



# LETHBRIDGE ARTISTS CLUB

Artists sharing art techniques, exhibiting in the community, enjoying fellowship and working to further our skills.

Newsletter

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## Exhibitions and Sales



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**Patterns in Nature** The Helen Schuler Nature Centre Gallery  
6<sup>th</sup> August – 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2023.

The theme is, of course, patterns in nature, which can be interpreted in any medium. The Nature Centre encourages artists to spend time in the river bottom for inspiration. During the exhibition there will be an opening reception. Entry forms will be emailed in June.

Please submit your intention of participation to Kathy James Fairbairn at [kjamesfairbairn@gmail.com](mailto:kjamesfairbairn@gmail.com) by June 30th

**Up coming exhibition October, 2023** —McCain Gallery, Coaldale Public Library.  
Expect to receive more information later this year.

## Memberships

**Memberships are renewed annually each September**

This is what a membership gives you:

- Participate in 'Skill Share workshops'
- Opportunities for group exhibitions and sales.
- Have your own page on the LAC website <https://www.lethbridgeartistsclub.com> to display/sell artwork & link to your website. Every member gets a feature in the home page of our website
- Arts community updates
- Plein air painting with other members
- Opportunity to attend an artist's retreat each year

Mail a cheque (made out to Lethbridge Artists Club) to:  
Wendy Aitkens, 34 St. Anne Place North, Lethbridge T1H 4K9  
OR  
Pay with e-transfer at  
[scribbles25@icloud.com](mailto:scribbles25@icloud.com)

### Volunteer hours

Please fill out the volunteer log sheets and return them to LAC mailbox at CASA. Count volunteer hours if you have helped the LAC with any of its events (eg. Organization, set up, sales desk, dismantling of Christmas Sale, coordination of an exhibition, helping with promotion, receipt of art, installation), coordinating classes with CASA or other sites, etc.) administering the financial operation of the club, planning and implementing meetings, organizing painting opportunities such as the murals.

## Lethbridge Artists club

A community partner of CASA,  
Lethbridge's Community Art Centre  
230, 8<sup>th</sup> St S. Lethbridge. AB

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<https://www.lethbridgeartistsclub.com>

## Thank you!

A big thank you to all the members who steadfastly arrive to help at our club events.  
You are big-hearted and wonderful. Board members too, who volunteer many hours.  
This little art club couldn't work without you all.

## Artists Opportunities

### Plein air painting sessions

Starts in May with 2 rendezvous per month on alternate Thursdays, 10:30 – noon

**First site: Fort Whoop Up** — starts on 12<sup>th</sup> May

**Second Site: Galt Museum** — starts on 26<sup>th</sup> May

## Annual Retreat— Pincher Creek

This year we will stay in Pincher Creek which is central to many great destinations for outdoor painting. Although the retreat is full for overnight guests, we welcome artists to join us for the day, followed by the nightly pot luck supper.

Dates: Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup> – Monday, Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>

If you plan to attend, email Sue prior to Sept 29<sup>th</sup>. More information will be sent out closer to the retreat date.

## Upcoming Skill Share Workshops at casa, 2D classroom 9.30am-noon

April 15<sup>th</sup>—**'Acrylic Pouring'** with Terry Gray & Nadia Dykeman

May 27<sup>th</sup> Saturday, 1pm to 3pm — **'Printmaking'** with Katie Bruce (max 6 participants)

June 17<sup>th</sup>— **'Abstracts'** with Aaron Hagan

September 16<sup>th</sup>— **'Buttons N Things'** with Sue Wilke

October 10<sup>th</sup>— TBD ( looking for ideas )

November 10<sup>th</sup> Friday, 6.30 pm — **'Minimalist Painting (Watercolor)'** with Gerard Plettell

Please send your intention to participate to Soba Kaluthota on [sobadini@gmail.com](mailto:sobadini@gmail.com)

## LAC Website Artists Gallery

Please send artists biography, images and size information to Cindy Welsh on [cindy\\_welsh@outlook.com](mailto:cindy_welsh@outlook.com)

Each image should be named as — Artists name\_artwork title.

Every member gets to feature in the home page of LAC website