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GUILD NEWS + EVENTS

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Complexity of Copyright

Because of the growth of AI in all areas of our lives, I have been asked about the Guild's position on copyright, and what is permissible. Firstly, I am not a lawyer, and if you want reliable legal advice, you should get advice from a competent copyright lawyer.

However, there are some general principles which you should be aware of. Most nations are signatories to the Berne Convention, this was a convention convened specifically to provide an international legal agreement for copyright claims.

Rather than bore you with the details, I will use an example to illustrate the complexity and problems faced by artists.

The question is, "Can I take pictures of the Eiffel Tower?"

The Berne Convention was in 1924. They determined that any item which was already on the public domain at that time, was exempt from their laws. The tower was built in 1887. So it seems you can take pictures of the tower. But in 1985 lights were added to the tower and the lighting design was copyrighted, so under copyright law, it is illegal to take pictures of the Tower at night. The



Sam Barber, President

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tower is exempt, but the lights are not.

So why are there over 24 million images on the web showing the tower at night? Although it is illegal; the cost in legal challenges and the public relations nightmare which would follow and such action would be devastating. So they chose not to enforce this regulation. But the warning for artists is, just because we see lots of images of a specific structure or item, it doesn't mean it is legal to create an image of it.

My intent was that the conclusion is that it is almost impossible to determine if copyright restrictions are in force, because of the complicated way they can be enforced.

So maybe something like: without specific legal opinions it is almost impossible to be certain what copyright limits apply.

Guild Red Cliff Gallery

PORTALS AND PATHPAYS ART SHOW

The PORTAL AND PATHWAYS art show will be May 9 through June 19. Artists' Reception is May 9, from 6 to 8pm. There will be ribbons and cash prizes for artwork, door prizes, food and refreshments. Public is invited.

Art drop-off is Wednesday May 7, from 9am to 1pm at Red Cliff Gallery. Pre-register online up to May 7 on our Show Pre-Pay page. On drop-off day, all registrations are encouraged to be either cash or check as it speeds up the lines. Click on the application for the show, at right, to print.

The Paintings of Markus Whetzel will be featured artist during the Portals and Pathways art show. (see Best of Show winning image for "Bountiful Harvest" at right). Gallery hours are M-F 9am to 5pm and Sat 12 noon to 4pm.



Portals & Pathways

May 9 through June 19, 2025 Monday to Friday 9am-5pm & Saturday Noon-4pm Artists Reception and Awards May 9, from 6-8pm





The "My Favorite Things" art show ends on March 27. Art pick up for that show is Friday, March 28 from 9am to 1pm.

Washington County School District Art Show

Please come and view the great art created by our Washington County School District students at Red Cliff Gallery from April 2 to April 23. Hours are 9am to 5pm, M-F. There are no Saturday hours for this show. For more information about the show you can contact <u>Stacie Bowden</u> at 435-673-3553 x4097.

UPCOMING EVENTS

ART IN THE COURTYARD, Saturday, May 24, from 1 pm to 4 pm. Text Michael Grefe at 435-359-7854 or email the gallery if you want to attend. There are 15 spaces left to show your artwork.

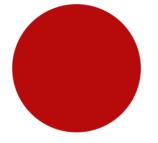
Come early and visit our Art Supply Swap Meet during Art in the Courtyard. Bring supplies with you loved once and now want to share. Pick up something you always wanted to try like that fan brush to create waves or those oil sticks

Next Red Cliff Gallery WORKSHOP is Saturday, June 19th from 1 pm to 3 pm. Presentation will go over "How to Design a Painting" with Michael Grefe. Michael will go over creating a successful drawing to start your painting. Topics include composition, light and shadow, atmospheric perspective and major and minor focal points. Michael will also go over thumbnail designs, and black and white a color roughs.





SOLD RED CLIFF GALLERY



Guild Arrowhead Gallery

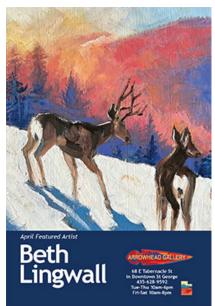
April Artist of the Month

Beth Lingwall

Beth was born and raised in Salt Lake City and moved with her husband and children to Washington, Utah in 1984. Beth has always loved music and art so living here has been great because of all the opportunities. She learned to oil paint in High School and a few painting classes in College, along with focusing on illustration. Beth loves experimenting with all mediums but oil is her favorite. She enjoys trying her hand with the palette knife and painting on all sizes of sizes of canvas.

When she joined the Washington City Arts Council a few years ago she was really motivated to paint and she enjoyed the classes offered there. Southern Utah Art Guild has group art critiques and demonstrations which she also enjoyed. Every artist has their own unique way of seeing the world. Painting is a passion, a hobby, a joy, and for her a continual learning process.











