



# ◆ NEWSLETTER ◆

**July 2020**

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The Wichita Falls Art Association Gallery is Located at 600 8<sup>th</sup> St. in the historic Holt Hotel



## **FEELIN' HOT HOT HOT!!**



That's about all that can be said for July! Even so, it is hoped that everyone is able to enjoy these longer days with lots of cool beverages!

You can also cool off with a visit to the WF Museum of Art, the Kemp Center, or the 8<sup>th</sup> Street Gallery. Each has many beautiful pieces of art to peruse.

## **ART MATTERS**

**WFAA 8<sup>th</sup> STREET GALLERY** – the gallery will be open **Fridays and Saturdays only, for the time being. Fridays 12-5 pm. Saturdays 9am-2 pm. Masks optional. Call Dotti at 940-235-5833 if you would like to volunteer on any of these days. Extending these days and times is being evaluated.**

**ArtZeum** – Besides being a wonderful interactive kids' program at the Kemp Center, this is a great opportunity for our members to do volunteer work. Volunteers can read, do an illustration or just be available for guests. Your volunteer time also helps the WFAA fulfill our mission statement. ArtZeum runs through August 9<sup>th</sup>.

This is open each day of the week. Volunteers are needed for shifts :

<b>Mon-Fri</b>	<b>9am-1pm</b>	<b>1pm-5pm</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10am-12pm</b>	<b>12pm-4pm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>12:30pm-4pm</b>	

**Carol Castro is hosting a drop-in ceramics workshop for children: ArtZeum Clay Characters. Her days are July 8, July 22 and August 5 from 1-4pm. Supplies are provided and cost ranges from \$8.50 to \$25. Since volunteer times are filling up, please contact the Kemp at 940-767-2787 for available days and times. Masks optional.**

**Monthly WFAA member meeting** – We will not be having the July meeting due to the uptick in virus cases. Any updates for members will be relayed through e-mail.

## ART MATTERS

**Kemp Center gift shop – Check out their gift shop on your next visit. There are lots of unique items that are now priced as “donations” with a suggested price. Some items are just \$1.00 !**

**The Wichita Falls Museum of Art will be hosting a small gathering at the museum to tell stories and memories about the artists featured in our 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary exhibit. This will be on Thursday evening, July 23. If you would like to speak at this event, please contact the museum at 940-397-8900 or [wfma@msutexas.edu](mailto:wfma@msutexas.edu) .**

**3D and Threads Show – We unfortunately felt it was necessary to cancel this show for 2020. Safety is the top consideration for all the volunteers who would have been putting this show together. We will set our sights on 2021 !**

## ART OPPORTUNITIES

**CaFé -callforentry.org** – Digital call for art entries.

**Wichita Falls Art Association** – First 3D and Threads Juried Art Show and Exhibit. (Cancelled)

The WFAA membership show is scheduled for August 7<sup>th</sup> through September 27, 2020 in the Kemp Center’s Northlight gallery. Per the Kemp’s guidelines and due to limited space, this is a juried show. Members may bring two pieces for consideration to the 8<sup>th</sup> street gallery July 21-23.

**9<sup>th</sup> Street Studios** – “Memento: A Juried Exhibition of Art That Reminds Us” - September 19- November 30, 2020. Submission deadline July 17, 2020 [9thSTREETSTUDIOS.COM](http://9thSTREETSTUDIOS.COM)

**Mystery Art Fest** – Deadline for art drop off is September 9<sup>th</sup>. Details and registration forms: [artscouncilwf.org/mystery-art-fest](http://artscouncilwf.org/mystery-art-fest)

**LAKE COUNTRY ART SHOW** - Paid up members of any local art association can enter this show hosted by the Graham Art Guild and held at the Old Post Office Museum and Art Center in Graham. Registration and artwork delivery - 9am-4pm July 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. There is no link available for registration forms, but info and form have been posted to the WFAA Facebook page or email [salstruck@aol.com](mailto:salstruck@aol.com) and request a form be emailed to you.

