

### February 14, '21 MWS Zoom Meeting Kathy Durdin to Demo "Loosening UP and Seeing Color Everywhere." *Read about Kathy, page 2*



# ZOOM

## GENERAL MEETING at 1:30 PM Sunday, February 14, 2021

### Zoom link for this and ALL meetings:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87238950645>

If you need to access the meeting by calling in, please use this information: +1 646 558 8656 US

Click on the link at 1:30 PM and join us for chat time. business meeting starts at 1:45 PM and our program begins at 2 PM.

### See you Sunday, February 14 at 1:30 PM!

**NEW TO ZOOM?** Join us on ZOOM, a meeting platform, by downloading the FREE app. Go to: <https://zoom.us/download> You can download the app onto your smartphone, ipad, computer with camera, or laptop.

### Happy February!

We are heading into 2021 and looking forward to our upcoming Student Show and our Spring Show and Workshop. Our second paint out of 2021 is scheduled this month and is a wonderful opportunity for members to get out and enjoy plein air. The photo of some very happy painters from our first paint out at Vizcaya is a testament to the wonderful weather. Many thanks to Beth Werner for organizing these. We are eagerly anticipating all of your inspirational work for the Spring Show. Also note that the Florida Watercolor Society is offering some interesting virtual demonstrations with well known artists in honor of its 50th Anniversary. For those of you who are searching for interesting and informative arts demonstrations, there are some wonderful artists on Instagram and YouTube. All free of course! Thomas Schaller on Streamline Art Video offers a free lesson on the power of design and sketching. Check them out. Please read the newsletter for details of all the great and creative things our members are doing. Hope to see you at our next general meeting on February 14 – Valentine's Day.

Margie Tabak and Subrata Basu  
Co-Presidents

### 2021 Calendar of Events

#### February 14

MWS General Meeting via Zoom

#### February 19

Paint Out at Montgomery Botanical Center

**March 7** — Deadline for all entries.

**March 14** — MWS General Meeting via Zoom with a Lian Zhen demo. Zhen judges the Spring Show

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**March 16-18** — Lian Zhen Workshops

**MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS  
VIA ZOOM until it is safe to meet in person**  
Second Sunday of each month, September through April. 1:30 – 3:30 P.M.

## Feb.14, 2021 MWS Zoom Meeting

### Kathy Durdin to Demo “Loosening UP and Seeing Color Everywhere.”

After a successful career in management consulting, Kathy Durdin has honed her watercolor and drawing skills, exhibiting across Florida as well as nationally, and teaching both classes and workshops. Kathy has always loved watercolor as a medium while it is very unforgiving, its freshness cannot be replicated. Watercolor allows her to create paintings with freshness and immediacy. Her style is loose, to take advantage of the characteristics of the medium.

Kathy focuses on what she connects with emotionally, particularly people. She is always looking for inspiration around her. She finds interesting people, situations and images all the time. She rarely works on posed situations, as she finds informal interaction much more interesting.

Kathy Durdin is a signature member of Florida Watercolor Society, as well as Watercolor West, Southern, Texas, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Pennsylvania, Tallahassee and Florida Suncoast Watercolor Societies. She was also the 2012 President of Florida Watercolor Society and is its current Director of Operations. She was featured in the 2013 Watercolor Artists’ “Ones to Watch” and her work is in permanent collections



in Florida at Tampa General and the President’s Collection at the College of William and Mary. She is also on the Board of Tampa Bay Businesses for Culture and the Arts, and President of Tampa Regional Artists. In addition to teaching watercolor her “day job” is as a coach and leadership develop consultant.



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January 2021 MWS General Meeting via ZOOM.

## Gloria Avner taught BATIK on rice paper at our January ZOOM General Meeting

Thank you to Gloria Avner who shared her love of painting and stories while demonstrating her technique of Batik painting on rice paper. The presentation was very well done and well received by MWS members.

### Welcome New Members

Taffy Griffiths  
Anette Rink

## January 1-March 1 is MWS membership renewal time

**Just \$45 to renew your MWS membership, which is due in January.**

### RENEWAL ON LINE:

Click on the MEMBERSHIP tab. When you have a choice, choose PayPal. You will then be able to use your own credit card.

