

# Newsletter

*Connecting pastel artists across  
the Rocky Mountains and  
frontiers beyond*

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## *Primary Colors*

Presidential Message  
by Mike Ray  
& Sue McKelvy

Hey fellow and fellowette pastel artists,

I am driving home from the paint out at Red Rocks and composing the notes for this address as I go up Bear Creek Canyon. I wish every one of you could be on these paint outs. We have a great time sharing the scenery, learning from each other, offering encouragement and support and enjoying the out of doors with each other. Please sign up for future paint out experiences. Really, you won't be sorry!

Please remember to register for the members show. Clive Tyler is the juror and registrations are due May 14, 2008. If you have any questions please contact Judy Sprague or any of the board members and we will be glad to help.

The deadline for the Mile High National, June 20, 2008, is approaching. Please get your entries in and don't forget to sign up for the workshops. This will be a rare opportunity to work with an internationally known artist, Duane Wakeham. Information is on our web site or you may contact Jody Freeland at [www.NOTRANIWSJ@yahoo.com](mailto:www.NOTRANIWSJ@yahoo.com) or contact Diane Fechenbach or Mike Ray for a prospectus.

On July 17,18,19,20 there is a fabulous paint out opportunity coming up in Durango, Colorado. THOSE OF YOU WHO ARE INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT MIKE RAY AT 303 674 1455 or E MAIL MIKE AT [cray21@msn.com](mailto:cray21@msn.com). I will send you a schedule of events and a listing of lodging. Please get signed up as soon as possible so you can reserve your room and join us in this fabulous opportunity.

I hope to see all of you and maybe some new faces as well at the next meeting which is on May 10, 2008 at the Art Student's League in Denver. The general meeting will be preceded by a board meeting at 11:00 am. Happy painting and happy dreams.

Mike Ray, Co-President

## **CALENDAR — IMPORTANT DATES**

### **NEXT MEETINGS**

- Front Range - Saturday, May 10**, 1pm Meeting at Art Students League (200 Grant, Denver)  
On May 10th an Arizona portrait is scheduled, who was referred by Dennis Rhoades. Her name is Dodie Ballantine and her work may be found at [www.dodieballantine.com](http://www.dodieballantine.com)
- Western Slope - Saturday, May 17**, 1pm Meeting at The Art Center (1803 N. 7th St., Grand Junction)  
Albert Handell DVD and munchies.

### **PAINTOUTS**

**Saturday, May 24, 9 AM to noon** at the Denver Botanic Gardens (entry fee required). RSVP deadline: Friday, May 23; RSVP to Kathy Imel ([kjmel@aol.com](mailto:kjmel@aol.com)). Join us to paint flowers, the water lily pond, the Japanese Garden and teahouse, the reflecting pond, plus lots of other interesting shapes and colors.

**Saturday and Sunday, June 21-22** at Tarryall Creek. RSVP deadline: Friday, June 18; RSVP to Kathy Imel ([kjmel@aol.com](mailto:kjmel@aol.com)). Camp out for the weekend or just drive up for the day on Saturday and/or Sunday. Camping will be Friday and Saturday nights (bring your own tents, food, etc.). Details and map will be provided with registration confirmation.

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## COMPOSITION: Editor's Perspective

Members,

Thank you all for your submissions. This month's newsletter is incredible with all the news from our members and the workshops!

Please send comments, news items, letters, etc. to me using the following in Word or Rich Text only, please.

E-mail: PSCnewsletter@gmail.com  
or mail to: Ann Willoughby  
8724 Armadillo Trail  
Evergreen, CO 80439

-- Ann Willoughby

Advertisements can be placed in the newsletter at the following rates:

**Members:** 1 free ad per year; \$20 per ad per issue after initial ad or \$90 per ad for 6 consecutive issues.

**Non-members:** \$35 per ad per issue or \$200 per ad for 6 consecutive issues.

PSC meets monthly on the second Saturday in Denver and on the third Saturday in Grand Junction.

Yearly Membership Dues of \$25 are payable by December 31 for the next year. Please use the form printed at back of newsletter.

The Newsletter is published every other month. Deadlines for Newsletter items are February 20, April 20, June 20, August 20, October 20, and December 20.

## ADVERTISEMENTS

### PAINTING THE POUFRE IN FORT COLLINS

Join Lorenzo Chavez for a pastel or oil class in Fort Collins this spring and paint the beautiful Cache La Poudre River and its waterways. The class will be plein air, May 15, 16 and 17th, 9 to 4. Lorenzo will demonstrate his pastel methods and help individual students at their easels on site by the Poudre River. \$375.00  
Contact: Diaedwards@cs.com, deposit of \$100.00 to Diane Edwards, 3208 Snowbrush Place, Fort Collins, CO 80521  
970-229-9846.

