

November 2023



## November Demo

### Artist: Ann Warren

Ann is a painter and teacher at Rose Villa on River Road in Milwaukie, OR. She showed us ways to paint by using nature printing of flowers, plant leaves, and other materials for textures. These are examples of cards she made using nature as a source for materials.



**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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## December Meeting

Instead of our regular meeting, we will be having a potluck on December 12th. Bring something to share for the potluck and your art for the competition or critique. We will not be doing a gift exchange or a musical program this year.

Fall and Winter theme pictures can be entered in the in-house competition for a chance to win a first, second or third place ribbon. There will be a critique but no demo. Art submitted for the competition will not be critiqued, so bring a different piece for each.

## Welcome All

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



If North Clackamas schools are closed due to poor weather, the guild will cancel their meeting. We would notify by email, but if power is out, you will know we will not meet when school is cancelled

Barbara Seliner, President

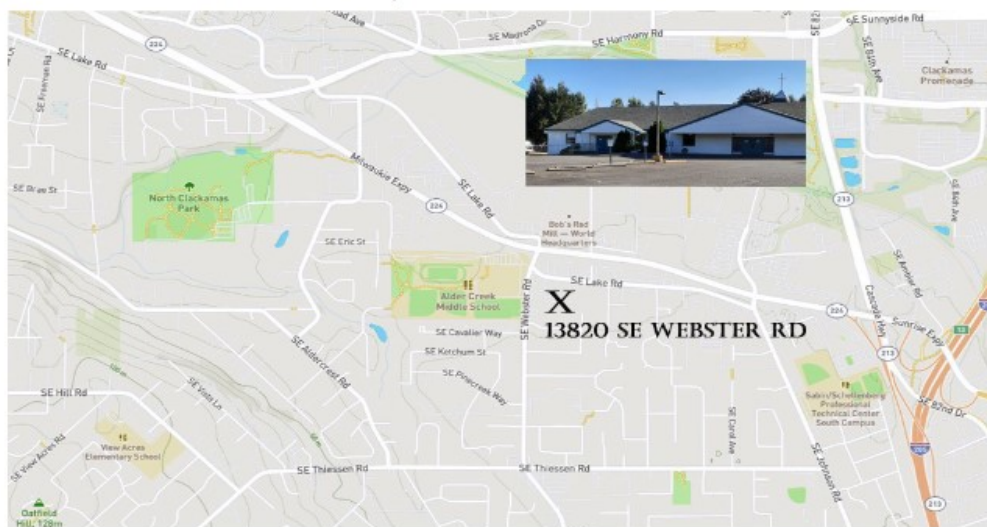
**President's Message**

It is time to renew your NCAG membership for the coming year.

NCAG Members: 55

As President I get to hear about some things that the general membership may not be aware of, so for the next couple of newsletters I'd like to use this space to highlight a member each month that has given extraordinarily of their time and energies to help nurture and grow our guild so that all of us can benefit.

First up...Sharon Payne! Many of you may not know her by name or even sight. She has been a member since the second year of our inception, 35 years. Lately, she has not been able to attend meetings due to a progressive illness. Sharon has been the guild's only historian in all that time! She worked alongside our founders, collecting potentially historical information, ordering and organizing it into an attractive scrapbook chroniclizing the workings of our guild making the information palatable and interesting to discover how it all began and who made it happen! She has held this committee position for 35 years. She is the longest committee chairman in the history of our guild. "Thank you for your service" just doesn't seem quite enough! But know that your efforts will live on. Thanks to you, we have a permanent record of our beginnings as we continue to encourage local artists to develop their skills and produce amazing artwork!



