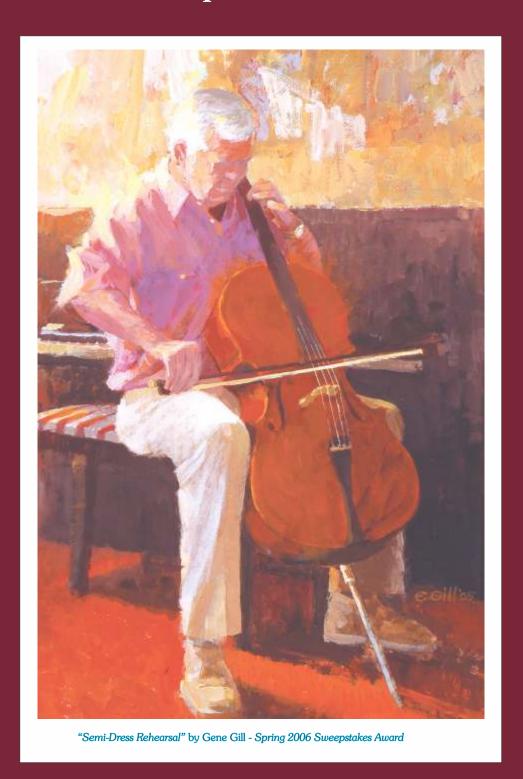
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# 41st Annual Aqueous Media Exhibition



## Tualatin Heritage Center

Tualatin, Oregon - April 7 thru April 25, 2006



# 41st Annual Aqueous Media Exhibition Watercolor Society of Oregon





Ruth Armitage

Linda Nye and Garve Beckham made a great duo as chairs for our Spring Convention in Tigard. They assembled a team of willing and enthusiastic volunteers to bring us together for art, sharing and learning. The brand new Tualatin Heritage Center was a terrific backdrop for the show and we'd like to thank the volunteers who helped host the show there. The facility was wonderful.

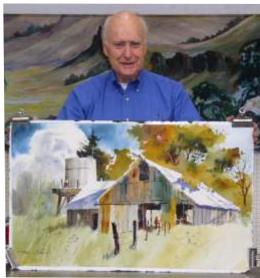
Artists in attendance enjoyed paint-outs, drawing, a museum tour, a tour of Nike's campus and the art there, lectures, critiques and a terrific trade show. And, of course, we all enjoyed meeting and making artist friends from across the state. The reception and banquet went off without a hitch, thanks to careful planning. Thanks to all who volunteered and participated. The paintings showed a variety of styles, and included several entries by new members. It is always a treat to see the award winners chosen. Congratulations to you if your painting was selected!

Our organization boasts over 800 members and we commit ourselves to exhibit quality watermedia works and provide educational opportunities for members and the community. If you know of an artist who might be interested, refer them to our website: www.watercolorsocietyoforegon.com for more information. We are currently seeking at-risk youth to apply for the Bonney Lamb Memorial Scholarship.

It was a treat to meet renowned painter Tony Couch who joined us from Georgia. Many of us were introduced to watercolor by his book, "Watercolor - You Can Do It." His warm demeanor and gentle humor made the weekend even more enjoyable! Tony offered encouragement to new and experienced painters alike. I hope many of you will enter and attend our next show in Gold Beach.

Ruth Armitage, WSO President

# The Juror - Tony Couch



Tony Couch with WSO workshop demo

My congratulations to all who entered this exhibition; the quality of the work submitted was in general quite good - better than many I have judged.

My only lament is that in selecting the paintings for the awards, so many works of merit had to be left out. As usual, when selecting the top of them, the differences in merit between the paintings was very narrow - a measure of quality exhibitions.

Of course, we are all happy for those who garnered these awards, however, my thoughts are with those who did not. Well I remember the frustration of entering shows and coming away with nothing - being rejected from the exhibition even. And I expect it to happen to me many more times before I put my brushes away for

I cannot forget when, several years ago, I quit painting altogether for a six year span because of where the award ribbons went (not to me) at a local exhibition I had entered in Atlanta. In retrospect, I see no one was impressed, and no one was hurt by my action but me. How much further ahead would I be now if I hadn't wasted those six vears?

