



July Picnic and Art Contest at Clackamette Park



First Place
Becky Friswold



Second Place
Julie Mantis



Third Place-Four Winners

Jerry Schmidt



Joyce Hammond



Sandie Jelinek



Sara Star



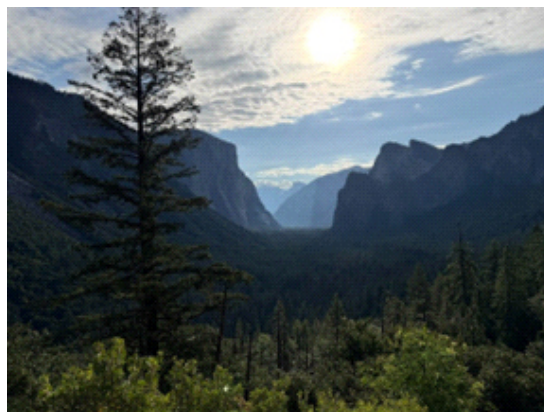
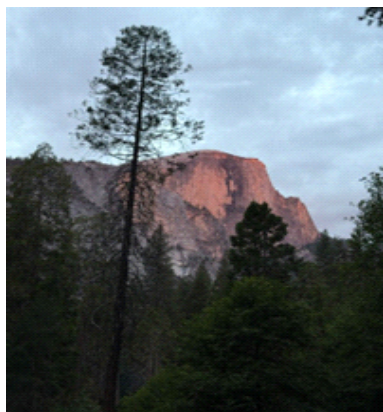
President's Message July 2026



President
Larry Fox

Hi Fellow Artists!

Sorry to have missed the picnic but glad to hear that the weather was great, and it was a fun time. Tyler and I were in Yosemite – what a magical place! I took many photos that are potential future paintings.



A couple of updates on what your board is up to:

- A branding subcommittee has been formed to work on updating the format of our newsletter to be more modern and consistent with our website. Kim Ellingson is the chair joined by Linda Marletto, Maria Brown and Paul Boggs.
- We are looking at placing some of our reserve funds in a separate interest-bearing account. It appears OnPoint Credit Union has the best deal for non-profits, so we may move all our banking there. OnPoint is one of the annual sponsors of the Gladstone Art Fair, so there is a nice connection as well.

Hope you all are enjoying the summer and taking exciting photos of future paintings as well!

Cheers,

Larry



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: August 11, 2026

Members: 52

Gallery

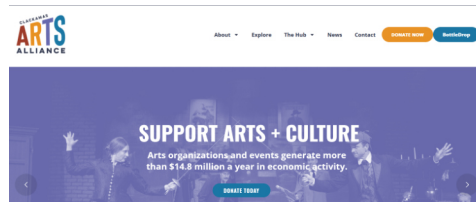
Each artist has no more than 5 minutes to describe their work and anything about it they would like to share.

No Gallery or Critiques in July due to the picnic.

Find out about ways to display your art during August 11 Program

The Clackamas Arts Alliance will soon announce their annual Artist Exhibit Program for 2027 and send out their Call for Artists. Arielle-Sophie Sternberg, Community Outreach & Public Programs Manager, will share some of the specifics of this opportunity to show artwork for artists like us. Kim Ellingson, NCAG member, has participated in the Artist Exhibit Program and will talk about her experience with the program and why it may be important for you to consider displaying your art, too.

<https://clackamasartsalliance.org/>



Upcoming Demos

August 11 Kim Ellingson-Clackamas Art Alliance

Sept 8 Louisa Moutos-collage

Oct. 13 Jonathan Luczycki portraits in acrylic

Nov. 10 Wayne Jiang-techniques of the old masters

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.

July Workshop

Taught by Melissa Gannon



Landscape workshop attended by Donna, Frank, Joyce, Char and Paul.



August Workshop

Monday, August 3rd

10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Location: Saving Grace Church

Hosted by Shirlee Lind and Kathy Conrad at Saving Grace

The workshop will offer participants an opportunity to create artistic gifts and experiment with a variety of media and mediums. Ornament painting, texture paste application, painting on tile, rocks, sand dollars, and oyster shells will challenge each participant's creativity.

While most supplies will be provided by Shirlee and Kathy, participants will need to bring the following:

- Paint brushes
- Acrylic paint
- Medical exam gloves
- Tweezers
- *Glue gun
- *Hair dryer (*optional)

Prepay the participation fee (\$30/members \$40/non-members) to Char Tritt.

Reserve your place by July 14

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North Clackamas Arts Guild Social Media and Website



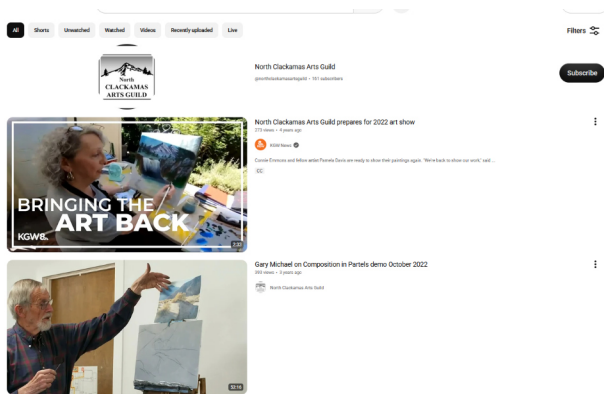
Instagram: www.instagram.com/ncartsguild



Facebook: www.facebook.com/northclackamasartsguild



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



Remember to subscribe to our YouTube channel and click on the Like button.



Website: www.ncartsguild.org

QR code for website



Call to Artists, Revolving Art Show Your Art

Location	What	Where	Rotation	Contact
Top Hat Express, the pot shop is open to hanging art work in the shop. They will hold the piece for up to three months and don't charge a commission. Their address is Top Hat Express, 11916 SE 22nd Ave., Unit B, Milwaukie, OR 97222, phone 503 305-7882.				No contact
Fairlane Café	Room for large paintings	6647 SE Milwaukie Ave Portland, OR	Booked until Late 2026	Sara Star
Oak Lodge Water District	5 pieces required 16x20 or smaller	14496 SE River Road Oak Grove, OR	Booked until September	Kathy Brown
Sherri's Mattresses	60-day exhibit	6600 SE McLoughlin Milwaukie, OR	Changed May 10th	Betty Kellogg
Town Center	Display only		New exhibit after Art Fair	Anne Richardson
Concord Community Center	90-day exhibit	3811 SE Concord Rd Oak Grove, OR	First exhibit in Sept Changed in June	Anne McCallister Jill Culver

Welcome

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.

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. Membership is necessary to participate in critiques, art show, In-House competitions, 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. 2026 dues must be paid by the end of January.

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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.

If you know of a member who's ailing or in need, please let us know. Contact Connie Emmons at 503-333-01010.