### WANTED

Pastel artists who can give demonstrations at future PSC meetings in Denver and Grand Junction. Please contact **Gail Posner** at  
303-674-6038

We'd like to offer a big thank you to  
**Rising Graphics & Printing of Evergreen (303-674-7604)**  
for all their hard work, expertise, and caring touch in the production of the PSC newsletter.

## Weehawken Creative Arts

• **Tom Lockhart** June 6—8

• **Sally Strand** Sept 23—27

The Color of Light: Oil & Pastels with Sally Strand

Five fun and intensive days with the 2007 Pastel Society

Hall of Fame Honoree.

**For workshop details or to register :**

**Internet: [www.weehawkenarts.org](http://www.weehawkenarts.org)**

**E-mail: [us@ouraynet.com](mailto:us@ouraynet.com)**

**Phone: 970-626-9737**

**Mail: PO Box 1497**

Located in Beautiful Ouray Colorado

### Assorted pastel sets for sale, CHEAP!

SENNELIER, REMBRANDT, NUPASTEL, SCHMINCKI, 1 set oil pastel, set of 36 Prisma color pencils. Will bring to next east slope meeting in May, or call Donna Lee Clemenson at 303-935-5710.

DENNIS RHOADES will be holding a 3-day workshop Friday June 20th, Saturday June 21st and Sunday June 22nd from 9am to 3pm with a break for whatever you bring for lunch. Drinks will be furnished. Bring landscape reference to paint and an easel. (I have a ton of photos to choose from if you prefer, and 3 easels if you don't have one.) The fee is \$250 per person for the 3 days or \$90/day if you can't make all 3 days. The class is limited to 8 participants, so sign up early by emailing Dennis at [derhoades@earthlink.net](mailto:derhoades@earthlink.net) or calling him at 303.674.3822.

### SAVE THE DATE!

#### Terry Ludwig Pastels 1st Annual Garage Sale!

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303.795.1232

[www.terryludwig.com](http://www.terryludwig.com)

## PBS Art Auction

Thanks to those who donated works for the PBS Channel 6 Art Auction. I was actually volunteering on Saturday night when they presented our works. Aside for the fact that I must have switched one of my donations with my gallery (Why would I put a watercolor in the pastel society "board"?) it was great publicity for PSC. I've been told that "after the dust settles" we'll know how much our pieces sold for. Congratulations to Nancy Wylie who was a featured artist and while I was at the station a whoop went out when her piece had met the valued price. Thanks go to Loraine Trenholm, Diane Edwards, Becky Everitt, Kathy Imel, Diane Wood and Susan McKelvy.

Everyone should think about making a donation next year. It's a great way to get your name and your work in front of a lot of people. Diane Edward's piece was viewed on line 146 times!! That's not counting the people who saw in on TV. It takes a long time to have that many people view your work when it's in a gallery.

## ***THIS AND THAT: News of the Society***

### **Western Slope News:**

For our April 19th. meeting we were delighted to have Terry Ludwig come and paint an awesome pastel portrait from life. He showed us his black stick measuring technique. Thirty three people attended. Most of us scooped up the opportunity to buy his wonderful pastels and got to preview the light set. Thank you Terry.

Next month on Saturday May 17th. we will be watching a DVD by Albert Handel and having some fun munchies. The aprons will make a come back for this event. This will be our last meeting until the annual meeting in September.

Respectfully,  
Bev Lee

### **East Slope News:**

At the March meeting, Jane Christie Evergreen artist, presented a demo on painting snow. She uses Sennelier, Unison blues, and Terry Ludwig warm whites in her snow scenes. She paints on Kitty Wallis Belgium Mist and sometimes uses burnt umber india ink and water wash to tone the paper. When creating her composition and design, she talked about the influence that Steve Tracy has had on her work. The three threes- 3 shapes, 3 sizes, and 3 values which creates "random chaos." Jane establishes her dark shapes first with prussian blue, then moves into her midtone wash using a medium ultramarine blue layering with mars violet. She created an under painting of a warm pink with a turquoise sky, then worked on the foreground with a warmer blue, blending using her fingers and protective gloves. Jane is known for her wonderful snowscapes and participated in the Burst of Color show at the Rotary gallery in

Evergreen. Jane, has studied with Doug Dawson, teaches children's art classes at Evergreen Center for the arts, and is involved with an artist support group in Evergreen called Artists with Altitude.

