

# July 2021



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## Monthly In-Person Member Programs Resume in August

**Our monthly in-person Member Programs will be held on August 12th at the Louisville Center for the Arts**

**August Meeting Demo: Plein Air by Jeanne Hougen**

Monthly Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of each month except July, at the Louisville Art Center. They begin at 6:30 with a networking/social time followed by a business meeting at 7:00. At 7:30 our demonstration begins. Please feel to join us as a guest or become a member. Open to the public, all meetings are free.

**The Louisville Center for the Arts, 801 Grant Avenue, Louisville, CO (intersects with Spruce St., In Memory Square Park).**

**We will continue to have in-person meetings from August going forward**

## June Virtual Member's Program

Click [here](#) for the June Virtual Member's Program

**The June Virtual Member's Program will be our last, unless notified otherwise.**

## LAA 2021 Show Schedule

**Theme Show, Location East Simpson Coffee Co, Jul 1 - Aug 1**

**National Fine Art Show, Art Center, Sep 4 - 12**

**Fall Members Art Show, Location Art Center, Nov 18 - 22**

**Members interested in volunteering to chair a show or be on a show committee should email:**

**[LAAMembershows@gmail.com](mailto:LAAMembershows@gmail.com)**

## Theme Show Info

**The LAA Theme Show - Emergence - at East Simpson Coffee Co.  
July 1 - August 1**

**Theme for 2021: Emergence**

**Location:** East Simpson Coffee Co. is hosting the Theme Show for the month of July! Their new location is 201 E. Simpson (cross street is Harrison) in Lafayette. East Simpsons Coffee also serves beer and wine!

**Show opens:** Thu, Jul 1

**Reception:** Fri, Jul 9, 4-7 pm (in conjunction with Art Night Out Lafayette)

**Pick-up art:** Mon, Aug 2, 10 am-12 pm

**Co-Chairs:** Kim Roller, Jane Elvins, Camilla Pratt and Ani Liggett

## National Fine Art Show Info

**Judge:** Sheri Farabaugh

**Chair:** Dawn Hendrix

**Registration:** Now accepting applications through Cafe (information also available on our website)

## Fall Members Art and Crafts Show Info

**Judge:** Lisa Rivard

**Location:** Louisville Center for the Arts

**Co-Chairs:** **Still need co-chairs for this show**

Additional volunteers needed

## Board Meetings and Communication

### Board Meetings

The Board presently meets twice in July on Zoom from 4 - 5 pm on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month.

Starting on July 22 and going forward the Board will meet on the 4th Thu of every month from 4-6pm in person (unless COVID comes back).

**Meeting Dates:** July 8 (1 hour) Zoom meeting, July 22 (2 hours in person, location TBD)

Time: 4 - 5 pm Zoom, 4-6 pm in person

Members are welcome to attend. Contact Helen Harrison at [pres.louisvilleartassociation@gmail.com](mailto:pres.louisvilleartassociation@gmail.com) in advance to let her know you will be attending.

#### **\*New\* Communications Request Forms on LAA Website**

To request Web additions, Facebook posts, and/or eBlasts, [click here](#) for the forms on our website. Go to Resources and then open the Communicate to Members Tab on our website.

#### **Reimbursement Request Form**

To be reimbursed for an LAA expense, you must submit your receipt and complete the LAA Reimbursement Request Form. [Click here](#) for more information and to download the form.

## Important News

**Instagram.** Are you active on Instagram? Or maybe you have an account, but it just isn't getting much traction? Our Social Media Team wants to help you amplify your work on Instagram. Email your Instagram handle and a JPG image of your artwork (max size 1080 pixels) to Kirk Fry at [kirkfry58@gmail.com](mailto:kirkfry58@gmail.com). He will promote member photos/accounts a few times per week. You can also add a blurb about an upcoming exhibit, etc., which can be added to the caption of your image. Our Instagram handle is @LouisvilleArtAssociation.

# Volunteers Needed

*We are a volunteer organization, everyone needs to volunteer to help out to keep our organization thriving and provide the great art resources we all benefit from! What will you do for LAA?*

## **Two New Volunteer Opportunities**

**If you value the role the Art Association plays in your life and in our community, here are two new opportunities:**

- **Volunteer to be on the Board of Directors - 5 director spots opening at the end of 2021**

At the end of this year, there are five Board Directors whose terms will expire. In particular, three of our officers will be leaving the Board, our President Helen Harrison, our Vice-President Lynn Sarkis, and our Secretary Ken Roberge. If you enjoy working with others in pursuit of a common goal, if you enjoy organizing and planning, or have previous board experience, please consider joining our Board.