### OR SEND CHECK:

(\$45) to membership:  
BOX 561953 Miami, Fl. 33256-1953

Please remember to include your full name, address, phone number, and email. Indicate whether we can share your info in our on-line directory which is available only to our members and is password protected. We would also love to know if you would like to help or sit in on any of our committees.

**If you have any questions, please contact Bettyann Pober at [bapart1@mac.com](mailto:bapart1@mac.com)**



## Paint-Out at Vizcaya

We had a nice group of nine members attending our first plein-air event of the year at Vizcaya. It was a gorgeous day and everyone really enjoyed the location. Members who attended: Don Smith, Evelyn Chesney, Pat Collins, Yvette Cottero Taffy Griffiths, Wendy Kornfield, Andi Miller, Lamar Noriega and Beth Werner



Painting by new MWS member, Taffy Griffiths, who participated in the January Paint-Out at Vizcaya.

## Paint-Out planned for Friday, Feb. 19 at Montgomery Botanical Center

February Paint out will be Friday, February 19th at the Montgomery Botanical Center  
11901 Old Cutler Road from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm  
The Montgomery Botanical Center is a research facility, but there are many beautiful palms, ficus trees, fields and some charming buildings to paint. There may be a \$10 donation per person – to be determined. Please contact **Beth Werner at [betwerner@gmail.com](mailto:betwerner@gmail.com)** if you are interested in joining us. We would like to car pool.

# Spring Workshop '21

## Lian Zhen

[www.lianspainting.com](http://www.lianspainting.com)

**March 15–18, 2021**

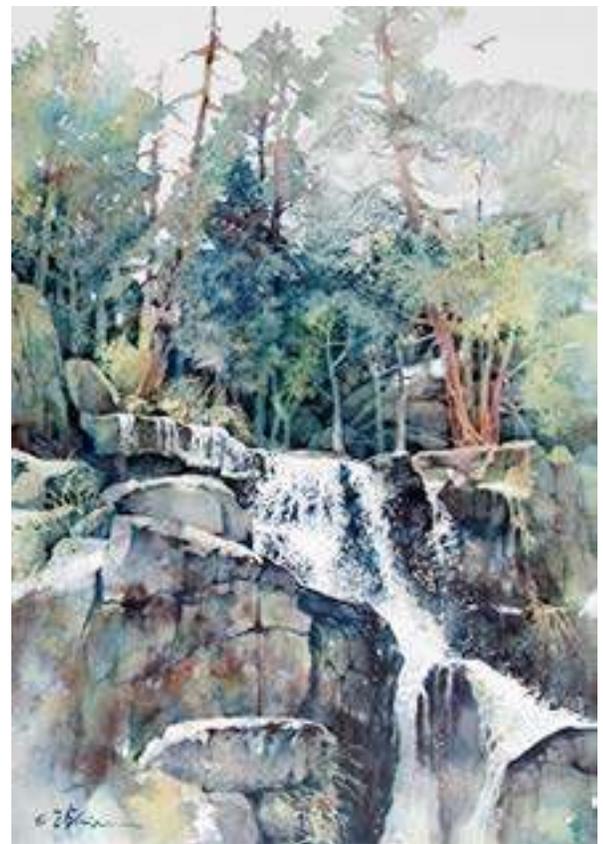
**Two 2-Day Workshops Via ZOOM**

*“A beautiful painting depicts the harmony between nature and imagination.” – Lian Quan Zhen*

Lian Quan Zhen is a sought-after watercolor and Chinese painting artist and teacher in the US and abroad. He started sketching and painting in his childhood and continued as a hobby while practicing medicine as a family physician in Canton Province, China. After immigrating to the US in 1985, he obtained a Bachelor of Arts Degree from University of California at Berkeley in 1992 and a Master of Architecture Degree from MIT in 1996.

His art teaching credentials include at the University of California at Berkeley where he taught watercolor outdoor sketching for eight years; watercolor and Chinese painting workshops nationwide in US, and other countries in Europe, Canada, Mexico, Bahamas, China, South Africa and Australia. Also, Lian has been an invited juror for California, Colorado, New Mexico, Georgia, Arizona and Kentucky Watercolor Societies' exhibitions and other local shows. His paintings are featured in many professional magazines. Lian's five books are published by North Light Books and are distributed internationally.

