

# Die Künstler von Fredericksburg

May 2023



**Next Meeting is May 4.  
6:30 pm (Doors open at 6:00)**

Die Künstler von Fredericksburg will meet on Thursday, May 4 at 6:30. Doors open at 6 pm, giving those in attendance time to look through the many DVD's available for members to check out. **We meet at the Historical Society at 312 W San Antonio Street.** Follow the sidewalk to the side entrance. The meetings are free, and all are welcome.



## MONTHLY CRITIQUE DAY

**Tuesday, May 9  
at the Golden Hub 1 pm.**

You are invited to bring one or two paintings to the Critique Day. Fellow artists will help you see how to improve your art. It is never meant to be a negative judgement on your endeavor. Rather, it is a fresh pair of eyes seeing adjustments you can make to a work in progress. Sometimes it is a value problem, a drawing error, or a design element that could be tweaked. We are all friends, so it is not as intimidating as you are (possibly) imagining. One comment to the wise: the critique may not agree with your artistic plan for the painting, so take comments with a grain of salt! We plan to hold this on every second Tuesday.



**HOLLY WHITE-GEHRT**, is our guest speaker on Thursday (she is also Chris Reese's teacher at the Atelier). Chris describes the teaching method at the atelier as follows:

"In the Atelier practice, we often use an indirect approach to painting. Like the Old Masters, we first work out the drawing, then transfer it to canvas, then make a monochromatic underpainting, and then continue painting in layers with full color."

Holly will demonstrate a type of underpainting called the "wipe-out." Her teacher Juliette Aristides would say, somewhat in jest, that this stage is "the best your painting will ever look."

Holly is the founder and instructor of the [Hill Country Atelier](#), located within the Hill Country Arts Foundation in Ingram, Texas. She also teaches workshops at HCAF and at other art organizations in Texas. She formerly resided in Seattle, Washington where she taught the Part-Time Classical Atelier at Georgetown Atelier and classes at the Gage Academy.

Holly is a graduate of Gage Academy's Aristides Atelier, where she studied with Juliette Aristides, and of Georgetown Atelier, where she studied with Tenaya Sims. She also holds a BFA from Pacific Northwest College of Art, where she graduated with the Governor's Award for Thesis Work, and a BA in anthropology from the University of Texas. She began her art studies at the Aegean Center for the Fine Arts in Paros, Greece, and continued to broaden her range of practice, including 2 years of Zen Brushwork with a master in Japan. More recently, Holly has been learning egg tempera. As always, drawing the figure from life is her foundation.





**Cinco de Mayo**  
**ART POP**

**FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2023**  
**4PM - 8PM**

131 E. Main Street  
(above the old Dooley's/ the new Allen Boots Store)  
Fredericksburg, TX 78624

Come celebrate with the Die Künstler Artists of Fredericksburg and enjoy a glass of Sangria while shopping the Art Pop Up for original art!

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Leave a message on our website!

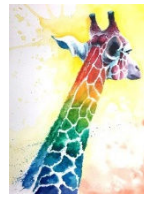
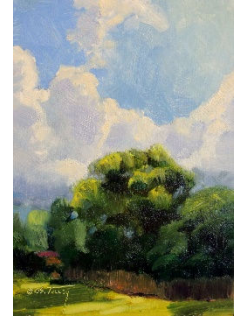
## SPECIAL FIRST FRIDAY THIS MONTH!

- Pop Up Art Show above the old Dooley's by members of DK. (4-8 pm) Check out the Sangria! Come by and support your friends.
- Art Guild Annual Show "Artitudes" reception at their location 308 East Austin Street. For this show, "Artitudes" is defined as art that communicates the artist's attitude toward the subject, provokes thought, or evokes emotion in the viewer. Reception and awards at 5 pm. The judge is Charles Morin.
- Gallery 330 has closed its doors for good. Several artists have moved to Charles Morin Fine Art at 244 West Main. They are Steve Talley, John Bennett, Chuck Mauldin, and Barbara Mauldin. Come by and see their new digs! Barbara is making Cinco de Mayo cookies.



The Artists of Fredericksburg seeks to support all artists and hosts art demonstrations or other relevant speakers to grow the skills and understanding of artists or those interested in art. All artists or those interested in art are welcome

We have a **plein air day** set aside on **Saturday, May 20**. We meet at 10 and try to finish up by noon. We have no location set up right now, but stay tuned! We will announce a location soon.

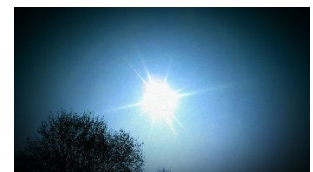


You are invited to attend the meetings of the **Guadalupe Watercolor Group** (GWG [Guadalupe Watercolor Group - Home](#)) in Kerrville on the second Tuesday of the months of January, **March**, May, September and October from 1:00 -2:30 p.m. The meetings are held downstairs at the KACC (Kerr Arts & Cultural Center, 228 Earl Garrett Street, Kerrville, Texas 78028. 830.895.2911). They are free & open to the public. Contact Marsha Pape [mpape101@gmail.com](mailto:mpape101@gmail.com).

**Annual DK Membership Dues are "due" now! \$30.00**



**THE SPRING FLING** was a great success. There were lots of visitors! More than we have ever had in past years... The Children's Corner was very popular and enabled parents to shop without extra helpers.



The city has asked if DK wants to market something to commemorate the upcoming solar eclipse next April. The Board is considering this. We need your input.

# May



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 <b>Meeting at Historical Society</b>	5 <b>First Friday Art Walk</b>	6
7	8	9 <b>Critique Day Golden Hub 1pm</b>	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 <b>Special program 1pm Golden Hub</b>	17	18	19	20 <b>Plein Air 10 – noon Location TBA</b>
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				