

# THE UNLIMITED PALETTE

*Fall 2021*

Showcase Art Center  
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## ROLAND LEE STARTS A NEW GAA PROGRAM SEASON OFF IN SEPTEMBER



Roland Lee will present the program at our September meeting. Since the first Monday of September is Labor Day, we are planning to meet the second Monday of **September 13 at 3:00 PM** Mountain Time. We will have a board meeting (all are welcome) at 2:00 prior. It will be both live and via zoom. Zoom links are below. Our demonstration will be **Roland Lee** from Utah joining the group using zoom. If you are zoom challenged or just want company, you are welcome to watch on our big screen at Showcase. We will make popcorn and be thrilled to watch a master painter at work. Preview and gather information about

Roland Lee at his web site [www.RolandLee.com](http://www.RolandLee.com). There are some videos on his site too. Here is a sample of his painting (above).

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89499622361?pwd=ekVyR3F0WFNuUnZpOHBrK1ZtdlAvdz09>

Meeting ID: 894 9962 2361

Passcode: 654553

### STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The purpose of the Greeley Art Association shall be to open communication among artists, to promote and encourage increased involvement in the arts through education, to share knowledge, to cooperate in promoting our mutual understanding and appreciation of the arts, and for those so motivated – to foster the betterment of our art and its marketability.

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## IN MEMORIAM — GAA MEMBER: SANDY BAIRD



Sandra Cawley Baird, 73, of Greeley, passed away on June 9, 2021, at her home in Evans, Colorado. She was born to Gerard and Ruth (Hill) Cawley in 1947 in Scranton, Pennsylvania. Sandy began a career in nursing after she earned a Bachelor's of Science degree in Nursing in 1969 from the University of Maryland and went on to earn a Master's Degree in Psychiatric Nursing in 1972. She worked clinically in Baltimore, primarily in Intensive Care, before moving to Denver, where her work continued. Sandy married William John Baird in 1973 and together they built a home in Greeley and raised two sons. She was a professor at and attended the University of Northern Colorado where she received a Doctorate of Education in 1987. She became the Director of the School of Nursing in 1990. Under her leadership, both the MSN and Doctorate in Nursing Education programs were initiated. She was recognized nationally by the AACN as a nurse educator selected to accredit other schools of nursing. She served until her retirement in 2002, when she was awarded Professor Emerita of Nursing. Her commitment to the community continued and she was selected as an Outstanding Woman of Weld County for Educational Leadership by Friends of a Woman's Place in 2004. She enjoyed the ocean, boating with her husband, fishing, painting, and playing cards with her friends. She loved and adored her family, especially her grandkids. She will be dearly missed by all that knew her. Sandy is survived by her children, Matt Baird and Nick (Angie) Baird; grandchildren, Bowdry and Madalyn; sister, Susan (Jeff) Baxter. She was preceded in death by her Husband, William Baird and her parents. Memorial contribution in Sandy's name can be made to the International Myeloma Foundation in Care of Adamson Life Celebration Home, 2000 47th Avenue, Greeley, Colorado 80634. Condolences for Sandy's family can be left at [www.adamsoncares.com](http://www.adamsoncares.com).

## OCTOBER GAA MEETING PROGRAM - DURAPLAQ



Take a tour of DuraPlaq fine art printers in Longmont! DuraPlaq has been providing artisans, professional photographers, architects, interior designer and visual merchandisers with the highest quality prints, plaques, and photofinishing services for over 15 years. They offer many choices in services as well as different substrates for printing your works of art.

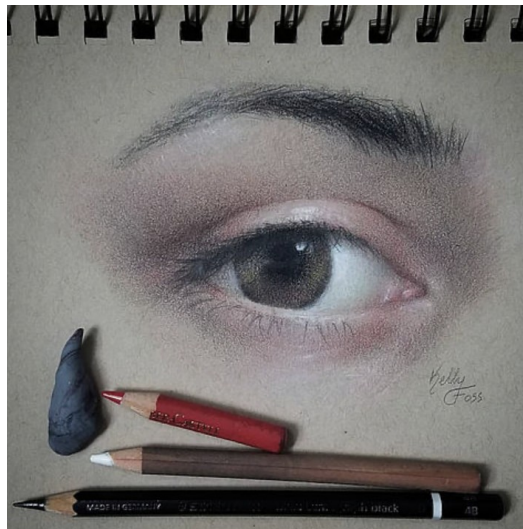
## NOVEMBER GAA MEETING PROGRAM - KELLY FOSS



PHOTO BY DAN PADRICK

In November, watch program presenter, Kelly Foss (via Zoom) as she demonstrates drawing an eye!

