

COME PAINT WITH ME ☺

FREE ON-SITE OUTDOOR PAINTING AND SKETCHING

THURSDAYS, 10 A.M. - 3 P.M.

JUNE 2 - OCTOBER 13, 2011

SCHEDULE

JUNE 2- GREY TOWERS NHS-We launch the 2011 season at Grey Towers NHS...meeting at the Gazebo for a welcoming morning refreshment and Introduction to the Program...with greetings by members of GTHA and the Forest Service, followed by "Journaling, Important to the Plein Air Painter" presented by - CPWM coordinator. Gift presentation by GTHA for attending artists... 10-11 AM. Spend the rest of the day exploring the newly landscaped grounds, an inspiration for the day's plein air painting. Rain or Shine.

JUNE 9- HEMLOCK FARMS-LORDS VALLEY, PA

Little Camp Beach on Broadmoor Drive. Pond, beach and lake views, wooded areas, large, shaded pavilion. Light rain or shine. VISITOR PASS REQUIRED. Call 2 days before 570-775-6896.

JUNE 16- BUTTERMILK FALLS Early in the season to catch the light and cascading waters at the corner of 209 & Buttermilk Falls Rd. Shawnee.

JUNE 23 - DORFLINGER-SUYDAM SANCTUARY, WHITE MILLS, PA

JUNE 30- GUNSTOCK CREEK FARM, BLOOMING GROVE, PA

JULY 7 - SPRING HOUSE IN BARRYVILLE, NY

New this year, opportunity to paint views of the Delaware River, roads and small buildings along the river in the picturesque hamlet of Barryville.

JULY 14 - GREY TOWERS, MILFORD, PA Rain or shine.

JULY 21 - FAIR ACRES FARM, SUSSEX, NJ

JULY 28 - DORFLINGER- SUYDAM SANCTUARY

AUGUST 4 - LUKANS FARM RESORT, HAWLEY, PA

AUGUST 11 - SETTLERS INN, HAWLEY, PA

AUGUST 18 - GREY TOWERS, MILFORD, PA

AUGUST 25- DORFLINGER SANCTUARY

SEPTEMBER 1 -SHAWNEE INN

SEPTEMBER 8 -GREY TOWERS

SEPTEMBER 15- NARROWSBURG, NY

SEPTEMBER 22 - DORFLINGER SANCTUARY

SEPTEMBER 29- PROMISEDLAND STATE PARK

OCTOBER 6 -LACKAWAXEN FROM THE NY SIDE

OCTOBER 13 - GREY TOWERS (last)

DIRECTIONS TO SITES

BARRYVILLE, NY - SPRING HOUSE - ALONG THE DELAWARE on River Road just off Rte. 97. Accessible from Port Jervis via rte 97N or from Narrowsburg, via rte 97S. From Milford via Rte 6 to 434 to Shohola/Barryville Bridge. Turn left onto rte 97, ½ mile

to Spring House parking. From Stroudsburg and surrounding areas use Rte 402N to access I-84E to Lords Valley, then left on Rte 739 to rte 434 as above.

1-888-558-8189 info.

BUTTERMILK FALLS- From Marshalls Creek use 209 toward rte 80. Turn left at Buttermilk Falls Rd. light and immediate left into parking lot behind sales center. From Rte 80 use Marshalls Creek Exit, follow 209 to Buttermilk Falls Rd., turn right, then left into rear parking area.

DORFLINGER-SUYDAM SANCTUARY, GLASS MUSEUM & LUKANS - White Mills, off route 6 coming from Honesdale toward Hawley or vice-versa. From Hawley, turn right off route 6 just past Settler's Inn, onto

Ridge Ave. Follow long steep hill up to stop sign. Turn left onto Longridge Rd. Pass LUKAN'S FARM RESORT go to crossroads, turn right and then next right into sanctuary. There are signs to follow.

FAIR ACRES FARM NURSERY, SUSSEX, N.J. - first N.Y. exit off I-84 East to N.J. rte 23 ...located 1 mile south of High Point State Park. at 1324 Rte 23 on the left.

GREY TOWERS, MILFORD - just off route 6 in Milford, behind Apple Valley, about 1/2 mile south of I-84. Look for sign on your SHARP right as you pass Apple Valley. Enter gate and use designated parking.

GUNSTOCK CREEK FARM Blooming Grove, PA Heading North on rte 739 (accessible from I-84,Exit 34) turn left at 84 Lumber (turn right if coming from rte 739S). Pass greenhouses on right ; turn left at Spring Road; bear right onto HATTON RD after passing 6 houses. Proceed 1/2 mile to driveway with Canada Goose sign HATTON between the two pastures. Park up at the house.

HEMLOCK FARMS- gated entry, off rte 739 at Lords Valley a mile south of I-84 Exit 34. Call Joan at 570- 775- 6896 for visitor entry at least 2 days ahead). First right onto Hemlock Farms Rd. after Rite Aid. Pick up visitor pass. Follow to Forest Dr. opposite Fire House. Turn left, follow to Canoe Brook Dr., turn right, take second right Broadmoor Dr., continue to Little Camp Beach on the right. Drive in and park. From 402 North turn right on Brewster Rd. at brown sign (about 1 1/2 miles after passing Pickerel Inn), to visitor gate First right Washinton Dr. Continue, it becomes Canoe Brook. Turn left on

Broadmoor and look for beach entry on the left.