It's true some jurors you will face are hardly qualified; some are biased and there will always be politics. You are forever at the mercy of the jury selection committee and their decision could be

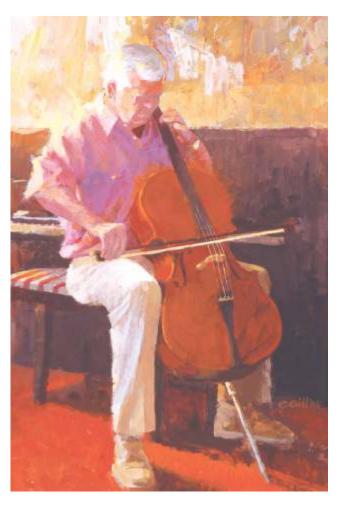
based on nothing but exhibition space or economics.

But as you gain experience you will learn to avoid the worst of these. Then, facing a juror or jury you trust, the only practical attitude for you and I is this: "I didn't make the cut in this show because I'm not good enough - YET."

The significant word here is YET. Just as sure as you persevere; study - paint - learn; awards will come your way. And by the way, you will STILL be rejected on occasion!

Tony Couch

# Sweepstakes Award \$600.

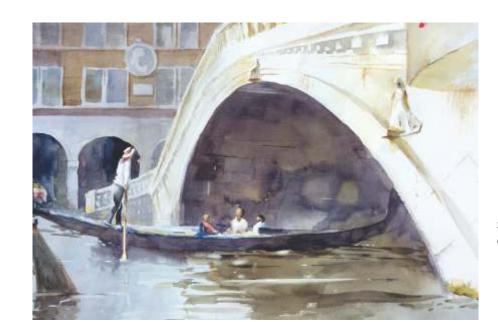


Gene Gill, Portland Semi-Dress Rehearsal, 24 x17, \$1800

### First Place Award \$500.



Marge Eaton Johnson, Tigard Beneath the Surface, 21 x 14, \$400



**Second Place Award \$450.** 

Sam Rouslin, Salem Grand Canal, 14 x 20, \$900

### **Achievement Awards**

# Third Place Award \$350.

**Irene Young**, Florence *Emersion #1*, 18 x 25,



Fourth Place Award \$300.



Cynthia M. W. Holloway, Oak Grove Nest Building,  $11 \times 11$ , \$350



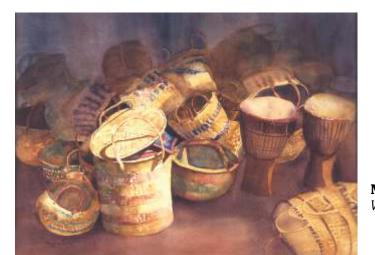
**Lynn Powers**, Albany *A Portrait of Jane*, 18 x 14, \$700



**Dolores Ribal**, Central Point *Back Alley*, 20 x 25, \$1200



Chris Keylock Williams
Portland
Escape Route
21 x 29, \$850

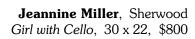


**Maggie Sams**, Dallas Woven Rhythms, 13 x 18, \$950

## **Achievement Awards**



**Jaqueline Lukowski**, Eugene *The Olla Tree*, 30 x 22, \$700





**Kathy Tiger**, Eugene Elder Series: Milena, 15 x 20, NFS



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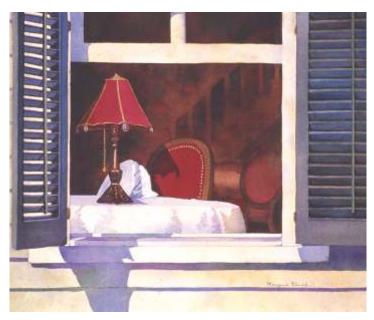


**Sally B. Bailey**, Mt. Hood Sail Shapes, 21 x 28, \$1200

## **Awards of Distinction**



**Susan Greenbaum**, Lake Oswego Boundaries, 23 x 19, \$650



**Marjorie Kinch**, Corvallis *Parlor Red*, 18 x 22, \$1350

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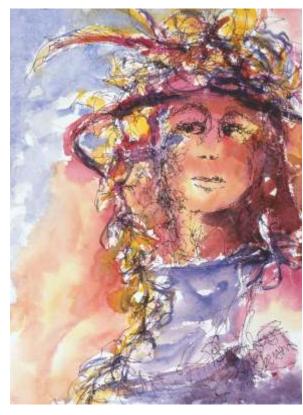
# **Awards of Distinction**