Your Board of Directors is an all-volunteer group that is essential to the success of this organization. The Directors provide you with the programs you value. They safeguard your funds, and ensure the organization conforms to all laws and regulations. They make sure that this organization fulfills its mission and contributes to the common good of our community.

- **Volunteer to be on the Board of Directors Nominating Committee**

If serving on the Board is not your cup of tea, there is another important way you can contribute. The candidates for the Board are chosen by a group of members who form the Nominating Committee. If you know a lot of people in the organization, if you have experience in recruiting or HR, if you have previous board experience, you can help us find the best people to serve on the Board.

If you are interested in either of these opportunities, please contact Helen Harrison [pres.louisvilleartassociation@gmail.com](mailto:pres.louisvilleartassociation@gmail.com), Ken Roberge [Membership.LouisvilleArt@gmail.com](mailto:Membership.LouisvilleArt@gmail.com), or any other Board Member.

## **Other Volunteer Opportunities**

### **2021 Show Co-Chairs Needed**

Here's an opportunity to be a co-chair for one of our member or national shows.

**We need co-chairs for these shows in 2021:**

- **Fall Member Show**

This is an incredible rewarding job that really helps us reach the community and support our artists. Contact **Lynn Sarkis** at [laamembershows@gmail.com](mailto:laamembershows@gmail.com) if interested.

### **Membership Care Volunteer**

### **Demo Coordinators for Member Meetings**

We need coordinators for the Member Meeting Demonstrations. Please contact **Steve Markman** [smarkman@me.com](mailto:smarkman@me.com) if interested.

### **Video Production Help Needed**

If you have experience in areas of videography, video production, live broadcasting, or similar fields, please let us know. If you have made instructional videos, demos, or other electronic content of your art and can share the wisdom you have gained from this, please contact **Helen Harrison** at [pres.louisvilleartassociation@gmail.com](mailto:pres.louisvilleartassociation@gmail.com) or any Board member.

### **Workshop Coordinators**

We are looking for someone with enthusiasm for LAA members and their well being. Some of the duties of this position are:

- Perform member outreach
- Greet members at meetings when we start meeting again in person next year
- Coordinate Membership drives and community awareness to increase our membership numbers and diversity
- Create member name tags

For more info please contact **Ken Roberge** at [Membership.LouisvilleArt@gmail.com](mailto:Membership.LouisvilleArt@gmail.com)

**Photography and Digital Art (PANDA) Coordinators**  
Coordinator needed for the PANDA program. Please contact **Steve Markman** [smarkman@me.com](mailto:smarkman@me.com) if interested.

We need 4-5 volunteers to pull together workshops for 2021. We will be doing both Zoom and In person workshops (in person when the state allows). We need people who know artists in the community to find instructors, organizers to do contracts and scheduling, someone familiar with Zoom and video, communicators to write emails, advertisements, and someone to handle creating the online registrations. Contact **Steve Markman** [smarkman@me.com](mailto:smarkman@me.com) for more details. We NEED YOU to keep our workshops going.

## LAA Member Programs

### Open Studio Mondays On Hold 9am - Noon

**Louisville Center for the Arts, 801 Grant Ave.**  
LAA artists meet to work on their own projects. No instruction, just friends enjoying art-making together. No fee for members. Contact **Constance Frank and Nancy Caballero**.

### Plein Janes and Joes

July 2 – South Boulder Creek Trailhead West  
July 9 – Cottonwood Park/Lake Park, Via Appia and S. Boulder Rd., Louisville  
July 16 – Varsity Pond, CU campus, just west of Old Main, Boulder  
July 23 – Waneka Lake, Lafayette  
July 30 – Coot Lake, 6247 63<sup>rd</sup> St., Boulder  
Click [here](#) for complete details.

#### Contacts:

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### Portrait Saturdays On hiatus until further notice

### Art in Public Places (AIPP)

#### See AIPP Online Sign Up article below

The AIPP program supports LAA member artists who want to show and sell their work in public spaces and businesses in our area. Members sign up every Fall for the following calendar year. AIPP is a members-only program and is a great incentive to join us. For more info, go to our website or contact Colleen Tucker at [tucker.aipp@gmail.com](mailto:tucker.aipp@gmail.com). Click here, [Website Link](#), for list of venues, schedule and for ID tags. LAA ID tags are required.

