

2018 Education  
Schedule

March 17 – L  
**Meet the Artist  
von GRONE**

April 21 - c  
**BOOKBINDING  
w/ URSULA  
PARTCH**

May 19 - W  
**WATER COLOR  
JEAN WARREN**

June 16 - w  
**Meet the Artist**

July 21 - L  
**Meet the Artist**

August 18 - c  
**OILS**

September 15 – w  
**CLASSICAL  
DRAWING &  
PAINTING**

October 6 – w  
**PLEIN AIRE**

C: Class/Demo/Half Day  
L: Lecture  
W: Workshop/All Day

You can begin to register now. Please see the poster on page 8 for full details regarding workshop description and registration details.

Display Panel Inventory Increase

You have creatively produced and stock piled every kind of art from crayons to collages, now consider participating in an art show! But how to display those luscious works of art? MCAA has an added to its benefit solution by adding to its art display standards and they are available to members on a first come first served basis. (Only 3 per person unless no other member reserves for the same date). These metal grid standards consist of panels, feet, hooks

and connectors. They are easy to move, transport and assemble. **Polly Palecek** has graciously agreed to store and manage the usage of these. The inventory includes:  
15 - 76" standards (36" bottom, 40" top)  
8 - 72" single standards  
2 - folding canvas bins for prints or canvases  
2 - 2-sided display in-ground signs (16"x20")  
To requisition these contact Polly. 707-462-0246, pollyp@pacific.net, or text-707-972-0784.

Warren Teaches Artists to Speak



*"Through the creative process of responding to what the paint is doing on the paper, we begin to honor our intuition and discover the deeper meaning of 'why' we paint"*  
Jean Warren

Warren, a well-established and respected watercolor artist, was discovered and recommended by **Lisa Robinson** after she saw her work in a show and desired to paint with her. Warren has a BA in Art Education and has been

teaching and painting for over 35 years. She brings to the workshop an exciting visual and verbal expression of painting in watercolor. The class is limited to 12 artists out of the many who have voiced their desire for a watercolor class.

Coming  
March 17  
"Meet the Artist"  
**Antoinette  
von Grone**

Call 743-2256 to  
Reserve Space  
See poster on page 5

April 21  
Bookbinding  
with  
Felt Covers  
Ursula Partch  
Class is Filling Fast,  
Don't Miss Out!  
call Rhonda  
707 467-9651  
See poster on page 6

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LETTER FROM THE  
EDITOR  
Kathleen Gordon-Burke

You get first notice of  
classes, workshops and  
lectures

If you did not notice the  
change in the board of  
directors list.... We have a  
new publicity director...  
Karen Golden has stepped  
forward to fill that position.

Karen was a graphic  
designer in Texas before  
moving to Ukiah a few  
years ago. She paints  
weekly in our Open Studio  
and is dedicated to

## Now Showing in March...

### MCAA Artists at Corner Gallery

#### *"Linda Talso & susan o gordon"*

**March 2 – April 6**

First Friday Opening:  
March 2, 5 - 8pm.

**Linda Talso...** "I was born  
and raised in this area, in  
2006, I took my first water-  
color class from Ann  
Maglente; falling in love with  
my first stroke." Linda is  
Vice President of MCAA and  
serves on the Board of  
Directors for the Redwood  
Valley Calpella Fire District.  
Linda and Marvin co-  
authored the book: *Images  
of America: Redwood Valley*  
and travel worldwide. If  
Linda isn't painting she is  
making a card or working on  
a scrapbook.

**susan o gordon...**

"I am an abstract, non-  
representational painter who  
arrived late to the party. I  
never knew how to take my  
inner desires for freedom  
and release them from their  
shell until, at age 59 I  
decided to take my first  
painting class. After a  
lifetime devoid of drawing,  
painting and the formal arts,  
I suddenly found I was able  
to take a brush to canvas  
and experience the freedom  
of color and movement... the  
freedom of paint moving  
across canvas."

**201 S. State St., Ukiah  
707.391.8057**

### Ukiah Art Center

#### *"All About Hats"*

**March 2 – April 6**

First Friday Art Walk  
March 2, from 5 - 8pm.