Marjie Eakin-Petty presented our April demo, and is a friend of Jane Christie and founder of Artists with Altitude in Evergreen. She has studied with Jan Myers, Bruce Gomez and Steve Tracy. Marjie also participated in the Burst of Color Show at the Rotary Gallery in Evergreen. She paints on sanded Stonehenge print making paper. When sanded a fine tooth is created. She simplifies her composition and is drawn to subjects where the dark and light meet to create a center of interest. She demonstrated how she created a tranquil water scene, location at Evergreen Lake. Marjie generally places her focal point in the top third of her painting, and demonstrated how she creates gradient light, going from warm to cool dark blues. Marjie starts with a magenta under painting to establish light in her middle ground blending with pipe insulation as she goes. A pattern of darks is established along the shoreline to create depth and eye catching reflections in the water. She recommended Sennelier blues for deep darks- moving forward from lighter blues to turquoise, to prussian blue. She shared information about her framing process, this particular piece finished by Kathy Beekman, using a file edge, mounted on black/black frame with anti reflective glass. Marjie will have a one woman show at Creekside Winery In Evergreen- May 1st through the 31st.

Both artists work can be found at [www.artistswithaltitude.com](http://www.artistswithaltitude.com).

**The next newsletter deadline is June 20<sup>th</sup>. Please be prompt as I am leaving town and planning a wedding in July. Thanks!- Ann Willoughby [PSCnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:PSCnewsletter@gmail.com)**

## ***Doug Dawson to Receive Pastel Society of America 2008 Hall of Fame Award***

Doug Dawson is one of the founders of the Art Students League of Denver, a member of the "Master Circle" with the International Association of Pastel Societies (Calif.), a "Master Pastelist" with the Pastel Society of America (N.Y.), and a member of the American Watercolor Society (N.Y.). He will be the Pastel Society of America HALL OF FAME 2008 Honoree. The ceremony will take place in New York City on September 14, 2008. You can see his work at [www.dougdawsonartist.com](http://www.dougdawsonartist.com). Congratulations!!!

## ***DON'T MISS THIS GREAT DEAL!***

Hall of Fame Master Pastelist Duane Wakeham is coming to Colorado in August to hold two workshops in conjunction with our national show: a three day "regular" workshop and a two day master class.

The cost for either of these workshops is only \$300 for members. This low, low price makes these workshops an incredible bargain, and is considerably less than comparable workshops featuring nationally known artists of Mr. Wakeham's stature. He creates figure studies and landscapes with nuanced colors and textures and is much in demand as an instructor and juror. During workshops he is particularly committed to working with students at their own level and giving them tips and tools to excel.

We have set the price at only \$300 so that more of our members can participate. Don't miss this opportunity! Look for the registration forms on our website, or contact Jody Freeland at [notraniwsj@yahoo.com](mailto:notraniwsj@yahoo.com) for information.

## Complimentary Colors

### Members in the News

Please send your items via email to: [PSCnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:PSCnewsletter@gmail.com) or by mail to Ann Willoughby, 8724 Armadillo Trail, Evergreen, CO 80439

#### **New Members!**

June Simonton	Grand Junction
Eula Boelke	Grand Junction
Judy Axthelm	Grand Junction
Sherrie Mayotte	Ft Collins
Sue Buckner	Littleton
Peggy Oswald	Grand Junction
Steve Allen	Ft. Collins
Linda Bice	Boulder
Ann Gress	Pine
Janice Copeland	Grand Junction
Marjie Eakin Petty	Evergreen
Emmi Starks	Palisade
Susan Stanton	Grand Junction
Susie Harvin	Palisade

#### **Congratulations!**

**Diane Wood** has two pieces of artwork have been accepted for showing at St. Stephens Art Show 2008 in Longmont and 8 pieces on display at Louisville City Hall in April and May and two pieces of art have been accepted to the National Greeley Art Exhibition Show from May 9 - May 16.. Diane is also one of the Longmont 100 citizens written up in the Longmont 100 Magazine listing diversified persons who might be of interest to the community. She is also showing in the following:

- Peruvian Memories -Cafe Luna, 800 Coffman St.in May
- Eddie's Diner, 103 1/2 No Public Rd., Lafayette in May and June
- Longmont Artist Guild member show at Strawberry Days sponsored by St. Vrain Historical Society Antique Show May 17 and 18 at the Boulder County Fairgrounds in Longmont.
- LAG/BAA Members Show at the Boulder County Fairgrounds. June 12 – 15 with reception and award ceremony on Thursday, June 12 from 5 pm - 9 pm.
- China Connection Show (Memories of her trip to China)
- North Boulder Rec Center, 3170 Broadway in May
- China Connection Show (will be transferred to) East Boulder Community Center, 5660 Sioux Dr., Boulder in June
- Pastel Society of Colorado Members Show at Art on Mountain Gallery, 102 W. Mountain Ave., Fort Collins June 4 -16 - Reception June 6
- One-Woman Show at Longmont Free University in July."The Charms of Switzerland and Southern Italy"

PaintAmerica selected **Heather Coen's** painting "Near Hayden Spires" into the "Top100" for 2007. The painting is touring the United States in 2008 through PaintAmerica. She has also been juried into the following shows:

- Northeast Pastel Association, Old Forge, New York, "Creek Street" Show is open now.
- Hilton Head Art League, Hilton Head Island, South Carolina, "Neighborhood Watch" Show is open now.
- Northern Colorado Art Association 17th National Show. Fort Collins, Colorado. "Well Ironed Table Cloth" Show is open.
- Western Spirit Art Show, Cheyenne, Wyoming. "Three Amigos". She was selected as a "Quick Draw" artist for the opening. Show is open now.

45th National Art Show, Greeley, Colorado. Three pieces accepted: "Arabian Prince" "Road to Long's Peak" "High Country". Show opens in May.

**Kathy Imel** was awarded an Honorable Mention by juror Chuck Ceraso at the "Colorado Visions" exhibit at Westminster City Hall (4800 W. 92nd Avenue). In addition, the sponsoring organization,

the North Metro Arts Alliance, purchased the painting to be added to their permanent collection that is displayed at various public buildings in the **North Metro area**. The show is open to the public and will be up until May 30.

**Marilyn Mull** was awarded First, Second, and Third place for her pastels: "Ready for Harvest, Mexican Hibiscus, Red Cabbage and Friends" at the Wickenburg Art Festival ( Wickenburg, AZ ) at their show held in Feb.2008.

**Teg Matenaer** earned signature for PSC 2008. She is also displayed at the following:

- 2008 April 11 – May 30 "LIFESCAPES" Life and Nature parallels in pastel by Tegwin Matenaer in the Solo Gallery Red Bluff Art Gallery, 516 Walnut St., Red Bluff, CA. [www.RedBluffArtGallery.com](http://www.RedBluffArtGallery.com)
- Mar 7 – April 11 The RED BLUFF ART GALLERY, "Abstract Expressions" group exhibit w/Tegwin Matenaer Original Pastels as "Minimalist vs Abstract"
- May 23 -June "MAGNOLIA MADNESS, Tegs works for: "20/30/30" Thirty Paintings in Thirty Days, Open Juried Exhibit at THE STUDIO EXPERIENCE, 3404 Ste B, Bechelli Lane, Redding, Ca.
- Mar-Jan Walkers Gallery, San Marcos Arts and Activity Center, San Marcos Tx.; "Water Invitational Exhibit"

**Diana Wade** and **Mary Benke** of Loveland have had work juried into the National Greeley Art Exhibition which runs from May 9-16 at the New Frontier Bank in Greeley, Colorado.

**Mary Erickson's** portrait of her granddaughter, Lauren, was juried into the Pastel National 2008, which is being held at the Wichita Center for the Arts, Wichita, Kansas through May 18.

**Fran Cassidy** of Tabernash, CO was awarded Grand Champion ribbons for paintings in each of three categories, pastel, watercolor and mixed media, at the 2007 Middle Park Fair held in Kremmling, CO.

**Sharon Connor** received the Juror's Choice and 1st place award for her "Fractured Flowers" watermedia piece in the Pueblo Art Guild Spring Show. She also received a 2nd place for her pastel "Coming Around the Bend" .

**Gary Huber** of Buffalo, Wyoming took home the Best of Show in Pastel award at the 2008 Western Spirit Art Show held at the Cheyenne Frontier Days Old West Museum in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Gary's paintings may be viewed online at [www.GaryHuberArt.com](http://www.GaryHuberArt.com) and are shown at Foothills Gallery in Sheridan, Wyoming.