### Drawing Study Group - Tuesdays 10am - Noon Jul 5, 13, 20 27

**Drawing Study Group is presently meeting on Zoom. Fill out the registration form on this page to be added to the email list for the Zoom**

Link: <https://www.louisvilleart.org/featured-programs.html>. The DSG offers instruction in many different drawing techniques as well as varying subjects. The class rotates through topics every few months.

## AIPP Online Sign Up

**THERE ARE QUITE A FEW VACANT VENUES.**

### Check the AIPP calendar and sign up.

You will find the link to SignUp.com on the AIPP Webpage (use the link below). On SignUp.com you will see a list of months/venues. You should ignore the initial letter and number combo (A1, A2, B1, B2 etc.) as these are used only to keep the list of venues in the proper order. They have no effect on the signup process. You will only be able to sign up for 2 spots at this time.

If you haven't visited the venue that you're interested in, it would be to your advantage to go and see the wall availability before you sign up for a venue.

The AIPP 2021 Calendar is available for a quick review of what's available. We will try and keep it up-to-date as much as possible.

If you have questions or need help in signing up, contact Colleen Tucker at [Tucker.aipp@gmail.com](mailto:Tucker.aipp@gmail.com)

Click on the Link for more information and the Link to SignUp.com.  
[LAA AIPP Webpage Link](#)

## Zoom Workshops

### 2021 Workshop and Demo Lineup

The LAA Workshop Committee is pleased to announce our 2021 Program:

Date	Subject	Artist Instructor	Venue*	Demo	Open for Registration
May 22, 2021	Multi-Media – Oil & Print	Julie Anna Lewis	On-Line	May 13, 2021	Completed
June 19, 2021	Abstract Florals	Robin Cole	On-Line	June 10, 2021	Yes
July 24, 2021	Venetian Plaster – Prep and Paint	Tabitha Benedict	Art Center	July 8, 2021	Yes
August 28, 2021	Plein Air	Jeanne Hougen	Outdoors	August 12, 2021	Not Yet
Oct 16, 2021	Macro Photography	Kirk Fry	Art Center	September 9, 2021	Not Yet
December 4, 2021	Illustration Art	Lisa Rivard	Art Center	November 11, 2021	Not Yet
January 8, 2022	Pastel Landscapes	Lydia Potroff	Art Center	December 9, 2021	Not Yet

\* We are anticipating a return to in-person workshops at the Art Center beginning at the end of July. If restrictions require us to continue with social distancing, we will reschedule to online workshops accordingly.

Questions and Comments may be sent to Steve Markman, Director of the Workshop Committee, [smarkman@me.com](mailto:smarkman@me.com).

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## About Our Members

## Welcome to Our New Members

Danielle Belin  
Suzanne Andrews  
Adrienne Purcell  
Beth McQuie  
Sherry Yu  
Lisa Navarre

## Other Opportunities

### Heritage Art Guild

LAA and the Heritage Art Guild have begun to cross-advertise our workshops. We will advertise their workshops here. To see what else is happening with the Heritage Art Guild, visit their website:

<http://www.heritage-guild.com/current-workshops.html>

### LAA Website Member Gallery Updates

The new Member Gallery is now on our website. If you would like to update your photo and information, or if you would like to be included, now is your chance.

#### Please use the following guideline:

- Send one image to [louisvillearts@gmail.com](mailto:louisvillearts@gmail.com)
- Please put Member Gallery and your Name on the subject line
- Include your Website or Facebook address in the email
- Please rename your image with the title of your piece and attach it to the email.

If you have any questions, please email Gail at the above email address.

#### Officers

**Helen Harrison**, President, Grant Team-SCFD  
**Lynn Sarkis**, Vice President, Communications Team Liaison, Art Center Calendar, Flipcause, Grant Team-SCFD, Mini Grants  
**Sandy Price**, Treasurer Elect, Grant Team-SCFD, Taste of Louisville  
**Ken Roberge**, Secretary

For the full list of Board Members and Volunteer Coordinators,  
see our website at:

<https://www.louisvilleart.org/board-of-directors.html>

#### Directors

**Steve Markman**, Members Programs Team Liaison for Workshops/Demos/Dabblers; LAA Calendar/Art Center Calendar  
**Vince Dean**, Duties TBD  
**Jay Lynch**, Duties TBD

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