This show is in conjunction  
with Women's History  
Month. Artist members of  
the public have created  
actual hats or two-  
dimensional wall pieces with  
representations of hats.  
Refreshments served.  
**201 S. State St. Ukiah CA  
707.391.8057**

### Willits Center for the Arts

#### *"Annual Art Auction"*

**March 3 - 25**

Opening Reception,  
March 3, 7pm

This auction will go on for  
the entire month of March  
and will end with the Final  
Bidding Party and Free  
Concert on March 24th from  
6-11pm. All funds raised will  
benefit the Willits Center for  
the Arts. It's a silent auction  
so each item has a  
clipboard on which you will  
write bids, your contact  
name and number. You will  
be able to bid on most items  
for the whole month and  
additional items will be  
available at the final bidding  
party event on March 24.

**ART Talk...** with Curator,  
Gary Martin is held every  
2nd Friday at 630pm.

Hours: Wed – Sun, 11-5  
**71 East Commercial St.  
Willits, 707.459.1724**

## Artists Fire Loss Relief

The Arts Council of  
Mendocino, with funds from  
the "Art from the Heart"  
drawing, announces the  
Disaster Recovery Fund to  
restore lost art supplies and  
equipment. They anticipate  
funding mini-grants in the  
\$100 - \$500 ranges based  
on information gleaned from  
artist applications on need

and not related to  
judgements of artistic  
output. Non-professional  
artists are also welcome to  
apply.

For complete information  
email: [director@artsmendocino.org](mailto:director@artsmendocino.org)  
with a subject line of  
ACMC Disaster Recovery  
Fund.

## At the Banks MARCH & APRIL

**Savings Bank of  
Mendocino**  
East Road,  
Redwood Valley  
**MARIE PERA**

**West America Bank**  
319 East Perkins, Ukiah  
**POLLY PALECEK**

**Savings Bank of  
Mendocino**  
1100 Airport Park Blvd,  
Ukiah  
**JIM COLLING**

**Schat's  
Courthouse Bakery**  
113 West Perkins, Ukiah  
**JAMES McKELL**

If you are interested in  
exhibiting at the banks,  
and are a paid-up  
member of MCAA,  
contact Barbara Ware at  
707.743.1520 or email  
her at:  
[baware@wildblue.net](mailto:baware@wildblue.net)

### Grace Hudson Museum

#### *"Beauty & the Beast, California Wildflowers and Climate Change"*

**February 10 - June 3**

Displaying, award-  
winning Marin  
photographers, Rob  
Badger and Nita Winter's  
exquisite photographs of  
California wildflowers  
that connect us to the  
beauty of the Golden  
State while raising  
awareness of threats that  
natural habitats face  
from climate change.  
Paintings will also be on  
display.

Museum Hours:  
Wed - Sat. 10 - 4:30  
Sun. 12 - 4:30  
**431 S Main St. Ukiah  
707.467.2836.**

### Opportunity for Artists to Photograph Their Work

A tabletop mini-photography studio is now available at the Arts Council office in Ukiah for artists who wish to photograph their work in a controlled light setting. Suitable for paintings, ceramics, jewelry and other items up to a cubic foot in size, and offering a choice of backgrounds plus hanging hardware, the mini-studio gives artists professional-quality lighting for their work to be presented in websites, catalogs, brochures, gallery or grant proposals, and for other publicity purposes.

This service is free to members of the Arts Council of Mendocino County. Artists must provide their own camera. Mini-studio provided courtesy of Laura Buckner. For more information or to make an appointment to use the mini-studio, contact Arts Council Executive Director Alyssum Weir: [director@artsmendocino.org](mailto:director@artsmendocino.org) or 707.463.2727.

Note: Non-Members of the Arts Council may join at \$35 annual \$25 students and seniors

### Laura Fogg, Creative Genius, Teaches Novices How To...



This beautiful piece was created by Holly Laird....



*Irene Mc Fairland, on the left, and Laura Fogg and Cathy Monroe are pleased to show the results of their fabric collage efforts.*

**Cassie Gibson**, coordinator for the workshop introduced Laura who began by showing samples of her of her quilts as she explained the process of making a collage quilt by thinking and working from the top down and from the background to the foreground. Next, she explained her process of working top to bottom and back to front. The attendees

all jumped right in tearing and cutting fabric and laying it on their batting. Once happy with that result, they pinned the tulle in place over their "master pieces" to hold everything in place until they could be stitched down at home. "It was a very fun workshop...I would do it again!" remarked Linda Talso.



### Call for Entries

#### Ukiah Art Center

Located in the back of the Corner Gallery, it features monthly themed shows open to all artists. Some of them are Juried.

