

WOMEN ARTISTS OF THE WEST

NATIONAL EXHIBITION & SALE

MARCH 27 - APRIL 16, 2020

50 TH JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY

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WAOW is honored to be celebrating fifty years of exhibitions with this year's national exhibit at Settlers West Galleries in Tucson. Settlers West specializes in showcasing only the finest in Western and Wildlife art. Our fine art gallery in Tucson, Arizona has been host to many of the world's premier artists throughout our 46-year history. Its shows feature works by Howard Terpning, Daniel Smith, Scott Tallman Powers, Robert Griffing, Francois Koch, William Acheff, and many more of today's masters.

Settlers West's hours are 10am to 5pm Monday through Saturday, and it is located on the northeast corner of Campbell Avenue and Skyline Road. Visitors from the Metro Phoenix area should take the Ina Road exit east from Interstate 10 and follow it to Campbell Avenue.

http://www.settlerswest.com/



Settlers West Gallery, 6420 N. Campbell Avenue, Tucson, AZ 85718

WAOW Master Signature Members

Heather Arenas Carol Amos Mary Ann Cherry

Addren Doss Christine Graefe Drewyer Amy Evans

Patricia Rose Ford Betty Russell Gates Ilene Gienger-Stanfield

Paula Holtzclaw Helen Howerton Debbie Hughbanks

Lori Kiplinger-Pandy

Dee Kirkham

Phyllis deQuevedo Sharon Markwardt

Kathryn McMahon Meio Okon

Anne Peyton Kim Shaklee

Cecy Turner Burneta Venosdel

Ginger Whellock

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Jeanne Hyland Jane Hunt

Women Artists of the West--Our Legacy



Women Artists of the West (WAOW) is a non-profit organization of well over 300 juried members across the United States and Canada with the objectives of uniting women artists, elevating awareness of art created by women and encouraging technical excellence. WAOW supports members through education, workshops, and mentoring with a focus on

encouraging both emerging and established artists in business and professional practices. WAOW members are publicly promoted through national advertising, exhibitions, web and social media. It is the oldest established organization dedicated to women artists in the nation; we are honored to be celebrating 50 years of exhibitions with this year's national exhibit at Settlers West Gallery in Tucson, Arizona.

Our Beginnings as Women Artists of the American West

Women Artists of the American West (WAOAW) was founded in 1971 in Norco, California by a small group of women with a desire to network as professionals and compete in the world of art. They pooled their efforts and began promoting their careers with shows and advertising. WAOAW soon became known for its high caliber of artists and distinctive western style.

Their debut exhibit was held in Palm Springs, California. They continued to show in locations such as the Cowgirl Hall of Fame in Fort Worth, Texas, in Las Vegas, Nevada, and then on to other areas of the country including New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Mississippi, and Arizona. In these early years, the membership was limited to 35, each of whom played an active role, investing time and money in shows and advertisements to promote their professional growth. Eventually the decision was made to increase membership in order to support the increasing demands for financing and coordinating the group's activities.

WAOAW artists were known for their western pieces in various media. However, as many women artists in non-western genres wanted to become a part of the group's legacy, in 1988 the bylaws were changed to embrace additional genre, subject matter and style. The membership chose to drop "American" from their name and became what is known today as Women Artists of the West.

Women Artists of the West as it is Today

Women Artists of the West (WAOW) is a unique and respected organization that continues to grow and increase its presence in the art world.

WAOW has evolved over the years in its decades of supporting and promoting art created by women. Within the realm of fine art, there is a variety of genres and themes from members across the nation. WAOW members create both in their indoor studios and en plein air. They paint and sculpt still life and floral, landscapes and seascapes, figures and portraits, ranch and rural life, traditional and contemporary west, wildlife and domestic animals, historical events and Native American subjects. Styles are varied and diverse and include impressionism, expressionism, realism, representational and contemporary in all fine art media in two and three dimensions.

WAOW has long been dedicated to helping aspiring artists in the spirit of mentoring, and many of its members share their expertise through workshops and books and, for the members' proprietary benefit, an online forum for art tips and extended discussions.

