



The Gold Coaster

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Please Join Us!

Next General Meeting at ArtServe:

Tuesday,
March 19
7 p.m.

Remaining 2012-1013 Meetings:

March 19
April 16
May 21

March Demo: Workshop Artist Lynn Ferris, NWS, FWS

Lynn Ferris is a signature member of the National Watercolor Society and the Florida Watercolor Society. Before becoming a full-time watercolorist, she worked as both a commercial and architectural illustrator. Lynn is also a show judge and instructor, teaching both classes and workshops. Her limited edition prints have been featured nationally by the French Creek Sheep and Wool Company and her



watercolor entitled "The Group" appeared as cover art on the "Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association." Lynn has participated in many one person and juried shows, where her work has received numerous awards. She was the subject of a feature article in "Watercolor" magazine, published by American Artist. Lynn's work is also included in the permanent collection of the Museum of Arts and Sciences in Daytona Beach, Florida.

Her many awards include "Best of Show" at both the 2007 Florida Watercolor Society Exhibit and the 2010 Tallahassee Watercolor Society Tri-State Juried Exhibit. Most recently she was selected to be included in the prestigious North Light publications "Splash 12" and "Splash 13".

Register today for the Lynn Ferris Workshop (March 18-22, 2013), a few seats are still available. Fees are \$375 for members, \$410 for non-members. Send reservation request and check made out to GCWS to Teresa Kirk, GCWS Workshop Chair, 16935 N.W. 20th St. Pembroke Pines, FL 33028. Contact Teresa at (954) 436-2858 to make a reservation or for additional information.

Please join us at Art Serve on Tuesday, March 19, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. when Lynn will demonstrate how to create drama with light and shadow.



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From the President's Sketchbook by Marilyn Johansen, President



This month is packed full of Holidays. First we have Daylight Savings time, we Spring Forward on Sunday, March 10, then St. Patrick's Day, Passover and Easter!

GCWS has our "I Love Watercolor Show" at the Downtown Library with intake on March 5, from noon till 2 p.m. The Award Reception will be held on Wednesday, March 13 from 3-5 p.m. We hope everyone will join us for the Reception. Our last workshop for this season with artist Lynn Ferris is March 18- 22 and her demo at the general membership meeting, March 19. These are great opportunities you will not want to miss!

You may want to start painting for our summer Exhibit "Ground Breaking Art of the Gold Coast Watercolor Society" this year at Nova Southeastern University newly renovated Library Gallery. This Library is one of the largest in south Florida. It is an honor that we are asked to participate! If you are a snowbird you may want to make arrangements with some of the full-time residents to leave artwork for the show. Last time we showed there we had sales. We are accepting up to three paintings per person. Look for the prospectus in March. Intake for this show is June 8, 2013!

Happy painting!

Join Us for the I Love Watercolor Show 2013!



Prime Meridian by Georgia McGraw
Lilian Feldman Award Best Of Show,
I Love Watercolor Show 2012

GCWS is proud to present the I Love Watercolor Show 2013 at Broward Main Library Gallery 6 (100 South Andrew Avenue, 6th Floor, Fort Lauderdale, FL, 33301). This exhibit featuring work from GCWS artists will be Juried and Judged by Anne Abgott NWS,FWS.

Anne Abgott is is the author of the Best Selling Book, *Daring Color* published by North Light Books and the video "Simply Daring Color" by Artist Palette Productions. Anne is also published in many major watercolor books and magazines. We're very excited to have her judge the show.

Entry forms and payment must have been postmarked by Tuesday, February 26, 2013. Take-in will be Tuesday, March 5, 2013 from noon - 2:00 p.m. Pick-up for Declined Work

is Tuesday, March 5, 2013 from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. Take Down/Pick-up Artwork on Friday, March 29, 2013 from 10 a.m. - noon. The I Love Watercolor Show 2013 will be on display from March 5 - March 28, 2013.

Please join us for the Awards and Opening Reception on Wednesday, March 13, 2013 from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served. See you there!

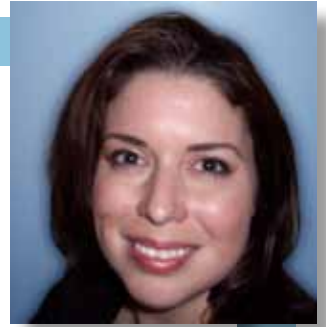


A New York Moment
by Anne Abgott

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Membership News by Frances Tyler



Let's all extend a big Welcome to our new GCWS members. We're glad you joined us!

Please invite your friends and family to join us at GCWS, we offer many wonderful demos, exhibits and workshops. Help us grow our membership!

Let us know if you're not receiving emails, if you've had a change in address, email or phone number or if you don't have a name tag for our General Meetings. We want to make sure all of this information is current. Also, if you haven't renewed your membership yet, a membership application is available below or on our website, www.goldcoastwatercolor.com. Please send your renewal application or personal information changes (postal or email addresses, telephone, etc.) to membership@goldcoastwatercolor.com or by mail to Frances Tyler, 1350 E. Sunrise Blvd., Suite 113, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33304.

Don't forget that points earned toward signature membership status will expire if you don't renew. Membership also entitles you to discounts with our GCWS Partners. Thank you for being a part of GCWS!

Membership Application

To renew your membership or join, please mail this form with your check.

