

LCAA SUMMER CLASSES & WORKSHOPS - 2026

Please register at least 1 week in advance of the class or workshop starting date. All classes are located at the Lancaster County Art Association, 149 Precision Ave. Strasburg, PA 17579.
www.LCAAONLINE.ORG

Dot Stepenaski - Passion for Pastels

Thursdays 9am -12pm, June 18, July 2 - 30, \$140 Members/\$150 Non-members

Interest in pastels is growing and it's to your benefit to understand how to work in this medium before forming bad habits causing you to struggle. You will learn to work with value. With a solid understanding of value you can paint anything, landscape, still life, portrait. New students will work on exercises such as how to handle pastels, value and color building. More experienced students will be challenged based on their skill level. The focus is on personal growth.

This is an all skill level adult class. Contact the instructor to review supplies.

Tony Bonazzi – Watercolor for Beginners

Monday, 1-3pm, August 3 - September 7, \$95 Members/ \$105 Non-members

In this class students will learn water / paint ratio, a number of techniques to handle the control of watercolor. Some of the techniques will be washes, glazing, the difference of wet into wet and wet into dry, Plus the student will work on a painting.

Adult, Beginner skill levels.

Supplies needed: Transparent Watercolor paints, brushes, 9x12 or 11x14 watercolor paper (no recycled paper), 2 water containers, 4x6 sponge, masking tape, board to tape wc paper to, a palette, and a pencil.

One Day Workshops

Jason Ward - Introduction to Acrylic Painting

Saturday, 10am-4pm, June 6, \$50 Members/\$55 Non-members

This workshop is for anyone who wants to begin working with acrylic paints. This basic class will serve as an intro to the paints and what makes acrylic painting different from oil or watercolor. Covered are strategies for setting up a palette, and how to organize and mix colors, with a focus on application and technique. We will be working with a simple single object still life. Class will begin with an intro, then a brief demonstration, with the remaining time spent painting.

Beginner skill level. Adult.

Supplies needed: Acrylic paints, other colors optional), Brushes (a variety of sizes & shapes, stiff and soft bristle), palette knife, artist's palette (wood or glass recommended, or palette paper), Primed stretched canvas or hardboard panel, lint free rags.

Jason Ward - Drawing Subtractively

Saturday, 10am-4pm, July 11, \$50 Members / \$55 Non-Members

This workshop will focus on the benefits of subtractive drawing, which is an excellent way to add new life to your work. We will cover how it can help us in creating the illusion of light and shadow and how it can bring a greater depth of mood and atmosphere to our drawing. It is a process that can make a drawing feel more layered and complex, and add more realism or expression. We will be working with a simple single object still life (provided by instructor). Class starts with an introduction and demonstration and the remaining time spent drawing.

All skill levels, Adult.

Supplies needed: Students may work with charcoal or graphite.

Pencils & Graphite Sticks: a range from H-B's is recommended. Charcoal - soft vine charcoal, compressed charcoal sticks, charcoal pencils, charcoal powder are recommended. Erasers: kneaded & rectangular white, pink pencil cap, artist sandpaper block, stump, Surface: For graphite; Bristol Vellum. For Charcoal; heavy charcoal or watercolor paper or Rives BFK. Artist brushes for blending.

Jason Ward - Landscape Painting (oil or acrylic)

Saturday, 10am-4pm, Aug. 8, \$50 Members / \$55 Non-Members

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This class takes us outdoors (weather permitting) where we respond directly to what the landscape has to offer. If held indoors we will work from a shared reference. We'll start discussing the features of the landscape and some strategies for how to get the most out of our time painting. We'll focus on compelling composition, use of color and tone, atmospheric perspective, and rendering specific features in a scene. We will end class with a brief critique.

All Skill Levels, Adult

Supplies Needed: Paints - titanium white, burnt sienna, burnt umber, cadmium red, cadmium yellow, ultramarine blue. A variety of brush sizes and shapes. Palette (glass, wood, plastic, palette paper, no wc palettes, paper plates, tin foil, etc.), Palette Knife, Canvas, Panel or Heavy Paper. Canvas will need several coats of gesso to give a smooth surface. Masonite, MDF, or Birchwood panels & watercolor or bristle vellum, 1 or 2 coats of gesso.

Prices listed by LCAA member / non-member. Materials fees are paid separately to the instructor at the first class. Payment for class fee is due upon registration, at least one week in advance of starting date. Send payment & completed form below to the LCAA, 149 Precision Ave. Strasburg, PA 17579 or call 717-687-7061. Please include your name, address, phone, email, age (for children) & list the classes you will be attending.

The LCAA charges a \$35 fee for all returned checks. The LCAA charges a 4% fee on credit card sales.

Classes may be cancelled if minimum enrollment of 5 students is not reached & payment returned to student. Classes may be cancelled or rescheduled due to inclement weather. The instructor will contact students about changes to the schedule.

Students are responsible for purchase of supplies needed for class unless provided by the instructor.

Withdrawal – before class begins, a \$10 fee is charged, but the remainder of the fee will be returned. After the first class, a reimbursement of 50% of tuition will be returned. There is no reimbursement for other missed classes. Student must contact the LCAA office about withdrawal from class in a timely manner. Note: Students under the age of 18 cannot take adult classes unless it is specified as accepting children or teens in the class description. In addition, ages for those 18 and younger must be provided on this form.

Class Registration Form-

Name (of person taking class) _____ Phone _____

Address: _____ Email _____

If Student is 18 years or younger; please provide age & parent or guardians name.

Age: _____ Parent or Guardians Name _____

List the Classes for which you are registering:

1. _____ 3. _____

2. _____ 4. _____

Total Amount Enclosed for Classes: \$ _____ Are you currently a member of the LCAA _____

If not currently a member, please consider joining. You will save money with discounts on each class you take.

Membership Categories

_____ Junior (16-22 yrs.) \$25 per year _____ Benefactor \$250 per year

_____ Adult (23-64 yrs.) \$55 per year _____ Sponsor \$500 per year

_____ Senior (65 yrs. & older) \$50 per year _____ Friend \$1000 per year

_____ Family (1-2 adults & children, 18 yrs. or younger), \$100 per year Total Enclosed Including Membership: _____

Payment: Check _____ If paying by credit card (Mastercard, Visa, Discover): _____

Card Holder's Name: _____ Address _____

Card # _____ Exp. Date _____ Sec. Code _____

Signature _____ Send payment & form to: LCAA, 149 Precision Ave. Strasburg, PA 17579 or call 717-687-7061.

Note: There is an extra 4% fee for any credit card transactions.