

Die Künstler von Fredericksburg

October 2024



We are meeting THURSDAY, October 3, 6:30.

As usual, the doors open at 6:00 so you can visit with friends and peruse the DVD library. We will meet you in the sanctuary of the Historical Society at 312 W San Antonio Street. Follow the sidewalk to the side entrance. Sometimes the front door is unlocked. Our Demo artist is Guy Morrow, from Corpus Christi. He will be painting a sand dune picture in acrylic on a wood panel, focusing on skies, water, sand, and grass. He will discuss the temperature of sand and the color of the sea foam. The meetings are free, and all are welcome

FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK

Visit your favorite gallery on Friday, October 4 – First Friday Art Walk! Be sure to check out Blue Oak Trading Company, where four DK artist will be displaying their art. Put in your application for next month! We will be changing the artists monthly.

Barbara and Chuck Mauldin will be painting at **Charles Morin Fine Art** on Main Street from 5:30 – 7:30pm.

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

GUY MORROW

From a very early age I spent hours on the floor coloring and drawing. I spent my time building forts, making gardens, and going fishing... but painting was my passion. I studied with Bob Garden, a seascape artist, and I was introduced to artist Dick Turner at the age of 15. I spent time in the library studying techniques and the Old Masters. I studied watercolor and used egg-tempera for oil under paintings. I discovered the work of Andrew Wyeth, and I saw that he did his entire painting in egg-tempera. Once I saw the possibilities, I started raising my own chickens and collected rainwater to use in my ground up paint that I made each day. In time I would find myself painting plein air. I had big plans to go to the prestigious Chicago Art Institute. Never made it. I sometimes regret this. I found myself selling art supplies and building picture frames. In time, I would release several prints of coastal art which were marketed along the Gulf Coast, East Coast, parts of California and the Great Lakes. The Corpus Christi city council liked my art and sent me to Toledo, Spain for a one man show that went on for three weeks. Under the Reagan administration, Ambassador Robert Strauss took a collection of my paintings to be hung in the United States Embassy in Moscow, Russia for one year. Today my paintings are touring major museums, with some of America's finest artists and sculptors affiliated with the American Society of Marine Artists.



CRITIQUE October 8

**is held at
The Golden Hub Community Center
1009 North Lincoln Street
in Fredericksburg.**

Please call the Hub (830) 997-7761 if you wish to eat lunch there (\$5). Call the day before or before 9 am the day of to reserve a space.

Bring a piece of art to our critique session and discuss how to make it better. This is a stress free environment. Everyone is always helpful.

Figure Drawing is from 1:00-3:00 pm on the third Tuesday of the month at the Golden Hub. Cost is \$10 to pay for the model. Attendance has been good – about ten artists. You can order lunch (see above).

Paint KVL (paint Kerrville) is a competitive outdoor painting event. It is offered through KACC. The date is October 14-18. Call (830) 895-2911 for more information. There is a fee for participation.

Fall Show and Sale is Nov 8-10.

- Louise Murphy, Nan Henke, and Truby Hardin will be in charge of the sales committee (Chris has a wedding to attend to).
- Updated forms and prospectus will be available at the October meeting.
- Sign up for working the sale continues at the October meeting.
- Food for the reception will return to our usual platters of goodies instead of bags. Please plan on non-messy items!
- Once again, we need TABC wine servers.

Blue Oak Trading Company is an opportunity for DK artists to display their art for a month at a new shop in Fbg. Four different artists will be chosen per month. Send in your application form. There is a 20% commission fee, as the shop will handle the sales. You will owe a fee of \$35 to DK to cover cost of snacks (for Art Walk) and extra marketing incurred by DK. For additional details, consult the handout about BOTC.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 Meeting at Historical Society	4 Art Walk	5
6	7	8 Art Critique 1pm	9	10	11	12
13	14	15 Life Drawing 1pm	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31 Halloween		

Theater Company Update from Donna Lafferty

There are still a few openings available for the Monday October 14, 1 pm delivery of paintings to FTC. Please use Donna's personal email dlafferty@austin.rr.com. Do not expect a reply until Monday evening (Oct 7).