

Newsletter: August, 2019

Artists Guild of Shrewsbury

Southgate Living Center, Julio Drive, Shrewsbury. The entrance is handicapped accessible. Southgate is requesting that AGS members, when attending presentations, enter and exit through the front of the building and sign in and out for security reasons.



Next Meeting: Monday, September 9, 6:45 to 9:00

Besides some business, our meeting in September will be an art-share. It's been a gorgeous summer and those of us who do plein air painting may have some equally gorgeous paintings to show. If you are a studio artist, show something recent as well. Member Steve Faucher shared some of his work at the July meeting of the Free People's Artist Workshop, shown below. He is amazingly productive. Don't forget to bring \$30 for our annual dues.



Recent Shows:

The morning of the July 27 Paint-In at the Artemas Ward house was perfect—beautiful day with lots of artists. Here are five photos from the event. The two paintings below were done by Robert Wilson.



Jenn Falcon, Joseph Rice, and Lori Aberg at the Artemas Ward Paint-in.



Upcoming Shows:

Our juried show is Dec. 5 – Dec. 30. Called “Places in the Heart,” it will be at Northborough Pubic Library. More later.

The second annual Small Stones Festival is a juried exhibition of fine art and photography in Grafton. Sponsored by Apple Tree Arts, the Worcester County Camera Club, and the Blackstone Valley Arts Association, it offers rather large monetary prizes and puts on a nice opening. For more info, click on <https://smallstones2019.artcall.org/>

The submission deadline for the next Credit Union exhibit, “By Land or By Sea” is Friday, Sept. 20, 6 p.m.



An Exhibit by the Artist Guild of Shrewsbury
Shrewsbury Credit union, Rt. 9 & Lake St. July30 - Sept. 24, 2019

Other Activities:

Senior Center art workshop in Shrewsbury is 9-11 a.m. every Tuesday. Free--bring your own projects to work on. Mostly AGS members, 6-12 people generally attend.

Sid Solomon's Free People's Artists Workshop is Monday, Sept. 23, 7-9 p.m. at Annie's Bookstop in Worcester. This is a critique group for responding to music, poetry, stories, and especially art. Always meets 4th Monday of month.

Sid and Elly Beatty are hosting a one-time-only outdoor portrait painting event with a professional model. You are invited to Elly's house on both August 31 and September 1. It's scheduled three hours per day including short breaks. The model will hold the same pose the entire time, 1:30-4:30. In this way you can make one six-hour painting. Or you could make several sketches if you change your position relative to the model.

AGS Exhibit Schedule at Shrewsbury Credit Union: 2019 – 2020

July 30 – Sept. 24	"By Land or By Sea"
Sept. 24 – Oct. 15	"Still Life"
Dec. – Jan. 28	"Artist's Choice"
April 1 – May 15	"Complementary Colors"
May 15 – June 15	"Nature's Best"

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Cancellations:

Cancellations will be posted on the AGS website. All members will be emailed by 4 p.m.

Any member may call Joseph Rice (508-393-3405) to confirm a cancellation.

Rides:

Need a ride to the next meeting? Let someone on the Steering Committee know a few days ahead and we'll send it out with the e-mailed reminder.

Website:

<http://www.artistguildshrewsbury.com/>