**SIGN UP FOR THE SPRING WORKSHOP ON LINE!**  
Contact Yvette Cortero 305-753-5341 for registration information



**MWS**  
has purchased  
Chinese Painting  
Kits from Lian Zhen.  
Available for  
\$35. each

Workshop starts at 10am  
(1 hour lunch break at 1pm)  
Afternoon session 2pm – 5pm.

Option 1 – take all four days March 15–18, 2021  
Members price \$330, Non member \$375

Regular Watercolor  
2 days: March 15 and 16, 2021  
Members \$175, Non-members \$200

Chinese Watercolor  
2 days: March 17 and 18, 2021  
Members \$175, Non members \$200  
(Attendees must purchase Lian Zhen's  
Chinese Painting Kit for \$35)

After March 1, 2021 (Price increase)  
Two day workshop Member \$200,  
Non Member \$230  
Four Day workshop Member \$350,  
Non Member \$400



## 2021 Spring Online Exhibition Calendar

- **January 5** – Application available on MWS website. Revised prospectus will be available on that date on the MWS website. **See photo requirements below.**
- **March 7** - Deadline for all entries. If entry is mailed rather than done on line, entry must be **postmarked by February 28**, to allow for delays with Post Office.
- **March 14**- Lian Zhen will judge our digital entries.
- **April 1** - Video released with entire exhibition, winner's names announced.
- Prizes to be distributed — date to be determined. Checks will be sent to winners of cash prizes.

### **Eligible Artists:**

MWS Members in good standing. Eligible artwork is limited to water soluble water media (no water soluble oil products or pastels). Paintings may be created on all surfaces specifically for water media.

### **Awards:**

Over \$1150 total value in cash and merchandise awards.

### **Contacts:**

For questions about the show, registration and sending images contact Wendy Kornfield, 305-321-2424. Registering on the MWS website is preferred. If you need help call Wendy and she will help walk you through the steps for online registration. With online registration you can pay by credit card or Paypal.

Email: [Wendykorn@gmail.com](mailto:Wendykorn@gmail.com)

Home: 55 Merrick Way, Unit 652, Coral Gables, FL 33134

**Electronic Images – Images must be jpg**, Your digital images need to be 1920 pixels (26.667") on the longest side by 72 dpi, and the file needs to be less than 3 megs.

### **GENERAL ENTRY RULES**

The Rules in this prospectus allow the Artist considerable latitude in water media rendering, yet give the exhibition a controlled presentation of all artists' works in the online display. In addition, they facilitate the processing for Judges review (so all the images are in a uniform, and equally detailed format. It is the Artist's responsibility to follow all the rules of the Exhibition).

### **Size:**

- There are no maximum size restrictions for this show (minimum is still 8" x 10" or 80 square inches).

***There are no framing or matting restrictions - the show is a digital image of the painting only.***

- MWS will not be responsible for cropping or straightening your photos.
- See tips on photographing your work below.

### **Paintings:**

- All works must be rendered on PAPER support, including paper-mounted board, Yupo, and watercolor canvas.
- No silk or other materials allowed.
- Diptych or triptych entries must be within a single frame — one digital image, not separate images.
- ALL WORK must be original, executed without instruction. No prints or computer enhanced work. No work copied from any copyrighted material other than the Artist's.
- **Artwork must be signed and the signature must be visible. This is very important. Your signature must be on the front of the painting and visible in your digital image entry.**
- Painting must NOT have been shown in any previous JURIED Miami Watercolor Society Exhibition (Paintings entered in our recent online Contain meant Exhibition are eligible).

- Painting must have been created after January 1, 2018
- Subject Matter: No nudes or political statements.

**Liability:**

Miami Watercolor Society will be putting your image on the internet, Facebook and Instagram. It will be a large audience. MWS will not be responsible for someone else copying or printing your painting.

**Watermedia:**

The term "water media" includes any combination of water soluble pigments, except oil, that mix with water. The following are acceptable:

- Transparent watercolor, acrylics, casein, gouache, tempera, watercolor crayons or pencils.
- No pastels, graphite or color pencil can constitute more than 25% of the painting.
- Work must be UNVARNISHED. No water mixable oil products.
- Water media collage works are acceptable, but no print or non-paper items can be part of the collage.

