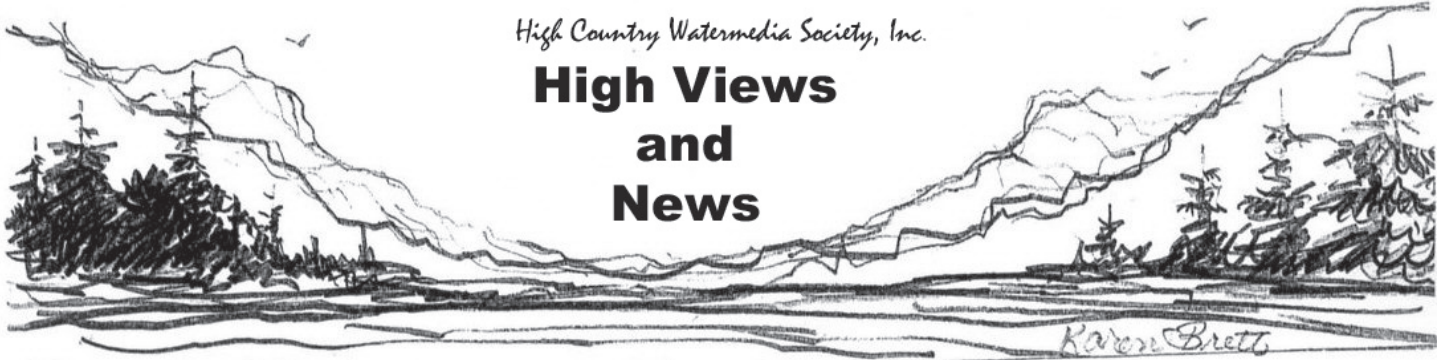


High Views and News



JEFF JAKUB - Our August Demo & Workshop Artist

ARTIST DEMO

The benefits of working from dark to light. This technique is employed to maintain rich color, crisp shapes and delineation thus avoiding muddy colors. Painting gold's, silvers crystal and glass: creating shiny and reflective surfaces.

ARTIST BIO

A lifelong artist, Mr. Jakub had a long and successful career as a fashion illustrator and advertising artist in New York. He has won over 250 Fine Art awards and honors. Jeff is listed in *Who's Who in American Art*. He is a signature member of the *Southern Watercolor Society* and *Watercolor Society of North Carolina*. He is an award winning member of the *American Watercolor Society* and is active with *Allied Artists of America* and the *National Watercolor Society*. He serves as the Eastern Regional Director of WSNC Board of directors and is president of Brushstrokes of Greenville, NC.

ARTIST STATEMENT

Artist, Illustrator and Teacher - I think of myself as all three. As an illustrator, I focus securely on the

detail, radiance and reality of a scene, but I can see its fantastic, imaginative potential in the play of light, too. Color brings intimacy to my visions. Ultimately, I want to share the emotion of the moment through my art. I enjoy challenging myself with new directions and subjects in my paintings.

WORKSHOP SUPPLY LIST

Jeff states that he doesn't usually do a long supply list. Rather, he just suggests that workshop participants bring their usual watercolor supplies. No 'Magic' tricks. He does however, ask them to have Lamp Black and Indigo on hand.

Visit his website www.jeffjakub.com

To High Country Watermedia Society members:

Jeff Jakub is not only an outstanding artist but also a great teacher. I have taken classes from him over the years and have known him since he moved to Washington, NC more than 20 years ago. Please visit his website for examples of his beautiful work. Not only will you learn from him, but you will find his class enjoyable, interesting, challenging and informative. His attention to detail is unbelievable. I highly recommend his workshop and am thrilled that he will be the High Country Watermedia Society's Guest Artist for August!

Gale Champion

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HCWS MINUTES-July 10 2010

The meeting was called to order by the president, Cathy Taylor, who welcomed members, guests, and our artist/demonstrator Susan Crouch of Jacksonville, FL Cathy reminded everyone that the three parking spaces directly in front of the building are for the use of customers at Cheap Joe's art supplies and are marked by orange traffic cones.

A number of new members and guests were welcomed: Carol Hoffman, Mary Holloway, Christine Walker, Linda Foster Clemmons, Mitzie Fischer, Sue Lindgren, Beverly Sulzberger, Mary Plesico, Dottie Blanchard, Anne Harrison, Mary Alice Clodfelter, Mya Weldy, Elaine Berry and Teena Baudier.