Arrowhead Offers Shipping

Arrowhead now has a shipping partner so customers can pay for shipping and we will do the rest.

Show Your Work

Arrowhead gallery has space for more artists. Please <u>email</u> or call the gallery for more information.



SOLD ARROWHEAD GALLERY

Jerome Quenneville, Cheryl Sachse (2), Bryan Thompson (2), Teri McHale (2), Anita Gardner (2), Leslie Murphy(2), Marcia Goates (4), William Darling, Ken Church, Scott Dehart, Beth Lingwall, Laura Keller, Sue Kroll

Guild Art Programs

Member Meet, Mingle and Demo

Wednesday, April 9 @ 5:30pm

Joyce Casey Demonstration

Joyce will be talking about and demonstrating her unique process of colored glass mosaic.

Demo location (this time only)Arrowhead Gallery Lower Level
All are Welcome - no RSVP needed







Last Month's Demo

Marilyn Rose's demo was an informative, fun and a crowded success. Around 20 + artists attended.







DAYTIME Member Meet + Mingle. Everyone invited.

Monday, May 13th @ 12:30pm

Refreshments served Prepare to share your favorite ART TIP OR ART HACK!

Art Supply Swap Meet

Saturday, May 24 in conjunction with Art in the Courtyard 1 to 4pm

Buy, sell, swap art supplies you don't use anymore!

Red Cliff Gallery RSVP to Colleen

SAVE THE DATE - Join Us for a Paint Out in June

Monday, June 16 @ 10am-5pm

Create any kind of art, all day with your friends!

Location TBD RSVP to Colleen

Children's Art Teacher Needed!

The Guild would like to begin offering children's art classes. If you are interested, please email <u>Colleen</u>.



Art Programs: SubClubs

WaterColor SubClub

1st and 3rd Tuesday @ 3 to 5pm April 1st and April 15

A creative community for artists of all levels who love exploring the beauty and versatility of watercolor. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced painter, join us for inspiring

sessions, and a supportive space to share your work, experiment, and grow as an artist.

Leader: Deena Millecam

Red Cliff Gallery 220 N 200 E in St. George



Urban Sketchers SubClub

Saturday, April 26 @ 10am

COME Sketch with us!

Nisson Park: Car Show / Cotton Days 30 S 200 W in Washington, UT 84780 (If inclement weather is predicted, we will provide an alternative site)

Nisson Park in Washington (right next to the Star Nursery on Telegraph St) is the location for the classic car show, a part of the Washington City Cotton Days celebration. There's a lot going on for Cotton Days (parade, games, music, heritage show, etc), all along Telegraph. Parking lot may fill up, but side streets have curb parking. There are picnic tables; however, it may be wise to bring your own chair. Our meeting time is earlier as the weather may heat up. Suggestions for future sketching on location are welcome. Be part of an international phenomenon!

If you have questions, contact Tina Stergios (text message preferred) @ 702-538-0290.







Photography SubClub

Thursday, March 27 at 6pm St George Library downstairs

As part of our effort to get to know one-another better, bring 5 to 10 of your favorite pictures as examples of the images that you like to take. So we can project them, they should be on a flash drive, in JPEG format, and not larger than

1080 pixels high and 1920 pixels wide.

The first meeting of the photo Sub Club was held February 11th at the St George library, 15 members attended, James Mildice the chair led a discussion focusing on the plans and needs of the group. We had full participation from the members and are looking forward to our next meeting to expand and implement a program to accommodate the interests of the group. Members and friends are welcome to join us at our next meeting.

To join or express interest, email photography@SouthernUtahArtGuild.com



Colored Pencils SubClub

1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month April 2nd and 16th @11am

The Colored Pencil Club in St. George welcomes anyone with a desire to practice their colored pencil skills. Our goal is to promote and encourage the art of colored pencil painting. All levels of artists are welcome, no prior experience necessary. Bring a project in the works or start a new one. We share tips, techniques and strategies.

Gentry Music + Art 14 N 70 E in St George (corner of Tabernacle + University)

For more information, contact Chris Hale @ colored.pencils@SouthernUtahArtGuild.co m



Artist: Annette Trunnell

Thursday, April 24 @ 11am

Procreate sub club welcomes anyone with a desire to learn about or practice their procreate skills. Our goal is to promote and encourage the art of iPad painting. This is an open meeting where we share what we have learned and see what others have created. This month we will explore making flowers. An Apple Pencil and Procreate app are recommended.

I have added the use of a television monitor to all procreate meetings and classes. This has helped tremendously allowing everyone to see what is going on.

