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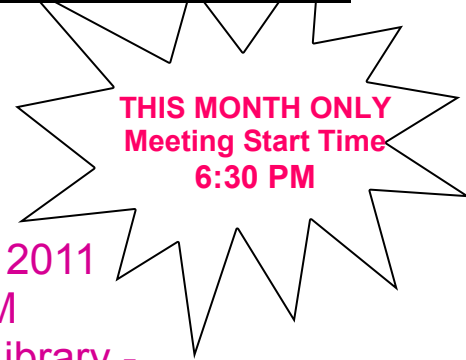
Sketchpad



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**“Cascading Water”
to be demonstrated by Priscilla Krejci**



**Tuesday, October 18, 2011
6:30 - 8:45 PM
Richardson Public Library -
Basement Meeting Room**

“I love to watch colors collide and water change a simple brush stroke into a new and exciting form. Integrating these wonderful happenings into a finished painting is all part of the excitement of a watercolor painting.”

Priscilla Krejci, originally from Long Island, New York, has lived in Texas for the last 30 years and resides in Allen. She pursued a career as a registered nurse and kept artistic endeavors secondary until painting consumed more and more of her time.

Her work is mainly impressionistic and includes a variety of subject matter influenced by travels at home and abroad, everyday life in Texas and her experiences in nursing.

Priscilla is a signature member of the American Watercolor Society, Southwestern Watercolor Society and the Western Federation of Watercolor Societies. Her work has been selected in regional, national and international shows including Rocky Mountain Watermedia Exhibition, American Watercolor Society, International Watercolor Exhibition—Nigara, Japan, Watercolor USA and Watercolor Without Boundaries. Texas-Italy and local Texas exhibitions.

Her work has been included in the books: “Best of Watercolor—Painting Composition,” “Best of Watercolor—Painting Light and Shadow” and “People in Watercolor,” and the 2001 and 2004 summer issues of “International Artist.”



Pink Roses



Courthouse Porch



Sprucing Up



Art Demonstrations & Workshop Schedule

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MEETING DEMONSTRATORS

General Meeting Art Demonstrations are 6:45 - 9:00 p.m.
Third Tuesday of the month, September through May
Basement Meeting Room, Richardson Public Library

DATE	ARTIST	MEDIUM
September	Cathy Cotter-Smith	Watercolor Demo
October	Priscilla Krejci	Watercolor Demo
November	Janis Krendick	Pastel Demo
December	Maureen Brouillette	Christmas Party Critique
January	Rusty Jones	Oil Demo
February	Cecy Turner	Watercolor demo
March	Darnell Jones	Oil emo
April	Dr. Jerry McGrew	Life Drawing emo
May	Dave Kramer	Oil Demo

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

All Workshops are held at the Artist's Showplace Gallery
9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Spanish Village, SW Corner of Coit & Arapaho
Phone: 972-233-1223

DATE	ARTIST	MEDIUM
October 21st & 22nd	Priscilla Krejci	Watercolor
March 2nd & 3rd	Cecy Turner	Oil
April 20-21	Dr. Jerry McGrew	Drawing

Member Happenings

Ron Stever, RCAS treasurer, watercolor painting "Early Morning at the Mill" won first place in the professional category in a art contest sponsored by American Airlines. It hung first in the corporate AA headquarters near DFW Airport and now it is currently hanging with all the other corporate works in Northpark Mall in a group near Macy's (bottom level) towards Dillard's

Helen Bailey won the Fine Art Center Award for her picture, "Ready to Win" at the Breckenridge 20th Annual Juried Art Show. The show will hang through the month of September in Breckenridge, TX. Her picture was the only colored pencil one to win an award.

WOW

An Exhibition
of
Original Art
Presented by
The Women
of

Watercolor On Wednesdays

October 2, 2011 – November 26, 2011

Renner Frankford Branch Library
Community Room

6400 Frankford Road 75252
(214) 670-6100

Reception Saturday, October 8, 2:30 – 5:00pm

(Take-In Saturday, October 1, 10:00 – Noon
Take-Down Monday, November 28, 10:00 – Noon)

Six of the members of this group belong to RCAS: Barbara Mussett, Judy Stubbs, Jacki Johnston, Elsie Hicks, Marilyn Keiffer and Betty Peck. Betty Peck is a current member of the Richardson Arts Council.

