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NCAG is a 501.c.3 Non-Profit Dedicated to the appreciation and understanding of the arts, the encouragement of new artists, and promotion of art interests throughout the community. **Donations are** tax deductible.

Our goal is to provide a comfortable environment in which artists can learn and benefit from each other's skills, knowledge, and methods.

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#### Welcome All

Attending our meetings is a great way to meet fellow artists. Bring a painting or two for a friendly critique. Art demos are given by some of the best Portland area artists and make for a great learning experience.



# Donations Needed for Art Sale Fundraiser

Please bring your extra art pieces to donate for the Guild's art sale fundraiser to the April 8th Guild Meeting at Saving Grace church. Sara Star will be collecting your art donations before and after the meeting. They will organize the donations for a "\$30 sale" to the public to be held during the Rotary Club Bingo night. Pictures will be sold for \$30 each and proceeds will go towards Art Guild events. Donated art pieces that remain after the sale will be taken to other fundraising events for the guild until sold.

### **NCAG and Rotary Bingo Fundraiser**

Invite your friends & family and join us for a fundraising bingo night April 18, 2025. Doors open at 4:50 pm and bingo goes from 5:30-8:00 pm. Gladstone Oak Lodge Rotary Club holds a monthly bingo night to fund raise for local community groups at Gladstone Community Center. Rotary invited NCAG to fund raise for our guild events at the April bingo.

NCAG will also be holding a raffle for an art kit and a \$30 art sale to raise extra funds and share our talents with the public. Bingo cards are 6 for \$5, burgers, hot dogs, wine and beer are \$7. There are lots of fun games with cash prizes and a \$100 blackout game at 7:30 pm.



Marie Barton

Members: 45

#### Reminder

Membership is necessary to participate in the In-House Competition, the art show, critiques, and to show your art at our participating galleries. Check with the treasurer if you are unsure if you paid your dues for this year.

#### **President's Message March 2025**

Greetings Guild Members,

We have a new board of directors, very much like the old one except we have a new treasurer, Maria Brown!

She will be trained by our previous treasurer Paul Boggs, who has bravely gone on to be a sort of web master for our .org site. With them will be our continuing backup treasurer, Sandra, who helped out when Paul had family responsibilities.

Paul has done such a critical job for our guild, helping us out of several issues. All the while caring for his Mom and painting. We have seen both Maria and Paul's art in our critiques, both turning out beautiful pictures.

Our guild is celebrating our anniversary (1973) as an organization. Thank you to our members who continue to amaze and inspire me as your continuing president.

Our continuing board members Larry Fox and Anne Sheridan are here working for our guild every month...get to know them!

Cheers, Marie

#### **Upcoming Guild Business and Events**

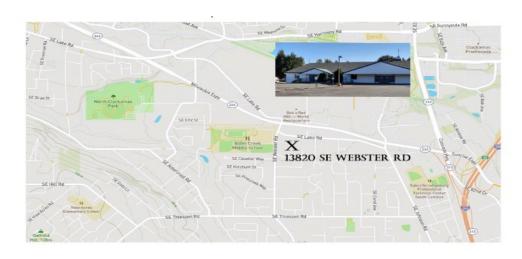
In April, we will install new and continuing board members.

Next In-House Show: May

Theme: Spring

Members can bring *one* painting to enter for a chance for a ribbon.





Regular meetings are held at the Saving Grace Church from 11am to 2pm, on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. **Next meeting April 8**, **2025** 

#### Art Critiques done by: Louisa Moutos







Lauren Andrews



Larry Fox



Ray Ponteri



Kathy Brown



Maria Brown 2





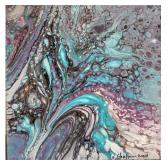




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Just a reminder to limit your exhibits to a maximum number of two paintings for the critique session. Please sign in and add a brief description of your art so we can give you credit.

#### Art Critiques done by: Louisa Moutos





Dianna Shaffer 2



Rita Townley



Jerry Schmidt





Penny Ehrenkranz 2



Connie Emmons 2







Karl Rousett 2 Liz Flintjer

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# Sign up to Vend at Gladstone Arts Fair

Accepting Gladstone Arts Fair \$40 Vendor Booth fees and forms at the April 8 and May 12 Guild meetings. If you would like to participate and sell your art, please bring cash, card or check made out to "Gladstone Oak Lodge Rotary Foundation" in the amount of \$40 and your driver's license or ID. (NCAG has partnered with Rotary to handle administration of the June 7, 2025 Gladstone Arts Fair.) Please also bring your reading glasses if needed so you can fill out the vendor and temp business license forms during the lunch hour at the meetings.