Regular meetings are held at the Saving Grace Church from 11am to 2pm, on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.  
**Next meeting December 12, 2023**



## Critiques

Art Critiques done by: Gary Michael



Marie Barton



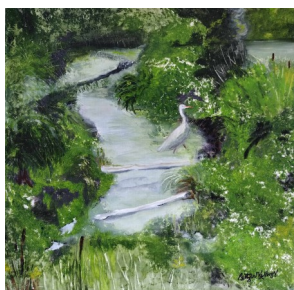
Larry Fox



Karl Roussett



Jerry Schmidt



Betty Kellogg



Paul Boggs



Linda Marletto



Gary Michael critiques  
his own art



Barbara Seliner



Sara Star

## December Workshop

There is still room for the ornament painting workshop from 10-2 at Saving Grace Church Saturday, December 2nd.

Call or email Char Tritt to register, 971-570-5782 or [char.tritt@gmail.com](mailto:char.tritt@gmail.com). \$30 for members, \$40 non-members.

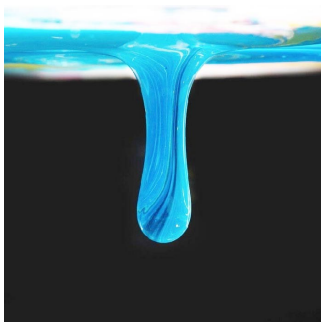
Bring acrylic paints, lunch, 2 small brushes. Ornaments and sand dollars provided.



## January Workshop

Paint pouring workshop 10:00-2:00 pm at Saving Grace Church on Saturday, January 20th with Dianna Shaffer.

Bring your workshop fee and register with Char Tritt at the December party to reserve your space. Canvas and paints provided with additional \$10 supply fee. Just bring a lunch and plan to have fun.



## WORKSHOP CANCELLATION POLICY

We have been asked to clarify Cancellation Policies for you:

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.

## Call to Artists, Revolving Art-Show your art

Who	What	Where	When	How
Mocha Express	Gallery in coffee shop. Serving great coffee and ice cream too.	14813 SE Webster RD Milwaukie, OR	No fee for selling	Contact Kathy Conrad
Gladstone DMV	Lobby walls Larger paintings can be displayed	10 82nd Avenue Gladstone, OR	No fee for selling	Contact Connie Emmons
Fairlane Café	Eastmoreland area café Can display large paintings as well as smaller.	6647 SE Milwaukie Ave., Milwaukie, OR	No fee for selling	Sara Star is the contact with the café. Call her if you are interested.
Oak Lodge Water District	5 pieces required 16x20 or smaller		Next rotation is January 2023	Contact Connie Emmons

\*Members with paintings to hang, please talk to Pam for the framing and hanging specifications for hanging pictures in various venues. The Guild looks for opportunities to show our members' art.

### Social Media-Yes, we ARE connected!

Facebook—[www.ncartsguild.com/facebook](http://www.ncartsguild.com/facebook)

You Tube—[YouTube.com/www.northclackamasartsguild](http://YouTube.com/www.northclackamasartsguild)

Website—[www.ncartsguild.com](http://www.ncartsguild.com)

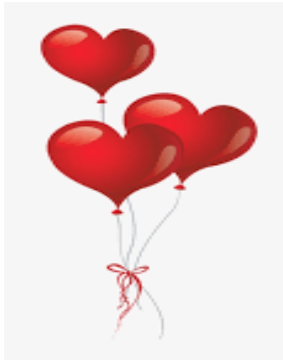
Remember NCAG regular meetings are held monthly on the second Tuesday.

### Thursday Zoom Meeting

Due to lack of interest, the Board has decided to suspend our Thursday 7 to 8pm Evening Zoom Meetings that follow our 11-2pm In-Person Monthly Meetings until we have a handful, means 5, participants that would like NCAG to provide an Evening Meeting. If you are interested in us reinstating the Evening Zoom Meetings on the Thursday following the Tuesday Monthly Meeting email: [ncagpresidenr2022@gmail.com](mailto:ncagpresidenr2022@gmail.com) Once we have five requests for an Evening Zoom Meeting we will consider reinstating it and email you a link.



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



### Update

Betty Kellogg's knee surgery has been postponed until next year.

Invite a friend to the December 12th potluck to meet other artists in a friendly and relaxed atmosphere.



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### 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?

*If you would like to submit an article and photos for future newsletters, please advise one of our Board members.*