**Marianne Kauffman**, Medford *Essence of Iris II*, 14 x 19, \$700



**Wynn Pedersen**, Jacksonville Along the Silk Road: A Land Askew, 11 x 14, \$700



**Brooks Hickerson**, Eugene Sophie, 15 x 11, \$300



**Alice Tetamore**, Brownsville *Pocket Full of Wren*, 30 x 20, \$800



**Bev Partridge**, Springfield *The Ring Bearer*, 15 x 22, \$500

# People's Choice Award



**George M. Schoonover**, Yachats *Trailer Park Grand*, 21 x 30, \$2500



**Linda Aman**, Tualatin *Tulip Ablaze*, 19 x 26, NFS



**Kati Bendig**, Milwaukie Quiet Retreat, 14 x 12, NFS



**Garve Beckham**, Tigard Somber November, 15 x 22, \$500



**Jean Blatner**, Portland Early Morning Rose, 20 x 21, \$1200



**John P. Bradley**Waldport

Ever--Green, 16 x 28
\$550



**Helen Brown**, Sunriver *Journey*, 15 x 22, \$700



**Don Burgess**, Eugene Anasazi Remembered, 11 x 14, \$250



**Charlene Brussat**, Jacksonville *Backup*, 15 x 22, \$1200

**Kathryn Damon-Dawson**Westlake
Young Woman Studying
18 x 18, \$500



**Marilyn C. Davis**, Lake Oswego *Bella Blues*, 22 x 14, \$225



**Elizabeth Mikie Doolittle**, Portland *O'Keefe Country*, 21 x 29, \$1100



**Stephen Ferris**, Portland *Botswana Beauty* 14 x 23, \$1100



**Dee Frank**, Gladstone Wood River Valley, Idaho 20 x 29, \$950



**Evelyn Fritz**, Aloha *La Quinta*, 15 x 21, \$400





**Hyon Fielding**, Fossil Crows, 20 x 24, \$800

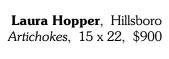
**Tim Gault**, Beaverton *Boats and Masts* 10 x 14, \$395



**Mike Hill**, Gresham *Roadmaster* 21 x 29, \$1,800



**Marion Griffith**, Canby *Snow Man*, 22 x 15, \$850





**Dana Hansler**, Eugene Still Waters, 15 x 22, \$750





**Colleen Humphrey**, Portland Fruit, Fresh Fruit 22 x 30, \$900



**Marilyn Hurst**, Medford Mt. Lassen at Manzanita Lake, 20 x 29, \$950



**Olin Jones**, Medford *Jacksonville Lumber*, 14 x 20, \$350



**Cathy C. Huntington**, Gresham Foreign Affair, 11 x 11, \$425



Steve Ludeman Rhododendron Fall Colors, 15 x 22 NFS



**Nan Tupper Malone**, Portland *Technicolor Cows VIII*, 15 x 21, \$550



**Lois Marchington**, Portland *Mates*, 14 x 21, \$400



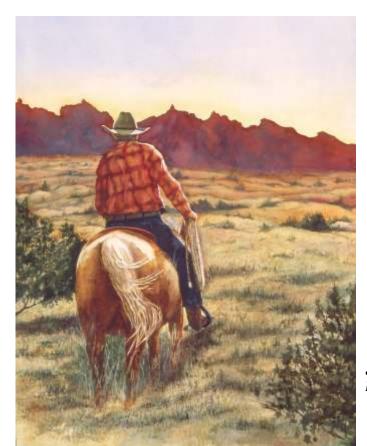
**John Maslen**, Portland Watson's I, 20 x 28, \$2,850



**Britt McNamee**Portland *Europa I*, 14 x 21
\$300



**D. Jacqueline Newbold**, Bend *In the Meadow*, 7 x 21, \$575





**Nancy L. Muren**, Keizer Light on a Winter Day, 14 x 18, \$350

**James Moon**, Creswell *Headin' Home*, 28 x 21 \$800



**Jo Oekerman**Beaverton
Dreams, 10 x 19
\$400



**Marilyn O'Brien**, Eugene The Bells of Santa Maria Ara Coeli 15 x 9, \$300



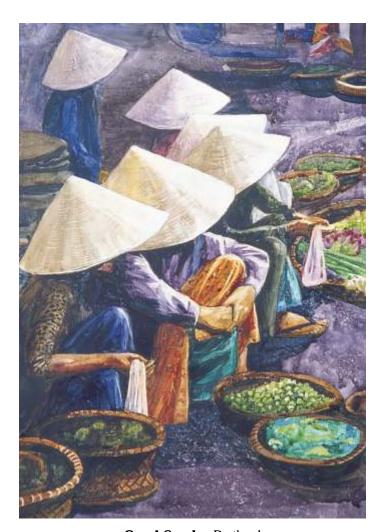
**Shirley Oakley**, Dallas Locks at Three Gorges/China #1, 14 x 20, \$500