The common thread of WAOW artists is the passion for their work and the desire to express the joy and beauty of the world around them. During the organization's existence, WAOW members have collectively made their mark on the art world. They have done this as a team of professionals, with plans to continue the journey together.

The fine artwork of various genres and mediums in this exhibition has been through a stringent selection process.

Members are initially juried to become a WAOW member and then must submit work to a seven member blind jury for acceptance into the national exhibition. We are very pleased and proud to present the work of these outstanding, talented members of WAOW in our 50th National Exhibition, Settlers West. The entire exhibition catalog and images of the award-winning paintings of the 50th National Exhibition are posted on the Women Artists of the West website. Please visit our website at waow.org for more information about WAOW, links to artists and upcoming events and shows.

Mary Ann Cherry, *Master Signature, Emeritus, WAOW President*



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-- Mary Ann Cherry, President

WAOW 2020 Show Committee

2020 Volunteers

Many thanks to all of our committee chairs and "Boots on the Ground" volunteers who worked so hard to make our 50th National Exhibition a success. Special thanks to Linda Star Landon, Risa Waldt, Rose Collins, Dena Peterson and Dee Kirkham.

Thanks also to the panel of seven "blind" jurors who juried the work for inclusion in the exhibition

The 50th National Exhibition Show Juror of Awards, Darcy Peet



Darcie Peet has had a multi-faceted business career in fine art and design. Her career has included both teaching and work in the fields of graphic design and advertising. Prior to the introduction of C.A.D. (Computer-Aided Design), when development and presentation illustrations were done by hand, her intense study of architecture, color, form, composition, scale, spatial relationships and speed drawing left an indelible mark on her painting.

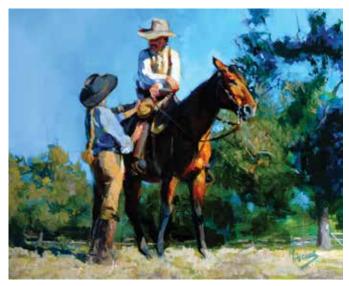
She has won over twenty awards, including an Award of Excellence from the U.S. Industrial Film Festival for co-production of a documentary film, and she has served as a Project Design Team Member at the Children's Museum, Denver, Colorado.

www.darcypeet.com



Darcy PeetWashed in September (Grinnell Glacier Trail, Glacier NP)
Oil, 24" × 36"

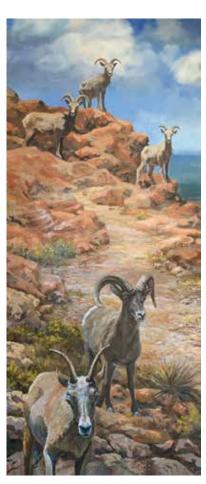
Invited Master Signature Members



Heather Arenas, Master Signature *Return Home Safe* Oil, 14" x 18" \$1,800



Carol Amos, Master Signature *Cholla and Mountains*Oil, 20" × 24" \$2,000



Mary Ann Cherry, Master Signature, Emeritus *Desert Bighorns* Oil, $33'' \times 14.5''$ \$4,200



Mary Ann Cherry, Master Signature, Emeritus *Fish Story* Oil, $29'' \times 34''$ \$9,500



The common thread connecting WAOW artists is passion for their work...



Addren Doss, Master Signature *Wide Open Spaces*Oil, 18" x 24" \$2,500



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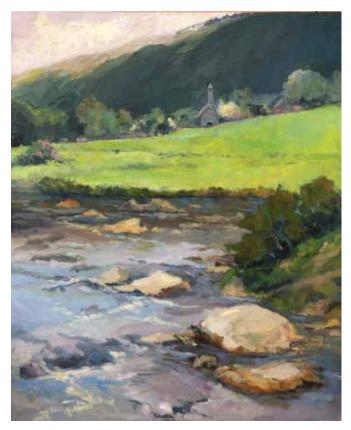
Phyllis deQuevedo, Master Signature Joie de Vivre Bronze, 25" × 13" x 12" \$4,950