**Commissions on Sales:**

MWS will not charge commission. All paintings are considered to be for sale unless listed as NFS (Not for Sale) in the submitted entry form. Paintings marked POR (Price on Request) will be considered NFS.

**General Digital Entry Requirements:**

Your digital images need to be 1920 pixels (26.667") on the longest side by 72 dpi, and the file needs to be less than 3 megs. Name your image according to this example: *Doe, Jane\_name of the painting.jpg*

- Save the image(s) on your computer. Rename your image so it has your last name, your first name, an underscore, and then painting title. **Example: Doe, Jane\_My Morning Flower.jpg**
- **Your online application must contain the selling price or Not For Sale information, the size of the painting (w x h)**
- Color must be accurate for web and catalogue publication. Save your file with an RGB color mode. If you have taken the picture with a digital camera or phone it will save it as an RGB color mode image.
- Digital images need to be 1920 pixels (26.667") on the longest side by 72 dpi. File needs to be less than 3 megs.
- Do NOT fill in the short sides with black! **SHOOT WORK BEFORE YOU MAT OR FRAME IT!** If your image is good and less than 3 megs, it will be okay. You can use Pixlr.com for resizing online for free – no need to download. You can give me a call if you can't figure it out. You are better off sending an image that will be accepted for judging by Lian Zhen, than an image that is poorly photographed and will be rejected.
- **If you submit a photo of your painting and it is not cropped your entry will not be accepted. Paintings that have had their picture taken at an angle (so they are not straight and squared off) or at an extremely low resolution will not be accepted and your application will be rejected.**
- Send the jpg via email by the postmarked date with your entry form to [Wendykorn@gmail.com](mailto:Wendykorn@gmail.com)
- Once accepted, paintings cannot be removed from the exhibition prior to closing date.
- Your painting may be used for publicity purposes.
- **No Refunds or Cancellations.**

**Helpful tips for sizing and preparing your image:**

**How to resize images on a Mac**

1. Select the image you want to resize.
2. Right click and select Open With Preview.
3. Go to Tools then Adjust Size.
4. Choose Fit Into Custom and resize to 1920 pixels or larger on the longest side.
5. Click OK

**How to resize images on a PC**

1. Select the image you want to resize.
2. Go to toolbar and select Edit Pictures.
3. Go to Change picture size and click Resize.
4. Choose Custom and resize to 1920 pixels or larger on the longest side.

Here is an article from the Watercolor Society of Alabama that might be helpful on how to photograph and save your artwork:

<https://watercolorsofAlabama.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/HOW-TO-PHOTOGRAPH-2D-ART-FOR-ENTERING-A-WSA-NATIONAL-EXHIBITION.pdf>

Here is an article from the Watercolor Society of Alabama that my be helpful on how to prepare your painting photo file for entering the exhibition:

<https://watercolorsofAlabama.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/HOW-TO-PREPARE-YOUR-DIGITAL-IMAGESFOR-ENTERING.pdf>

**Agreement:**

Signing the entry form shall constitute an agreement to comply with all of the conditions set forth herein, as well as a commitment to participate. Once accepted into the exhibition a painting cannot be removed until the exhibition concludes. Additionally, your painting may be used on our website or for promotion or publicity purposes.

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FOR THOSE ARTIST ENTERING BY MAIL:

**CUT AND KEEP THIS PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS**

**Miami Watercolor Society 2021 Spring Exhibition – Artist’s Receipt**

Entry Fee: (1 or 2 paintings) Member \$35

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\*A JPG file or CD of image/s is required by postmark date\*\*\*\*

**2021 Spring Entry Form**



Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Ph. \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
email \_\_\_\_\_

Title # 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Price: \_\_\_\_\_ Ins Value: \_\_\_\_\_

Title # 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Price: \_\_\_\_\_ Ins Value: \_\_\_\_\_

Please write NFS if work is not for sale

Entry Fee\* (1 or 2 Paintings): MEMBER \$35

Artist's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# The 35th Annual Student “Impressions in Watercolor” goes virtual in 2021

