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# UP CLOSE

An exhibition, juried by Mary Shindell, of magnified views featuring intricate details created in all media

FEBRUARY 23 - MARCH 31, 2022



**March 2022** 

## VIEW OUR CURRENT EXHIBITIONS!

Our UP CLOSE
exhibition, juried by Mary
Shindell, features 36
Arizona artists and a wide
assortment of magnified
and intricate detailed
works of art, in all
mediums. It is
complemented by our
solo exhibition by Joey
Melinda Morgan, called
INTERMIXED.

According to the infamous English proverb describing typical weather, March has indeed come in *like a lion*, and now, we will see if it goes out *like a lamb*...

Meanwhile this month at the Shemer Art Center we will be celebrating the upcoming arrival of Spring, which signals it's time for our **ART IN THE GARDEN** event, this year to be a two-day event with FREE ADMISSION!We will also hold our **SPARKLING TEA** on our back patio, taking place Saturday, April 9, from 1-3 p.m. Tickets for this event are selling out fast and are \$50 per person, so if you are interested in attending, please visit our website and make your reservation quickly!

March at the Shemer also means the opportunity to view new visual art exhibitions, including our two current exhibitions, *UP CLOSE* and *INTERMIXED*, on display



INTERMIXED features merged photographic images of patina copper and nature.

BOTH EXHIBITIONS
ARE ON DISPLAY
through
March 31, 2022!

through March 31. It also signifies the start of our new Frank Lloyd Wright lectures, presented by Tony Lickteig; our continued Art History lectures, this month focusing on John Singer Sargent, presented by Eleanor Sypher, Ph.D.; and of course, new classes and workshops!

As we move closer toward Summer, we are preparing for our Summer Camps, starting with our **SPRING BREAK CAMP** next week! We also have our **Ceramic Glazing for Teens** class starting March 19!

Yes, there's always something fun and educational happening at the Shemer Art Center! Stop by and see what is new for you here this Spring!

### ART HISTORY LECTURE



## JOHN SINGER SARGENT 1856 - 1925

Sign up today to learn more about this modernist, revolutionary watercolor portrait artist and his nomadic family, and how they influenced his work, as did Velazquez, Hals, El Greco, Goya and Degas.

Presented by Eleanor Sypher, PhD

\$15/person March 17, 2022 5:30 - 7 pm

**Reserve Your Seat** 

## REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR THESE MARCH & APRIL CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS!



Wine & Watercolor with John Erwin Thursday, March 24 | 6 - 8 p.m.



Colored Pencil on Wood with Elliot Everson April 13 | 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.



Gelli Printing with Sherry Kimmel April 6 - April 27 | 1-4 p.m.

## FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT LECTURES



New for 2022!
Part One: The Life
and Career of Frank
Lloyd Wright

Frank Lloyd Wright is considered by many to be the greatest architect in American history. Come to the first of this three-part lecture series and learn more about his life and the Frank Lloyd Wright buildings that were designed and built!

Presented by Tony Lickteig

\$10/person March 30, 2022 5:30 - 7 pm

**Reserve Your Seat** 



Oil and Cold Wax with Barbara Bagan April 15 - May 6 | 1-4 p.m.



Colored Pencil Techniques with Elliot Everson Tuesdays, April 19- May 24 | 1 - 4 p.m.



Silk Painting with Cheri Reckers Saturday, April 30 | 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**To Register Click HERE!** 





# To Our 2022 Furry Friends Fine Arts Festival Friends, Vendors, & Volunteers

This year's Furry Friends Fine Art Festival was a wonderful success (including three pet adoptions)! We appreciate all who participated, volunteered and attended.

We hope you had a "DOG-gone" good time! Together we have created a great event for our community and our Furry Friends!

Thank you!

#### YOUTH CAMPS



## **Let Creativity Bloom!**

Today is last day for enrollment for Shemer's

Spring Break Art Camp

(Ages 8-13)

March 16-18, 9:30 am-12:30 pm

**Enroll Here!** 

## **CALLING ALL ARTISTS!**



The deadline for artist entries for this event, to be held for TWO DAYS this year, April 9 & 10, 2022 \*

HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO TUESDAY, MARCH 8!

On the front lawn selected artists will showcase a colorful display of florals, botanicals, glass, metal and wearable art from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Saturday & Sunday.

**Admission is FREE!** 

\* Artists who prefer to participate one-day only can register for a single day and tents will be assigned per availability and day.

**Artists Enter Here!** 

#### **JOIN OUR LIST!**

Want to receive information about our upcoming classes, workshops, lectures, artist cafés, exhibitions and events?

Take one minute and click below to join our mailing list and ensure you are receiving the latest information about activities coming up soon at the Shemer Art Center!

**Join Our Mailing List** 

## MARCH MEMBERSHIPS NOW DUE!

# ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE SHEMER ART CENTER?

If you became a member of the Shemer Art Center any time before FEBRUARY 2022, now is a great time to renew your membership and show your support!

Click **HERE** to choose a membership level. If you are not sure of your current membership status, give us a call and we will check for you.

#### MARCH FORWARD

The much anticipated news of a relaxed mask mandate from the City of Phoenix has given us all a fresh perspective as we begin our March/April class sessions. We are looking forward to holding our first event without face masks since 2020, and looking even further towards June, to the opportunity to hold safe Summer Camps without wearing face masks! But please be assured that we are still operating with caution here at Shemer, and still encouraging masks be worn by those who are unvaccinated or concerned about protecting themselves. We pride ourselves on offering a comfortable atmosphere for enjoying, experiencing and learning about art! So we hope you will feel comfortable enough to stop by and see us soon!

Shonna James, President & Executive Director