Vendors provide their own tent and tables. NCAG has some grids to share, but numbers are limited. Members who want to share may do so and organize that among themselves. Non-members will pay \$45 for vendor fees.

Contact Sara@gladstoneoaklodgerotary.org for more information.

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#### March 11 Demo

At our March 11 meeting, Gary Michael gave a demo on Perspective and explained the differences using various perspectives. Gary drew a few quick sketches showing one-, two-, and three-point perspective. He then described the one-point perspective in a pastel he did a while ago of a market scene in Europe. He explained how the passageway curved but all lines still led to one point thereby explaining one-point perspective. He also showed how as the scene faded into the distance the people became smaller. In his picture with the river and bridge, he demonstrated two-point perspective. He demonstrated how the river and walkways led back to one point while the planes on the cathedral led to another point. Gary answered several questions from the audience, including about aerial perspective and how as one looks down from above, buildings are larger on top and smaller closer to the ground. He worked for many years as an architect as well as an artist, making him an expert in creating art with perfect perspectives. His full demonstration will be available in the YouTube video on the NCAG website (https://www. youtube.com/@northclackamasartsguild). Gary has been a member of NCAG for over twenty-five years and has been giving critiques, demos, and workshops regularly through the years. He is appreciated by us all.

#### **Portland Art Museum Tour**

People are welcome to get a one-hour tour at Portland Art Museum by Wayne Jiang on Thursday April 3. Meet Wayne (who gave demo to our guild in February) inside the entrance at 1:30 pm. Even though nearly half of the museum is closed for remodeling, it is free on first Thursdays, so come as early as you want after opening at 10:00 am. Explore the area where artists can place their art in the rental program. OK to bring a friend.

Questions? Call or email Char Tritt. (Contact information on page 9)

# There will be no demo in April.

#### **WORKSHOP CANCELLATION POLICY**

Payment for all workshops is required before the event to hold your place. A full refund of the workshop fee is available if you cancel prior to 1 week in advance of the class. After that, the fee will be considered a donation and you will be issued a tax-deductible receipt.

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# Call to Artists, Revolving Art Show Your Art

Who	What	Where	When	How
Gladstone DMV	Lobby walls  Larger paintings can be displayed	10 82nd Avenue Gladstone, OR	No fee for selling	Contact Connie Emmons
Fairlane Café	Can display large paintings as well as smaller.	6647 SE Milwaukie Ave., Portland, OR	No fee for selling	Contact Sara Star
Oak Lodge Water District	5 pieces required 16x20 or smaller	14496 SE River Road Oak Grove, OR	Check with Con- nie Emmons for dates	Contact Connie Emmons
Sherri's Mattresses	60 day exhibit by multiple artists	6600 SE McLoughlin Blvd. Milwaukie, OR	Check with Betty	Contact Betty Kellogg

#### North Clackamas Arts Guild on Social Media

**Facebook:** www.ncartsguild.com/facebook **You Tube:** youtube.com/@northclackamasartsguild Remember to click on the YouTube Subscribe and like button. Share the videos with other artists and friends.

Website: www.ncartsguild.org Instagram: www.instagram.com/ncartsguild



Welcome to the North Clackamas Arts Guild Website.

We are a Fine Arts Guild that specializes in two dimensional art including paintings, drawings, printmaking, photography, digital art, there arts, todings and mixed-media. We invite you to come to a meeting to discover the benefits of membership and meet our artists. We welcome artists of all still levels to join us in sharing their art experience and tearing new skills in a friendly environment.

Screen shot of welcome note on Home page. Go and check out the new look of our website and read the welcome note. The design is modern and it is now mobile friendly.

#### **Bring A Friend**

Bring a friend to the meeting! Sometimes people feel shut in and lonely because they may have lost contact with pre-COVID friends and events. Who is more welcoming than we are?

# **Critique Rotation**

April Pam Davis

May Gary Michael

June Lousia Moutos

July No critiques



If you know of a member who's ailing or in need, please let us know. Contact Connie Emmons at 503-333-0101.



# Hospitality

Please speak to Karl Rousett if you want to bring snacks to the next meeting.

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#### **Newsletter Submissions**

If you would like to submit an article and photos for future newsletters, please contact one of our Board members. Your submission will be added if there is room. If not, the information will be filed and used when there is room in the newsletter.