**Suki Elisha Strong** of Cedaredge, CO won first place in the Best of Fruit and Wine Industry category at the Palisade Art Lovers 28th Annual Peach Blossom Art Show, Palisade, Colorado, with her painting "Left to Winter". The Judge was Jac Kephart and the show will hang through Sunday the 20th of April. Suki also won a third place in the Animals category for her painting "Three Little Pigs"

The following artists are showing at the Abend Gallery, 2260 East Colfax from April 18<sup>th</sup> to May 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Deborah Bays, Dan Beck, Doug Dawson, Ernie Galegos, Bruce Gomez, Ramon Kelly, Desmond O'Hagan, Connie Renner, Rick Stoner, Clive R. Tyler.**

**Susie Harvin and Yvette Campbell** were awarded the Pastel Society's pastel awards at the Palisade Art Lovers Show and Exhibition April 16th. Susie Harvin has now become a member of the PSC.

## Pastel Society of Colorado Adjustable Bib Apron w/3 Pockets

- \* Color: Stone (tan) with PSC logo in multi-color embroidery of the PSC logo
- \* Heavyweight 7.5-ounce, 65/35 poly/cotton twill
- \* Sliding neck adjustment
- \* 3 patch pockets
- \* Measures 24" W x 34.5" L



Aprons can be purchased for \$20 at either the Front Range or Western Slope meetings. To order by mail, send a check for \$22.50 (includes postage), made out to "Pastel Society of Colorado" to: Kathy Imel, 10374 Julian Court, Westminster, CO 80031. Please include your name, the address where you would like the apron shipped, and a contact number in case we have any questions.

## Pastel Society of Colorado Spring 2008 Members Show Update

Our Spring Members' Show will be at **Art on Mountain Gallery** in Fort Collins! The show will run from June 5 through June 17, 2008. The Reception falls on Fort Collins' "First Friday Art Walk" and people in the area are already used to galleries and shops being open on these nights so we expect a large crowd! We would like to expand the event to have a few artists doing demos outside. The Art on Mountain Gallery will be accepting shipments of work for the show, which should make things easier for some who live farther away (see prospectus for details). We are honored to have **CLIVE TYLER**, nationally acclaimed pastel artist, **judging** the show this year!

The **Art on Mountain Gallery** (970-223-6450) hours will be 10am-6pm weekdays and 10am-8pm Fridays and Saturdays.

### **IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

<i>Tuesday, May 14</i>	<b>Registration forms</b> must be received by Judy Sprague
<i>Friday, May 30</i>	Deadline for arrival of <b>shipped art</b> at Art on Mountain Gallery.
<i>Tuesday, June 3</i>	<b>Drop off art</b> work at Art on Mountain Gallery, Noon to 6pm.
<i>Thursday, June 5</i>	<b>Judging</b>
<i>Friday, June 6</i>	<b>Opening Reception</b> , 6-9pm. <u>Please bring hors-devours.</u>
<i>Tuesday, June 17</i>	<b>Pick up art</b> work 10am-3pm.

Your Co-Chairs this year for this Spring 2008 Members Show are:

*Judy Sprague* ([judycamille@juno.com](mailto:judycamille@juno.com)) - From Greeley, Colorado  
- Prospectus, Newsletter, Website, Entry Form Receipts, Postcards, Advertising

*Deb Mickelson* - ([deb69772@cs.com](mailto:deb69772@cs.com)) - From Laramie, Wyoming  
- Pick up, Drop Off, Reception, Art Tags, Juror Contact, Hanging

*Diane Edwards* - ([diaedwards@cs.com](mailto:diaedwards@cs.com)) - From Ft. Collins, Colorado  
- Gallery liaison (Director of Art on Mountain Gallery),  
Reception, Shipped Paintings, Sales, Arrange Demos

If you are interested in helping in any way please contact any of the above members. We would appreciate local members and local signature members helping with the Pick up, Drop Off, Hanging, and the Reception. It's great to have the show up in our part of Colorado.

**Prospectus is on the website under Call for Entries**

**We have received entries for only 5 members so far so let's get those entries in!!!**

## Workshops

### MAGGIE PRICE

Maggie Price will be giving several workshops in many different locations all over the world including Boulder, CO in August. For more information please go to [www.maggieprice.com](http://www.maggieprice.com).

### LORENZO CHAVEZ

Pastel Landscape in Studio  
October 25,26 - Pueblo  
All levels

This workshop will cover the fundamentals of landscape painting with pastel, including composition, values, masses, focal point, edges, drawing and color. Pastels' consistent colors lend themselves naturally to outdoor studies and indoor studio work. This workshop is for those who already enjoy working with pastel or who desire to experiment with this medium.