Minutes of the June meeting were read and approved and Cathy reminded everyone to notify Beth Andrews, editor of "High Views and News", with their items for the newsletter. Beth can be reached at beth@artlifehealth.com

In other announcements: Jody accepted applications and fees for the Jones House exhibit in the absence of Gayle Champion and members were reminded to bring their paintings to the Jones House on Monday, Aug. 2, between 9 and 10 a.m. only. Late entries will not be accepted.

Jean Stillwell gave the treasurer's report in the absence of Nancy..... She reported that HCWS has a total of \$5,301.32 in the treasury.

HCWS is still in need of a webmaster for our website and an archivist/photographer for our scrapbook. Anyone interested in helping in either capacity is urged to contact Cathy Taylor.

The exhibit in the Lincoln Dining Room at ASU's Broyhill Conference Center was discussed and it was determined that a coordinator of this year's show is needed as soon as possible due to the death of long-time coordinator Louise . Members who helped hang the show last summer included Shirley Story, Anne Welch, Jan Martin, Judy Prevost and others. Betty Bond said she will call the Broyhill Center for dates and hours to hang the show and Pam Smith will contact Shirley Story.

Judy Clark announced the annual Fur Ball auction to benefit the Watauga Humane Society is accepting donations of paintings for the Aug. 28 event. Paintings should be brought no later than the Aug. 14 meeting of the HCWS. Our demonstrator, Susan Crouch donated an 11 x 14" print of a Golden Retriever for the auction, Judy Rider, local chairperson of the Watercolor Society of North Carolina, reminded members and guests of the annual WCSNC show coming up in Hickory on Oct. 10. She provided brochures regarding membership in that organization and commented that the show would continue through the end of the year. Judy also announced that the city of Morganton is seeking artists to display their work for a 2-month duration. Interested artists should contact Mike Berly at Morganton.

Betty Bond reported that a \$500 endowment was awarded to the Children's Playhouse and that the HCWS has received a thank you note from the North Carolina Community Foundation for that gift.

Other reminders: Norma Suddreth as visiting artist at Edgewood Cottage in Blowing Rock, July 12-18, where she would be doing and exhibit and demonstration of papermaking.

A door prize donated by Susan Crouch was won by Marsha Holmes.

Respectfully submitted:

Anne Welch
For Vaun Healey



NOTE:

Pam Smith has volunteered to oversee the Broyhill exhibit!!!!!!
Her email is granitefallsnc@gmail.com
She will be changing out the exhibit on Aug. 23.
Deliver paintings between 10:30 - 11:00 am
Email label info to Pam prior to change.
Her phone is 828-396-3003

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2010 SCHEDULE

July 10	Susan Crouch susancrouch.com
August 14	Jeffrey Jakub jeffjakub.com
September 11	Wes Waugh weswaugh.com
October 9	Cathy Taylor ctaylorart.citymax.com

9:30 AM--Noon. Workshops begin at 1PM

Milestones— Personal & Artistic

Judy Rider is exhibiting her paintings at BARNES & NOBLE CAFE (Starbucks) in Hickory from July 5-July 19. It is located on Hwy 70, Exit 126 off I-40 East.

Judy also just completed a 2 month artist exhibit at the City of Morganton, City Hall in downtown Morganton.

Norma Suddreth is doing an Art Exhibit & Demonstration at Edgewood Cottage, Main Street, Blowing Rock on July 12-18. Visit her website at my.att.net/p/ppwp/usartnormasuddreth@bellsouth.net.

Michael Berley, Project Designer for City of Morganton is looking for someone to exhibit for a month at the City Hall of Morganton. Contact him at mberley@cimorganton.nc.us.

Tara Belk is teaching an Acrylic Painting Class at ASU....to be held on Thursday nites: 6 - 8:30pm, beginning on Sept 2 - Oct. 14. (registration opens on July 30 at www.craftenrichment.com or call Teri at 828-262-2530). Emphasis will be on how to achieve a strong composition and color relationship in your painting and freely express yourself! This will be an enjoyable class whether it's your first time painting or if you're a painter looking for some fresh approaches.

HCWS Jones House Exhibit

IMPORTANT DATES!

- Bring pictures (ready to hang with wire) to back entrance of Jones House on Monday, August 2 between 9:00 and 10:00 am- No late work accepted!
- Pick up pictures Monday, August 30 – 9:00 – 10:00 am only.
- Reception Friday, August 6 – 6:30 – 8:00—Prizes will be awarded.

Gale Champion, Chair Jones House Exhibit
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