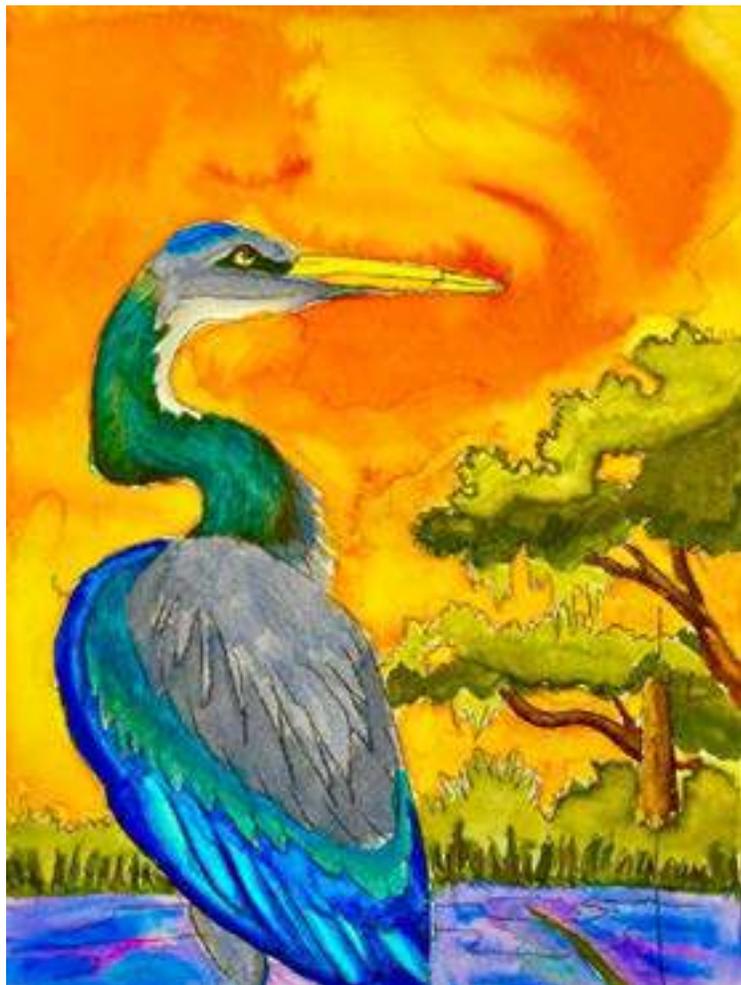
For the first time in its history, the 35th annual “Impressions in Watercolor” student art show is going virtual because of the pandemic. Ordinarily, Watercolor Society members would host an opening at the students exhibition, serve food to hundreds of guests, and present gifts to the award winners – but nothing is normal this year.

During the month of February, an invitation will be emailed to members with a link for viewing the students’ watercolors that were adjudicated into the show. A total of 25 award winners will receive watercolor supplies with a rosette MWS ribbon. The Best in Show \$200 award will go to a Pinecrest Elementary fifth grader, Jennifer Reichie. Her teacher, Alinan Ochoa, receives the Art Teacher Award and is invited to attend one day of the Lian Zhen Spring Workshop.

“Impressions in Watercolor” has become one of the highlights of the school year thanks to the continued support of the MWS membership and partnership with Miami-Dade Public Schools. Together we preserve and promote the unique character of watercolor as a medium among artists from kindergarten through grade 12.

Hopefully, next year we can meet and greet the young artists in person at the 36th annual event and celebrate together their achievements in watercolor.

Donna Underwood  
*Teacher Workshop, Student Show*



*Best in Show painting by Jennifer Reichie, 5th grade*

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**Please keep your MWS membership current.**  
**Visit <https://miamiwatercolor.org>**  
**to renew your membership**

# News and Notes:

## News from Florida Watercolor Society



### Participating Artists:

Keiko Tanabe, Sue Archer, Steve Rogers, Susan Hanssen, Sandy Maudin, Terry Denson, Lynn Ferris, Alexis Lavine, Roberta Romeo

Celebrating 50 years of watercolor with monthly events followed by live Q&A. Included are a variety of demonstrations, panel discussions, painting & framing tips, composition & design, and a review of the 2021 Online Show.