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For more information, contact Kari Frymier @ procreate@SouthernUtahArtGuild.com



Guild News























Use your camera APP. View the QR and click on the yellow url to Join the Art Guild

Friday and Saturday April 18 + 19, 2025 Friday 10am to 7pm Saturday 10am to 6pm

Visit Our Southern Utah Art Guild Booth

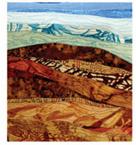
The Art Guild supports all local artists, from those who are interested in displaying their work - at our non-juried Red Cliff Gallery and our juried Arrowhead Gallery - to those who enjoy creating art, learning, and socializing with other artists. We also hold workshops, classes, demonstrations, and outdoor events.



















ART ATTACK RACE

Saturday Morning April 19 1K and 5K races start at 9am

Awards (medals, socks, and art donated by the Art Guild) will be given to first place finishers in each category.

Free Children's art activities. Children will also receive bobble heads.

Sponsored by Southern Utah Art Guild.

Creating an Effective Bio

by Mara Blackwood Red Dot Blog article



Ray Campeau at Red Cliff Gallery

Artist and Gallery Owner from Bozman, Montana, discussed his Gallery and

his life as an artist. This meeting was well-attended.





Calendar on Website

Did you know you can find items of interest on the Calendar/Events page of our website?
https://southernutahartguild.com/calendar-events/

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Guild Membership

JOIN or RENEW TODAY for \$35/YR

New Members: Samara DiMouro, Jim Eichoff, Susan Eichoff, Robert Larson, Kelly McDonald, Jean Sudbury, Will Wright

Renewing Members: Christine Hale, Teresa Larsen, Michael Larsen, Linnie Aikens Lindsay, Marsha Mugaas, Tracy Thuringer

Students: Judy Harlin, Noelle Kershaw

Your membership comes due one year from when you last paid.

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HUB EVENTS

HUB: Local Art Organizations and Businesses



Come Connect with new art loving friends. Connect is a free Pop-Up Art Exhibit held every First Friday from 5:30-7pm at the St George Art Museum. It is for artists of all levels and art lovers in general. You can bring a piece or two or just come and enjoy new friendships and opportunities. At the end we vote on our favorite pieces. Connect winners show their piece all month at Oasis Gardens Gallery.

St George, UT





4th annual St. George Plein Air Festival April 7-12, 2025 | St. George, UT

Experience the beauty of Southern Utah through the eyes of talented plein air artists as they paint on location throughout the region.

Public Events - Free Admission

- Paint Out Watch artists at work
 Red Hills Desert Garden | April 8, 9 AM Noon
- Closing Exhibit & Sale View and purchase original paintings
 Social Hall | April 12, 3-6 PM

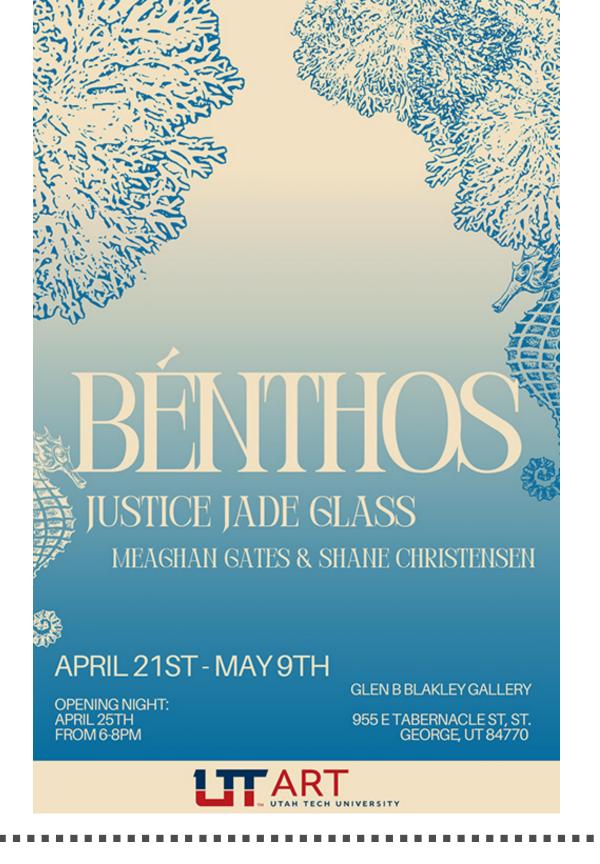
For details, visit www.artprovides.org

DEENA MILLECAM

April 2025









Celebrating Art, Music & Community



Saturday, April 5, 2025

6:00-7:30 PM • Free Public Event

Heritage Hall, Washington, UT

(Old Gym) at Telegraph & Main St. behind the Museum

Experience an unforgettable evening with breathtaking new works by renowned artist Del Parson, remarks by Mayor Staheli, and a celebration of local talent in art and music. Enjoy light refreshments, meet the new WCAC Board Members, and discover exciting plans for the future of the arts in Washington!



