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#### INSIDE PERSPECTIVES

An annual exhibition showcasing artwork created by instructors, students, and team members of the Shemer Art Center

JULY 19 - AUGUST 24, 2023



July | August 2023

#### ART HISTORY LECTURE

THIS THURSDAY!

The Watercolors of Winslow Homer 1836 - 1910



Sign up today to learn more about the watercolors of Winslow Homer.

Presented by Eleanor Sypher, PhD

> Thursday, July 20 5:30-7:00 p.m.

Welcome to Summer in Phoenix! After successfully wrapping up our June Summer Camps with 96 campers ages 6-13, we are now looking forward to a busy and artful July and August at Shemer!

As we move forward into Fall we are excited to announce a couple of changes to our Shemer team. In April we were pleased to welcome Rhonda McCormack as our new Events and Volunteer Manager, and as of July 1 announce the promotion of Cassie Wiegmann to Program Director. With these changes, Shemer is poised to continue growing, both in strength and numbers.

Mark your calendars! The Shemer Arizona Arts Festival is just over three months away, scheduled for November 4 & 5, from 10 am - 4 pm. There are many ways to participate in this weekend full of art and fun, whether you are an artist interested in selling your artwork, an individual looking for volunteer opportunities, or simply an art enthusiast who wants to attend and support our Arizona artists and start your holiday shopping. For more information visit our website under Happenings > Events or Opportunities > Artist Opportunities. Also coming in November is our annual Shemer Honors event, this year honoring Arizona artist Ed Mell! His exhibition at the Shemer Art Center will open November 1, 2023 and our gala evening event will be held Friday, November 17 from 5:30 - 10 p.m. Tickets are now on sale. For more information click **HERE!** 

Of course you always want to keep an eye out for new

\$15/person

#### **Register Today!**



classes and workshops at the Shemer, this month including two ceramicists Sandra Leuhrsen and Steven Bunyard! Additionally we are holding our Art Lecture **tomorrow evening** and are rolling out a schedule of Family Fun Night classes with creative projects for the whole family. See below for more information!

To keep cool here this Summer stop by the Shemer Art Center and sign up for a class, enjoy some great artwork or just visit our gift shop! We look forward to seeing you soon!

#### **NEW EXHIBITION!**



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TODAY we are pleased to announce the opening of Shemer Art Center's annual exhibition showcasing recent works of art created by Shemer instructors, students and team members.

Don't miss this opportunity to enjoy some great artwork, all created by our Shemer family of artists!

On Display July 19 - August 24, 2023

Opening Reception: Thursday July 20, 6 - 8 pm

# **Architectural Spaces**



"Grand Bridges" by Mary Lucking

#### Entries due NEXT FRIDAY, July 28, by 5 pm!

An exhibition, to be juried by Mary Lucking, of artwork showcasing all the architecture around us, inspired by the built and designed world.

August 30 – October 26, 2023

Click here to apply!

#### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**



Saturday and Sunday, November 4 & 5, 2023 | 10 am - 4 pm

# ARTIST ENTRIES DUE SEPTEMBER 30, by 5 p.m.!

Each year this two-day event kicks-off holiday shopping with more than 40 artists specially selected from all across Arizona, showcasing one-of-a-kind works, plus artist demonstrations and interactive opportunities to create your own gifts! There will be an interactive \$5 Art Zone, live music, food & beverage vendors, and a silent auction!

The annual Shemer Arizona Arts Festival is a fun, family way to support our Arizona artists AND the non-profit Shemer Art Center!

Click here to apply to be a participating artist!

# SHEMER HONORS Ed Mell



#### Friday, November 17, 2023 | 6 - 10 p.m.

Each year the Shemer Art Center recognizes ONE Arizona artist who has achieved great success in his or her career and made an impact within the state.

This year the Shemer Art Center is pleased to honor the career of Arizona artist Ed Mell. An exhibition of his work, including some never-seen-before works of art, will be on display November 1, 2023 through January 4, 2024.

A dinner gala with Honorary Chair Bob Boze Bell will be held at the Shemer Art Center Friday, November 17, from 6-10 p.m.

For more information about event sponsorship and gala ticket information click here.

For Event Sponsorship and Tickets Click Here!

#### YOUTH CLASSES

#### Yes, Shemer's Summer Camps have concluded...

but Summer Camps are not the only opportunity for children to have fun and learn about art at Shemer! We also have great youth class offerings year round, with more to come!



Drawing FUNdamentals with Turner Davis



Family Fun Night with Cassie Wiegmann

#### Learn More & Register Today!

# UPCOMING WORKSHOPS!



Clay Wallflowers: A Bee's Eye View with Sandra Luehrsen Thursdays, August 3 - 17 1 - 4 pm



Copper Patination with Joey Melinda Morgan Saturday, September 9 10 am - 1 pm



Silk Painting: The Serti Technique with Cheri Reckers Saturday, September 23 10 am - 2 pm

### REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR THESE UPCOMING CLASSES!



Pottery Techniques with Anne Rasmussen Mondays, July 24 - August 28 | 1 - 4 pm



Pottery Open Studio with Kathy Jackson Mondays, July 24 - August 28 9:30 am - 12:30 pm



Printmaking with Larry Nisula Wednesdays, July 19 - August 30 | 1 - 4 pm

Additional workshops available online!

To Register Click HERE!



Pastel Fundamentals with Ludmila Demich Thursdays, August 10 - 31 | 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

**To Register Click HERE!** 

# ADD ART TO YOUR YEAR!

Do you know someone who this Fall might be interested in receiving information about our upcoming classes, workshops, lectures, artist cafés, exhibitions and events?

Take one minute and forward this newsletter to them!

Then invite them to click below, to add their name to our mailing list. This will ensure they are receiving the latest information about activities coming up soon at the Shemer Art Center!

**Join Our Mailing List** 

#### JULY & AUGUST MEMBERSHIPS NOW DUE!

#### ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE SHEMER ART CENTER?

If you became a member of the Shemer Art Center before July 2022, now is a great time to renew!

If you became a member in August, then now is also a great time to plan to renew next month!

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.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!