**Art en Blanc:** “Everything White” The Gallery in Frisco, Texas. Submission deadline July 31, 2020. <https://www.thegallery8680.com/art-en-blanc-everything-white.html>

**Medicine Park Art Walk and Flute Festival** - Seeking artists for their event to be held October 9, 10, and 11 in Medicine Park, Oklahoma. This is a juried show limited to 50 entrants. Cost is \$75 per 10’ by 10’ display space. Email [jeanpar3@tds.net](mailto:jeanpar3@tds.net) for more information and entry forms.

## ACCOLADES

### KIM WARD

Betty King Wright award at the Red River Valley International Art Show “Khia”.  
Honorable Mention at the Red River International Art Show “Rose Mallow Two”.

### AARON CAMPBELL

Aaron completed a new mural for the WF Chamber of Commerce offices at 8<sup>th</sup> and Lamar.

### KATHY SMYERS

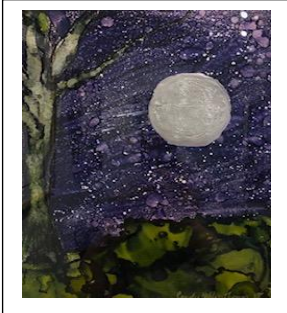
Jurors choice at the Red River Valley International Art Show “Shimmering Waters”.

### LORENKA CAMPOS

Selected for exhibition in the Mira Mobile 2020 exhibit in Porta, Portugal. Digital art category, “I’m sending the coyote to bring you back to me”.

# PHOTO GALLERY

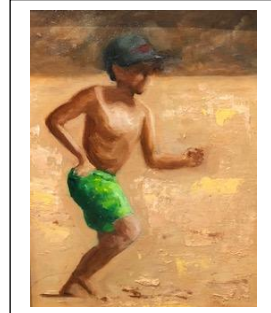
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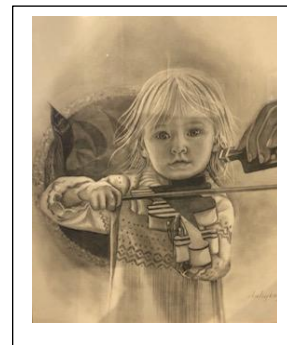
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## **DATES TO NOTE**

<b>Now through July 12</b>	Red River Valley International Art Exhibit in Vernon, TX.
<b>Now through July 31</b>	Artwork by Sandra Dunn at The Forum.
<b>Now through August 1</b>	Red River Photography Club in the NorthLight Gallery @ the Kemp.
<b>Now through August 15</b>	WFAA 70 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary exhibit "Let Me Show You This" at the WF Museum of Art.
<b>July 27 – August 29</b>	Lake Country Art Show in the OPOMAC in Graham, TX.
<b>July 31 – August 1</b>	Cowboy True @ The Forum.
<b>Now through August 1</b>	Bonnie Siebert in the West End Studio @ the Kemp.
<b>August 7 – September 27</b>	WFAA Membership Exhibit in the NorthLight Gallery @ the Kemp.
<b>Now through August 21</b>	Alexandra Labaisse in the What's Up Downstairs? Gallery at the Kemp.

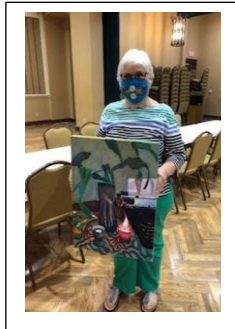
### *THANK YOU!*

/ A special thank you to grant writers Bob and Debbie Barrow and Doris Lackey. Our association has received two grants and two more are pending approval. These grants are vital to be able to support our gallery and to help promote the arts in our community.

/ Gloria Hood hosted a meet and greet at The Maplewood on June 17<sup>th</sup> for our members. The new The Eyes of Texas Fine Art Gallery magazine was distributed, and a good time was had by all who were able to attend.

/ Thank you to those members who have provided food, cards and visits for Judy Braddy as she recoups.

/ Ann Hunter was our "show and tell" presenter at the June 17 meeting. "Start a Fire or the Cry of Fire"



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*"Art is anything you can get away with."*

*Andy Warhol*