

Tucson Pastel Society

General Meeting - May, 2024

Number of members present: 19

Amerind Show:

Bring art to TPS for delivery to Amerind Museum

Plein air paint out the morning of the show reception-Saturday. Reception 1:00 - 2:00, closes at 2:00.

More info in our September meeting.

Plein-air:

Aqua Caliente Park - May 22nd 8:00 - noon.

After this plein-air meet we will have two open studio days per month during June, July, August and September. No plein-air during those months.

Millions for Tucson:

Take a few tix to sell to friends, etc. Anyone may go online to the TPS website to purchase tix.

Artist of the Year Winner:

Anna Hewings - Congratulations Anna! Anna won a one year free membership to TPS, her painting will appear on our membership directory, and she receives a \$50 gift certificate from Arizona Art Supply.

50/50 Winner:

Collected \$51.00 total. Winner Sally Edge
\$25.50

Program: Becky Neideffer

We would like to push to get more members, new members in the Fall. It would be great to have new help with committees, etc.

We ask everyone to keep their eyes open for art show venues.

We have an art show committee and a workshop

committee. Becky is our lone program committee.

We also have events like Plein-air and open studio that members host. You may bring whatever you'd like to work on in any medium to the open studio events.

Ursula asked about our general meeting meet time in regards to getting more members to join. Hard for some to attend middle of the week, middle of day. Becky is happy to hear suggestions.

Becky named all of our board members to the group.

Will be doing an online International pastel show in the spring 2025.

Barbara Archer Baldwin

demonstrated a new fixative that may eliminate the need to frame pastels under glass. It only

slightly changes the pastel colors but it's workable. It is unknown if any further changes might take place over time. Could be a game changer when framing. SpectraFix Final Fix Advanced Fixative