**Goly Ostovar**, Ashland *Childhood Cherrytree*, 11 x 15, \$1500



**Pamela Parker**, Seal Rock Dad and Me, 21 x 29, \$950



**Carol Sands**, Portland *Asian Vendors*, 30 x 25, \$550



**Kris Preslan**, Lake Oswego "Una Viuzza Tranquilla", Venice, Italy, 16 x 21, \$450



**Carol Putnam**, Tigard Rainbow and Limelight, 9 x 13, \$500



**Sally Schwader**, Eugene The Onion Harvest, 13 x 21, \$595



**Richard Shaffer**, Portland *French Dries*, 16 x 12, \$350



**Julie Shirley**, Portland Solitude, 21 x 29, \$800



**Dodie Setoda**, Portland *Pear Medley*, 16 x 10, \$700



Ruth Lambert Smith
Portland
My Memories
12 x 19, \$425



**Susan Spears**, Lake Oswego Ann Aimee Winery--Looking East, 22 x 30, \$900

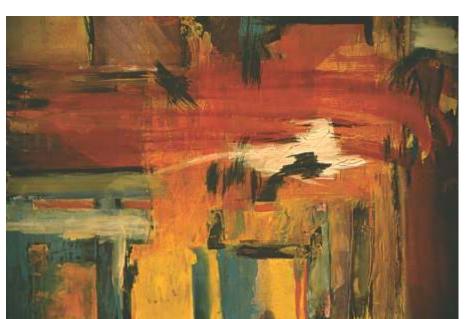


**Sunny Smith**, Portland *Universal Harmony*, 29 x 22, \$900

**Chris Stubbs**, Tualatin *Floats 'n' Boats in Rio Maggiore* 21 x 29, \$1200



**Virginia Stull**, Tigard Feeling the Bliss 20 x 20, \$800



**Bruce Ulrich**, Beaverton *Red Alar*, 22 x 30, \$1100



**LaVonne Tarbox-Crone**, Eugene *Scissors with Orange*, 26 x 17, \$1100



**Iva Wakeman**, Portland *The Warmth of Winter* 15 x 22, \$500



**Pam Wallace**, Gresham *Sol Fleur*, 16 x 22, \$875



**Barbara Vance**, Lake Oswego *Red Grass*, 15 x 22, \$400



**Harold Walkup**, Beaverton *Time For a Story*, 22 x 30, \$950



**Carol Winchester**, Portland Swingin' Around, 14 x 11, \$600



**Horst Wolf**, Brookings *Two Guitars*, 15 x 22, \$700

# 2006 Spring Show Tour Schedule

#### The Entire Spring Show

April 7 - April 25

#### **Tualatin Heritage Center**

8700 SW Sweek Street, Tualatin, Oregon 97062 Exhibit Coordinator: Larry McClure, (503) 692-5489 Hours: Mon thru Sun 10am - 4pm

#### The 20 Award Winning Paintings

May 1 - May 30

#### Riversea Gallery

1160 Commercial Street, Astoria, Oregon 97103

Exhibit Coordinator: Jannine Grafton, (503) 325-1270

Hours: Mon thru Fri 10:30am - 5:30pm, Sat Noon - 4pm

#### June 1 - 29

#### Dragonfire Gallery

123 S Hemlock Street, Cannon Beach, Oregon 97110 Exhibit Coordinator: Mari Rockett, (503) 436-1533 Hours: Daily 10am - 6pm

#### July 1 - August 29

#### **Southern Coos Hospital & Health Center**

900 11th Street, Bandon, Oregon 97411 Exhibit Coordinator: Victoria Tierney, (541) 347-9862 Hours: Daily 7am - 10pm

#### September 1 - 29

#### Frames of Florence

1361 First Street, Florence, Oregon 97439 Exhibit Coordinator: Jeanne Owen, (541) 997-2043 Hours: Mon thru Sat 10am - 5:30pm

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**Meet & Greet the Juror:** Sunny Smith & Phyllis Meyer

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Harold Walkup - Paint-in

Janet Louvau Holt - Art Museum Tour

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