Ana Hedberg to Demonstrate

Tuesday, October 11th at 6:45 pm at Endicott Estate

Dear Members and Guests, Ana Hedberg will give a birdthemed watercolor demonstration in person and on Zoom. The location is Endicott Estate, 656 East Street, Dedham, MA. Members will receive the Zoom invitation in an email. Nonmembers are invited to participate by sending an RSVP email to DedhamArtAssociation@gmail.com. There's no charge for members, and guests are asked for a \$5 donation.



Ana Hedberg

Ana Hedberg graduated from Western Michigan University with a Bachelor Degree in Industrial Design with a minor in Arts (magna cum laude; Presidential Scholar). She discovered watercolor in 2018, when she moved from Michigan to Massachusetts, where she currently lives. As a watercolor artist, Ana has

been focusing on advancing her techniques and fine tuning her style. She has been juried in many local and national art shows.



Morning Glow, watercolor by Ana Hedberg

"I enjoy how unpredictable watercolor can be, how forgiving and yet, very challenging it is. I also enjoy nature and wildlife, whether observing it or being absorbed in it. Painting nature in watercolor brings both fluidity and randomness together in a rewarding and gratifying way."

Ana enjoys studio work and finds inspiration in plein air painting. She enjoys the fast pace and the challenge of the elements.

Ana's website: https://www.anahedberg.com

Fall Members' Exhibit Reception

You and your friends and family are cordially invited to the Artists Reception and Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, October 12th, from 6 - 8 pm at the Walpole Library, 143 School Street, Walpole, MA. Guests are welcome. Awards will be presented. There's no charge and refreshments will be served.



Members' Fall Exhibit Reminders

Monday, October 3: Drop off artwork at Walpole Library,143 School St, Walpole from 12:30pm – 1:30pm.

Tuesday, October 4: Exhibit opens at Walpole Library and our website gallery. Wednesday,

October 12 6 - 8 pm: Reception. Thursday,

December 1: Pick up artwork from 11am – 12 noon.

Volunteer Opportunities: Whether you are an exhibitor or not, volunteers for hospitality and hanging

are welcomed. Please contact Gary Koeppel at <u>dedhamartassociation@gmail.com</u> to help.



Mary Wojciechowski will serve as juror for the Fall Members' Exhibit

Mary Wojciechowski, a retired visual arts teacher, received her BFA degree from the University of Connecticut. She is a copresident and signature

member of the Rhode Island Watercolor Society, a juried artist in the Cape Cod Art Association and is a member of the Attleboro Arts Museum, the Monotype Guild of New England and Wickford Art Association.

Watercolor has been Mary's principle medium during her painting career with subjects taken most often from the natural surroundings of her New England home. Most recently, Mary's art has expanded beyond representational toward a more explorative and experimental approach and includes work in alcohol ink painting and monotype printmaking as well. Mary's work has been accepted into many juried exhibitions, local, regional and national, and has received awards.



Color My World, watercolor by Mary Wojciechowski

Artist of the Month Richard Scott



I am now a retired surgeon. I am a self-taught artist and began painting and drawing shortly after I eloped with my wife in 1963 during our Junior year in college. I started out doing abstract paintings and sold them to help make ends meet. I soon decided to try to emulate the impressionists so I could learn their technique. I

painted in oil and used only a pallet knife so that I didn't have to clean any brushes. Some of my "derivative art" looked pretty good, and we began to put some on the walls of our home. My wife once overheard a dinner guest whisper to her partner "They have a Monet!"

During my busy surgical career and our child raising years, my painting opportunities slowed down, but my interest started up again after retirement. I tried to branch out by using brushes with acrylics and trying different motifs.

I am indebted to the Dedham Art Association for rekindling this interest. Some examples of my more recent work appear in the Dedham Art Association's home page.



Champs Élysées at Night, Oil by Richard Scott

Plein Air Watercolor Workshop Registration Is Now Open



Please join Tom Hughes for this Dedham Art Association watercolor workshop on **Saturday**, **October 29**, 2022 (rain date November 5) from 9:30 am- 4:00 pm. Tom is an accomplished professional artist known for his plein air paintings in watercolor, oil and acrylic. He is a signature member of the Plein Air

Painters of America and lives on the seacoast of New Hampshire.