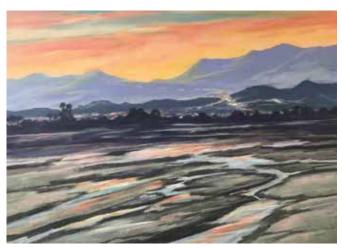
Christine Graefe Drewyer, Master Signature, Emeritus In A Blaze of Glory Oil, $18'' \times 24''$ \$5,200



Christine Graefe Drewyer, Master Signature, Emeritus Ribbon of Light Oil, $24'' \times 30''$ \$7,200



Amy Evans, Master Signature, Emeritus *Place of Peace*Oil, 24" x 20" \$3,500



Patricia Rose Ford, Master Signature *Homeward Inspiration* Pastel, 12" x 20" \$2,500



B.R. Gates, Master Signature, Legacy Member *Poetry II* Oil, $16" \times 20"$ \$3,000



Ilene Gienger-Stanfield, Master Signature *Problem Solving* Oil, 20" x 16" \$2,500



Ilene Gienger-Stanfield, Master Signature *Comfortable*Pastel 31" x 20" \$3,500



Helen F. Howerton, Master Signature *Too Close for Comfort* Acrylic, 12" x 24" \$2,200

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Paula Holtzclaw, Master Signature *Through the Oaks*Oil, 12" x 16" \$2,900



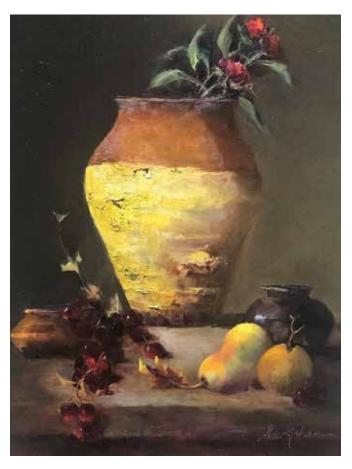
Paula Holtzclaw, Master Signature *Creekside Oaks* Oil, 30" x 24" \$6,200



Debbie Hughbanks, Master Signature, Emeritus *Running Free*Acrylic, 18" x 24" \$2,500



Lori Kiplinger Pandy, Master Signature Singing for His Sweetheart Ceramic, 7" x 7" x 9" \$525



Dee Kirkham, Master Signature *Olive Jar With Peonies* Oil, 18" x 24" \$3,800



Sharon Markwardt, Master Signature *Eye on the Prize* Oil, 12" x 12" \$1,150

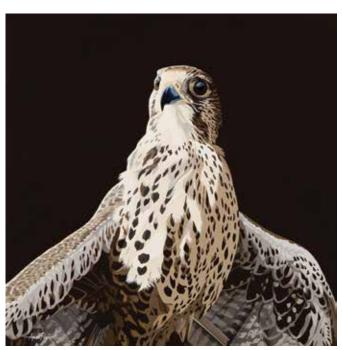


Kathryn McMahon, Master Signature, Emeritus *Move, Pack Up and Move 'Em Out* Oil, 11" x 20" \$1,500

Women Artists of the West is an organization of professional women painters and sculptors.



Mejo Okon, Master Signature *Rain on the Horizon* Oil, 16" x 20" \$3,000



Anne Peyton, Master Signature *Superiority* Acrylic, 16" x 16" \$3,000



Kim Shaklee, Master Signature *SofistiCat* Bronze, Edition of 20, 15" x 10" x 14" \$3,850



Cecy Turner, Master Signature, Emeritus *Winter Attitude*Oil, 20" x 24" \$2,250





Ginger Whellock, Master Signature *Back to the Future* Oil, 12" x 16" \$1,400



Burneta Venosdel, Master Signature *Dry Gulch* Bronze, 7.5" x 7" x 8" \$2,250

Juried Artists for 2020

The jurying process was stringent for WAOW's 50th National Exhibition, and it is an honor to be one of the members chosen to display.

Thank you to the many members who worked behind the scenes to make this exhibition possible, and to the women who have not only created beautiful work, but sent their pieces from across the United States, Canada and Australia, creating a show that exemplifies excellence in art by women.

