

April 2022

Message from President Dan Lake

Happy Spring!

As forsythia burst forth, soon to be followed by daffodils and a glorious spring, so too has the East Greenwich Art Club burst out of the cold soil of a long winter to bring you bright days ahead.

If you missed our first meeting of 2022, you missed an opportunity to observe a show of works by our talented members (see the link below), and to share your wonderful work with others. We finally had time to meet and talk to each other... face to face. We came together in a beautiful new venue and were happy to see new members added to our numbers. Several of them told us that one of the best attributes of our Club is the friendliness that occurs when we talk about our love of art and our experiences with it. Being able to gather once more has allowed us to look close to home for comfort and the peace that comes with showing our personal creations.

We hope you will look forward to the activities we have planned for you! Like the flowers in a spring garden, life is best experienced together, not in isolation. We want to bring our shared love of art to more wonderful people like you! BRING FRIENDS to join us!

Don't miss Ian Mohon on April 5th! Also, meet Mary Capron, our newest member. Together, they will set the stage for our celebration of springtime in Rhode Island!

(To view some of our members' works collected in February you can go to this YouTube location for a four-minute movie:

https://youtu.be/QdbR8iKcG0Y)



We meet at 7pm on the first Tuesday of month, except for July, August, & January at our new meeting place: the East Greenwich United Methodist Church, 1558 South County Trail in East Greenwich.

Hospitality for the April evening will be provided by Celeste Chute-Wright, Michele Lilly, Iliana Luchka, Marilyn Mooney, Linda Sanfilippo.

Officers and Committees

President: Daniel Lake

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April 5th Presenter: Ian Mohon



lan Mohon finished his BFA and has spent the last 13 years working within New England's finest art galleries. A painter, photographer and printmaker, lan's recent work has re-focused on his painting with an emphasis on portraiture both of architecture and of people. Now living in East Greenwich, Rhode Island with his wife and daughter, he splits his time between family and creating new works on a daily basis.





Ian will demonstrate how he creates his work.

EGAC Member Show

Call For Entries East Greenwich Art Club ART FOR THE SOUL Warwick Library 600 Sandy Lane Warwick, RI 02889 April 2nd-29th 2022

<u>ELIGIBILITY</u>: All members in good standing (dues paid). Dues may be paid at registration.

ENTRY FEE: \$10.00 per piece. Limit 2 pieces.

<u>SIZE</u>: Not to exceed 36 inches on the longest side. All art must be framed, ready to hang (wire) no saw-tooth hangers. Unframed Gallery-wrapped canvas must be a minimum of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches deep.

DELIVERY: Drop off date is Saturday April 2 10:00-11:30am.

RECEPTION: Saturday April 9 1:30-3:00pm. Light refreshments. Contributions of finger food to the hospitality table are greatly appreciated.

<u>SALES</u>: EGAC commission on all sales is 10%. Pieces not for sale must be labeled as NFS. Sold art work may be taken down and replaced with one of similar size.

<u>PICK UP</u>: Saturday April 30 10:00-noon. If unable to take down, please make other arrangements.

<u>LIABILITY</u>: Entries are submitted at your own risk. While all art is handled with care, neither the EGAC, its members or the Warwick Library are responsible for any lost or damaged art.

LIBRARY HOURS: Mon-Wed 9am-8pm; Tues-Saturday 9am-5pm; Sunday 1pm-5pm.

- Members: please pass this information along to friends: Facebook, book club members, relatives, etc. anyone you can think of.
- Contributions of finger food would be greatly appreciated

Artists of the Month



Sheila Newquist



Sharon Estes



Mary Capron



Beth Voso

About Town – Supporting Fellow Artists

Consider feeding your creative souls by visiting galleries in Rhode Island and surrounding states, and beyond. Several of our members contribute to shows there. Here are a few places:

- Dryden Gallery, No. Providence, opening 4/30; month of May and Wilder
 Nightingale Gallery in Taos, New Mexico, May 12- June 19th: Susan
 Aitcheson
- . Warwick Center for the Arts, 3/5-4/2: Dan Lake, Ron Joseph, Marjorie Ball, Aileen Quinn, Rebecca Stockdill, Marjorie Ball
- . Wickford Art Association, 3/11-4/3: Rebecca Stockdill
- . Attleboro Arts Museum Flower Show, 3/24-3/27, RIWS member show, 3/12-4/22, and Arnold Mills Community House, 4/8-4/10: Rosemarie Manson
- . South County Art Association, 3/10-4/4: Rebecca Stockdill
- . Spring Bull Gallery, Newport, 3/19-4/24: Dan Lake
- South County Art Association Paint, Print and Drawing Juried Show until
 4/5:Mi Ok Song http://www.instagram.com/averyfinecoloredline
- . Pawtucket Foundation Prize Exhibit, 3/30-5/11: Marjorie Ball
- . URI Providence Gallery, 3/1-3/30: Marjorie Ball
- . Courthouse Center for the Arts, month of June; reception 6/9 @7pm: Kathleen Gordon
- . Attleboro Arts Museum Flower Show, 3/24-3/27: Marilyn Mooney

West Bay Open Studios Tour (WBOS) Call for Artists

Seeking additional artists to participate in the event, scheduled October 22 & 23, 2022. Information and requirements can be found in the Prospectus. The Application deadline is May 15, 2022. Our website (which will be updated with new artists) is https://www.westbayopenstudios.com/index.html.

Sheila Newquist

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PROSPECTUS & AGREEMENT

Tour Dates and Times: Saturday October 22 & Sunday October 23, 2022 11am -

5pm

Application Deadline: May 15, 2022 (firm, no exceptions) **Acceptance:** By June 1, 2022 (notices will be sent by e-mail)

Submission: Send application and related materials described below to:

Warwick Center for the Arts 3259 Post Rd. Warwick, RI 02886

Or email to: WBOS@Warwickcfa.org

ARTIST ELIGIBILITY

Juried: Artist must submit along with the WBOS New Artist Application, a Bio, Artist Statement, Resume, and 3 high quality digital images of works (300 dpi, max 8" in any direction). The digital images must be representational of works the artist would have on display for the tour. Digital images can be emailed to the address listed above with subject line "WBOS Tour New Applicant Images (artist name)". Consider images that could be used in promotional materials. A site visit to the artist's tour space will also be conducted to assess parking, accessibility, and overall presentation of works.

Membership: West Bay Open Studios (WBOS) is affiliated with Warwick Center for the Arts (WCFA). All participants of WBOS Tours must be a current "artist" member of WCFA. You may join WCFA at: https://warwickcfa.org/membership/. Annual fee is \$35. Explore their website to see the membership benefits which includes a link to the artist website. WBOS

artist participation also includes an artist page on the WBOS website www.westbayopenstudios.com and marketing on their social media accounts.

NEW ARTIST APPLICATION for WBOS

Please provide information as you would like it to appear in marketing materials.

Artist Name:
Business Name (If different):
Which name for marketing materials?
Home Address:
Studio Address:
Which address for your hosting/marketing materials?
E-mail:
Website:
Phone:
Medium:
Art Affiliations:
How would you like to be listed? (painter, sculptor, photographer, etc
Referred by: Retail Sales Permit #:
Committee Interested In:PlanningPublicityDistributionAdvertising
Specific role interested in?

Signature:	Date:

By signing, you are agreeing to the requirements in the Prospectus & Agreement. Thank you for your interest in the West Bay Open Studios Tour. We look forward to meeting you.

Our club offers opportunities to experience painting En Plein Air.

The Plein Air dates and places are as follows:

Saturday, May 21: Clouds Hill, Warwick RI - all day Plein Air Event *

Monday, June 13th: Blithewold Gardens, Bristol RI - 11AM-2PM

Friday, July 15: Roger Williams Park Botanical Center - 11AM-2PM

Tuesday, August 23: Colt State Park Dairy Barn area - 11AM-2PM

<u>info@eastgreenwichartclub.org</u> is the web address where people can ask questions about our East Greenwich Art Club plein air programs.

*The next Plein Air isn't until May 21st and it will be at Clouds Hill in Warwick and it is different because it is sponsored by the Warwick Center for the Arts (not the east Greenwich Art Club) and it is a full all day event. For this May 21st Plein Air event (sponsored by the Warwick Center for the Arts). PLEASE NOTE www.warwickcfa.org is the site you need to go to in order to register at the What's Happening page and then go to the Calendar of Events and click on May 21st for registration information for the Clouds Hill Plein Air Event. There is registration information available there.