Join us at 7:00 pm on the 3rd Thursday of each month, February–October 2021 (excluding August & September) Registration includes links to replay the events throughout 2021



Diane Lary  
FWS 2021 President



### 2021 Convention & Trade Show

September 19-26th, 2021 Marriott Coral Springs

### 50th Golden Anniversary Exhibition

September 11–November 13, 2021  
Coral Springs Museum of Art, Coral Springs, FL  
Reception September 24th, 2021

#### 4 Day Workshops September 20-23, 2021



**Keiko Tanabe:** AWS, NWS, Exhibition Judge, workshop instructor. Learn about ‘Color vs. Value’ exploring the energy & rhythm of vibrant colors and learn how to make color and light sing with watercolor.



**Alexis Lavine:** NWS, TWSA, WWS, Online Exhibition Judge, Workshop Instructor: ‘Ordinary to Extraordinary’. We’ll start with a modest subjects and learn how to transform them into extraordinary paintings.

#### 1&2 Day Workshops September 22-23, 2021



**Jorge Leon 2-Day:** FWS, MWS ‘Put a little Drama in your Post’ Jorge will excite & stimulate your imagination, and help you jump into your art, have fun and approach your art with an open attitude of exploration and new vision. It will fully energize your art.



**Susan Hanssen 1-Day:** NWS, AWS, FWS ‘How to See and Design Abstractly’. Using the Principles of Design and Composition, Susan teaches how these elements can create strong compositions in your paintings.



Enjoy the Demos, Critiques, the Paint-A-Round, buying supplies at the Trade Show Sept. 19-26, 2021!  
**Details at [FloridaWatercolorSociety.org](http://floridawatercolorSociety.org)**

Register for the events at  
[floridawatercolorSociety.org](http://floridawatercolorSociety.org)

View the promo video for  
FWS 50th Anniversary Virtual Journey Golden Celebration Event

<https://youtu.be/-vHZNCfP0a8>



## FWS 50th Anniversary Celebration A Virtual Journey: Golden Experience 2021

### 2/18/21 -FWS 50th Golden Anniversary Virtual Celebration 1st Event

Live demo from California with 2021 Juror & Workshop Instructor, Keiko Tanabe, *Keep it Simple and Strong* with live Q&A at the end.

### 3/18/21 -FWS 50th Golden Anniversary Virtual Celebration 2nd Event

Demonstration with 2022 Online Show Juror & Workshop Instructor, Alexis Lavine. Get a preview of her workshop, *Create the Extraordinary from the Ordinary*. Live demo with Q&A at the end.

### 4/15/21 -FWS 50th Golden Anniversary Virtual Celebration 3rd Event

Experiment and Learn: Multiple substrates, products, techniques and treatments to explore and enjoy. Hosted by FWS 2020 President Terry Denson with guest demonstrators Roberta Romeo, Robin Makowski and Teresa Kirk. Pre-recorded with live Q&A at the end.

### 5/20/21 -FWS 50th Golden Anniversary Virtual Celebration 4th Event

Panel Discussion – *What Judges are Looking for in Your Painting*. Moderator: Peg Lefebvre. Pre-recorded with live Q&A at the end. Panelists: Steve Rogers, Sue Archer, and Lynn Ferris.

### 6/17/21 -FWS 50th Golden Anniversary Virtual Celebration 5th Event

Susan Hanssen, 2021 FWS Workshop Instructor, leads you on an incredible journey of *Composition & Design* through her vision of conceiving, creating, and finishing a painting. Pre-recorded with live Q&A at the end.

### 7/15/21 -FWS 50th Golden Anniversary Virtual Celebration 6th Event

Sandy Maudlin will present the *2021 Online Exhibition Juror's Review*, a great way to receive detailed insight of what the Juror is thinking. Live with Q&A at the end.

### 10/21/21 -FWS 50th Golden Anniversary Virtual Celebration 7th Event

Alexis Lavine's live demonstration, *How to Paint Creatively from Photographs*, teaches how to break away from copying photos, how to improve composition and declutter where needed, and to design and create paintings that are original. Live demo with Q&A at the end.

[Register at floridawatercolor.org](https://floridawatercolor.org)

Events posted 7:00 pm on the specified dates with Replay throughout 2021

# Help MWS whenever you purchase something from Amazon.

On your first visit to AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com), you are prompted to select a charitable organization from the list of eligible organizations. You can change your selection at any time.

