

CALENDAR

Come in and view the Members' Show and the Art in Bloom Exhibit

April Reception:

Saturday, May 13th, 2:00 – 5:00 pm OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

<u>Featured Artist</u>: Jim Gross (See page 2)

Board Meeting:

May 10th, Wednesday, 6:00 – 7:00 pm

Members Meeting:

May 10th, Wednesday, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

Creative Coffee:

May 17th, Wednesday 9:30 am – 12:30 pm

Don't forget to check out the "Art Announcement Corner" at the AFAF Gallery!

Questions: please email artscape20@gmail.com.
Carol Fink Sackschewsky,
Gallery Director

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Art Lines

Art Gallery & Education Center

May 2023

The Antioch Fine Arts Foundation serves the community by providing education, resources and a forum for the creation and expression of the arts for members and residents in Antioch and surrounding areas.

Art in Bloom Exhibit in cooperation with the Antioch Garden Club Reception: Saturday, May 13th, 2:00 - 5:00 pm













Featured Artist: Jim Gross

Jim Gross primarily paints in watercolor, but has also worked in oil, colored pencil, colored makers, encaustic and pastel. He believes that "watercolor painting grants the most immediate sense of failure or success. No medium is more vibrant or versatile than watercolor. It offers a sensuality that other mediums do not exhibit and, lastly although a "tough taskmaster," the rewards are unbeatable. "



Jim attended summer classes at the Art Institute when he was a teenager. He

received a BFA in Industrial Design from the University of Illinois,

Urbana, IL. His instructors included Carolee Schneeman (life drawing) and Richard Hunt (sculpture). He pursued painting and photography as avocations and did independent studies with Catherine Wilson Smith in watercolor, Laurel Delanry in

encaustics and attended a watercolor workshop with Iain Stewart.

As an award winner, Jim garnered an Honorable Mention at the Norris Cultural Center in St. Charles, II for watercolor in 2016.

A Chicago native, Jim now resides in Richmond, IL with his wife and daughter.





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The Lakes Region Watercolor Guild

"Welcoming Spring"

Watercolor Show

Thursday, May 4th - Monday, June 5th

Reception - Friday, May 19th - 5:00-8:00 pm

Woodstock Opera House Community





Art Gallery & Education Center Classes & Workshops

952 Main Street, Antioch, IL 60002, 847-838-2274

Classes fill up quickly, register now by stopping in, calling, or emailing the Gallery: Please call or email the Gallery if you cannot attend your registered class.

Classes must be paid for in advance at time of registration.

Adult Watercolor Classes

by Carol Fink Sackschewsky Tuesdays, May 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th, 6:30 - 9:00 pm

Please sign up for 4 classes if a new student. Focus on flowers and landscape. Ongoing class pay as you go \$25 per class. (Supplies included for 1st class.)

Workshop #1: Collage on Glass

(Adults), by Suki Michelle Clark,
May 5th, 6:00 - 8:30 pm, Cost: \$35
Learn to decorate a glass bottle or vase
with collage materials. Fee includes all
materials, but please bring a wine bottle
(labels removed) or equivalent-sized
smooth glass vase. (CALL GALLERY FOR
WAITING LIST)

Workshop #2: 3D Mixed Media

Collage, (Adults), by Suki Michelle Clark, May 26th, 6:00 - 8:30 pm, Cost: \$45 (*Prerequisite, Workshop #1.*) Using prints of your original artwork, hand painting, and other collage materials,

create an original work on glass, ceramic or wood. Please bring a SMOOTH-surfaced bottle, vase, box, or other item you wish to transform.

Intermediate Colored Pencil,

Age 14 to Adult, with Phil Schorn Mondays 6:00 – 9:00 pm, 4 weeks / June 5th, 12th, 19th, and 26th. Cost \$150.

See the AFAF website for more information: https://antiochfinearts.org/art-classes/



Large Fused Glass Garden Stakes Workshop by Anna Kubicka

June 7th, 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Cost: \$105 All supplies included
(10" glass square or disk; colored
glass; 3.5 ft. garden stake stand or indoor
display stand)

Giving Your Old Frames a Facelift Workshop

by Barbara Wagner Saturday, June 17th, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Do you have old frames that are the wrong color or need some new life? Learn various methods to transform your old frames, sharing important paint chemistry in both acrylic and oils. Barbara will demo finishing techniques of dry-brushing,

antiquing and crackle finish. The first workshop half will be lecture and demo and the second half students will practice techniques. Bring a frame with you with your questions or to experiment. Details will be emailed upon sign up. Limit:12 students. Cost: \$30. Please register and pay ahead of class. Questions? Call: Barbara Wagner (847) 767 – 1202.

Marbling Silk Scarves Workshop by Debbie Moretti

Saturday, June 24th, 10:00 am - 12:30 pm Debbie Moretti brings the ancient art of marbling

into the 21st century; wooden trays are filled with "magic" water as acrylic paint is dropped on the top of the surface. You will get the



opportunity to make a six-foot silk scarf and watch other participants make their masterpiece. Cost:\$50.

Live Model Open Studio

Thursday, May 18th, 6:00 – 8:30 pm

Bring your own favorite supplies and materials for contour and gestural studies including 1-1/2 hours of sustained time. Cost: \$25

Mini Art Camp - Ages 5-10

with Monica Feld

Monday - Thursday, July 10th,11th,12th & 13th, 1:00 - 2:30 pm

A fun-filled, four-session, art camp for young artists who love creating, expl oring and learning! We will offer nature-themed projects each day. Participants will exercise the second of the second

nature-themed projects each day. Participants will exercise their creativity by using a variety of media and tools while gathering inspiration from nature's beauty. Cost for the

4-sessions: \$100.00 per student (includes all supplies).

Space is limited so register early!

Welcome New AFAF Members! Beverly Behrens, Peter Dadivas & family, Ernest Schweit, Maureen Fisher Rivkin, Bobbi Swisher

JUNE	Call for Artists Photography	
JULY	Patriotic Art (Art of Summer/Americana)	All Media. Veterans are invited with no fee.
AUGUST	Lake County Art League	All Media
SEPTEMBER	A Focus on Antioch	All Media – In conjunction with the museums, as well as art of Antioch

Please look online (Facebook or website) or come to the AFAF Gallery to obtain prospectus and submission forms for the show. Each show is different, so please check with us as to any changes. We look forward to another year in the arts and thank you in advance for supporting ARTS IN ANTIOCH.

Receptions are open to the public on the second Saturday of each month: 2:00 - 5:00 pm

Art on the Wall: Show your art at one of these locations!

Location	Site Managers	Phone #	Email
Jack Benny Center	Chris Tanner	847-367-5308	christanner@sbcglobal.net
Lake Villa Library	Andy Walker	847-420-9479	zomombie@gmail.com
Antioch Locations	Suki Michelle	847-393-5252	suki.michelle@ymail.com
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AFAF Board & Committee Heads:

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Gallery Director - Carol Fink Sackschewsky

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Gallery Hours

Thursday: 1--5 Friday: 12 - 6 pm Saturday: 10- 4 pm Sunday: 12 - 4 pm

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