

February's Meeting

Wednesday, February 10th
@ 7:00 pm

Spanish Oaks Clubhouse

2201 Spanish Oaks Drive
Las Vegas, Nevada 89102

Board Meeting
Wed, February 10th @ 5:30pm

February's Program



Elena Wherry Presentation

Video Library

Videos are available to rent for
NVWS members

\$5.00 a month.

Stop by the table and check out
what's new and interesting.



Dear fellow Artists,

February is here and our Signature Show will be a great one, as it has always been. **Barbara Stanton and Elena Wherry** have done a tremendous job in juggling their precious time in order to get the entries for the Signature Show and the Western Fed Show ready and sent to the jurors. Thanks to both and to all who helped with this. The Clubhouse should be ready for our February meeting and I hope to see you all there. I asked Elena Wherry to be our presenter this Month. I have followed her great accomplishments and seen her art shows. I would love for her to share her story as well as give us a demonstration of how she creates that beautiful art. I am happy she said yes. We are in talks with Strathmore and hope to reschedule their presentation from January. They were understanding and gracious. After many calls with our wonderful board members, this year promises to be filled with art and a fructiferous one. I thank them for all they do in order to have our society grow and prosper.

Your President, Roberto Rico

NVWS Shows

Please note this new deadline

2016 Spring Show

DIGITAL ENTRIES ARE NOW DUE

APRIL 13TH, 2016

Congratulations to Susan Neiry



Susan Neiry's painting *Sauvignon Summer*, has been accepted in the **The Rockies West National Show** Grand Junction Art Center in Colorado March 1 - April 2, 2016.

and Barbara Yoerg



Rising Upward by Barbara Yoerg has been accepted into the Chinese/NWS Small Image Show. The Shenzhen International Watercolour Biennial and the National Watercolor Society have collaborated to create an exhibit of Small Images from both countries. 100 Chinese Paintings chosen by Linda A. Doll and 100 NWS Members paintings chosen by Zhou Tianya will be shown in Shenzhen, China in 2015 and in San Pedro, CA, USA in 2016.

Barbara is also a member of the **American Watercolor Society** and has been awarded Signature Membership.

February 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
(January 31) SIGNATURE SHOW ENTRIES DUE	1	2 Groundhog Day	3	4	5	6
7	8 Chinese New Year	9	10 NVWS Meeting 7pm Spanish Oaks Clubhouse	11	12 Lincoln's B-Day	13
14 Valentines Day	15 Presidents' Day	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29			Please submit any news for March's newsletter by Friday, Feb 26th to Louise Gillespie 702-419-0461 or gillespie4@earthlink.net		



2016 NVWS Spring Show

JUNE 9TH - JULY 10TH, 2016

SPRINGS PRESERVE

333 S Valley View Blvd, Las Vegas, NV 89107

1 How To Enter - Deadline April 13th, 2016

Digitally Via E-mail : Attach your .jpg files to an e-mail and send to **balastanton@cox.net** by 4/13/16. Label your files with the first 4 letters in your last name, then your first initial, then numbered 01,02 or 03
example : SmitJ01.jpg (first entry by John Smith) SmitJ02.jpg (second entry from John Smith)

Then send your check and entry form to **Barbara Stanton @ 7384 Atwood Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89129**

or Bring a disk with your .jpg entries, the entry form and fees to April's meeting

(If you are not able to supply digital images, you may bring your unframed painting(s) to March or April's meeting to be photographed)

2 Show Details and Rules

Show Dates June 9th - July 10th, 2016

Location Springs Preserve

Reception Thursday, June 9th 6-7:30pm

Entries Due April 13th, 2016

Judge TBD

Accepted Paintings Due Wed, June 1st from 10am - 11:30
Springs Preserve

End of Show Pick-up Mon, July 11 from 10am - 11:30

• **ELIGIBILITY** - Spring Show is open to anyone. You do not need to be a member of NVWS. ORIGINAL artwork done in the last two years without the aid of any instructor nor with use of photographs taken by anyone other than the artist. Paintings cannot have been in any previous NVWS show.

• **SPECIFICATIONS** - Paintings must be water-based media. (**Watercolor** Canvas and Yupo are acceptable) Collage is acceptable if all collage elements are water media. Juror's decision in case of question is final. Excessively large or heavy paintings cannot be accommodated.

• **A NON-REFUNDABLE FEE OF \$20.00** for the first painting and \$15.00 each for the second and third paintings (limit of three) must be included with the entry form. Make checks payable to the Nevada Watercolor Society. Paintings accepted may not be withdrawn for any reason and shall remain on display until the end of the show. Diptychs and triptychs are considered two and three paintings respectively.

• **FRAMING** - Paintings must be framed and under clean Plexiglas unless they are 16" x 20" framed size or smaller (which can be under glass). Plexiglas is optional on canvas and hardboards. All paintings must have a backing board and be ready to hang. The wire must be able to support the weight of the painting and attached with D-Rings with wire (no hanging clips).

• **RULES** - All rules of the NVWS apply and decisions of the juror and show chairperson are final.

3 Mail this entry form and check to Barbara Stanton

2016 NVWS Spring Show Entry Form

Name _____

Telephone _____

Address _____

E-mail _____

Entry #1 title: _____

Medium: _____ Framed Size: _____ Price: _____ .jpg
(T=transparent, A=acrylic, M=mixed media) width x height NFS = Not for Sale digital file name

Entry #2 title: _____

Medium: _____ Framed Size: _____ Price: _____ .jpg
(T=transparent, A=acrylic, M=mixed media) width x height digital file name

Entry #3 title: _____

Medium: _____ Framed Size: _____ Price: _____ .jpg
(T=transparent, A=acrylic, M=mixed media) width x height digital file name

ENTRANT'S CHECKLIST:

Completed Entry Form

Check made out to: NEVADA WATERCOLOR SOCIETY
\$20 for 1 entry, \$35 for 2 entries, \$50 for 3 entries (3 maximum)

Mail to: Barbara Stanton, Show Chairperson
7384 Atwood Ave
Las Vegas, Nevada 89129

Email your jpg images to: **balastanton@cox.net**

Additional forms and information available at nvws.org
Questions? Contact Barbara Stanton at (702) 804-6549 or balastanton@cox.net



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