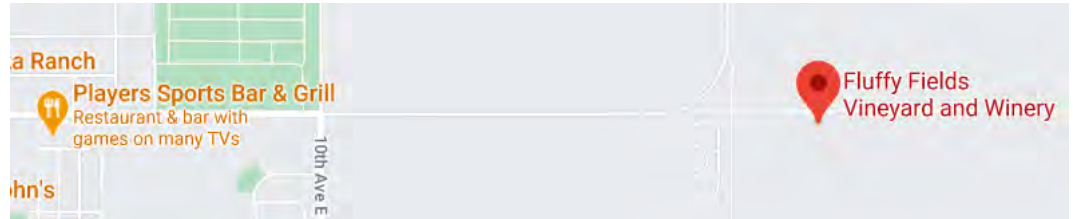


March 2021

BAA March meeting will be at Fluffy Fields Vineyard and Winery on Wednesday, March 3rd, at 5:30 pm.



The Southwestern ND Community Art Show



The Community Art Show will be held from March 2nd through April 8th and features many of BAA's local artists. The art show is located in the Joachim Regional Museum which is part of the Dickinson Museum Center in the Badlands Dinosaur Museum. Hours are Monday through Saturday 9 am-5 pm and Sundays noon -5 pm.

Diving into Watercolor Wax Batik

June 17-19, 2021 Registration and information is included in this newsletter and can also be found on the [BAA website](http://www.badlandsarts.com). Register early as this workshop is limited in space.



Upcoming Events: The last page of this newsletter contains information on upcoming South Dakota and Montana summer art shows. Notice that the deadlines for entering these summer shows are in March and April.



Watercolor Wax Batik with Linda Renaud

Watercolor wax batik uses several unique materials and processes. The workshop cost includes a fee of \$20 to cover the specialty materials provided by the instructor.

Diving Into Watercolor Wax Batik, June 17-19, 2021

Thurs., June 17 – 4 to 8 pm, half hour break for supper

Fri/Sat, June 18 & 19 – 9 am to 4 pm each day; half hour break for lunch

The process of watercolor wax batik will be explained, demonstrated and practiced in this hands-on, intensive workshop. Learn how to select the best photos to work from, plan your painting, build the multiple layers of wax and watercolor and then do the final batik and the “reveal.”

Topics covered will include:

Recognizing Value Changes (light to dark)

Essential Shapes – choosing what is needed and what can be left out

Review of Color – color harmonies, analogous & complementary colors

Planning Your Painting; First Wax Application – and Initial Wash of Watercolor

Finalizing the planning stages; Building Up the Layers ✦Batiking your painting

The “Reveal” – removing the wax, sharing the results

Mounting your painting for greater stability

If time permits, we will talk about how to proceed using your own photos, so bring your photo(s) – printed both in color AND in black and white. Photos should be printed on plain copier paper; bigger is better than smaller! Make sure your photos are not too dark – and have good light/highlight areas. Photos with good light from an angle are best.



Specialty supplies provided: Micron pen, Japanese/Thai papers, wax, brushes for use in the wax, rolls of newsprint. The pen, brushes and samples of Japanese/Thai papers will belong to the artist participants to take home with them at the end of the workshop.

Supplies to share: I have pots for melting wax. I’ll bring my **iron** also – and again, we will need SEVERAL of these for the end of the class. **Newspapers!** – I use clean newsprint next to the painting as I iron, and use layers of newspapers outside that. It

takes a lot of newspapers to soak up the wax as we iron it off! If you have extra newspapers, bring a stack!

Participants will need to bring: watercolor palette, artist’s quality watercolor paint & brushes, old bath towel, set of highlighter markers (7 colors at least), white-out, masking tape, hair dryer, and painting board with freezer paper taped to one side (board should be at least 12” by 14”) as well as paper towels, Kleenex, rags or apron as desired. Participants should have knowledge and experience in watercolor. If you are a newbie in watercolor that’s fine, just contact Linda at showandtellartist@gmail.com before registering.