## To Select or change your charitable organization:

1. Sign in to smile.amazon.com on your desktop or mobile phone browser with the same login credentials you use on amazon.com
2. From your desktop, go to Your Account from the navigation at the top of any page, and then select the option to select/Change your Charity. Or, from your mobile browser, select Change your Charity from the options at the bottom of the page.
3. Select a new charitable organization to support. The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from customers' eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the charitable organizations they select.

It isn't a lot but it does add up and you don't have to do anything different except sign on to smile.amazon.com, Imagine if everyone in MWS had Miami Watercolor Society chosen as their charity, it would make a BIG Difference for MWS!

## Please Note:

Dear Kim Foster,

This is the quarterly AmazonSmile notification to inform you that the charity you've selected, Miami Watercolor Society Inc, recently received a donation of \$31.34, at no cost to you.

Thanks to customers shopping at smile.amazon.com, or with AmazonSmile turned on in the Amazon shopping app, everyday purchases generated over \$236 million in donations to charities worldwide so far.

AmazonSmile's impact:  
\$303.84 to Miami Watercolor Society Inc\*

**Bird Road  
Art District  
Studio Space  
Available**

Interested in shared studio space?

Contact Kim Foster for more info:

[kfdesign@bellsouth.net](mailto:kfdesign@bellsouth.net)

## MWS on Facebook!



MWS is on Facebook and has **1,146** followers! If you have a Facebook page, please look up **MWS-Miami Watercolor Society** and "like" the page.

PLEASE invite your friends to like us too. You will be able to stay informed on all MWS happenings plus enjoy the photos and tips we share!

[www.facebook.com/MiamiWatercolorSociety](http://www.facebook.com/MiamiWatercolorSociety)

**Instagram page under @miamiwatercolorsociety has 894 followers!**

**Twitter has 444 followers!**

Spring exhibition and the containment exhibition are now on you tube. MWS has our own you tube channel with all of our videos to date. Visit:

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCF\\_TatiwZUNhG8ldoQ23yQw](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCF_TatiwZUNhG8ldoQ23yQw)

**PLEASE send your art news to share on the MWS Facebook page to: [rosiebrown1021@yahoo.com](mailto:rosiebrown1021@yahoo.com)**

## Members Who Teach

Ginette Bourassa	418-953-8399
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Sandy Levy	305-978-6701
Jan DeJong	305-968-3096
Marilyn Johansen	954-646-8698
Donna Underwood	305-238-6287
Marilyn Valiente	305-323-5312

## Resource column needs YOU!

MWS wants your review of books, DVDs, tips, and tools (etc). Like a DVD by a favorite artist? Let us know what you think, please. Did you buy a new gadget that works great? Take a picture, write a sentence and send it to Kim Foster at [kfdesign@bellsouth.net](mailto:kfdesign@bellsouth.net).

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### Our Mission...

The Miami Watercolor Society, Inc. is a non-profit organization whose membership consists of a broad spectrum of water media painters ranging from professionals, teachers and those who simply paint for the joy of it, as well as patrons of the arts. This culturally diverse Society informs and educates members and others by providing exhibitions, community education, students' exhibitions, senior citizens' activities, demonstrations, and publications.

**Providing over 30 years of artistic inspiration for water media artists!**



This newsletter is made possible with the support of the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs and the Cultural Affairs Council, the Miami-Dade County Mayor and Board of County Commissioners.

## Newsletter Notes

If you want to get a news item into the next issue of the MWS newsletter, please submit your copy to Kim Foster at [newsletter@miamiwatercolor.org](mailto:newsletter@miamiwatercolor.org) **one week before the end of the month.** If there is space available we can include a jpg photo.

## MWS 2021 Executive Board Members and Committee Chairs

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The demo committee is looking for artists to provide our once a month demos on zoom. If you are interested or know someone interested in presenting a demo, please e-mail Jan De Jong at [Deand11347@aol.com](mailto:Deand11347@aol.com), or call her at 305-968-3096."

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1/4 page, 4 x 5" .. \$25 /issue.. \$225 / 9 issues

1/2 page, 7.5 x 5" ... \$50 /issue.. \$450 / 9 issues

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