

# Die Künstler von Fredericksburg

September 2022



**September 1**  
**6:30 pm (Doors open at 6:00)**

Die Künstler von Fredericksburg will meet on Thursday, September 1, 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. Members may check out up to 3 DVDs. **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.

Die Künstler, is supported in part by the PCAA/Octoberfest and the city and county HOT funds.

## ANNUAL ART SHOW AND SALE



**November 11 – 19, 2022**  
**St. Joseph's Halle**

The Board will once again serve as "the Chair" for the sale. The rules are basically the same. Everyone needs to sign up for a job at the sale. Forms will be available at the September meeting.

## DOREEN SHANN

Die Künstler von Fredericksburg (Artists of Fredericksburg) welcomes Doreen Shann, to demonstrate pastel painting at the monthly meeting Thursday, September 1st. She works in oils and watercolors, as well as pastel and will share some of her works in those mediums also. Her work can be seen on her Facebook page, Serendipity Art Studio by Doreen Porter Shann.



Shann says, "While stuck in Michigan I apprenticed with a professional artist who taught me the fundamentals of drawing, etc. I did one pastel, one graphite, one acrylic, one pen and ink and one egg tempera with him then we moved back to Texas. I consider myself self-taught with regard to oil and more recently watercolor. I paint only those subjects that are dear to me, i.e., something that tells a story, animals, plants and flowers and an occasional still life."

Shann represented New Zealand as a sprinter in the Olympic Games in Tokyo in 1964. She began painting at 59. She says, "I approach my art the same way I did as a world class athlete. Always trying to better myself. I have no special formulas or secrets, I just do it."

My favorite motto is: Never, ever give up; just change your mind."



Check out our website. [www.dkfredericksburg.org](http://www.dkfredericksburg.org)

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**Die Kunstler**

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### STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS IN DK

If you know any high school or college students who are interested, we are offering free memberships with certain guidelines. Students will be able to participate in our Fall Show and Sale, following the same rules as regular members. In addition, we would like to see a display of their work during a monthly meeting (set up on a table or easels).



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## PLEIN AIR

Our next plein air event will be at  
**Lower South Grape Creek School**  
**10273 East Hwy 290**  
**10 am – noon**  
**Saturday, September 17**



This country schoolhouse was built in 1901.  
Schoolchildren attended until 1960.

Kathy Lux set this up for us (thank you, Kathy!). We will ask for the bathroom to be available.

All members are encouraged to come out for sketching or visiting or painting. Bring a picnic lunch, if you like.

There may be people around because they are having their fund raiser the next day. That should not be a problem.

## GOLDEN HUB



The Board has decided to rent the Golden Hub **every Tuesday**, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for six months. The cost is \$20 for the room per day, and DK is covering that cost.

This is a great educational opportunity for our members. It is a large room with tables. It has a TV screen, so it is possible to watch DVD's there. The main idea, however, is to provide our members with a space for painting with friends. You can set up for a still life painting; you could paint a model. You could have a critique time.

Lots of possibilities...

There is a locked cabinet there which will house our DVD library. **This will begin in September!**

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**THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY** bought twelve more copies of the Hermann Lunquist print to sell in the gift shop at the Pioneer Museum.

We tried to plan a **POP UP ART SALE** at the gazebo behind the courthouse/library. Seems we cannot sell stuff from county property. Another great idea...



DK is purchasing an iPad with a keyboard to use for the treasurer and for the show and sale.