This entire exhibition catalog is posted on the Women Artists of the West website: www.waow.org



1. **Kathy Anderson,** Signature Wisdom Keeper
Bronze 15" x 8" x 9" \$3,000



2. **Tracy Anderson** *Two Heads Are Better Than One*Scratchboard, 16" × 8" \$2,750



3. **Jill Banks,** Signature Colorado Days
Oil, 20" x 16" \$2,750



4. **Crystal Beshara** Heart Whispers Watercolor, $16" \times 12"$ \$2,500



5. Bruce Bingham, Signature French Rose Shadows Oil, $10" \times 8" \quad 850



6.**Tina Bohlman,** Signature Saturday Shoppers Watercolor, 12" × 12" \$1000



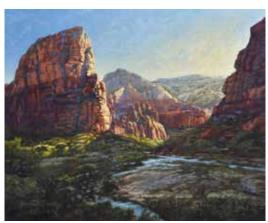
7. **Yvonne Bonacci,** Signature Heartfelt Handler II Oil, $20" \times 16" \quad $2,200$



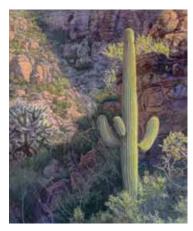
8. **Liz Bonham,** *Signature Traditions* Oil, 20" × 16" \$2,200



9. **Jane Bradley** *Noon Break*Oil, 36" × 24" \$6,900



10. **Jeannie Breeding,** Signature Great Start to the Day!
Oil, 16" × 20" \$2,600



11. **Bonnie Brentz**Sabino Saguaro
Oil, 24" x 20" \$2,400



12. **Lani Browning** *McDowell Mountain Park*Oil, 8" × 10" \$800



13. **Nancee Jean Busse**Sunrise Roundup
Acrylic, 12" × 28" \$2,300



14. **Jeanne Cardana** *Chillin' in the Meramec*Colored Pencil, 14" × 17" \$1,650



15. **Laara Cassells** *Tracking - Mongolian Wolf*Acrylic, 24" × 20" \$2,100



16. **Victoria Castillo,** Signature My Father in the Garden Oil, $10'' \times 8''$ \$2,500



17. Colette Claros Pink Tutu Oil, $20" \times 16"$ \$1,000



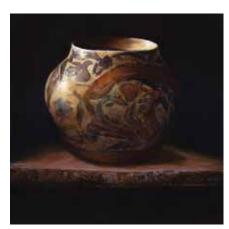
18. **Amanda Cowan** Sally's Last Summer Oil, 16" x 20" \$2,500



19. **Janelle Cox,** Signature A Time Remembered
Oil, 18" x 18" \$2,100



20. **Jan DeLipsey,** Signature Skyscraper
Oil, 24" x 30" \$5,000



21. **Linda Dobkin** *Native Heirloom*Oil, 12" x 12" \$1,300



22. **Margaret Drake** *Runaway*Bronze, 8" × 11" x 8" \$2,500



23. Barbara Summers Edwards $\it Lilac Blossoms$ Oil, $20'' \times 16'' \$2,300$



24. **Kathy Ellem** *Together We Succeed*Oil, 16" x 28" \$3,500



25. **Beverly Endsley** *We Have A Weaner!*Oil, 11" × 14" \$1,000



26. **Marla Epstein**Summer's End
Oil, 36" x 24" \$2,500



27. **Judy Fairley,** Signature Cougar Glance Scratchboard, 3.5" x 3.5" \$400



28. **Kathryn Fehlig** *Native Parade*Scratchboard, 8" x 10" \$500



29. **Cynthia Feustel** *Serenity* Oil, 30" × 24" \$6,400



30. **Robbie Fitzpatrick**, Signature The General Store Watercolor, $15'' \times 11''$ \$4,000



31. **Kelly Folsom** *Pink Roses and Tea*Oil, 12" x 16" \$2,500



32. **Jan Fontecchio,** Signature Chipped Teacup
Oil, 24" x 24" \$2,800



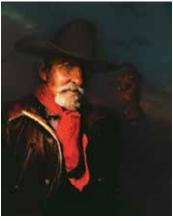
33. **Mary Frankel**, Signature Isabella
Oil, 16" x 12" \$950



