

NMWS-Southern Chapter Mini-Workshop

Adventures with Alcohol Inks & Watercolors

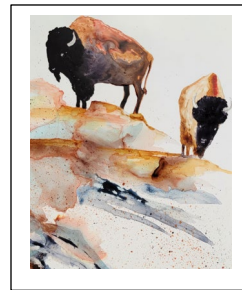
With Kay Gross

NMWS-Southern Chapter will present a 3-hour Mini-Workshop, January 20th, from 1:00 pm-4:00 pm. at the Good Samaritan Village, Creative Arts Room, 3025 Terrace Drive, Las Cruces.

Workshop Tuition is \$40. Limited to 12 students.

•**Instructor: Kay Gross:** NMWS member, retired art teacher, workshop, and classroom instructor with many years' experience. Check out her work on Instagram and Facebook - fireforgeartglass

•**Workshop Description:** Bring your sense of adventure to discover the energy and motion that alcohol inks can produce in your watercolor paintings. Kay will give you the tips and techniques that you need to create vibrant backgrounds and then show you how your watercolor subjects can work beautifully with inks on Yupo paper. This workshop will provide participant artists with "hands on use" of Alcohol Inks as an enhancement to their watercolor paintings.



Instruction will be provided to show the techniques and properties of the inks with practice on plastic papers like Yupo and CraftPlastic sheets. Once a desirable background effect is accomplished, each participant can then choose what subject to paint with watercolor to complete the painting. Students can choose to use their paper (8 X 10) whole or cut it to create smaller paintings. There will be plenty of practice paper and other surfaces to experiment on (provided by Kay).

Please bring photos or other resource material with you for the subject you wish to paint.

Register and Pay: Please send check written to NMWS-SC, c/o Beverley Pirtle, 905 Conway Ave., #15, Las Cruces, NM 88005. If you have questions call 575-647-2780 or email msbevpirtle@comcast.net.

Workshop registration is reserved for NMWS Members until Jan. 15, 2024. Non-members can register after that date.

Cancellation Policy: If you need to cancel, fee will be refunded if your place can be filled.

Supplies

•***Materials Included:*** Alcohol Inks, Yupo Paper, and all tools needed to work with the inks (including isopropyl alcohol and latex-free nitrile gloves).

•***Supplies Participants Should Bring With Them:*** Basic watercolors and small palette, favorite brushes, pencil, water container and a few paper towels. Please wear old clothes since Alcohol Inks stain.