Following are the themes for upcoming months:

**April: "Art for the Garden & Auction"** A fundraiser for ACU (replacing the Chair Affair), artists are encouraged to donate works for the garden in addition to paintings and other types of wall art depicting gardens, which will be for sale with a commission to ACU. OTP\*

**May: "Student Photo Show"**

**June: "Under 30"**, encourage young artists to exhibit. OTP\*

**July & August: "Who is U.S.?"** OTP\*

September: "Wild!" OTP\*

October: "Art from the Ashes"

November: "Feast" OTP\*

December: "Small Works"

\*OTP: Open to the Public

For all pieces entered, there is a non-refundable \$25 entry fee for the first piece, and a \$10 fee for each additional piece. ACU retains a 40% commission on all sales. This is a juried show, so it is possible that all entries will not be accepted. Entry forms will be available at the Corner Gallery during the month previous to the show.

### Adele Pruitt's Class Schedule

New classes start as follows:

Tuesdays: March 6

Experimental Techniques

Wednesdays: March 7

Painting Vineyards

Thursdays: March 8

Mountains & Vistas

Fridays: March 9

Artist's Choice

All classes are held 10:30 to 1:00 at 114 Orr Springs Rd. Ukiah. Sessions are eight weeks and \$125, except Experimental Techniques is \$150 and includes some materials.

Call Adele to reserve your space at 707.462-7193 or 707.467.9781. Prepay for 10% discount.

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

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707.621.1320  
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If you have a change of address, phone or email, please notify Toni Onori

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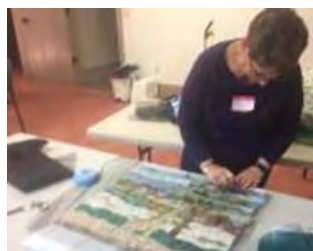
PO Box 517 - Ukiah, Ca 95482

## Members are Up to...

**Linda Talso...** MCAA Vice President, recently celebrated her birthday with numerous celebrations, events, and a class on Collage Quilting.

**Ed Lang...** will be showing his paintings of the once Mendocino coastal town Cuffy Cove at the Library in Ukiah during the month of March. Ed has painted a number of versions of that town from antique photos. Join him on First Friday to see his renditions.

**Jim Denham...** entered a juried show at Cloverdale's Citrus Fair in the Professional Category and received 3 awards... a second, third and fifth. Congratulations Jim.



Linda, in the final minutes of the Quilting Class.

**Barbara Ware...** is currently in Hawaii taking watercolor classes from Jean Haines. "She is very popular and books up way in advance. There was one gentleman who came all the way from Australia". I'm still on Hawaii and won't be back until February 25<sup>th</sup>.

Two of Barbara's paintings completed during a Jean Haines workshop in Hawaii.



**Notice:**  
**Open Studio**  
**Returns to**  
**Grace Hudson**  
**Museum**



## Open Studio

Open Studio is run on a drop-in basis at the Grace Hudson Museum.

For information, call **Tommie Thornhill** at 707 621-2091. Members pay \$4.00 and non-members pay \$5.00.

**Meets on Mondays,**  
10 am - to 2 pm.



# “Meet the Artist” Antoinette von Grone

MCAA is pleased to present Antoinette von Grone for the second in a series of “Meet the Artist” presentations. She will talk about how she became a fine art artist through or despite studying textile and fashion design and how she ended up in Boonville. She will speak about the different styles and subjects and techniques in which she works and what the background is for those choices. She plans on bringing a few actual paintings as well as her portfolio for viewing. She will also play a video after the lecture for those who are interested in her animal rights advocacy activities and how they weave into her current paintings.

**March 17**  
**Saturday**  
**2018**

11:00 - 12:30

**Grace Hudson**  
**Museum**  
431 Main St, Ukiah

**FREE**  
to  
**Members &**  
**Non-Members**

**TO REGISTER**

Contact Diana Steele  
707.743.2256  
[dsteale@hughes.net](mailto:dsteale@hughes.net)



MENDOCINO COUNTY  
*Art Association*



# Bookbinding With **FELTED** **COVERS** WITH INSTRUCTOR **URSULA PARTCH**

Make a one-of-a-kind artistic book of your choice:

- a journal or dry medium sketch book w/ blank 100lb paper
- a watercolor sketch book with 140lb watercolor paper
- a book with your existing writing or art work

Book sizes will be either 4 1/2" x 6" or 5" x 7". Ursula will provide hand-felted book covers, 100lb dry medium paper, 140lb watercolor paper, and all other supplies needed. You bind the book with Ursula's guidance using a long stitch or a simple Asian 4-hole stitching method. If you wish, bring your existing artwork or writing to make a personal piece of art.

