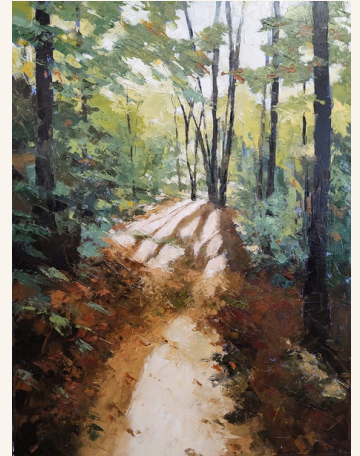


Let's Get Creative Together

Introductions Please

It was just three short months ago that several creative innovators launched the Fripp Island Art Guild. Ideas flowed, plans evolved, and several significant goals were set in motion. The fledgling guild is currently hard at work recruiting members from across all artistic elements. Membership is open to anyone, whether you create or just want to watch, learn, or lend a helping hand. In conjunction with acquiring non-profit status, launching a website, regular meetings, artist demonstrations, and plein air painting sessions, big plans are brewing for both the upcoming Pledge the Pink and All Things Fripp Art Show festivities here on the island. Excitement is building as these events promise to showcase vibrant local talent and bring together art enthusiasts from near and far. The founders hope that these events will inspire more people to explore their creative sides and contribute to the growing cultural landscape on Fripp Island.



Mary Segars
palette knife art demo
August 5 meeting

Details Please

To become a member of the Guild simply go to the new website:
frippislandartguild.org

Click the join tab and read through the different levels of membership set up to accommodate all levels of creators. Whether you are a seasoned artist or just starting something new, the Guild welcomes you. Painters, photographers, fiber artists, metal workers, jewelry makers, sculptors, and ceramicists pick up your brushes, cameras, clay, metals, fabric and come along for the adventure.

Joining the Art Guild opens the door to a growing community of creative minds and provides opportunities for artistic growth. The regular meetings will take place the first Tuesday of every month at the Community Center. Members have the chance to participate in demonstrations led by local artists, join in the "Let's Create Nights" where members prepare and collaborate on works for upcoming shows, form meaningful connections with fellow artists, and stay up to date on future events. Please sign up by September 15 to be included in the upcoming shows! You will not want to miss Pledge the Pink in October and All Things Fripp in December.



Pledge the Pink Needs You

The Guild is excited to host its first art show and open house to benefit Pledge the Pink! There certainly cannot be a better way to kick off our new endeavor. The attendance will be huge, with over 1,500 women coming to participate in the fun, plus Fripp Island's residents and rental guests. This show will provide great exposure for our artists. And we need everyone to help fill the walls and tables with paintings, photography, sculpture, ceramics, jewelry, fiber arts, mixed media, and more. We have visions of laden tables and panels full of original art, prints, multiples, and lots of easy to carry and pack art for our traveling buyers.



Calling All Artists

Artists can donate pieces or decide to contribute a portion of their sales to Pledge the Pink, and every artist will be featured in event promotions, programs, and social media highlights. You must be a member of the Guild to take part! Your participation will help raise funds for the ever-ongoing fight against breast cancer. Whatever your medium, your contribution will touch lives. Let's rally around "the girls" and make some ART!



Pledge the Pink Tumblers

The Art Guild is selling these special tumblers, generously sponsored by FrippIslandStay, to further support the cause. Reserve yours now on the Fripp Island Art Guild website. Pick it up then fill it up at the Art Show and Open House. The supply is limited and when they are gone, they are gone.

Event Details

Where the Party's At, 101 Ocean Point Drive
Friday, October 17 from 1 pm to 7pm

Volunteers Please



As the Art Guild continues to grow, we will require volunteers to assist with various tasks related to setting up and managing the art show venues. Currently, we have an urgent need for individuals who possess expertise in the following areas: legal issues, website design and management, social media, and graphic design. Your skills and enthusiasm will be invaluable, and we eagerly anticipate having you on board. Please reach out to Joan Barnes at joan@4rentonfripp.com or text 678.520.8724 if you can help.

Plein Air Paint Out

August 23

The rainy Fripp skies made the idea of painting on Pat Snow's deck a soggy endeavor, so the event was moved to the Community Center. A little disappointment did not hinder the art process, however, and everyone in attendance got on with their projects. Encouragement, conversation, new friendships, good food, and even a birthday cake (for Pat the birthday girl) made the morning an absolute pleasure. Be watching for the next Plein Air event--sure to become an Art Guild favorite!



Reminders



Regular Meeting
September 2
Community Center

"Let's Get Creative" meeting. Bring your art projects to work on, and experience a demonstration of creating Metal Clay jewelry by Janet Berkeley of Porch and Pickle.

All Things Fripp Art Show

In the blink of an eye, after Pledge the Pink, we'll soon be exchanging "Happy Halloween" greetings and saying, "Pass the turkey." Time has a way of speeding up during the holiday season. So, remember that the All Things Fripp Art Show is just around the corner on December 6. This event will provide another fantastic opportunity to showcase and sell your artwork. The theme is FRIPP, and your creations should authentically reflect island life. Think of turtles, herons, beaches, and sailing. Be sure to mark your calendars and keep those creative juices flowing; we will need more art!