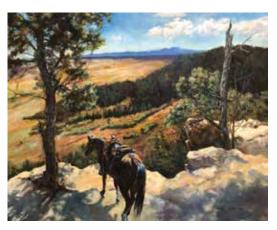
34. **Lanie Frick**Strength in Patience
Acrylic, 16" x 22" \$2,450



35. **Joey Frisillo,** Signature Path Through the Chamisa Oil, 12" x 16" \$1,100



36. **Tina Garrett** *Cicerone* Oil, 30" × 24" \$6,880



37. **Nancy Haley,** Signature Taking a Break
Oil, 24" × 30" \$3,600



38. **Syri Hall**A Donkey Kiss Good Night
Bronze, 14" × 11" × 1.5 \$2,000



39. **Sarah Harless** *The Bay* Oil, 14" x 18" \$2,500



40. Cheryl Harley-Volz, Signature Old Shep Graphite on Duralar, $13" \times 11" \quad \$1,100$



41. **Julie Gowing Hayes,** Signature Woodland Redhead
Oil, 12" x 9" \$975



42. **Margie Hildreth** Fiesta Watercolor, $10'' \times 8''$ \$950



43. **Shirley Hove**Potentiality
Pastel, 22" × 17" \$2,100



44. **Jane Hunt**, Signature Lavendar Fields Oil, 12" × 24" \$2,200



45. **Jennifer Hunter**, Signature Lost and Found
Oil, 20" × 16" \$7,800



46. **Jeanne Hyland,** Signature Golden Days Watercolor, 15" × 11" \$1,500



47. **Katherine Irish**A Moment in Albuquerque
Pastel, 20.5" × 35.5" \$2,400



48. **Doreen Irwin**Hiding Under the Table
Watercolor, 18" × 14" \$1,950



49. **Toni James** *The Right Lead*Graphite, 27.5" × 17.5" \$3,500



50. **Linda Eppinger Johnson** *Yellow Iris* Watercolor, 19" × 13" \$1,500



51. **HR Kaiser,** Signature They Speak With Forked Tongues Bronze, $25'' \times 18'' \times 11''$ \$7,700



52. **Reenie Kennedy**Best Buds
Acrylic, 20" x 20" \$1,595



53. **Sarah Kennedy,** Signature Burro
Oil, 10" x 10" \$750



54. **Cheryl King** *Velvet Prince*Oil, 18" x 24" \$2,100



55. **Leslie Kirchner**, Signature An Ear to the Wind--Coyote Oil, 11" x 14" \$1,800



56. **Sheryl Knight** *Rock Creek Waterfall*Oil, 16" x 20" \$1,950



57. **Carol Latta** *Flower Girl*Acrylic, 24" x 12" \$1,675



58. **Johanna Lerwick** *Sagebrush Sentinels* Oil, 24" x 15" \$2,900



59. **Dana Lombardo** *The Rush Gatherer*Oil, 20" x 16" \$2,200



60. **Tricia H. Love,** Signature Working the Yard Watercolor, 14" x 20" \$1,400



61. Carol Lundeen Back to the Barn - Horse and Mule Oil, $12'' \times 12''$ \$1,200



62. **Elise Mahaffie** *Early Morning*Oil, 12" × 12" \$900



63. **Janel Maher** *Show Time*Bronze, 13.5" x 15" x 5" \$2,300



64. **Pamela Mangelsdorf**Finch on the Fountain
Oil, 16" x 20" \$1,800



65. **Linda Mann** *My Best Side*Oil, 8" × 8" \$550



66. Susan Hediger Matteson, Signature Muse Oil, $16" \times 12"$ \$1,150



67. **Barbara Mauldin** *Taking Over* Oil, $15" \times 30"$ \$1,550



68. **Georgene McGonagle** Signature Barnyard Follies
Bronze and wood, $13'' \times 20.75'' \times 15.5$ \$3,500