Pastel and oil  
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275

Information: Marty Brens  
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[info@artaspens.com](mailto:info@artaspens.com)  
719 545-2795

**JUDY SPRAGUE, PSC**, will be teaching an introductory "Painting in Pastel" course for one hour graduate credit at Western State College June 19 and 20 in Gunnison Colorado. For additional information go to [www.western.edu/extendedstudies](http://www.western.edu/extendedstudies), then the Summer Teacher Institute 2008.

### MARGARET DYER, The Figure in Pastel

In conjunction with an exhibition, Hendersonville, NC  
[www.appalachian-pastel-society.org](http://www.appalachian-pastel-society.org)  
October 4, 5, 6, 2008

### DOUG DAWSON

Little Rock, AK 5/5-5/9 Wiscasset, ME 7/11-7/13  
Kennebunkport, ME 7/14-7/16 Santa Fe, NM 7/21-7/25  
Campobello Is, ME 9/1-9/5 Rochester, NY 9/8-9/12  
Telluride, CO 9/26-9/28 Hilton Head Is, SC 11/3-11/7  
[www.dougawsonartist.com](http://www.dougawsonartist.com)

### MIKE BEEMAN

Using the Quick Pose to Create Character Pastel Portraits  
Wednesday -Friday, June 4 - 6, 2008  
Meets: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
Level: Beg - Adv  
Tuition: \$263 + \$25 model fee

Intro to Pastel Painting  
Meets: Saturdays 1 - 4 pm  
May 3 - 24, 2008  
Instructor: Mike Beeman, PSA  
Level: Beginner - Advance  
Tuition: \$130

<http://lovelandartacademy.org/beeman-3day-quick-pose.htm>

### PASTEL CLASSES AT THE ART STUDENTS LEAGUE.

For more information: [www.asld.org](http://www.asld.org) or call 303-778-6990  
Plein Aire Painting with Oils or Pastels  
Doug Dawson Ability: All Levels  
Session Length: Monthly Ongoing  
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
Dates: September 4-July 31  
Cost: \$100 per month

Pastel and Oil Painting: The Seven Esthetics  
Doug Dawson Ability: All Levels  
Session Length: Monthly Ongoing  
Wednesdays & Fridays, 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
Dates: September 5-May 30  
Cost: \$123 per month

### Cedars Edge Gallery. Classes & Workshops

Our last one was in Goblin Valley Utah. Call 970-856-4616 for more information of up-coming classes and events.

### Websters World 2008 Tours for artists abroad

[www.webstersworld.net](http://www.webstersworld.net)

### MARGARET DYER, The Figure in Pastel

In conjunction with an exhibition, Hendersonville, NC  
[www.appalachian-pastel-society.org](http://www.appalachian-pastel-society.org)  
October 4, 5, 6, 2008

Art in the Aspens Workshops Three great spring workshops coming up soon. Please visit <http://www.pleinairamerica.com> and [www.artaspens.com](http://www.artaspens.com) 719 545-2795

JAN THOMPSON is having three pastel workshops this summer. They will be held in her new workspace over the Lovering/Thompson Gallery 111 N Main in Creede, Colorado. As yet they are not full. Scheduled classes for "Exploring Pastels" will be June 24~26, Aug 19~21 and Sept 9~11 from 9am~3pm. The cost will be \$225 for the 3-day sessions and all skill levels are welcome. For more info email Jan at [jareus@fone.net](mailto:jareus@fone.net). Deposits(\$100) are due by the end of May. Come paint in her beautiful Mountain town. Visit her website at [www.jthompsongallery.com](http://www.jthompsongallery.com) or [www.creede.com](http://www.creede.com) for pics and accommodations

## Workshops (continued)

### **TERRY LUDWIG**

Announcing Terry Ludwig's Workshops & Classes in Littleton,

Terry welcomes you to his new 600 sq. foot teaching studio!

Terry teaches "people" in context with their surroundings in workshops and classes where students work from a live model and photographs. The class includes drawing techniques with an emphasis on obtaining an accurate likeness. He emphasizes starting any painting with a thumbnail and using correct values – not always the correct color.

\* \*All levels welcome.\* \*

\*Weekend Portrait Workshops\*

May 31 & June 1 OR October 18 & 19 \$195.00 + model fee

\*Portrait in Pastels Evening Classes\*

Tuesdays, May 6-27 6:30-9:30 p.m.

Tuesdays, June 3-24 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Tuesdays, July 8-29 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Tuesdays, August 5-26 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.

\$105.00/4 weeks + model fee when applicable

\*Contact Terry Ludwig Pastels to enroll.\*

303.795.1232 or 1.888.795.1232

info@terryludwig.com <mailto:info@terryludwig.com>

Or visit [www.terryludwig.com](http://www.terryludwig.com)

<<http://www.terryludwig.com/>> for more information.