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Show Chairpersons

Membership Show	Judy Luer
Young People's Show	Debbie Langham
50 + Show	Linda Ferguson
Regional Show	Pete Quaid

RCAS is currently in need of a secretary. Please contact Susan Martin if you would like to volunteer.

In Memoriam

Sadly, we must report the
Passing of RCAS member
Evelyn Beck.

Evelyn, a long-time member of RCAS, has held many positions over the years, including that of President in 1993-1994. She also chaired many shows, as well as entering them and winning a number of awards.

PAINTING OF THE MONTH WINNERS



The May Winners

- 3rd Place Betty Anderson
"Magnolia" — Watercolor
2nd Place Pete Quaid
"Standard Equipment" -- Oil
1st Place Toni Wengler
"We Are Not Alone" — Colored Pencil



The September Winners

- 1st Place Betty Anderson
"Wild Roses" W/C on Yupo
2nd Place Rosalinda Trevino Stone
"Shady Bovines" -- Oil
3rd Place Barbara Mussett — Collage

Our new season opened with a bang as RCAS' talented pool of artists return. Many thanks for the wonderful participation in our September Painting of the month exhibition.

And many thanks as well for the continued support of our friends from Asel Art Supply and Artists Showplace. Their contributions to our show and display opportunity enable us to reward the efforts of our members.



May Demonstration
Missey Soffey Andrews
Watermedia



September Demonstration
Cathy Cotter-Smith
"Embossed Watercolor"

OCTOBER WORKSHOP

Priscilla Krejci

October 21 – 22

Waterfalls Watercolor Workshop

9:30am — 3:30pm

Artist's Showplace

COST: Members \$110

Non-Members \$150

Non-refundable Deposit

Members \$55 Non-Members \$75

Deposits can be sent to Carol Powell
5012 Hudson Drive Plano, TX 75093.

When sending in the deposit check, please
include your email address and phone number



“Cascading Water”

Further information and to sign in

Contact Carol Powell 972-250-4814
cdpowell67sbcglobal.net

or

Dianna Powrie 972-699-7629

CRITIQUE CORNER

Bring your “Work in Progress” in at
5:45 or just come to watch

This month only - starting at 5:45pm

Critique Corner was an addition to the 2010-2011 RCAS general meetings. We started with only a few brave participants, growing throughout the year. Its purpose is for those who have a work "in progress" and would like positive feedback from the gathered group. We have an RCAS member "discussion leader" to facilitate comments. All artists love a conversation about art!! So be a person in need of critique on a work OR just an interested participant. Remember, we're all still learnin' and need positive suggestions, even the experienced artists. Join the group and bring a painting (only one, please) Tuesday, October 18 at 5:45 for the Critique Corner.

Artist's Showplace

15615 Coit Road, #230, Dallas, TX 75248
Gallery hours: 10AM to 6PM, Tues.- Sat.

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Letter from the President — Susan Martin



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IT'S TIME FOR....
..... for our annual MEMBERSHIP SHOW!!

TAKE IN October 8, 10:00 – 12:00. Please, RCASers – No early or late arrivals, BUT please bring 2 creations!! This should be our BEST show ever! Beautiful paintings hanging on our super steel hooks! What a relief not to have to gouge those drapery hooks into the panel coverings. Award presentation at the demo meeting, Tuesday, October 18. at 6:30 pm.....

For our **Fall Paint Out** – Saturday, October 15. Check your RCAS Art News email from Brenda for details. Those without email, choose any site but we recommend 2 interesting shopping centers – NE corner of Coit and Campbell or Canyon Creek Center, one block north of Custer and Lookout - both in Richardson (naturally, to advertise RCAS!)

Speaking of the Paint Out, we will have inviting donated signs designed by one of our new members telling who we are and what we're doing as we're painting. Join us afterwards, too, for the gathering **“To snack, view and visit”** at 3:00pm in the Children's room (1st floor) of Richardson Library, for a vote by your peers for the People's Choice Award!!

Pick up one or several of our **new brochures** at the next meeting. (I'll have some at the Paint Out!) Pass them out to friends and relatives – this brochure includes information all about RCAS, a membership form, the demo/workshop schedule for 2011-2012, and examples of our art and a demonstration. Everything you ever wanted to know in a beautiful package.



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