Kelly is a working artist residing in New York, and is famous for her Strathmore videos. She will be doing a drawing of the eye. To see more of her wonderful works, go to [KellyFoss.com](http://KellyFoss.com)



## “BIKE SHOW” AT MADISON & MAIN GALLERY



**BICYCLE ART SHOW 2021** will be our 8th such show, bringing Bicycle Art to the community. This show which begins **August 31 and runs through October 29**, will feature guest artists and gallery members and their bicycle inspired creations. The slate of guest artists are Stephanie Burchett, Felisha Bustos, Andrea Gabel, Arthur Infante, Gregory Mayse, Colette Pitcher, Tim Preston, and Brittany Schmidt.

The Madison & Main Gallery is an artists' cooperative gallery organized in 1987 by artists from Northern Colorado. Our members include 20+ member-artists plus numerous consignment artists and featured guests. We are painters, potters, jewelers, sculptors, wood crafters, stained glass artists, fiber artists, photographers and multi-media artists who are dedicated to artistic innovation and expression.

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**Madison & Main Gallery is located at 927 16th St., Greeley, Colorado**

OUR CURRENT HOURS ARE:

TUESDAY – FRIDAY 10 AM - 6 PM

SATURDAY 10 AM - 4 PM

OR BY APPOINTMENT.

## GAA NEWSLETTER EDITOR POSITION OPENING

Julie Dillon is retiring as the GAA Newsletter Board Member, and this position is currently open for the new GAA year. Please consider serving in this very important position on the GAA Board. The Board would love to have you! If you have questions regarding duties of this position, please don't hesitate to call Julie or one of the Board Members for more info, (contact numbers can be found on the front page of this newsletter).

## JOE MORA IS THE FEATURED ARTIST ON WEBSITE

Joe Mora is the featured member artist on the GAA website. Go to [greeleyart.org](http://greeleyart.org) to see more!



French Quarter Mardi Gras

Joseph N. Mora,

## ART “DID YOU KNOW?”



Wearing a tiny portrait of your lover's eye on your jewelry was a secretive and romantic gesture in the 18th and 19th centuries. When the Prince of Wales fell in love with a Catholic widow and proposed by sending her a locket with a painting of his eye inside, it wasn't long before it became a popular trend to wear "Lover's Eye" jewelry on your wrist or near your heart to symbolize the love you have for another.

## WEEKLY ON-GOING EVENTS

**Classes at the Showcase remain on Zoom and Video at [www.ShowcaseArtCenter.com](http://www.ShowcaseArtCenter.com).**

Unlimited videos in acrylic and watercolor for \$10/month.

Live Zoom meetings with lessons on Tuesdays 2-4 p.m., and Wednesdays 10-Noon for \$25/month.

I love the Zoom meetings because we are seeing people that had to move rejoin the group.

Call for appointments for framing, art supplies and other purchases.

Colette Pitcher

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## COLORADO ART LINKS

Check out Resources, Exhibits, Workshops and Shows

Greeley Creative District - [www.greeleycreativedistrict.org](http://www.greeleycreativedistrict.org)

Colorado Watercolor Society - [www.coloradowatercolorsociety.org](http://www.coloradowatercolorsociety.org)

Boulder Art Association (Boulder) - [www.boulderartassociation.org](http://www.boulderartassociation.org)

Western Colorado Watercolor Society (Grand Junction) - <http://www.wcwsociety.net/wp1/>

Mountainside Art Guild (Lakewood) - <http://www.mtinsideartguild.org>

Art Center and Gallery of Estes Park - [www.artcenterofestes.com](http://www.artcenterofestes.com)

Art in the Aspens (various locations) - <http://www.artaspens.com/>

University of Northern Colorado, School of Art & Design - [www.arts.unco.edu](http://www.arts.unco.edu)

Roxborough Arts Council (Douglas County) - <http://roxartscouncil.org/>

Pastel Society of Colorado - [www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org](http://www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org)

North Metro Arts Alliance (Denver area) - <http://www.nmarts.net/>

Thompson Valley Art League (Loveland) - <http://www.lincolngallery.com/>

Heritage Fine Arts Guild (Arapahoe County) - <http://www.heritage-guild.com/>

Louisville Art Association—<https://louisvilleart.org/>

Evergreen Artists Association—<https://www.evergreenartists.org/>

Gilpin County Arts Association (Central City) - <http://www.gilpinarts.org/>

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS - FALL 2021

### September

Friday — September 3, 5:00 p.m. start: First Friday, Downtown Greeley

Monday — September 13, 3:00 p.m. : GAA Meeting via Zoom; GAA Board Meeting begins at 2:30 p.m.

### October

Friday — October 1, 5:00 p.m start.: First Friday, Downtown Greeley

Monday — October 4, 3:00 p.m. : GAA Meeting via Zoom; GAA Board Meeting begins at 2:30 p.m

### November

Monday — November 1, 3:00 p.m. : GAA Meeting via Zoom; GAA Board Meeting begins at 2:30 p.m.

Friday — November 5, 5:00 p.m. start: First Friday, Downtown Greeley