



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.

Gladstone Arts Fair 2025

We should thank Sara and her friend Anastasiya of "Fated Events" for all their logistical skills in getting all of us to our assigned tent locations together with all the grids we needed to hang our paintings, and other things from setup to strike-down.

Thanks again to everyone who came out to help with setup, shopping, and bringing friends and family out to see what our Guild members can do. A great day!

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A big thank you to all sponsors that made it a success.

Welcome All

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

Remember: **July 8** potluck picnic and in-house competition will be held at North Clackamas Park at 11:00

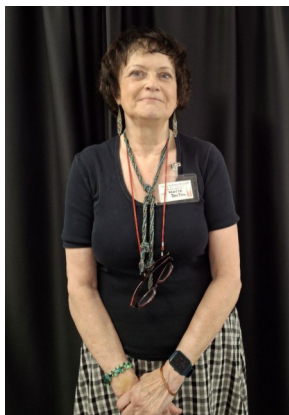
5440 SE Kellogg Creek Dr. Milwaukie, OR

Heat Notice: The picnic will be canceled if the forecast is for 91 degrees or above.

if you missed the sign-up sheet at last meeting, come with side dish, sandwiches or dessert.

Mike Bays will be in the picnic area around **10 am** for any that want to try plein air painting.

The in-house competition is open to all members. Please submit only 1 painting. Theme: your choice. This is an "any subject" competition!



Marie Barton

President's Message June 2025

Happy Summer

Greetings to all our members, new and old! We are almost halfway through the year and our big art show and fair is concluded. I keep reminding myself about the "show" part of the event, because I do not make a profit. The profit comes from meeting people and showing them what I have done. The Gladstone community gets to see what interesting and varied work an art guild can produce. Rotary had a bake sale and On Point gave out tote bags.

I met a man there who knew what "tidal locking" meant and he bought one of my cosmic postcards showing a planet facing its sun. That was a good experience because we are all part of the "greater community" who are looking to the stars.

Sara asked for pictures of the event, so I took my phone and walked around all the tents and took pictures. They turned out to be bright and colorful, like the art and the people.

The annual picnic is our next event, with plein air painting, a fun art contest with "bring any painting" rules, and a sale of gently used art supplies (any money raised going to guild). There will be a lot of food and conversation. Maybe you will make a new friend or find just that item you've been searching for.

Let's think moderate heat for the day. We will be in a covered area.

Mike Bays will be in the area early, around 10 am, to do plein air painting. Then the picnic will start at 11 am. See you there!

Cheers to us,
Marie Barton

Please note that the **July 8th** meeting will be at **North Clackamas Park**, not at the church.



Regular meetings are held at:

Savings Grace Church
13820 SE Webster Road
Milwaukie, OR 97257

Time: 11 am to 2 pm

Date: The second Tuesday of each month

Next Meeting at the church: August 12, 2025

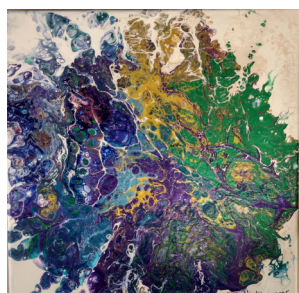


Members: 49

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.

Art Critiques done by: Lousia Moutos



Dianna Shaffer 2

Anne Richardson 2



Liz Flintjer

Shirlee Lind

Larry Fox



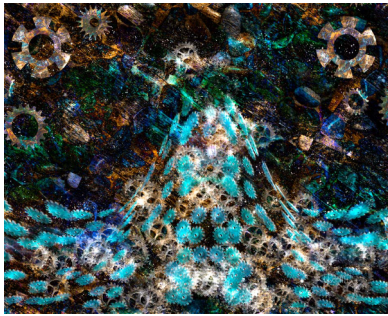
Sandie Jelinek

Barbara Seliner 2

Ray Ponteri

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: Lousia Moutos



Linda Marletto 2



Christian Phillips 2



Karl Rousett



Sara Star 2



Betty Kellogg



Becky Friswold



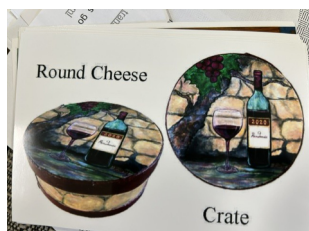
Marie Barton

Remember, there will not be a Critique in July. We are having our picnic and In-House competition instead.

June Demo By Kathy Conrad



Kathy Conrad gave a demo on new ideas of how to use artistic talents on a variety of surfaces (wood, glass, rocks, shells, ornaments) to create lovely gifts. If you missed seeing the June Demo by Kathy, please check out the NCAG channel on YouTube. Social Media information is on page 6.



Workshops

Wayne Jiang's acrylic workshop is June 27 & 28. See details in previous newsletter. Contact Char Tritt if interested. char.tritt@gmail.com and 971-570-5782.

Plein air on the Willamette River in Gary Michael's yard 11-3 pm.
Any media. Bring your supplies, a snack and water. Can paint the water scene or get Gary's advice for any unfinished art.

July 29 if we can have at least 6 sign up. August 19 if we can have at least 6 sign up.

11907 SE 19th Ave., Milwaukie, 97222

Walk down the driveway to backyard.

Char Tritt 971-570-5782 char.tritt@gmail.com

\$30 members, \$40 non-members

Other workshops:

October 18 Watercolor with instructor Bonnie Moore

November 29 Sand Dollars and ornament painting with Kathy Conrad and Shirlee Lind

10-2 at Saving Grace Church

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.

Call to Artists, Revolving Art Show Your Art

Location	What	Where	Rotation	Contact
Gladstone DMV	Lobby walls Larger paintings can be displayed	10 82nd Avenue Gladstone, OR	Check with Connie	Connie Emmons
Fairlane Café	Can display large paintings as well as smaller.	6647 SE Milwaukie Ave., Portland, OR	Booked through December	Sara Star
Oak Lodge Water District	5 pieces required 16x20 or smaller	14496 SE River Road Oak Grove, OR	July through September	Connie Emmons
Sherri's Mattresses	60 day exhibit	6600 SE McLoughlin Blvd. Milwaukie, OR	New art up in June	Betty Kellogg

North Clackamas Arts Guild on Social Media

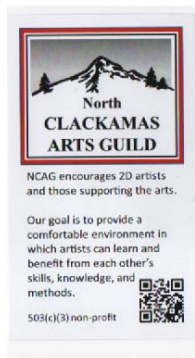
Facebook: www.facebook.com/northclackamasartsguild **Instagram:** www.instagram.com/ncartsguild

You Tube: youtube.com/@northclackamasartsguild Remember to click on the YouTube Subscribe and Like buttons. Share the videos with other artists and friends. Demonstrations are recorded during the meeting and posted on YouTube.

Website: www.ncartsguild.org



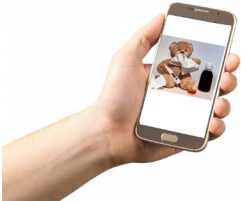
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The new business cards are here. If you are using NACG business cards with the .com website, please discard them.

Critique Rotation

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

Speak to Karl Rousett or sign up on the list if you can bring a snack to the next meeting. Indicate a category (like salad, dessert, main dish, etc.) if you do not have a specific item in mind.

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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.