**Terry will also have these 2 guest artist workshops**

### **Dianna Ponting, SFCA, MPAC, PPC, PSA**

July 12 & 13 - \$225.00

LEARN FROM CANADA'S PREMIER PASTELIST

Visit Dianna's website to experience her luscious still life works and amazing nature settings. Dianna will share with you over 25 years of experience.

Phone: 604-856-2063 Email: [ponting@ponting.com](mailto:ponting@ponting.com)

Web: [www.ponting.com](http://www.ponting.com)

### **Dodie Ballantine**

Pastel Portraiture from Resource Photos: Creating better art from resources. Dodie is a true master of the art of portraiture - visit her website for an in depth tour of her work.

July 19 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Phone: 1.800.381.8191

Email: [DodieB@cox.net](mailto:DodieB@cox.net) :Web: [www.dodieballantine.com](http://www.dodieballantine.com)

### **KATHY BEEKMAN**

Exploring Pastel Painting

At the Terry Ludwig Studio

Sunday, June 22nd, 12 pm – 3 pm

Fee \$45

The statement "I wish I could paint" really means I wish I could convey through painting how I feel about what I am seeing. This class is designed to suit the beginner and the continuing student. Kathy introduces beginners to the world of pastel painting and helps to extend continuing students' range of skills. The instructor will demonstrate pastel techniques that will include blending colors and using different types of paper to gain different results. The focus will be landscape paintings, and students are invited to bring in photos or book images of landscapes. PLUS, we will be at the Terry Ludwig Studio where there will be hundreds of freshly made pastel sticks in a variety of colors. These pastel sticks will be available for purchase during class. Please contact Kathy Beekman to register for this class 303-868-7160.

### **THE ART COLONY in Grand Junction**

Saturday Coaching Session

Beginning the first week of June, artists working in pastel or oil at any level can sign up for 4 weeks of coaching in a weekly 3 hour session, Saturdays from 10-1. Cost is \$80, 10 easel spaces available, series is offered in a different 4-week session each month. Subjects addressed can include any aspect of creating or marketing art. Payment required with reservation. Coach: Sara Oakley.

Thursday Open Studio

Beginning the first week in June, artists are invited to join the painters in The Art Colony Thursdays, 1-4, in an un-coached Open Studio. Cost is \$10, easel provided, reservations are accepted by the month only, otherwise first come, first served. 10 easel spaces available. All media welcome, but please keep your kit compact. The atmosphere is friendly, the music is grand and the atmosphere is lively, but please remember that your fellow artists are there to work.

Intermediate to Advanced Painting Series

Hone your skills as a working artist with this intensive series of 5 one-day workshops to be offered at The Art Colony, on the 2nd Sunday of each month, July through November, 10-5pm, cost \$52 per person. You must sign up for the whole series, cost is \$260, payable with reservation, but pro-rations may be offered if all easels are not spoken for in advance. Study subjects include Color, Understanding and Pushing Composition, Line & Stroke, Values as a Design Tool, Developing a Personal Style. Information is in-depth and hands-on so you will be painting and practicing, best media is pastel or oil, but experienced watercolorists or acrylic artists are also welcome.

For any of the above, contact Sara Oakley at [saraalynoakley@msn.com](mailto:saraalynoakley@msn.com).

The Art Colony is a studio cooperative with 20 working artists, located at 565 25 Road, Suite A106, Grand Junction, CO 81505.

## Call for entries:

### CALL FOR ARTISTS

#### The Stanton Art Gallery

in the Town Hall Arts Center,  
located in historic downtown Littleton calling  
individual artists or groups to display their art  
during the Performing Arts 2008 season.

Download an application at  
[www.townhallartscenter.com](http://www.townhallartscenter.com) -- click on Stanton Art  
Gallery.

You may also call Becky Lucas, 303-470-0131.

#### Pastel Society of Colorado Spring 2008 Member's Show

June 5-June 17, 2008 Ft. Collins, CO

[www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org](http://www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org)

#### Pastel Journal Pastel 100 Competition

[www.artistsnetwork.com/pasteljournalcompetition/](http://www.artistsnetwork.com/pasteljournalcompetition/)

#### Pastel Society of New Mexico's National Pastel Exhibition

Call For Entries: Digital entries due August 16th, 2008.