Celebrate Spring with an Artistic Twist

Immerse yourself in the vibrant local art scene while enjoying light refreshments and live music. You'll have the chance to admire stunning artwork and connect with the talented artists who call Washington County home. Washington Mayor Kress Staheli will deliver remarks during the formal program. This event is supported by Washington City RAP Tax and is free and open to the public.



New options to be creative and build your artistic skills at MakeSpace in beautiful Kayenta in Ivins. Check out the variety of classes now available by <u>visiting</u> for more information or to enroll. See a few highlights below:

Watercolor Painting: 4-Week Series / Michael Tabor 4/9, 4/16, 4/23, and 4/30 @ 9am - 12pm

Come and be part of this vibrant group of watercolor painters and enjoy the community at MakeSpace. Are you finding it hard to dedicate time to painting or need a place to paint? The Watercolor Studio Class is the solution. Each student works at their own pace, learning from Michael through demonstrations and personal guidance as well as from one another. Class time will include painting from images of your choice, instructor led demonstrations and in class critique. This class is perfect for students that have prior experience with watercolor painting and are interested in furthering their skills.



Fun with Acrylic Pour / Darcy Lee Saxton April 12 (Saturday) @ 10am - 1pm

Join us for an afternoon of art exploration as we learn the basics of working with fluid acrylic. This mesmerizing medium is wonderful for anyone wanting to try something new and get their creative juices flowing. In this class, we will overview composition and color as we create three small acrylic pour paintings. All ability levels are welcome, and no prior experience is necessary! Walk away with beautiful high gloss acrylic paintings to keep or gift, plus the know-how to do it all again! All supplies provided.



Pyrography: Learn the Art of Wood Burning / Kaylee Fisher

April 12 (Saturday) @ 3pm - 5pm Come learn about the art of pyrography - the technique of decorating wood or other materials using a heated tool. You'll receive step by step demonstrations and personalized instruction, as you're introduced to the various types of materials that can be utilized for burning. By the end of the workshop, you'll have completed your own pyrography artwork. Not only will you have a beautiful, finished product to take home, but also a solid foundation in a unique art form. All supplies provided.



One-Day Workshop: Resin Lazy Susan / Leslie Wignall DeBry April 24, 2025 (Thursday) @ 10 am - 1 pm

Join local artist Leslie Wignall DeBry in a fun day of creating a beautiful and functional art piece on a Lazy Susan using pigments and resin. The process involves applying tinted resin with mica powder, acrylic paint, and/or resin pigments to a 15-inch round Lazy Susan. The Stone Coat Resin that will be used is a top-notch, FDA-approved food-safe resin. Students will choose their color palette and will be taught several techniques to create unique designs. This class is for all artistic ability levels! All supplies provided.



2-Day Workshop: Portraits in Wire Sculpture / Mark Rane April 25 & 26 @ 10-1 pm (Friday) and 10-2 pm (Saturday)

Learn how to "draw" with wire. Wire is a beautiful and versatile medium that enables us to create three-dimensional shapes in a fun and innovative way. This class will focus on observation and creativity. Through techniques such as contour drawing, we will train our eyes and hands to work in harmony, allowing us to "draw" with metal wire. In this two-day workshop, you will create a series of contour line drawings and small aluminum wire sculptures before moving onto working with steel. Final sculptures will be created with steel wire, with the height being up to 10 inches. All skill levels are welcome, and no prior experience is necessary. All supplies provided.



5-Week Series: Courageous Creativity - Part One / Becky Woodbury
May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 (Thursdays) @ 6pm - 8pm

Join art therapist and art educator Becky Woodbury in this unique and exciting course designed for anyone who wants to cultivate their creativity! Courageous Creativity is an opportunity to play, celebrate, and elevate your creativity. Whether you are a visual artist or you express creativity through cooking, decorating, or any other avenue — this class will help you find your way to greater inspiration. This 5-week course will be a gathering of like-minded individuals who wish to cultivate their creative expression and learn more about themselves. The classic creative processes by Julia Cameron, "The Artist's Way," will be used as a resource for the class.



MakeSpace Art School is located at 918 Art Village Way in Kayenta in Ivins, Utah

Guild Board, Executive Committee + Info

Southern Utah Art Guild is a non-profit organization. Board meetings are generally held on the second Tuesday of the month at 10am and are open to all members and the community. Attendees may not participate in the business meeting but have an opportunity for discussion after the business meeting is over. Contact us at 435.628.9592 or suag.info@gmail.com

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