WINNIPEG SKETCH CLUB



NEWSLETTER

SKETCHING AGAIN!

Getting back to sketching from a live model has been great, although the 50% capacity limit to ensure personal distancing has limited the sketching opportunities for us. Its more important than ever that you make it count when it's your turn. If something changes or you don't feel well, let Karen know so that the spot can be used by someone else. Please arrive on time, so that we can all maximize that precious sketching time!











Model: Glenn

If you have photos of your work that you'd like to share in our next newsletter, or on our Facebook page, please send them to Karen at: karmstro@mymts.net

103rd Annual Juried Exhibition

Our Annual Juried Exhibition will take place again at the Pavilion Community Gallery in Assiniboine Park from Sunday, December 12, 2021, to Saturday Feb. 26, 2022.



It is open to all members and works will need to be submitted for Jurying on Tuesday, November 30. Our Juror is Michel Saint Hilaire. The Call for Entries has been emailed to members. Please contact Karen if you have any questions about entering your work.

There will be a Judges Choice and 3 runners up awarded this year, along with the Solange Chabannes Award and the Lynn Sissons Watercolour Award. The Call for Entries has been sent out to members—if you've never had your artwork displayed in a gallery, this is an opportunity not to be missed!

Exhibition Opportunity

Garry Green from the St. Vital Framing and Art Centre is looking for artists who would be interested in displaying and having a show at his place. You can contact him at ggreen63@live.com. Events and Exhibits to Check Out

While Nuit Blanche Winnipeg 2021 is well under way as part of Culture Days Manitoba, there are still quite a few events, both live and virtual, happening in the city. From walking tours and light shows, to live or virtual exhibitions and how-to videos, it's worth checking out. Here are links to both Nuit Blanche, and Culture Days: Here are a few direct links for exhibits but you'll many more on the events pages.

Beading on the Land

This is a large-scale lantern beadwork project - artist is Charlene Van Buekenhout, a Métis/Belgian/Canadian theatre artist living and working on Treaty 1. This exhibit is on until October 24.

Sanctuarys Virtual Exhibition

Curated by Patterns Collective, Sanctuaries features works by women-identified artists Anique Jordan, Akum Maduka and Rajni Perera in a custom designed and interactive virtual architectural space created by Odudu Umoessien that can be viewed online until December 19, 2021.

Full Spectrum at 618 ARTlington

Full Spectrum' is an exhibition of work by the artists and makers of 618 Artlington. The gallery is open by appointment until October 24. Email for more information or to book a viewing.

Nuit Blanche Events

Culture Days Events

Winnipeg Art Gallery

October 16, 2021 to February 6, 2022 Tuesday - Sunday 11am - 5pm

Naadohbii: To Draw Water reflects on international Indigenous connections to water – spiritually, environmentally, socially & culturally, looking into collective histories & fragilities of the future. Featuring over 20 artists, this exhibition illustrates an axis of solidarity between Indigenous nations across the globe around environmental, political & cultural traditions & interconnected relationships to water.

For Sale: Professional Watercolor Kit

This is a professional level, top of the line Winsor Newton Professional Watercolor Paint Kit (40 - 14ml tubes/ never used) in a Richeson wood artists box. Complete with all Winsor Newton Sable brushes which include: WN. Series no.7 Kolinsky sable round brushes: #00, 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9; Artist Sable One Stroke brushes: 1/2", 3/4" and 1"; Artists Sable Round brushes: #5 and #7; Artists Sable Rigger brushes: #1 and #3; Artists Sable Pointed Round brush: #3. Also included is a Richeson Professional Studio Porcelain Palette for permanent studio use. Douglas Smith is selling for \$650.00 firm. It really is a very good savings and is a far better savings over dealers like Dick Blick and AL.

Contact Karen if you would like more information or to contact the seller.



Our Model Convenor and Club Secretary have decided to step away from the Sketch Club for the time being. We could definitely use someone to take notes at the 3-4 Executive meetings we have throughout the year and prepare the minutes.

The Model Convenor would be supplied a list of both clothed and nude models that have confirmed their availability this fall.

Both of these positions are crucial to keep this Club running. Please consider what you can do to help out.