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GCWS Membership, Frances Tyler
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We Need Your Help for the GCWS Flea Market!



Donations needed! Clean out your drawers and closets, bring your extra art supplies to the March General Meeting! You may also call Tammy Seymour at (954) 288-7972 to contribute to the Flea Market.

We're looking for brushes, paints, pencils, palettes, pastels, frames, mats, art books, art magazines, stencils, papers, collage materials and other art supplies for the Annual GCWS Flea Market.

The Flea Market will be held on March 19 beginning at 6:30 p.m. and all proceeds benefit the GCWS Scholarship Fund. Thank you for your support and donations!



Carol's Corner by Carol Thaw

There are only two Life Study sessions left! We meet at ArtServe on Wednesday mornings from 9:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. The models are all professional. The cost is only \$20.00 a day. (What a bargain!) The remaining dates for session 17B year 2013 are: March 6 and March 13.

The plein air paint outs will begin after Passover and Easter. For the first Paint-Out we will meet at Morikami Museum and Japanese Gardens (4000 Morikami Park Rd, Delray Beach, FL 33446) on Wednesday, April 3, 2013 at 10:30 a.m. This is open to all artists, the more the merrier! There is no fee for the Paint-Out but you will be responsible for your own admission to Morikami and your lunch.

Give me a call at (954) 389-0374 and let me know if you plan to attend, as I do not wish to go alone. All you need to bring is a sketchbook, paints, easel, sunblock, bug spray or just your camera. Come join us, it will be fun, fun, fun!



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Buy Your Tickets for the Paint-Around Art Raffle!

Raffle tickets are still on sale for the Paint-Around Raffle. Purchase tickets for your chance to win one of these original watercolors created in our November Paint-Around by artists: Karen Braverman, Sandi Levy and Lionel Sanchez. All raffle proceeds benefit the GCWS Scholarship Fund. The winning Raffle tickets will be drawn at the March meeting!



Cruise to Creativity 2013 by Teresa Kirk

Reserve your space NOW for the 2013 Cruise to Creativity!

In 2013 we're offering our members a creative experience unlike anything you have ever experienced and will not want to miss. Only one workshop remains this season, don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity!



Lynn Ferris
March 18-22, 2013

Light, Layers & Luminosity

Learn to bring your watercolors to the next level. This intensive workshop will focus on achieving luminosity and light. Using a "limited palette" of mainly transparent colors and a variety of subject matter, students will explore building layers of glazes, using negative space, creating drama with light and shadow, value, color mixing, and keeping their colors clear.
www.lynnferris.com

Workshop fees:

Fees are \$375 for members, \$410 for non-members. Send reservation request and check made out to GCWS to Teresa Kirk, GCWS Workshop Chair, 16935 NW 20th St. Pembroke Pines, FL 33028. Please sign-up today for one of these wonderful workshops, space is limited!

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GCWS Member News



Congratulations to the following GCWS members who were selected for The 2013 Bonnet House Impressions Juried Art Exhibit on display from March 7-May 5:

Terry Arroyo-Mulrooney, *Sanctuary*
Eleanor Clarke, *Seashore*
Dwight Hoffman, *The Conversation*
Marilyn Johansen, *Flock of Seagulls*
Thomas Rebek, *Pink Lilies & Visitation*
Tammy Seymour, *Simulacrum*
Rita Szopinski, *Walking in the Rain*
Jac Venza, *Artichoke Harvest*

GCWS Board Member Anabel Rub Peicher's artwork is featured at the LuminArte Gallery (1727 E. Levee St., Dallas, TX 75207) in the the Arte Latino, Contemporary Latin American Artists Exhibit. The Opening Reception is March 9 at 7 p.m. The Exhibit runs March 9-April 6, 2013.



The National League of American Pen Women Annual Juried Art Show at Skolnick Community Center Feb. 6-March 6, 2013. Many of the participants are also GCWS members. Congratulations to the winners for 2013:

1st Place: Tammy Seymour, *Parade Rest*
2nd Place: Teresa Kirk, *NICA*
3rd Place: Marcia Hirschy, *A Lovely Bunch of Coconuts*
HM: Karen Bryfogle, *West Palm Beach*
HM: Ginette Gibeault, *Take Flight*
HM: Janis Gill Ward, *Papa, Don't Run Off Now*

You're invited to attend the Third Annual Art Walk on the Mile on Saturday, March 2 from 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. (1043 Hillsboro Mile/A1A, Hillsboro Beach, FL 33062).

The featured artists are Jane Collin, Jim Cook, Marcia Hirschy, Suzi McCabe, Tammy Seymour and Marion Steffy.



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Business Advertising:

GCWS offers a program for any commercial business to place an ad in our newsletter. No workshops may be advertised. Ads may offer paints, supplies and other art information. There's a discount for consecutive months, 10% for three months, 20% for six months, 30% for eight months.

Rates:

Quarter page \$60 per issue Half page \$90 per issue Full page \$150 per issue

Ads may be changed monthly and must be paid in full, prior to publication.

Send payment to: Marilyn Johansen, Gold Coast Watercolor Society

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There are many people and businesses that help make Gold Coast Watercolor Society a successful organization. When choosing and purchasing your art supplies, please remember which companies support us and let them know you support them. Here's a listing of the individuals and companies that have provided awards for our current and previous exhibits:

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