REGISTRATION FORM – Diving Into Watercolor Wax Batik

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 17-19, 2021 Trinity High School, 810 Empire Road,
Dickinson, ND

► **Deadline to register: June 7, 2021**

Register soon; we expect the workshop to fill quickly. There will be a waiting list in case we have last minute openings.

Spaces are limited; only paid registrations secure a place. Fee for 2 ½

days: \$275. The registration fee, minus a \$25 processing fee will be refunded if a participant needs to cancel, provided that the workshop minimum # of participants is still intact.

Note: no walk-in registrations will be accepted. [The instructor needs to bring a packet of materials for each person who wants to take the workshop.]



Please register me for:

___ Workshop – Three days. Thursday June 17th, 4 pm to 8 pm, Friday June 18th and Saturday June 19th, 9 am to 4 pm.

___ I am a K/12 teacher and would like more information on CEUs. [Teachers will need to register separately with UND and pay the fee to receive 1 credit.] Link will be provided.

Name _____ Phone # _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____ Email _____

To register for this workshop, send your deposit (\$100) or your full payment (\$275).

Make check payable to Badlands Art Association and mail to:

Badlands Art Association, Attn: Jan Stromsborg; PO Box 502, Dickinson, ND 58602

Questions email: jan.stromsborg@gmail.com or call 701-483-5249

Spaces are limited; only paid registrations secure a place.



Aberdeen, SD June 19-20 Arts in the Park

For over forty years, exhibitors have lined the pavement within Melgaard Park with their handcrafted wares on the third full weekend in June. Each year, this juried event attracts exhibitors from over 12 states. It is estimated that over 20,000 people go through the park during the two-day event. Arts in the Park features fine and folk art, entertainment and a wide variety of food items. Applications are due [March 15, 2021](#)

Spearfish, SD July 16 - 18 Festival in the Park

Join thousands of locals and visitors for a festive stroll through Spearfish City Park, enjoying the sights and sounds of one of the largest and most popular artist events in the Black Hills. The annual Festival in the Park attracts more than 200 regional vendors offering items from art and jewelry to food and furniture. Take in some live music at The Watering Hole, browse for unique art items and gifts, and enjoy a wide variety of food and beverage vendors. Application deadline [March 16, 2021](#)



Billings, MT June 25-27 Summer Fair 2021

A summertime tradition, Summer Fair is bigger and better than ever before! This year Summer Fair is collaborating with *Symphony in the Park* to create the region's premier visual, performing, and fine arts festival. This three day celebration features one-of-a-kind works of art, juried crafts, entertainers, and music plus a diversity of local food and beverages. Application deadline [March 26, 2021](#).

Polson, MT July 24-25 Annual Flathead Lake Festival

This event is a two-day, juried event, sponsored by the Sandpiper Art Gallery, a non-profit organization. The show, featuring fine art and fine craft, attracts high quality artists from throughout Montana and the Northwest. The festival's dates, July 24th and 25th, are in the midst of the Flathead Valleys summer tourist season, and the location at Sacajawea Park is along the shores of beautiful Flathead Lake. Application deadline [April 15, 2021](#)



Kalispell, MT July 16-18 Arts in the Park

The Hockaday Museum of Art proudly presents the Annual Arts in the Park festival. Arts in the Park is the Flathead Valley's premier arts, crafts and music festival held in Kalispell's historic downtown Depot Park. Over 70 local and visiting artists and craftsmen offer their unique and quality works for sale. Food and beverage vendors from around the valley provide delicious treats. Live musical entertainment gives the festival a light mood. Application deadline [April 30, 2021](#)

Minneapolis, MN July 31 - August 1, 2021
Loring Park Art Festival



Since 2000, Loring Park Art Festival has combined creative expression and community connectedness to surprise and delight all who attend. With beautiful ponds and formal gardens, Loring Park makes an idyllic spot to celebrate art, music, food and entertainment for two days each summer in downtown Minneapolis.

The event features 140 visual artists selling original work, with something for everyone. Visitors will encounter strolling musicians, scheduled stage performances, engaging children's activities and adventurous culinary options. Application deadline [March 15, 2021](#).