



WELCOME to the 2018 Plein Air @ Washington County event!

Sequoia Gallery + Studios is proud to again host this annual community arts event as a kick-off for October, Hillsboro Arts Month! This community arts event has been a tradition for nearly a decade thanks to the support of the Hillsboro Arts & Culture Council, local businesses, dedicated volunteers and amazing visual artists. The event continues to give artists opportunities to experience and capture the beauty of Washington County.

With the success each year brings, the event continues to grow reaching new talent and spectators.

The painting event is **September 26-29**.

Registration is from 8-9:30 am at the Sequoia Gallery at 136 SE 3rd Ave, Hillsboro, OR 97123

Please note a few key changes in this year's event:

- The Quick Draw session is scheduled immediately following registration on Wednesday, September 26 at Glenn and Viola Walters Cultural Arts Center, 527 East Main, Hillsboro.
- **ALL** submitted Plein Air works will be hanging for the full month of October.

EVENT SCHEDULE

Wednesday, September 26, 2018

8:00 am-9:30 am- ARTIST REGISTRATION

- Check in at Sequoia Gallery + Studios. You may bring multiple substrates but all must be blank (toned canvas OK) and be stamped at registration. You may also come back throughout the event with additional substrates to be stamped.
- This is the first day of painting throughout Washington County on your own schedule. Sequoia Gallery has a list of suggested venues if you are interested.

10:00 am-12:00 pm- QUICK DRAW

- Located at Glenn and Viola Walters Cultural Arts Center, 527 E. Main, Hillsboro. The center is a 2 block walk east on Main Street from Sequoia Gallery. You may also drive, there is plenty of parking.
- We will be having the Quick Draw event on the outdoor porch, stairs and lawn area. There are two options, a quick draw of the surrounding landscape or a quick draw of a live model.
- In case of rain, we will relocate back to the class room at Sequoia Gallery + Studios.

12:00 pm-1:00 pm- QUICK DRAW ARTWORK CHECK-IN

- All Quick Draw pieces will be turned in at Sequoia classroom no later than 1:00 pm and will be held and safely secured.
- You will have an opportunity to frame these pieces in the Sequoia Classroom after the event. Be sure to bring your framing and hanging supplies.

Thursday September 27, 2018:

- All day painting on your own agenda.

Friday September 28, 2018:

- All day painting on your own agenda.

5:00 pm-9:00 pm – HILLSBORO AIRPORT

- We have secured 4 complimentary tickets for the Oregon International Air Show.
- This is a unique opportunity. It is first come first serve for the tickets. Please contact Jen Champlin at champlinjen@gmail.com. if interested. Transportation to and from the event will be provided.

5:00 pm-DUSK- NOCTURNAL

- A painting opportunity in Historic Downtown Hillsboro.
- Primrose & Tumbleweeds welcomes all artists for a respite when needed.

Saturday September 29, 2018:

10:00 am-12:00 pm- ALL ARTWORK CHECK-IN

- All work to be judged is due at Sequoia by 12:00 pm, framed and wired to hang.
- You MUST have your NAME and PAINTING TITLE written on the back of each work in a black Sharpie. Sharpies will be provided.
- The entries may be as follows:
 - 2 Washington County works
 - 1 Quick Draw
 - 1 Nocturnal
- All Plein Air works will be hanging for the full month of October.
- Event Judge, Stephen Hayes will begin judging at 1:00 pm.

4:00 pm-6:30 pm- ARTISTS RECEPTION & WET PAINT SALE

- This year's reception is again being held at the Sequoia Gallery + Studios,
- 4:00 pm Reception begins
- 5:00 pm- Awards Presentation: Hillsboro Mayor Steve Callaway and Plein Air Judge Stephen Hayes.
- 6:00 pm - Artist's choice, People's choice,
- 6:30pm- Reception closes.