



February 2, 2021

Greetings to CCAL Members:

It is my hope that all of you are still healthy and that we will soon be able to meet in person.

### **February Meeting**

Our presenter for the **February 15 meeting** will be Ryan Fox, who is also the juror for this year's 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Juried Art Exhibit and the March 5-6 workshop presenter. As posted on our website, "During the meeting, Ryan will demonstrate a graphic approach to watercolor using black paint, then covering it to create an atmospheric look unique to watercolor." He will be using a three-color limited palette. It is always interesting to watch an artist as he/she creates.

### **Workshops**

Mark your calendars and register now for **"Watercolor Loose & Fast: A Workshop with Ryan Fox"** on **March 5 and 6. This will be a virtual workshop.** Registration may be completed on our website under **Events/Calendar/Workshops**. You may also send a check reserving your spot to **Carol Blackwood**, Workshop Coordinator, 252 Newpark Place, Columbia, SC 29212. **Deposit for the workshop is \$50, or full payment is \$125 for members and \$150 for non-members.**

### **Still Hopes Exhibition**

A big **"Thank You"** to Renea Eshelman for coordinating the event, Bobbi Sorensen for preparing the tags, CCAL members who helped with intake and pick-up, and most importantly to all our members who entered.

### **TAP Gallery**

The theme for February is **"Brrr, It's Cold."** If you have a winter painting or photograph that you will share, please drop it by the park and hang it in the TAP Gallery after February 15.

### **Annual Contest**

As a reminder, the theme for this year's annual contest is **SC Feathered Friends & Wildlife**. We will all share our artwork in the contest at our May meeting. Participation is open to all Crooked

Creek Art League members. Art work must be original and completed within the last 3 years. Please consider adding a piece of your artwork to this fun competition.

### **2021 Juried Art Exhibit**

Online registration for the 2021 Juried Art Exhibit opened February 1. You should have received information earlier this week about this. The Prospectus is also available on our website under Events/Calendar/Juried Show. Please take time to read it. Each artist may enter one or two works for \$25. To enter a 3rd piece: Amateurs, photographers and 3D artists pay \$5 extra. Masters pay \$10 extra.

If you plan to register **online**, you will need to gather the following information before you begin.

Title  
Medium  
Size – height and width  
For sale or not  
Sales value even if not for sale  
Inspiration for piece or description (optional)  
Image and name of file which can be downloaded

**PLEASE NOTE: Due to COVID limitations on park hours, in-person registration and delivery will only be on Saturday, February 27, from 10:00am - 2:30pm. There will be NO Sunday registration and delivery as the park will be closed. To minimize crowding, we are asking members to please stagger their deliveries as listed below.**

<b>Last name A-E</b>	<b>10:00-11:30</b>
<b>Last name F-P</b>	<b>11:30-1:00</b>
<b>Last name Q-Z</b>	<b>1:00-2:30</b>

**Zoom information for the February 15 meeting** will be provided in the Notes from the Board which will be sent out after the Board Meeting. Donna Reid will also send the link to everyone prior to the meeting on either Sunday, February 14, or Monday, February 15.

I hope to see many of you at the general meeting. Until then, stay safe and healthy!

Sandra Oliver  
President