LACKAWAXEN - via Hawley and Rowlands or via Greeley. Cross the Roeblings Bridge and park on the NY side or meet on the beach near Zane Grey Museum or at public access to bridge. From Narrowsburg, follow rte 97S to Roeblings Bridge. See parking area and Park Service station for NY views or cross bridge to Lackawaxen, PA. Turn right for beach. Facilities at Zane Grey parking lot and Bridge.

NARROWSBURG, N.Y. - via rte 652 from Beach Lake, PA and via rte 97 traveling west from the Port Jervis, N.Y. area; from Milford, take PA 6 toward Honesdale and pick up rte 652 at Indian Orchard. From Stroudsburg use 402 N. to rte 6 junction, turn left and follow rte 6 to Indian Orchard. From Scranton area or Orange County, NY and using the interstate, closest junction to rte 6 from I-84 is 402N (Porters). Park in town or near the gazebo. Facilities at Delaware Valley Arts Alliance.

SETTLERS INN in Hawley, PA rte 6 at the traffic light.

SHAWNEE INN- On River Rd -Shawnee-on-Delaware, PA. 402 south of I-84 to light at Marshall's Creek. Right onto 209, left at light, left at next light- Buttermilk Falls Rd. Left at stop- River Rd. 1/2 mile to Shawnee entrance on right. From Stroudsburg use 209 E to light at Marshall's Creek and see above. Park cars in designated lot and walk across main lawn to river site.

PROMISED LAND STATE PARK MAIN ENTRANCE PICNIC AREA located on Rte

390 Coming from Hawley, south on 390, look for signs and turn left into entrance to picnic area. From Stroudsburg, north on 390, pass Skytop and continue to park entrance, turn right into picnic grounds, park and set up near lake or waterfall.

Artists meet at above locations bringing their own art materials and picnic lunch. Transportation is individual; car pooling encouraged. Ample parking at all locations.

NOTE: Discussion, critique may take place during lunch break at a designated area. Artists are responsible for clean-up. Restrooms are available at all locations. Facilities **MAY NOT** be used for clean-up of art supplies. **NO PETS OR SMOKING ALLOWED.**

Sessions are weather permitting except where noted.

CALL JOAN POLISHOOK 570- 775-6896 BEFORE 9 A.M. ON THE APPOINTED DAY IF IN DOUBT ABOUT THE WEATHER.

Schedule subject to change based upon site availability.

PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM IS AT ARTISTS' OWN RISK.

CONTACT

Joan Polishook

570-775-6896

mamajoan@ptd.net

www.joanpolishook-art.com

JOAN POLISHOOK
COME PAINT WITH
ME

COME PAINT WITH ME©



DID YOU KNOW ...that here are more artists painting today than in the entire history of art? That's a fact! As old as art is, it's out there filling a

need...artist or not, it enhances our lives, and gives us something to think and talk about. We learn through the arts. You've heard the saying, *a picture is worth a thousand words!* Art opens our eyes and our minds and spurs understanding and appreciation. Art serves us in ways that help to record history and give meaning to our lives. As we create art we discover new ways to observe and to use the latest materials and techniques.

The artist who paints in plein air has the opportunity to be inspired by nature's design. Look for your inspiration in the shapes and shadows as you focus on the rolling hills, winding roads, flora and fauna, the ever-changing light of each season and each day. Look for all this and more as you organize your art materials in Mother Nature's Studio and create works in your own unique way.

COME PAINT WITH ME in this, the 14th season of the program that I began in the spring of 1997. Join the long list of artists who have been painting with me in the great outdoors these many years as they grapple weekly with their tote bags filled with materials, their easels and not to forget lunch boxes. I promise that you will have a fun

time, in a casual setting being together with old friends, making new contacts and sharing a common interest in the arts through plein air painting.

COME PAINT WITH ME® is a free program for adults and serious young artists. The new season begins on Thursday, June 2 at Grey Towers with a special welcome program and refreshments from 10 – 11 AM at the Gazebo. The first 25 artists in attendance will receive a gift from the Grey Towers Heritage Association.

Once a week meetings take place at locations selected for their natural aesthetic characteristics, accessibility and convenience for all. Frequent sites include Grey Towers, NHS in Milford, Hemlock Farms in Lords Valley and the Dorflinger-Suydam Sanctuary in White Mills, where the program is on their educational agendas. Many other interesting and inspiring places are also included during the season.

An overwhelming response to the COME PAINT WITH ME® program attests to its value in contributing enormously to the artists in ways that have energized the confidence of those just starting out, and adding support to the creative integrity of the more accomplished. Though there is no formal instruction given, part of each session is devoted to sharing and gentle critique, a chance to learn from one another, and perhaps gain new perspective, guidance and inspiration.



Discussion and gentle critique

Welcome everyone to
COME PAINT WITH ME® 2011
Joan Polishook