

Art Lines

Art Gallery & Education Center

July 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.

CALENDAR

Come in and view the **Members' Show** and the **Summer/Americana Exhibit**

July Reception:

Saturday, July 8th,
2:00 – 5:00 pm

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

Featured Artist:

Leslie Nauta

(See page 2)

Board/Members Meeting:

Wednesday, July 12th,
6:00 – 8:00 pm

Creative Coffee:

Wednesday, July 19st,
9:30 am – 12:30 pm

Classes/Workshops

(See pages 3-4)

SAVE THE DATE
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Saturday,
September 30th
5:00 – 8:00 pm

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

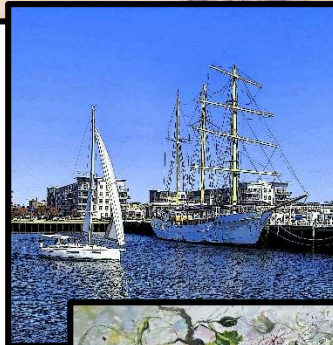
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back! [Antioch_Art_Gallery](https://www.instagram.com/Antioch_Art_Gallery)

Summer/Americana Exhibit

Reception: Saturday, July 8th, 2:00 - 5:00 pm

We honor and appreciate all US veterans, who help our country. Thank you for your service!



Our Gallery will be open until 8:00 pm on Saturday, July 8th, and again on Saturday, August 12th (our reception dates). Don't miss this opportunity to visit us and see the original artwork of our local artists!

Featured Artist: Leslie Nauta

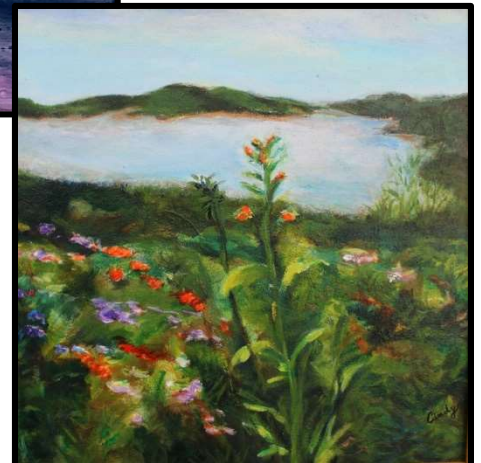
Leslie Nauta's paintings are executed in hues of brilliant colors to excite the viewer, whether they are landscapes, animals, birds or even recent experiments with abstracts. She utilizes acrylics, watercolor or pastels. Composition and color excite her most. She loves to watch a painting slowly come to life, sometimes by a surprise accident!

Leslie paints with passion and feeling, watching a blank canvas slowly grow and come to life. She takes pride that she is creating something for posterity.



Members' Show

Reception: Saturday July 8th, 2:00-5:00 pm





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.

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, exploring and learning! We will offer 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!*



Gold Leaf Workshop, Ages 14- Adult

by Aruna Sarode

Friday, July 21st, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Add some shimmer and shine to your next masterpiece! Learn how to apply imitation Gold Leaf to your own artwork. Please bring a soft paintbrush and your original artwork on watercolor paper. Cost: \$40 (all supplies included) See Aruna's work at:

www.arunanitin.blogspot.com



Wine Bottle Collage Workshop

by Suki Michelle Clark

Friday, July 14th, 6:00 - 8:30 pm,

Create a one-of-a-kind vase or candle holder from a wine bottle using tissue decoupage. Cost: \$35. Fee includes all materials, but please bring a wine bottle (labels removed) or equivalent sized smooth glass vase. Class is limited to 12 people. See more of Suki's art on her Instagram page: www.instagram.com/suki_michelle



Felting Workshop – Flower Vase Painting – Adults

with Natasha Lehrer Lewis

Sunday, July 30th,

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Pluck a few of the freshest blossoms of spring and eternalize them forever. Bring color to life as we make a 12 x 15" sculptural painting, with wet felting. Vivid and lifelike, come paint with wool using hand dyed fibers and prefelts. Cost: \$70 (supplies included) Explore Natasha's work at <http://www.natashalehrerlewis.com/>



Wet Felted Wearable Art Flower

with Natasha Lehrer Lewis

Sunday, July 30th

1:00 – 3:00 pm

Felting is a unique and enjoyable experience. Cost: \$50 (supplies included)

Explore Natasha's work

at <http://www.natashalehrerlewis.com/>



Watercolor Classes

by Carol Fink Sackschewsky

Tuesdays, August 8th, 15th, 22nd

and 29th, 6:00 – 8:30 pm

Please sign up for 4 classes if a new student. Focus on flowers and landscape. (Supplies included for 1st class) Cost: \$25 per class.



Workshop: Mixed Media -

Ages 11-14, by Suki Michelle Clark,

Friday, August 18th, 6:00 - 8:00 pm,

Have creative fun making beautiful art tissue collage and drawing on glass. When placed in sunlight, these are luminous and colorful. Cost: \$35 (supplies included)

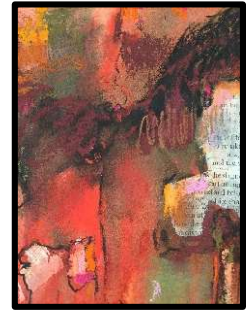


Mixed Media Mini Workshop – Adults by Karen Sako

August 11th, 5:30 - 8:30 pm

Demo of Karen's insight using mixed media to create a dynamic painting. Abstract concepts evolve while inventing spontaneous designs. An emphasis will be placed on design fundamentals, observations, color and simplifying shapes. Cost \$60/person (All supplies are included.)

Karen's website: www.sakostudios.com



Abstract Mixed Media Design - Ages 11-14 by Karen Sako

August 25th, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Participants will be guided through the process of combining a variety of art mediums with an emphasis on basic design fundamentals. Students will use their own personal style by shadowing multiple layers to create depth and dimension. This project will include altered papers, magazine/newspaper clippings, acrylic paint, charcoal, pastel, India ink, portions of other artwork or text and other found objects glued to a substrate. Cost \$45/person All supplies are included.

Karen's website: www.sakostudios.com

Dennis Downes Collaborates on Legacy Film Project



Dennis Downes was involved in and contributed to the short film: "Uncovering History: The Role of Billy Caldwell in Potawatomi Treaty-Making" by Legacy Film. This project started with a book, "Billy Caldwell: Chicago and the Great Lakes Trail" by Susan Kelsey (writer

and film producer); Dennis wrote the foreword for the book and was interviewed for it. Once it was turned into a film; Dennis created Artwork (collaborating with Aimee Rusch) that has been used for both PR and in the film itself. Dennis was also interviewed and included in the film. This short film he has been making BIG waves at Film Festivals this Spring and has won numerous awards. Dennis couldn't be happier to see his friend, Susan Kelsey's project doing so well and is proud to be a small part of it.

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Gallery Hours

Thursday: 1—5 pm

Friday: 12 - 6 pm

Saturday: 10 am– 4 pm

Sunday: 12 - 4 pm

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