69. **Laurel Lake McGuire** *Harbingers*Watercolor, 22" × 13" \$1,400



70. **Dianne McKeown,** Signature Ship of State II
Bronze, $23'' \times 13'' \times 12'' \quad \$3,900$



71. **L. McLoughlin** *Aria*Acrylic, 14" × 11" \$2,900



72. **Vickie McMillan-Hayes** *Pinyon Farmer*Acrylic, 10" × 8" \$1,200



73. **Patricia Meyer** *Abundant*Oil, 12" × 16" \$1,600



74. **Kim Middleton,** Signature My Beak's Not Too Big
Oil, 14" × 11" \$1,600



75. **Molly Moore**Primal Force

Pastel, 16" × 20" \$2,200



76. **Linda Mutti**Sierra Majesty
Pastel, 12" × 16" \$1,200



77. **Barbara Nuss,** Signature Just Friends
Oil, 20" × 16" \$2,500



78. **Pat O'Brien** *Reo* Oil, 10" x 10" \$800



79. **Jean Olliver** *Rojo*Oil, 11" x 14" \$1,200



80. **Mary Lou Pape,** Signature Golden Hour
Oil, 16" x 20" \$2,400



81. **Pokey Park,** Signature Beary Sharing Bronze, 21" x 18" x 17" \$14,500



82. **Vicki Pedersen** *Letter From Home*Oil, 24" × 18" \$2,600



83. **Dena Peterson,** Signature Green Pitcher With Fruit Oil, 16" × 16" \$800



84. **Aruna Rao** *High Noon Grazing*Oil, 16" × 20" \$1,600



85. **Kimberly Reed-Deemer** Renaissance Faire, Santa Fe Style Oil, 25" × 32" \$4,200



86. **Charlene Roake** *Hardscrabble Honchos*Oil, 18" × 18" \$2,400



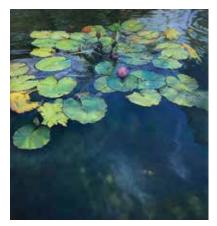
87. Mary Russell On the Wing Oil, $12" \times 16" \quad \$1,850$



88. **Barby Schacher** *Moment of Silence*Pastel, 18" × 24" \$4,800



89. **Elizabeth Lewis Scott** *Smarty Pants*Oil, 12" × 9" \$1,200



90. **Naomi Shachar,** Signature Water Lilies
Oil, 32" × 30" \$6,000



91. Sandhyaa Shetty Winter Gold Oil, $14" \times 18"$ \$2,000



92. **Andria Sullivan** *Watching Me* Oil, 9" × 12" \$975



93. **Kim Taggart** The Glass Affect Graphite, $25.5'' \times 18.5''$ \$2,100



94. **Susan Temple Neumann** *Wild River Crossing* Oil, 18" x 24" \$2,800



95. **Nori Thorne,** Signature Las Bailarinas Oil, 18" x 24" \$2,200



96. **Jude Tolar** *Wildflowers Romp*Pastel, 11" x 14" \$1,000



97. **Cathryn Trachok** *Life Used To Be So Hard*Oil, 30" x 24" \$4,600



98. **Line Tutwiler** *Cabin by the Lake*Oil, 12" x 16" \$1,800



99. **Linda Wacaster,** Signature Warrior
Pastel, 10.5" x 17.5" \$2,000



100. **Terri Wagner** *Spanish* Oil, 16" x 16" \$1,400



101. **Sarah Webber**Boulder Creek Beauties
Oil, 12" x 24" \$1,500



102. **Linda West**Spirit Drummers
Terracotta, 16" x 9" x 9" \$1,800



103. **Anita Winter,** Signature Transitions
Watercolor, 11" x 14" \$800



104. **Pamela Winters,** Signature Mine
Bronze and Granite, 9" × 7" x 5" \$2,100



105. **Sue Wipf,** Signature Monet's Water Lilies
Oil, 12" × 16" \$1,300



106. **Karen Young** *Wind Through the Sage*Oil, 16" × 20" \$2,150



107. **Ni Zhu** *Golden*Oil, 10" × 8" \$900



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