

Artist of the Month

“Why do I paint, it is for the pure, painful, pleasure of it. Painting brings a challenge of seeing, really seeing and observation. I paint because I love it and just cannot stop.”

Kristine calls Enchantment Valley, at Wizard Lake, home where she gets a lot of her inspiration. She hasn't had a formal art education but has broadened her understanding of painting from attending classes and workshops in Leduc, other artists living in her community, Acrylic University online, and painting daily. She also has a talented group of online photographer friends that provide her with an abundance of wonderful resource material.



Kristine Anderson

After retirement from a 42-year career in construction and the oil patch she found life way too quiet for her. Finding herself an empty nester, and husband still working, she remembered that she always wanted to pursue art in some form once she had the time. That time was now! She used to say how lucky she was to find art but has come to realize how blessed she was that art found her.

“My passion for color is evident in my paintings. I paint a wide variety of subjects ranging from animals, landscapes, and florals. I love it that my paintings have been described as childlike or boldly beautiful. My wish is that my art takes the viewer to a place of peace and joy.”

Come see Kristine’s artwork showing at the Leduc Art Club during the month of May. You will find it in the Leduc Arts Foundry room at the Leduc Recreation Centre.

CONGRATULATIONS KRISTINE!

WORKSHOPS & CLASSES

On-going Oil classes with Cindy Revell and youth classes with David Shkolny

UP (Unique Perspective) on-going

April - Willie Wong Watercolors

May – Moving to Abstraction with Lori Sokoluk

Way to go Liz Ekstrom for taking the lead for the Artist of the Month Gallery and the Members Gallery. Please contact Liz to sign up for the opportunity to present your artwork.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

FLORAL FLING!

Join us April 3rd, 2023 at 1-3pm for a floral demonstration from LEDUC FLORISTS. They will make a lovely arrangement then you can make your own arrangements for \$20. Limited spaces available so register now! Tickets available for purchase at the Leduc Arts Foundry in the LRC.

2023 ARTIST OF THE MONTH

JANUARY	Annette Russell
FEBRUARY	Haley Anderson
MARCH	Kristine Anderson
APRIL	Spring Fling Member Show
MAY	Bruce Whaley
JUNE	AYAC Show
JULY	Wayne Marr
AUGUST	Teresa Dobko
SEPTEMBER	Liz Ekstrom
OCTOBER	Shirley McIntosh
NOVEMBER	Andrés Mendez
DECEMBER	Kathy Hicks

FRONT GALLERY LAC Member Show
(Please note: dates are subject to change)

MARCH LAC Members Gallery
presented by Wayne Marr, Jan Deters, Linda West, Teresa Dobko, and Kathie Henderson

**Make sure you visit
www.LeducArtClub.com
to see what else is happening.
You don't want to miss a thing!**

Spring Fling Art Show & Sale and Fashion Show 2023

- March 21** Submissions deadline
- March 31** Drop off paintings 5-7pm
- April 1** Drop off paintings 10am-12pm
- April 3** Floral Fling 1-3pm
- April 14** Fashion show dress rehearsal 6:30-10pm
- April 15** Saturday 9am-5pm
Fashion Show from 1-3pm
- April 16**, Sunday 11:00-5:30 pm
Sold paintings can be picked up 2-4pm.

Members are invited to submit their artwork [here](#). Hard copies will be available at the Leduc Art Foundry. You will need to fill this form for each piece of artwork submitted.

Here is a great way to get your bio created. Link to the questionnaire [here](#) to help you get started or update an existing one. Contact Kathy Hicks at membership@leducartclub.com to submit.

If you would like to attend the Fashion Show you will be required to purchase a ticket, whether presenting in the show or not. Tickets are \$30 and available at **LB Closet, Chantilly Lingerie and Swim Boutique**, or stop by the **Free Drop-In** painting at the Leduc Arts Foundry on Tuesday 9am-7pm.

You can view volunteer opportunities [here](#) for you to see the areas you would prefer to help with. All members should try to assist even if not presenting. Phone committee will be in touch to collect your choices.

We encourage LAC members to come support this event. It's a wonderful opportunity to help build awareness of our artists, the club, and to collaborate with local businesses. We appreciate your efforts to make this special event a resounding success.

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COMMUNITY DROP-IN TUESDAYS EVERYONE WELCOME 9am-4pm

Join us at the Leduc Arts Foundry. Bring your supplies of choice and join like-minded artists for a day of fun and creativity.

4 - 7pm Teen Drop-in
7 – 9pm Open Mic

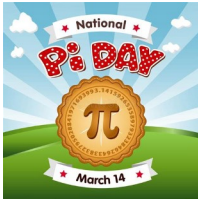


Whhaaat!??!! Poor Brittany! She and Erica had to scrape the sink which was totally plugged solid with paint and clay causing backup and smelling like the Bog of Eternal Stench.

So a friendly reminder to scrape excess materials into the BLACK garbage bin and flush the sink with hot water after cleaning your tools. Let's help to

REMEMBER LAC HAS APRONS WITH OUR LOGO ON SALE FOR \$30. Email leducartclub1@gmail.com if you would like to purchase one. You can get your name embroidered on the pocket for \$10 at Alice Embroidery.

Welcome
Linda West and Shawn O'Lander to the LAC Board. Shawn will be editor of the monthly newsletter.



Join us Tuesday March 14th 9am-4pm to celebrate Pi Day! Bring your favorite pie doesn't matter what kind of pie, just bring a pie!

LAC BOARD



Leduc Art Club News

March 2023

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Next SOCIAL

SATURDAY, MARCH 18TH, 2023 from 10am-2pm.

Erica Whitfield from the Leduc Arts Foundry will be answering questions about Facebook, Instagram, and Google. Great opportunity for the non-techie.

ALL LAC MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND BOARD MEETINGS AS A GUEST

Your opinion is important and should be heard. If you would like to attend please contact one of the Board of Directors to add your name to the agenda

HELP! Still in search of a Secretary for the Board . it is necessary to have one in order to maintain our Society status. If one or more members are interested (perhaps workshare?) in helping out with some of the duties would be greatly welcome. Computer skills are a must.



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