



LETHBRIDGE ARTISTS CLUB

Artists sharing art techniques, exhibiting in the community, enjoying fellowship and working to further our skills.

Happy Holidays!

Exhibitions and Sales



Yates Exhibition: Current exhibition will be up until Monday, January 17.

Pickup paintings- between 10 am to 11 am

(Members pls remember to pick up your artwork in this time span, as we have nowhere to securely store your painting if you forget it there. If you can't attend, then pls ensure you delegate someone to pick up)

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Yates Exhibition - Second session :

Send your intention to participate in the second exhibition, to Cassandra Allred at cantwait2paint@gmail.com with **title, medium, size, and price**

Deadline to submit: midnight Sunday, Jan. 9

Memberships

This is what a membership gives you:

- Participate in 'Skill Share workshops'
- Opportunities for group exhibitions and sales.
- Have your own page on the LAC website <https://www.lethbridgeartistsclub.com> to display/sell artwork & link to your website. Every member gets a feature in the home page of our website
- Arts community updates
- Plein air painting with other members
- Opportunity to attend an artist's retreat each year

Renew your membership

Mail a cheque (made out to Lethbridge Artists Club) to:

Wendy Aitkens
34 St. Anne Place North,
Lethbridge T1H 4K9

OR

PAY with e-transfer at

lethartistclubtreasurer@gmail.com

LAC Website Artists Gallery

Please send artists biography, images and size information to Cindy Welsh on cindy_welsh@outlook.com

Each image should be named as — Artists name_artwork title. Every member gets to feature in the home page of LAC website

Lethbridge Artists club

A community partner of CASA, Lethbridge's
Community Art Centre
230, 8th St S. Lethbridge. AB

info@lethbridgeartistsclub.com

Member of the Allied Arts Council of
Lethbridge
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Memberships contd....

Volunteer hours

Please fill out the volunteer log sheets and return them to LAC mailbox at CASA. Count volunteer hours if you have helped the LAC with any of its events (eg. Organization, set up, sales desk, dismantling of Christmas Sale), exhibitions (eg. Coordination of an exhibition, helping with promotion, receipt of art, installation), classes (eg. Coordinating classes with CASA or other sites, assisting with promotion, etc.) administering the financial operation of the club, planning and implementing meetings, organizing painting opportunities such as the murals at care centres, etc., etc.

Thank you for volunteering and helping the club to track your contributions.

Artists Opportunities

Skill Share Workshops 2022

We have planned to do '**Skill Share**' workshops for our club members, mostly to get together, socialise and have a great time with friends. These short workshops **FREE** for all members and will be casa 2D classroom. Many of our amazingly talented members are volunteering to conduct these workshops for you. We appreciate their time and effort wholeheartedly.

Please bring your own supplies. There will be limited supplies available, if someone wishes to try. We also accept art supply donations. Attached is the full list of workshops planned for 2022 and we welcome ideas and suggestions for future workshops.

**Please send your intention to participate to each workshop to Soba Kaluthota on sobadini@gmail.com
Casa 2D –classroom capacity is 10 participants due to COVID restrictions.**

First Skill Share Workshop

**Dive into Watercolor with Karina Mak—Friday January 14, 6.30pm
@ casa 2D classroom**

Enjoy an evening of experimentation and fun while you learn the fundamentals of watercolor. Please bring your own supplies. Limited supply of watercolor paper and paint will be available.

Please send your intention to participate by January 10th to Soba Kaluthota on sobadini@gmail.com

From the Board

1. Many thanks from the Board to Iris Andronowich, coordinator and her team, Carol Berner and Anne Martens who organized the Christmas sale, and the excellent teams who received and checked artwork, and the magicians who displayed everything so beautifully in our booth at Christmas at Casa. It was a success, despite the challenges this year wrought by Covid. We had a successful Christmas Sale at Casa.

Our thanks also goes to everyone who worked on the Yates exhibition! Coordinated by Cassandra Allred and Sue Wilkie, and masterfully hung by a group of members. And then what a lovely idea conceived and brought to fruition by Renee Pahara to have an opening reception! Wasn't it great! She was assisted by Helen Wright, Elvera Falk and Soba Kaluthota.

Great job everyone!

2. It's fun to be involved! We encourage all members to contribute to the vitality of this very worthwhile club. We need those who will work on specific projects, and we need other capable hands to sit on the board and steer the ship. We strive to keep demands on board members to a minimum....to allow time for painting!

We welcome and encourage everyone to be involved...it makes being in the club more interesting as you will meet and make new contacts. If you are interested in any of these positions on the board, you don't need to be an expert, just willing to learn and enjoy work with a group. Pls contact Sue Wilkie - swilkie02@shaw.ca for more info on these positions:

- Exhibition chair - investigates exhibition possibilities, organizes exhibitions by heading a team. Makes master list and labels for entries. Passes info to Publicity.
- Social Convener- organizes refreshments for any social event, mainly coordinates pot lucks at AGM and General Meeting
- Corresponding Secretary - takes minutes at board meetings, sends cards, letters.

Highlighting a New Member! :

Helen Wright recently became our Treasurer. After joining the Club, she soon became involved. You may have seen her at the Yates recently...she was one of the "bartenders"! We are so happy to welcome her aboard!

Helen is originally from England and grew up in many different cities throughout southern B.C., moving to Lethbridge about 9 years ago. She didn't start to paint until in her fifties, initially using watercolour for a few years before switching to oils, which she really loves. Helen is glad she found the Club and finds the members extremely supportive and helpful.

Part-time job opportunity!

Hello, I'm wondering if there are any of your members interested in a part-time job painting watercolour house portraits for a local company. As a local artist who has been doing this for 2+ years, it's been a wonderful opportunity to get paid to do what I love.

Please email me at april.matisz@gmail.com for further details.

April Matisz



SkillShare workshops 2022

2D Classroom



Lethbridge Artists Club Members

FREE

Dive into Watercolor with Karina Mak

Friday
January 14
6.30pm

Enjoy an evening of experimentation and fun while you learn the fundamentals of watercolor

Modern Acrylic painting with Carol Benner

Discover the joy of painting with acrylics, incredibly easy to use and yield some of the most vibrant and versatile results

Saturday
February 12
9.30am

Enjoy En plein air painting with Sue Wilkie

Friday
March 11
6.30pm

Learn how to simplify complex subject matter and capture the scenes. Tips on how to prepare to be "in the open air" at Nikka Yuko Gardens over the summer

How to create variety of green with Denise Savard

Mix and create different shades of green for landscape paintings

Try Printmaking with Katie Bruce

Learn popular easy printmaking techniques, which can transform graphics into print

Friday
May 13
6.30pm

Start an Art Journal with Amy Dodic

Start a magical adventure through art journaling with mixed media painting

Saturday
June 18
9.30am

Friendly Critique with Elaine Henderson

Share your paintings and get a non-judgmental constructive critique in a great friend circle

Friday
July 15
6.30pm

Framing, Display & tips on writing proposals With Darcy Logan

Learn how to enhance the visual appeal while keeping your paintings safe and drawing attention

Saturday
August 13
9.30am

Fun with Palette knife With Renee Pahara

Explore the art of palette knife painting with its range of effects for applying paint and create awesome colourful and abstract paintings

Saturday
November 12
9.30am

Christmas at LAC

Friday
December 16
6.30pm



BYOS
Bring your own supplies

We accept art supply donations!