The workshop fee is \$75 for members and \$100 for non-members, and the deadline for sign-up and payment is October 15th. The materials list will be distributed when you have confirmed your attendance. Please arrive at 9:15 to set up. Questions: contact Naomi Wilsey at 617-513-5499.

Limited to the first 12 to sign up. You are confirmed once the fee is paid. Open to members and non members.

Cancellation: Cancel within 14 days of the workshop for a 50% refund.

Date: Saturday, October 29

Rain Date: Saturday, November 5

See the registration form on page 7 or click <u>here</u>.

About Tom Hughes, Watercolor Workshop Instructor

Tom Hughes was born in Massachusetts in 1965. He was a staff artist at the Christian Science Monitor newspaper in Boston in the 1980's, leaving to practice fine art, at which he's been occupied for more than 30 years.

Once referred to as "a genius" by late, renowned artist and author Charles Movalli, Hughes has had solo exhibitions in galleries in the New England States, North Carolina, Lake Tahoe, San Francisco, and France. He is proficient in several painting media including oil, acrylic, and watercolor, with subject matter comprised of figure painting, portrait,

landscape and the odd still life or genre picture. Hughes's work has been featured in *American Artist Watercolor* magazine, *Fine Art Connoisseur*, for which he painted the magazine's publisher B. Eric Rhoads's portrait, and *Southwest*

Art magazine. An example of Hughes's watercolor painting is featured in Watercolor Painting by Tom Hoffmann (Watson Guptill, 2012). In 2019, Tom Hughes won the \$15,000 Grand Prize for painting at the Plein Air Convention and Expo, held in San Francisco. In 2018. Tom Hughes became a signature member of the Plein Air Painters of America.



Kresge Point, Maine, Watercolor by Tom Hughes

Tom lives in New Hampshire's seacoast region.

Mark Your Calendar!

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Saturday, October 29 (rain date

November 5): Plein Air Watercolor Workshop with Tom Hughes

Tuesday November 8: Pastel Demonstration: Still Life by Robin Frisella

Monday, December 5: Art Talk "Photography for Artists" by Gail Fisher

This Fall: Watch for our fall museum outing to the Isabelle Stuart Gardner. Dates TBD.

Children's Art and Small Works Art Sale - Summer 2022

We were amazed to have 90 children who eagerly created art projects with our student interns and member volunteers at our tables at Arts@Endicott in July. The outdoor summer concerts at Endicott Estate are sponsored by the Junior Women's Club of Dedham. As a result of our speaking engagement at the



Example of one of the children's art creations

our speaking
engagement at the
Junior Women's Club, we were
invited to have an art presence at
one of the first weekly concerts of
the summer. Art cards and small
artworks were sold by the
volunteer members. We also sold
more miniature art treasure
donations that benefited the
Dedham Food Pantry.



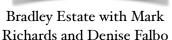


Pictured back row left to right are member volunteers: Linda Mellon, Naomi Wilsey, Joan Onofrey and Barbara Reynolds. Front row are two of our student interns: Sophia and Allison.

Plein Air - Summer 2022

Our Plein Air Chair, Mark Richards, organized three fun meetings this summer. The group created artwork without instruction and held a friendly critique at the end of each outing. Participants met at Bradley Estate, Dedham Country Day School, and Medfield State Hospital Campus.







Plein Air Oil by Mark Richards

Welcome New Members!

Please welcome new members who joined us since the last newsletter:

Cheryl Barnes, acrylic; Martha Dowd; Anne Bishop, watercolor; Kathleen Lauck, watercolor (portraiture), pastels, pencil, and charcoal; Janet Knight Little, Oil; Marie Muller, oil, watercolor, and drawing; Don Swanson, oil and watercolor; Annabelle Ambrose, oils and pastels.

Membership renewal

There's still time to renew your membership Please click <u>here</u> or go to our website <u>dedhamartassociation.com</u>. Thank you!

Dedham Savings Bank Sponsorship

The Dedham Art Association received a sponsorship from the Dedham Savings Bank.

Ann Coco Art Scholarship



The Board voted to rename our scholarship fund to the Ann Coco Art Scholarship. The award has been doubled to provide more meaningful assistance to the recipient. This will be an ongoing memorial scholarship in honor of Ann Coco, former president and long-time member.

