.com">www.artlakeshore.com</a>).

There will be framed and unframed art in a variety of mediums such as oil, pastel, acrylic, drawings sculptures and textile creations. Admission is free.

The Lakeshore Association of Artists (LAA) will once again be partnering with On Rock Community Services and Food Bank for this show; donating 1/3 of sales of the artwork as well as the proceeds of raffle tickets to this popular and essential community-based charity.

## About the donated artwork MILKSHAKE from artist Carole Lessard:

Carole paint cows to capture their quirks and personality traits that you might not otherwise notice. For her, bringing a painting to life requires a deep sense of mental connection with the subject as well as careful observation.

Being passionate about these animals and overwhelmed by their size and grace, she often spends days with them on neighboring farms trying to capture their essence. She begins with photographs and sketches taken at the scene, then edits



them to make a stronger composition. She focuses mainly on their heads, big eyes, and facial expressions rather than take a traditional view. Who can resist their shy curiosity, docile gazes, and awkward elegance! There is something peaceful and magical about them that simply makes everyone smile.

## **About OnRock**

On Rock Community Services is a community organization committed to making a difference in the West Island and Montreal. On Rock offers a Food Bank, a School Lunch Program, and a Community Diner.

## **About the Lakeshore Association of Artists**

Founded in 1956, LAA has over 50 professional artist members who live in the West Island of Montreal reaching as far as Hudson and les Cèdres. LAA members have earned a prestigious reputation both collectively and individually. An international flavor enriches the group and a diversity of styles flourishes. Over the years, the LAA has raised over \$1,100,000 in donations for West Island charities through sales at their exhibitions. www.artlakeshore.com

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