**April 21**  
**Saturday**  
**2018**  
**10:00 to 2:00**

**Grace Hudson**  
**Museum**  
431 S. Main St, Ukiah

**FREE to**  
**MEMBERS**

\$25.00 non-members  
Enrollment limited to 15

**MATERIALS FEE \$12.00**  
The materials fee includes one hand felted cover and paper to make one book. Materials to make additional books can be purchased at the workshop.

**REGISTRATION**  
Members: February 1  
Non-members: March 11  
Registration closes: April 7  
Cancel by March 24 for full refund

**TO REGISTER**  
Email Cassie Gibson  
cgibson@pacific.net  
or call Rhonda  
**707 467-9651**



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## REGISTRATION FOR BOOKBINDING WITH FELTED COVERS CLASS

Name of Workshop or Class		Bookbinding with Felted Covers: Instructor, Ursula Partch		
Date	April 21, 2018	Venue	Grace Hudson Museum,	
Time	10:00 am to 2:00 pm	Address	Main Street at Clay, Ukiah	
MCAA Contact	Cassie Gibson: cgibson@pacific.net		Or, contact Rhonda at (707) 467-9651	
Workshop or Class Fees		Materials Fee	Total Fees	Materials List
Member Fee	FREE	\$12.00	\$12.00	None
Non-Member Fee	\$25.00	\$12.00	\$37.00	

Cut off the above information and save as a reminder

Registrant Information			
Applicant			Phone
Address			
Email			Cell

### Membership Application

If you would like to become a member of Mendocino County Art Association and receive FREE Classes (Workshops have a fee) please fill out the information below.			
Directory	Members receive a yearly Membership Directory.		
	Do you wish to be published in the directory?		No    Yes
	If Yes, please circle the items that you wish listed in the directory;		
	Name	Phone	Email
Newsletter	May we email you our monthly newsletter?		No    Yes

### Payment Statement

	Member Total	\$	Class: BOOKBINDING WITH FELTED COVERS Instructor: URSULA PARTCH
	Non-Member Total	\$	
\$35	*New Membership Dues	\$	
			Total \$

Make check payable to MCAA and mail to:  
MCAA  
PO Box 517, Ukiah CA 95482



# Expressive Storytelling **WATERCOLOR** with **Jean Warren**

Design principles, color theory, and watercolor techniques will be used to help students discover who we are as artists and how we can visually tell our stories and experiences. Through the creative process of responding to what the paint is doing on the paper, we begin to honor our intuition and discover the deeper meaning of 'why' we paint. Demonstration, individual help and critique/sharing.

## May 19

Saturday, 2018  
10:00am - 4:00 pm

**Grace Hudson  
Museum**  
431 S. Main St, Ukiah

### FEE

**Members \$75  
Non-members \$95**

Limited to 12 Persons

### REGISTRATION

**Closes May 5  
Cancellation by May 1  
for full refund**

To Register Contact:

Rhonda Kyrias  
[educationmcaa@gmail.com](mailto:educationmcaa@gmail.com)  
707.467.9651



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### REGISTRATION FOR WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP

Name of Workshop or Class		Expressive Storytelling With Watercolors: Instructor, Jean Warren		
Date	May 19, 2018	Venue	Grace Hudson Museum	
Time	10:00 am - 4:00 pm	Address	Main Street at Clay, Ukiah	
MCAA Contact	Rhonda Kyrias	Phone	707-467-9651	
Email Address		<a href="mailto:educationmcaa@gmail.com">educationmcaa@gmail.com</a>		
Workshop or Class Fees		Materials Fee	Total Fees	Materials List
Member Fee	\$75.00	none	\$75.00	To be emailed to students
Non-Member Fee	\$95.00	none	\$95.00	

Cut off the above information and save as a reminder

### Registrant Information

Applicant		Phone	
Address			
Email		Cell	

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	Do you wish to be published in the directory?		No Yes
	If Yes, please circle the items that you wish listed in the directory;		
	Name	Phone	Email
Newsletter	May we email you our monthly newsletter?		No Yes

### Payment Statement

	Member Total	\$	Workshop: Expressive Storytelling With Watercolors, Instructor: Jean Warren
	Non-Member Total	\$	
\$35	*New Membership Dues	\$	
			Total \$

Make check payable to MCAA and mail to:  
MCAA  
PO Box 517  
Ukiah, CA 95482