June 2026

GENERAL MEETINGS WITH DEMOS/TALKS 2026

Second Thursday of the Month

MEETINGS WILL BE HELD VIA ZOOM

Zoom Link will be e-mailed

June 11
with: **Charles Passarelli**

July 9
with: **Janet Mandel**

August 13
with: **Jordan Rhodes**

September 10
with: **Jaimie Cordero**

October 8
Critique
with: **Miles Laventhall**

November 12
with: **Marie Natale**

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Palm Beach Watercolor Society

A Message From The President

Dear Members,

Jimmy and I are up in our home in New York for the summer, in the hamlet of Smallwood. The first few days it was so hot I thought I was still in Florida, Now its cool in the 60's.

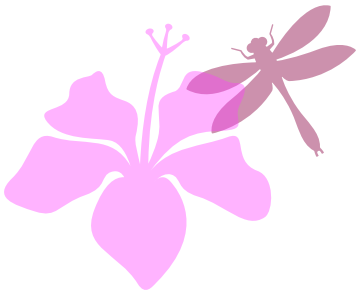
Palm Beach Watercolor Society continues to bring you monthly meetings on the second Thursday of the month on Zoom. For the summer months we will continue to hold the meetings at 6:30 pm. The demo will start at 7:00pm. I open the Zoom at 6:00 pm so that you can socialize a bit with your friends.

Our members are all over the country and in Canada. It's a good way to say "Hi" and catch up! Thursday, June 11th is our next meeting with Charles Passarelli doing the demo. We look forward to seeing you on Zoom.

Remember our Paint Ins are on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month and they continue through the summer.

We have collaborated with the Painted Ladies of Palm Beach County and welcome them as part of PBWS. Read all about this in the Newsletter and go onto our website www.palmbeachwatercolorsociety.com to learn more about this group. Many of our members have been part of The Painted Ladies and Palm Beach Watercolor Society for many years, so we are delighted to now be one organization.

We have shows scheduled for the fall and winter season in Florida. Keep on painting. If you are traveling take lots of pictures and do lots of sketching. We would love to see these paintings in our shows!



Happy Painting,

Adrienne Walker
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Membership Renewal and New Members paying by check: Please download and fill out the form at the end of this newsletter. Send it in along with your check made payable to the **Palm Beach Watercolor Society, Inc.** to:

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MEET OUR MAY DEMO ARTIST

Charles Passarelli

June 11th, 2026 on Zoom.

Water Splashing Off Of Rocks

"My demo will be of water splashing off of rocks along a shoreline. I will demonstrate how to use what you have in your watercolor tools to create the light splash and mist that is so identified with this occurrence, in contrast to the heavy water around it." – *Charles Passarelli*





"John", watercolor by Charles Passarelli

Biography:

Charles Passarelli's career is a testament to the enduring power of the brush. After serving in the Korean War, he spent decades at the heart of the American advertising boom, working within two of the nation's largest art studios in Detroit before launching a prolific freelance career. With representation in New York, Atlanta and Fort Lauderdale, his commercial illustrations helped define an era of marketing.

However, as the digital age began to replace traditional techniques and computers, Charles chose a different path. Unwilling to "sacrifice his brush", he reclaimed his creative independence by transitioning into fine art. This shift allowed him to trade client driven solutions to personal expression, focusing his technical precision on the fluid, challenging medium of watercolor.

Over the last 20 years, his work has garnered top honors across the Southeast, including "Best in Watercolor" at the Delray National and Pigeon Key National Art Shows. A Signature Member of the Florida Watercolor Society, The Palm Beach Watercolor Society and the Michigan Watercolor Society, he has spent nearly three decades mentoring the next generation of artists.

Even when faced with the modern challenges of a global pandemic, Charles adapted taking his renowned teaching style from the classroom to a nationwide audience via Zoom. Today he continues to embody the spirit of his favorite movies star's philosophy that the mark of a true artist is to never stop trying something new.

REMINDER: **We have video recordings of monthly meeting demos and workshops.** If you are a member, there is **no fee for the monthly meeting demo recordings. The fee for guests is $25 for one meeting demo recording.**

If you **attended a workshop** and the workshop was recorded by PBWS with permission from the artist ~ and you would like a copy of the video recording the fee is **$15 for 1 day, $30 for 2 days, and $45 for 3 days.**
If you **did not attend the workshop** the fee for the video recording is **$75 for 1 day, $150 for 2 days, and $225 for 3 days. The monies will go towards our scholarship fund**.

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MEMBER NEWS / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome New Members!

