



WATAUGA VALLEY ART LEAGUE

May 2015

Watauga Valley Art League Annual Picnic
Sunday, May 17, 2015, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Tipton-Haynes Historical Site



The Watauga Valley Art League will have their Annual Picnic Sunday, May 17, 2015, Tipton-Haynes Historical Site, from 9:00 am until 4:00 pm. There will be plein air painting and art demonstrations by several artists. Contact Judy O'Hara at (423) 833-5525 or email at EltonOHara@ymail.com

"Knowledge is never complete! The true artist is always the student!!"
--Edgar Payne

Some of the WVAL artists' artwork may be seen at www.wataugavalleyartleague.com. For more information about the meeting or WVAL please contact Ed Puhr at (423) 467-4285.

***** Dues for 2015: \$33 per person and \$45 per couple and \$18 per art student *****
\$15.00 after July 1st

Mail to: **Watauga Valley Art League, PO Box 2177, Johnson City, TN 37605**

*****For your convenience, all forms and applications are in PDF Format and can be downloaded and printed from the WVAL Website*****

Please check us out at WWW.WataugaValleyArtLeague.com and WWW.Facebook.com/WataugaValleyArtLeague

Any WVAL Member interested in having their profile art portfolio placed on the WVAL Website or Facebook Page, please submit a short biography along with several samples of artwork to WVAL@WataugaValleyArtLeague.com.

Schedule of WVAL Events for June & July 2015

Tuesday, May 11.....Board Meeting at Johnson City Community Center/Senior Center
Sunday, May 17.....Annual Picnic at Tipton-Haynes Historical Park
Sunday, June 7.....Deadline for submitting application for Summer Show and Judged Show
Tuesday, June 15.....Board Meeting
Saturday, June 20.....General Membership Meeting
Tuesday, June 23.....Bring artwork to Sycamore Shoals 9am to 12pm to be judged
Wednesday, June 24.....Artwork will be judged by Val Lyle
Thursday, June 25.....Set up for Summer Art Show, 9am
Friday, June 26 & Saturday, June 27.....Hang artwork for Summer Art Show
Sunday, June 28.....Artist's Reception, 1:30pm to 4pm
Sunday, June 28 to July 26.....Summer Art Show
Tuesday, July 28.....Remove artwork & dismantle racks for transport

*******Judy O'Hara Will be displaying her artwork at the Jonesborough Visitor Center during the month of May*******

*****Michelle Warner will be doing a workshop in Kingsport May 14 to 15, 2015. The medium used will be oil*****

Art Classes:

URBAN BIRD: Morning art class - TUES. 9 AM; evening art class – Tues. 6:30 PM. All media & all levels. \$30.00 for 8 wks. At Kiwanis Park,

- W. Market St., Johnson City. New classes every 8 wks. Call Urban at 743 4950.
- ART HOLSCLOW Basic Acrylics – Weds 12:30-2:30 at the Community Ctr. Call Art 543-6676 for details
- JUDY O'HARA Acrylic Courses – Please contact her at 833-5525 or judyohara@ymail.com
- LINDA CAMPBELL for class info 477-8196
- KEN SIMMELINK: Open painting and critique, Mondays 12:30 to 2:30 at the Senior Center.



Reminder: The next board meeting is May 11, 2015 and Annual Picnic is Sunday, May 17, 2015 at Johnson City Memorial Park Community Center.

Should anyone have a DVD from the WVAL Library, please return it at the next general membership meeting so the librarian can have an accurate inventory.

Watauga Valley Art League General Membership Meeting April 18, 2015

10:30 am – Fellowship and art critique of participating members.

Ed puhr opened the meeting at 11:00 am with a quote by George Lois: “Creativity can solve almost any problem. The creative act, the defeat of habit by originality, overcomes everything.” Ed called for the acceptance of the minutes from the March meeting; the motion was made by Nyela Cohoon with a second by Kimberly Anderson that the minutes be accepted as written and the motion carried. The WVAL Annual Picnic will be May 17, 2015 at Tipton-Haynes Historic Park. Art in the Park at the Community Center turned out to be a good venue, not a large number of people showed up but a few things did sell. The Memorial Center gave WVAL three tables for art exhibits and demonstrations.

Monique Carr will be showing in Abingdon, VA this next month and there will be a reception this next Sunday 2 – 4 pm. Please check out the bulletin board in the back of the room for upcoming events. The Summer Show will be coming up June 28 to July 26, 2015. All members should check the membership list for any errors in name, address, phone number or email address. The 1986 scrap book is still missing and if anyone knows where it would be please let Ed know. We are still in need of a hospitality coordinator, if anyone is interested then let Ed know.

Judy O'Hara – There are currently 19 members signed in and 5 visitors. Than annual picnic will be held on Sunday, May 17 from 9 am to 4 pm at Tipton Haynes Historical Park. We are in need of hospitality volunteers. There will be artists doing plein air painting and we are in need of volunteers to do other art demonstrations. There are two cards being circulated, 1 is for Sharon Neuhaus and the other for Brenda Wallace. Michelle Warner will have a workshop in Kingsport May 14 and 15, the medium will be oil.

Ann Brumback – We are still missing several DVDs.

Don Gotterbarn – There are no issues or complaints.

Ann Brumback is the member artist for show and tell and talked about yupo painting.

Susan Donner introduce the guest speaker, Bess Crider. Beth presented sides and demonstrated the use of icons.

Meeting adjourned at 12:21 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Elton O'Hara.