



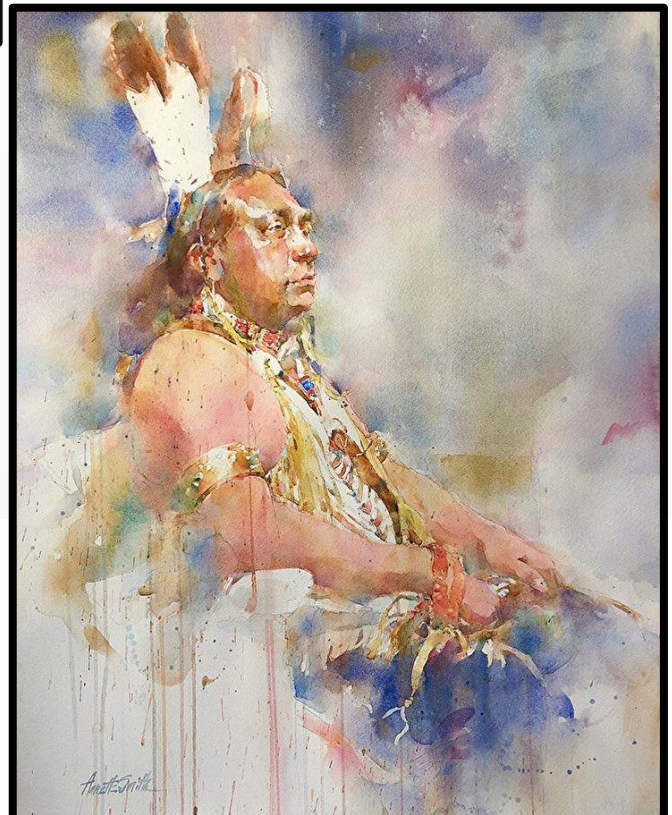
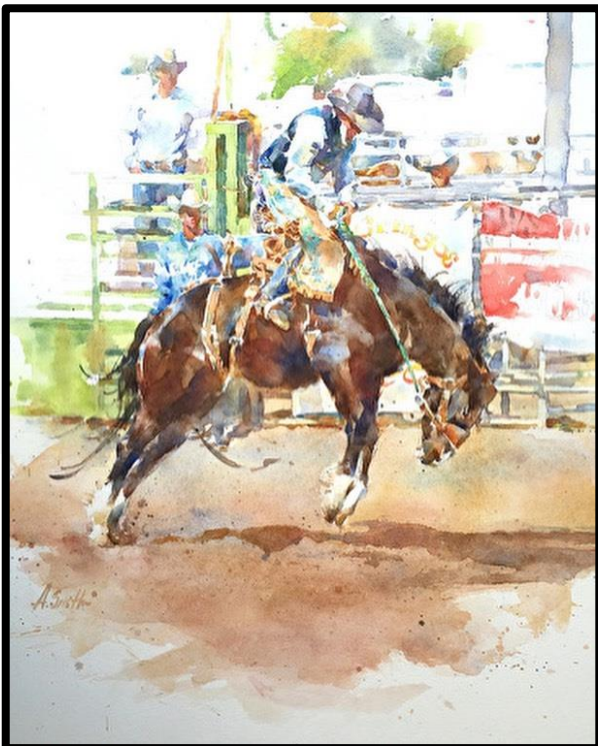
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Gilbert Visual Art League

IN PERSON MEETING ON MAY 4th

Annette Smith - painter

Mark your calendar: Join us on Thursday, May 4th at 6:30 pm at HD South for our Member Meeting! Annette Smith will be our May presenter. Bring your work-in-progress artwork for member critique and a completed painting for a chance to be voted Artist of the Month. Learn more about Annette and her art at <http://annettesmithfineart.com/about.m>



April Meeting



- Very enjoyable GVAL April meeting and amazing presentation by Linda Glover Gooch. Members were fascinated by Linda's watercolor work and techniques. Thank you, Linda Glover Gooch! See more of her work at www.goochstudio.com



ARTIST SPOTLIGHT ON LINDA MCGUINNESS

Born and raised in Buffalo, Linda McGuinness was interested in art from an early age and it quickly became her passion growing up. While exploring various mediums, she found her true love in watercolor, captivated by the way it flows and blends on paper. Her realistic approach to watercolor is infused with intricate detail, bringing her subjects to life in a unique way.

Linda finds beauty in unexpected places, often finding inspiration in scenes from her travel and pictures of surroundings. Through her art, she seeks to evoke emotion and spark imagination of her viewers.

Refined by workshops and mentoring from local artists, Linda has sharpened her craft. Her work had been exhibited in galleries and juried art shows, earning recognition from art enthusiasts as well as several awards from art shows and competitions.

Linda continues to push the boundaries of what's possible with watercolor, exploring new techniques and subjects. Linda is a member of GVAL and a Signature member of the Niagra Frontier Watercolor Society.



LINDA MCGUINNESS



Artist of the Month

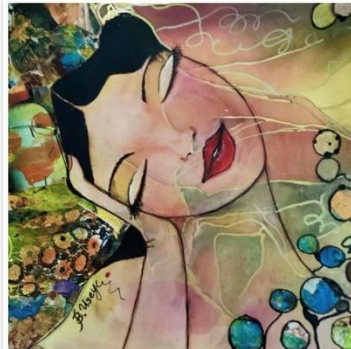


Congratulations to our April Artist of the Month Richard Van Belleghem. His graphite drawing "Chief Sitting Bear of the Arikara Tribe" was chosen by GVAL members at our April 6th meeting.

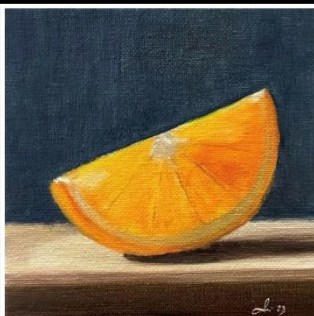
Contratulations to the artists whose work sold at the GVAL Juried Art Show at HD South Gallery.



Radishes by Ami Igleski
Oil 14 x 12 SOLD



Day Dream by Barbara Usey
Mixed Media 13 x 13 \$75



Orange Slice by Ami Igleski
Oil 10 x 10 SOLD!



Rising by Lynn Marble
Acrylic 13 x 25 SOLD



House of Refuge Art Outreach

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Thanks to Peter Eobbi and Anne Dreger for providing the kids with a fun activity for Easter!



JUNE SUMMER SOCIAL!!

Summer Social

A glass of orange juice with a slice of orange on the rim, positioned to the right of the text.

Join us on June 1st, 2023 – 6:00 pm June Monthly Meeting/Summer Social. Start gathering art supplies you no longer need or use and bring them to the June Social for the silent auction. You'll find a huge variety of items to add to your own collection too! This is a fund raiser for our organization, so everything that you donate or buy helps GVAL. It's pot luck, so look for your Evite invitation closer to the event and bring a guest!