We thank those who have donated in Ann's honor: Salvatore Coco, Shawna Campbell, Louis and Angela Grasso, Lisa Hayes, Katie Ramocki, and Roy and Sharon Lomanno.

Mark Shasha Demonstration Recap

For our September meeting, we were honored to have professional artist, Mark Shasha, provide an instructive demonstration of a seascape painted in oil. Mark donated three signed copies of his book, *Night of the Moonjellies*, which he wrote and illustrated. Robin Western, Gary Koeppel, and Jo Ann Appel won the drawing. The drawing benefits our Community Fund.



Members' News

Randa Khuri is having a solo exhibit at the Needham Library for the month of October.

Nan Rumpf and Lissa Banks have been accepted into the Flights of Fancy exhibit at Gallery Twist, Lexington, through October 16, 2022.

Our members who are in the 28th Annual Juried Exhibition at Zullo Gallery that continues through November 5th are **Barbara Reynolds**, **Gail Hansen**, **Nan Daly**, and **Nan Rumpf**.

Nancy Walton and **Naomi Wilsey** have been accepted into the New England Watercolor Society North American Open Exhibit, Plymouth Center for the Arts, November 2- December 3.

Congratulations to all!

Artist Resources:

New England Watercolor Society

Upcoming watercolor workshops:
For complete details visit: https://
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Mass Open Studios

Check out these open studios in Massachusetts this September, October, and November. Unless listed as virtual, all events are in-person. For details please visit: https://artsake.massculturalcouncil.org/mass-open-studios-sep-nov-22/

Penn Studio School of Art

Registration is open for Fall Online Classes & Workshops 2022 at Penn Studio School of Art. Click here for more information.

Rhode Island Watercolor Society

This fall, five of Signature Members of the RI Watercolor Society are offering free demos. They are open to all. Click <u>here</u> for more info.

Meet the Board of Officers 2022-2023



Kerry Hawkins, Co-President



Gary Koeppel, Exhibits Chair



Randa Khuri, Corresponding Secretary, Hospitality



Catherine Perrone, Web



Lauras Kelly, Recording Secretary



Julie Cordonnier, VP Communications

Open Board Positions

Please consider joining the Board of the Dedham Art Association! We are looking to fill the following positions. If you're interested, please email DedhamArtAssociation@gmail.com.

Co-President / Programming

Committee Open Positions

Rotating Exhibits and Historian



Mark Quarles, Treasurer



Naomi Wilsey, Interim Programming



John Koger, Technology



Mary Hudson Gillis, Member-at-large

Standing Committees

Thank you to the many helping hands.

Membership: Nora Ouellette, Nan Richmond **Exhibits:** Gary Koeppel, Joan Kent, Judi Stein,

Rosemarie Morelli

Web: Catherine Perrone, Julie Cordonnier

Social Media: Kerry Hawkins

Scholarship Committee: Robin Western, Chair,

Sandy Siber, Nan Daly

Demonstration Media: Keith McClelland

Museum Outings: Jean Veigas

Plein Air: Mark Richards

Scholarship Award: Robin Western, Sandy Siber,

Mary Gillis, Nan Daly

Publicity: Julie Cordonnier

Delta Projects Art Classes: Lauras Kelly, chair; Nancy Sally, Fran Feloni, Randa Khuri, Sheila Davis

Technology Advisory Group: Kerry Hawkins, Keith McClelland, John Koger, Naomi Wilsey

Historian: Open

Rotating Exhibits: Volunteers needed





Registration Form Plein Air Watercolor Workshop with **Tom Hughes**

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> Member John Koger's Residence, 91 Common Street, Dedham, MA 02026

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Please complete the bottom portion and return with check made out to Dedham Art Association with Workshop in the memo line to: Mark Quarles, 31 Channing Road, Dedham, MA 02026. Credit cards and PayPal are also accepted (please add \$3 handing fee -- \$78 for members and \$103 for non-members.)

Dedham Art Association Plein Air Watercolor Workshop with Tom Hughes, October 29, 2022 Name: _____ Today's Date_____ Amount: _____ Paid: _____ To pay with your PayPal account, please use this email address: <u>DedhamArtAssociation@gmail.com</u> Questions: contact Naomi Wilsey at 617-513-5499