



## Greetings Friends,



I hope this finds all of you and yours healthy and safe. Summer is here in the North County, hay is being cut and baled, gardens planted and producing.

It looks abundant and normal even during the most abnormal of times and I'm grateful to live in such an abundantly beautiful area which helps ease the situation.

At least it's pretty out there! This photo is towards the end of my long driveway near the road, hence the long line on my Belgian Shepherd, he had a mat but chose to lay on the driveway, silly boy.

It has been wonderful to get out and paint on location, my favorite studio is outside with Nature. See how we've adapted to the current situation of Covid 19; view our first 3CPS online all member show, listen to a podcast interview with one of our members and find out about local and online opportunities to show your work.

**Be well & stay inspired, Denise**

---

## "The Art of Pastel"

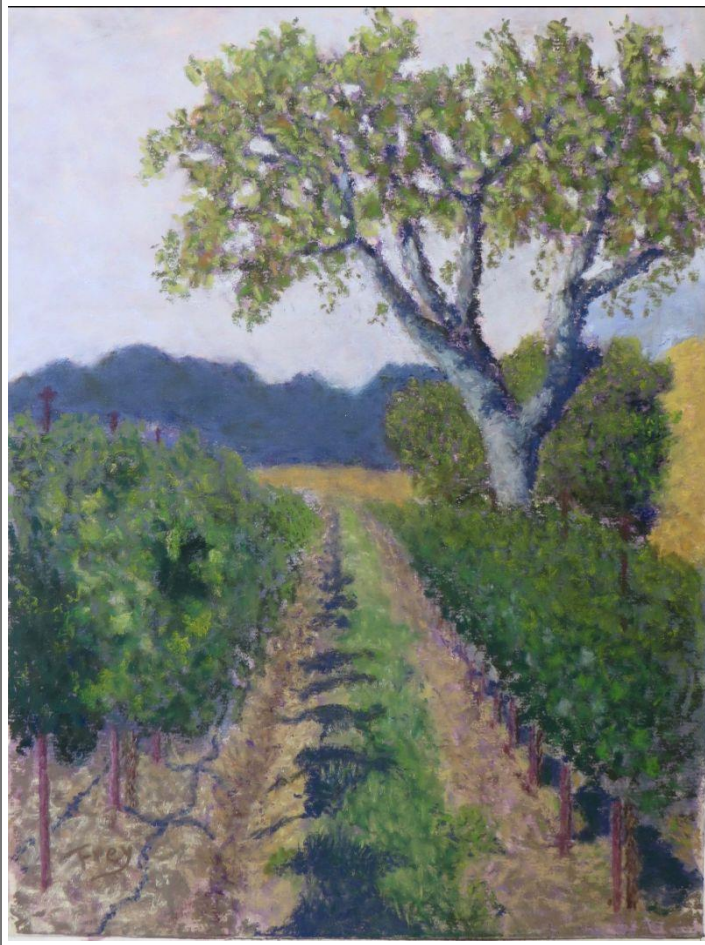
### 3CPS All Member Online Show

June-July 2020

This show highlights all of YOU who make 3CPS the special pastel society that it is!

Since the show at Art Central was cancelled due to CV-19 the Board decided to hold our first online show. Thank you to all who submitted work. I'm blown away by the talent in this pastel society! Click on the link and see for yourself! <https://3cps.org/3cps-online-show/>

Our show is a strong body of work that we can all be proud of; please share with your friends, collectors, and your email contacts. A huge round of applause and gratitude please for our web hostess, **Priscilla White** and tech expert, **Jim Tyler** who got this show up so quickly and beautifully, it even has music to view by! Thank you both so much for your willingness and work.



## Paint-Out News

Our last event along the picturesque Morretti Canyon Road in San Luis Obispo was a stellar start to getting out again with plenty of space for social distance.

We had the largest turnout to date! The area is not populated by people nor tourists, so it was a safe and lovely environment.

Painting shown done by Tom Frey, lovely work!





## Our Next Paint-Out

### **Saturday, June 13, 9:00 am: Highway 46 Overlooks.**

This paint-out offers grand vistas of the coastal mountains and the Morro Bay coastline. The section of road is between Templeton and Highway 1 north of Harmony. No facilities. This scene is at the Mile Marker 7 pullout.

Beginner's welcome! Loaner equipment available.

Don't want to paint with pastels? Bring your camera, sketch pad, pocket watercolors . . . or just watch to learn. It's a great way to spend the morning.

Contact Jim Tyler at [jimtylerfineart@gmail.com](mailto:jimtylerfineart@gmail.com) for more info.



---

## WORKSHOP UPDATES

**At this time all upcoming workshops are on hold.** We will make a decision based on state and county health guidelines and give as much advanced notice as possible.

Thank you for your understanding.

### **Debbie Wardrope**

August 29, 2020 Info to follow

Demo and half-day workshop on Nocturnes

### **Teresa Saia**

September 10, 11 and 12, 2020

Possible mid-July demo and half day workshop

**Learn from these internationally renowned artists!** Registration opens to members two weeks prior to the general public. Please renew or join today to be included in the priority registration notice. Your membership dues allow us to continue to bring nationally known artists to SLO County.

<https://3cps.org/become-a-member/>

---



Painting by Jim Tyler

- ◆ If you've ever wondered what makes **Jim Tyler** tick with regard to painting in pastels, check out this 20 minute podcast recorded by Dr. Jill Thayer for "Voice of Paso." Scroll down to Podcast 35: <http://www.jillthayer.com/podcasts/>,
- ◆ Here's a good tip sent via **KC Caldwell** from **Jen Evenhus** and uses **Tom Frey's** sharpening box concept: <https://www.uartpastelpaper.com/uart-tip-30/>

## Online Shows and Local Art Opportunities:

**Pastel Society of the West Coast:** <https://pswc.ws/pastels-usa-2019/>

**Pastel Society of America:** <http://www.pastelsocietyofamerica.org/news/>

### 2 Calls for Artists in SLO

#### Library Cards:

<https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5ddd59dbd412b8637daa2a76/t/5eb9c867b2acbe6aa41d9fa4/1589233767812/Call+For+Artist+-+Library+Card.pdf>

#### Utility Boxes:

<https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5ddd59dbd412b8637daa2a76/t/5ebc30376c97704a78aa78c2/1589391415664/Call+For+Artists+Pier+Plaza+Utility+Boxes.pdf>

**Saturday, May 30, 2020 Deadline:** The **San Luis Obispo Botanical Garden** wishes to extend an invitation to local artists and crafts people to submit an application for this year's Art in the Garden fundraiser and art sale, scheduled for November 6- 8, 2020. Last year's event drew over 1,000 attendees where artists showcased a variety of art mediums. Applications are due May 30th. For more information contact Heather Billings at [heather@slobg.org](mailto:heather@slobg.org) or call 805-541-1400 x 303.

**Thanks!**

## California Central Coast Pastel Society (3CPS)

<https://3cps.org/> |  [info@3cps.org](mailto:info@3cps.org) |  <https://www.facebook.com/3CPSpastels/>

**Mailing address: P.O. Box 13933, San Luis Obispo, CA 93406**