Pastel Society of New Mexico's 17th Annual National Pastel  
Painting Exhibition, November 7th - 25th, 2008. Expo New  
Mexico, Albuquerque, NM. Judge: Shiela Reiman. Jurors: Bill  
Hosner, Ned Mueller and Bob Rohm. Cash and merchandise  
awards approx. \$10,000. Work must be original and at least 80%  
soft pastel. Maximum 3 digital entries, \$30/members, \$35/non-  
members. Prospectus on website: [www.pastelsnm.org](http://www.pastelsnm.org) or send  
SASE to: PSNM, PO Box 3571, Albuquerque, NM 87190-3571

#### International Association of Pastel Societies 12<sup>th</sup> Exhibition

Hosted on the IAPS web site

Slide due date August 8, 2008

[www.pastelinternational.com](http://www.pastelinternational.com)

#### Mile High National 2008

Pueblo Colorado, August 17-October 24, 2008

Slide deadline June 20, 2008

[www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org](http://www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org)

#### Bosque Conservatory Art Council, Clifton TX

September 20-28, 2008

Online, CD or slides due June 14, 2008

[www.bosqueconservatory.com](http://www.bosqueconservatory.com)

#### IAPS 2009 Calendar Competition

The International Association of Pastel Societies is creating an  
18-month IAPS Calendar. This competition is open to all IAPS  
member societies. Members are invited to select one image  
from among their membership and enter it for judging for the  
calendar.

[www.pastelinternational.com/events/calendar\\_competition\\_2009.pdf](http://www.pastelinternational.com/events/calendar_competition_2009.pdf)

If you know of a juried competition you think the PSC members  
would like to enter please send the following info to Ann Willoughby  
at [PSCnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:PSCnewsletter@gmail.com), our newsletter editor:

Name of exhibition with location and dates

Deadline for submissions

Website or address to obtain prospectus

Bear in mind that the deadline for the newsletter is the 20<sup>th</sup> of the  
month prior to bi-monthly publication. We get the newsletter out the  
first week of the month so if the deadline is close ask her to send an  
"email blast" and Karl will put it on the website.

#### Seventh Biennial Catalog Cover Competition

Announcing the 7th Cover Competition for the 2009 Biennial  
Convention.

[www.pastelinternational.com/events/iapscover7thentry.pdf](http://www.pastelinternational.com/events/iapscover7thentry.pdf) Pastel  
Society of the Northern Rockies

Multiple Gallery Extravaganza to be held in four galleries in  
Loveland Colorado

June 13-July 10, 2008

Loveland, CO

Registration deadline: May 1, 2008

Online: [www.psnr.net](http://www.psnr.net) or email [cherryart@cableone.net](mailto:cherryart@cableone.net).

#### Appalachian Pastel Society

October 3-November 22, 2008 Hendersonville, NC

Deadline for CD entered August 1<sup>st</sup>

Prospectus Avail in May [www.appalachian-pastel-society.org](http://www.appalachian-pastel-society.org)

#### Online opportunity [www.terminartors.com](http://www.terminartors.com)

Many artshows, juried exhibitions and competitions are listed on:  
[www.artshow.com](http://www.artshow.com). There are links to the organizations to obtain  
the prospectus

#### 2008 Exhibition of the Appalachian Pastel Society

Best of Show prize \$1000 cash!

Juror: Margaret Dyer

[www.margaretdyer.com](http://www.margaretdyer.com)

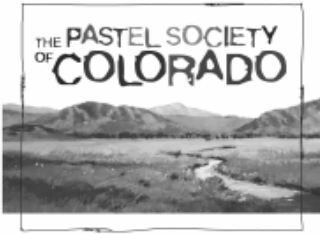
Opening Reception is October 3, 2008. The show runs to  
November 22, 2008 at the Gallery of the Arts Council of  
Henderson County, 538 N. Main Street, Hendersonville, NC,  
28739.

The deadline for CD entries is August 1st, 2008. Instruction for  
making a CD can be found at [www.appalachian-pastel-  
society.org/HowToCreateCDsForArtShowEntry.pdf](http://www.appalachian-pastel-society.org/HowToCreateCDsForArtShowEntry.pdf)

Other prizes include cash for top awards, pastel sets and other  
awards donated by pastel product suppliers.

A Prospectus a will be available on the APS website May 1,  
2008.

[www.appalachian-pastel-society.org/](http://www.appalachian-pastel-society.org/). For more information  
contact Kay Gordon, (828) 649-3363



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Would you prefer to receive the newsletter in electronic version?     YES     NO

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Please send this form along with your check for **\$25** made out to **PASTEL SOCIETY OF COLORADO** to:  
Penny Creasy, 2177 Meadows Court, Grand Junction, CO 81503