



TRIAD TRIPTYCHS

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Arizona artists in lyrical groupings of three

June 5 – July 11, 2019

Image on the left: "No More Stolen Sisters" by La Morena

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July 2019

Dear Shonna,

As the hot temperatures roll in, we want to remind all of our students and visitors to come in and cool down in July at the Shemer Art Center! We have an enjoyable and educational summer lined up (classes, exhibitions and activities), plus new outdoor sculptures to see, so we hope you can stop by!

From now until July 11 we will continue to showcase our two current exhibitions, **Triad Triptychs**, a juried exhibition showcasing artworks created by 35 Arizona artists in lyrical groupings of three, and **Paint to Music 2019!**, an exhibition by Young Arts Arizona, held in partnership with The Phoenix Symphony. On July 17th we will open our annual **Shemer Instructor, Student & Staff Exhibition**, with an opening reception July 18th from 6-8 p.m.



In the **Shemer Art Center Gift Shop**, we have a variety of items perfect for sharing this summer, like Jane Kelsey-Mapel's Bathing Beauties cups! Stop by any time to experience relaxed and stress-free shopping that benefits both the artists and the Shemer!

Also, a reminder that our next **Food Truck Night** is September 18th. So mark your calendar now and plan to attend!

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HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!

We hope everyone has a great July 4th holiday! The Shemer Art Center will be closed July 4th and 5th, open again Saturday, July 6th!

ART RENAISSANCE
LECTUREThursday, July 11
6-7:30pmNo More Stolen Sisters,
La Morena

Art In The City

Initially intended to honor the beliefs or rulers of the day, public art has evolved along with society toward a more open form of expression.

Today, besides art commissioned by elected officials to grace a public space, commemorate a moment in local history or recognize a prominent citizen, entrepreneurs and patrons have realized that associating art with their name adds status. Freelance artists also contribute unsolicited art, such as graffiti and murals, that at its best and most recognizable (i.e. Banksy), delivers powerful social statements that cannot be ignored.

This presentation will focus on public art found in the greater Phoenix area.

Presentation & Slide
Show by Michel
Sarda

\$10 requested contribution for presentation, snacks and refreshments.

**Limited space!
Reserve your seat
online by clicking
[HERE!](#)**

MEMBERSHIP
RENEWALS
NOW DUE!

If you became a member of the Shemer Art Center before July 2018, now is the time to renew your membership and show your support of the Shemer!

Click [HERE](#) and choose from a list of new and improved membership levels!

If you are not sure when your current membership expires, give us a call. We'll be glad to check for you and help you renew. Your support of the Shemer helps us continue the delivery of our classes, workshops, lectures, exhibitions, and events.

Thank you for your continued support!

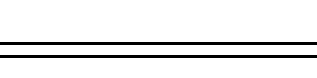
REMEMBER
TO SMILE!

If you are doing any online shopping this Summer as you are laying out beside the pool, please keep the Shemer in mind! Go to [Smile.Amazon.com](#) and designate the Shemer Art Center as your charity of choice. Amazon has created this simple and automatic way for you to support your favorite charity.

Then, the next time you log into your Amazon account, your charity of choice will be listed. This connects automatically with your current Amazon account, and Amazon donates a percentage of all orders placed!

Thank you!

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**TUESDAY -
SATURDAY****10 a.m. - 3 p.m.**UPCOMING CLASSES
& WORKSHOPS

Here's a look at our class and workshop offerings for July and August at the Shemer Art Center:

ADULT CLASSES:

- **Watercolor Unleashed** with Julie Gilbert Pollard: Tues, July 9 - Aug 6 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Drawing Basics** with Elliott Everson: Tues, Jul 9 - Aug 27 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Colored Pencil Techniques** with Elliott Everson: Tues, Jul 9 - Aug 27 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Printmaking** with Larry Nisula: Wed, Jul 10 - Aug 7 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Ceramics Open Studio** with Danielle Wood: Wed, Jul 10 - Aug 14 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Drawing Pet Portraits** with Ludmila Demich: Wed, Jul 10 - Aug 28 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Intro to Realistic Drawing Portraits** with Ludmila Demich: Thurs, Jul 11 - Aug 29 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Pastels: Vibrancy & Luminosity** with Ludmila Demich: Thurs, Jul 11 - Aug 29 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Colored Pencil on Wood** with Elliott Everson: Thurs, Jul 11 - Aug 29 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Drawing Open Studio** with Elliott Everson: Fri, Jul 12 - Aug 30 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Expressive Acrylic Basics** with Agustin Vargas: Fri, Jul 12 - Aug 30 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Watercolor Basics** with John Erwin: Tues, Jul 16 - Aug 20 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Watercolor Techniques** with John Erwin: Tues, Jul 16 - Aug 20 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Travel Photo Sketching** with John Erwin: Fri, Jul 19 - Aug 16 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Mixed Media and Collage** with Sue Hunter: Tues, Jul 23 - Aug 27 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Painting Open Studio** with Sue Hunter: Weds, Jul 24 - Aug 28 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm
- **Oil/Acrylic** with Sue Hunter: Thurs, Jul 25 - Aug 29 from 9:30 - 12:30 pm



For more details about these and other upcoming [adult classes](#), click [HERE!](#)

WORKSHOPS:

- **Encaustic Mixed Media** with Bela Fidel, Wed and Thurs, July 10 & 11 from 10 - 4 pm
- **Intro to Oil and Cold Wax Medium** with Barbara Bagan, Sat, July 13 from 10 - 3 pm
- **Wild About Watercolor** with John Erwin, Thurs, July 18 from 6 - 8 pm
- **Hand Embroidery** with Linda Arandas, Sat, July 27 from 10 - 1 pm

For more details about these and other [workshops](#), click [HERE!](#)

YOUTH CLASSES:

- **Drawing for Children** with Turner Davis (Ages 6-9), July 10-11 from 1 - 4 pm
- **Printmaking for Teens** with Larry Nisula, July 13 - Aug 3 from 10 am - 1 pm
- **Drawing for Children** with Turner Davis (Ages 10-13), July 17-19 from 1 - 4 pm



For more details about these and other upcoming [youth classes](#), click [HERE!](#)

CALLING ALL ARTISTS!

The mission of the Shemer Art Center is to support and showcase Arizona artists. Listed below are the upcoming opportunities for which Arizona artists are invited to enter, to exhibit and be showcased at the Shemer Art Center:

SHEMER INSTRUCTOR, STUDENT & STAFF
EXHIBITION

July 17 - Aug. 22, 2019

Deadline: July 13!

NATURE'S KINGDOM

Aug. 28 - Sept. 26, 2019

Deadline: July 26!

COLLECTED TREASURES

Nov. 13, 2019 - Jan. 2, 2020

Deadline: Oct. 11!

Arizona artists are also invited to participate in the following art festivals taking place at the Shemer:

FURRY FRIENDS FINE ARTS FESTIVAL

Saturday, Oct. 5

Deadline: Aug. 2!

SHEMER ARIZONA ARTS FESTIVAL

Saturday & Sunday,
Nov. 2 & 3**Deadline: Sept. 4!**

THANK YOU!

On behalf of our staff and volunteers, I'd like to say THANK YOU to all the parents who enrolled their children in our 2019 Summer Camps! Thank you for putting your trust (and treasures) in our hands for the month! We enjoyed the opportunity to impact the lives of over 130 returning students ages 6 - 14 this year, especially our 52 returning students! We also enjoyed meeting all the new students, who we hope to see again next year. In July we will be offering additional youth classes, including drawing with Mr. Turner, and we will be offering our After-School Art Club once school starts again.

Also, thank you to all students, volunteers and members of Shemer Art Center and art community, for a spectacular first half of the year! We are dedicated to continuing to grow and improve the Shemer Art Center, and will be sharing some exciting news in the months ahead! Have a great Summer!

Shonna James, President & Executive Director