Irene Nowell • Gina Torkos • Barbara Powell • Ian Ibbetson • Barbara Ziev • Jan Williamson

Painted Ladies of Palm Beach County

It was an incredible day at the **Norton Sculpture Garden** on May 6th! The ladies had a delightful lunch in the garden, strolled through the working studio with artist-in-residence Kevin Barrett, and meandered through the art gallery showcasing Sylvia Schuster's work.
https://www.icloud.com/sharedalbum/#B2W5n8hH4mOef4

The surprise location afterward was the perfect cherry on top! **The Caroline Station** is an 85,000 square foot creative and lifestyle hub. The ladies enjoyed lattes, exploring antiques, immersing themselves in the arts, and soaking in the vibrant atmosphere. Until you can visit in person, here's a link to give you a glimpse of what it's all about:
https://carolinestation.com



Last but not least, remember to sign up for membership at the Palm Beach Watercolor Society. **Our next meetup is scheduled for Thursday, November 5th and will kick off our new winter season 2026-2027. Teaser alert! We have a famous artist slated for a visit!**

Our communication will be through the Palm Beach Watercolor Society and you must be a member to join. We encourage you to become a member to continue enjoying all these wonderful events.

Come See The Show!

"Colors Of The Day"
NOW THRU APRIL 2027
at
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Donations benefit our Scholarship, Arts Supply Fund for art students.

Share your art news with us. Send an email to idesign@gate.net with a photo if you wish to include one to with the subject "PBWS Member News".

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20% discount on custom framing
for Palm Beach Watercolor Society members

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VIRTUAL PAINT-INS with PROFESSIONAL MODELS

PBWS will have virtual Paint-Ins with live professional models via Zoom on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month in the morning from 10:00 A.M. to 12:45 P.M.

Members Only - Six Sessions $30.00

Non-members - Four Sessions $40.00

"All Paint-In sessions must be used within 6 months of payment date. Any unused sessions after the 6-month cutoff will be donated to PBWS. **You will get a monthly reminder of how many sessions you have remaining from Liane Kravet.**" *For example:* If you pay $30 for 6 sessions on January 1, 2024 and miss any you will have until July 1, 2024 to make them up. We thank you for your understanding and look forward to seeing you at the Paint-Ins.

Tuesday	**May 26**	**- Joe Rosing**
Tuesday	**June 9**	**- Renna Zimmer**
Tuesday	**June 23**	**- Edwin Vasquez**

Below is the general format for the paint-in which is open to change based on input from attendees:
3 - 5 two minute poses (warm up)
2 five minute poses
2 ten minute poses
several 20 minute poses to allow you time to paint

It is not necessary to download Zoom on your computer, phone or tablet. All you need to do is **click on the link in the invite letter that will be sent out a day prior to the paint-in.**

To pay by credit card: Go to the Paint-Ins Page at www.palmbeachwatercolorsociety.com

To pay by check: Please mail your checks made payable to **Palm Beach Watercolor Society, Inc.** and send to:

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Call **Mary Martinez (561) 704-0902** or **(561) 736-7619 for more information or** email **Adrienne Walker** pbws2021@gmail.com.

ZOOM ETIQUETTE

1. **Be "camera" ready and on time**, and please be seated. We do not need to be taken for a spin throughout your home until you get settled. If you need to relocate during the meeting you can turn off your video.

2. Please note: **before you turn on the your "video" picture ~ we hear you! Your audio is live**. You have the option to mute yourself once you join us.

3. **Wear pants and shirts.** If you are not alone, please let it be known to others that we can see and hear them too 😂

4. **Mute yourself once the demo begins** or we will mute you if you aren't muted. If you have a question or comment **please type your question(s) in the "chat" section**. The host or co-host will ask your question(s) when the moment is right.

5. **Be polite.** Communicating to a large audience while demonstrating one's painting techniques can't be easy. Please show some respect and compassion.

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PALM BEACH WATERCOLOR SOCIETY

Membership Application and Renewal Form

*****ATTENTION, PLEASE READ CAREFULLY*****

Membership payment includes eligibility to participate in, shows, workshops, paint-in's, committees, and to serve on the PBWS Board. **Please answer YES in the appropriate box; Membership Renewal if you are a returning member OR New Membership if you are joining for the first time.** Annual dues are in effect from October 1st to September 30th.

Please complete the information below and submit this form with your payment.

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Dues: Single Membership $50.00 ____ Family Membership $65.00 ____ Lifetime $275.00 ____

The PBWS Newsletter is normally sent by e-mail. Annual charge for mailed Newsletter: $10.00_____

New Member ☐ **I am Renewing my Membership** ☐

☐ Change of Address ☐ Change of Phone ☐ Change of E-mail ☐

Name (Please Print): _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____State: _____Zip code: _____

Telephone: (home) _____ (cell) _____

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PBWS operates on the basis of volunteers. Our members are encouraged to assist with various activities as well as serve on or chair committees.

I would like to help with (please check):

Communications ☐ Computer ☐ Exhibitions ☐ Historian ☐ Hospitality ☐ Mailings ☐
Membership ☐ Newsletter ☐ Paint-In's ☐ Programs ☐ Publicity ☐ Receptions ☐

Workshops ☐ PBWS Board ☐ Other_____

Total Payment: $_____ Check #_____

***Credit card payments www.palmbeachwatercolorsociety.com; go to Membership**
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