



APRIL 27TH
REGISTRATION:
9:00 A.M.—10:00 A.M.

LOCATION:
GAUTIER CITY HALL

\$250.00 CASH PRIZE
ADULT DIVISION

\$100.00 CASH PRIZE
YOUTH DIVISION

PHOTOGRAPHY
1ST PLACE
\$100.00
WALMART GIFT CARD

REGISTRATION FEE:
PLEIN AIR WORKSHOP
\$50.00
PLEIN AIR COMPETITION
\$25.00
NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY
\$35.00

ART WILL BE JURIED

PHOTOS WILL BE JUDGED

Suggested Painting Locations

- **George Martin City Park**
902 De La Pointe
- **Shepard State Park**
1034 Graveline Rd
- **Indian Pointe Birding Trail**
1600 Indian Point Pkwy
- **Sandhill Crane Refuge**
7200 Crane Lane
- **Any Location within the City of Gautier**

For more information
Contact the Recreation Dept.
228-497-8000 ext. 317

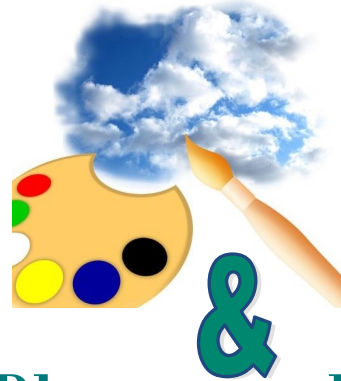


City of Gautier's 3rd Annual

PAINT theTOWN

Plein Air Art Competition

April 27th 9am-4pm



Nature Photography Workshop

April 27th 9am-2pm

By: Robert Smith, WILDLIFE MISSISSIPPI

April 26th

Plein Air Work Shop By:

Jerrold Partridge (limited spaces available)

9 am - 4 pm (Gautier Senior Center)

Plein Air Art Competition & Nature Photography
Capture the beauty of the City of Gautier!

For official rules and guidelines, visit: www.gautier-ms.gov or
Facebook: City of Gautier Recreation & Community Events or The City of Gautier

City of Gautier

Paint the Town Plein Air Art Competition

REGISTRATION FORM

Please submit registration and payment to the address indicated below by April 12, 2019.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State and Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

	Cost	Date & Time	Location
Opening Reception <i>(Free to all registered participants)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	April 26, 2019 6pm - 8pm	Gautier Senior Center 914 De La Pointe Dr. Gautier, MS
Plein Air Workshop <i>(limited spaces available)</i> <i>Lunch Provided</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50	April 26, 2019 9 am - 4pm	Gautier Senior Center 914 De La Pointe Dr. Gautier, MS
Nature Photography Workshop <i>(limited spaces available)</i> <i>Lunch Provided</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$35	April 27, 2019 9am - 2pm	Indian Point Resort 1600 Indian Point Pkwy, Gautier, MS <i>Includes 2hr Eco Tour to capture Nature Photography</i>
Plein Air Art Competition	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25 day of event <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 by April 12th	April 27, 2019 9am - 4pm	Registration 9 am - 10 am - Gautier City Hall 3330 Hwy 90 Gautier, MS

Return the completed registration and fee by April 12, 2019. Participants may preregister for the 3rd Annual Plein Air Competition but must still register their canvas onsite April 27th from 9 am – 10 am at Gautier City Hall.

City of Gautier
Plein Air Art Competition
Attn: Chassity Bilbo
3330 Hwy 90
Gautier, MS 39553

Any questions, contact Chassity Bilbo at cbilbo@gautier-ms.gov ; or 228-497-8000 ext. 317. You can also check our website for additional information: www.gautier-ms.gov, or the City of Gautier Recreation and Community Event Facebook Page.



City of Gautier
Paint the Town Plein Air Art Competition
&
Nature Photography Rules and Helpful Information

Art Workshop taught by Visual Artist Jerrod Partridge on April 26, 2019 9am – 4pm

Photography Workshop taught by Robert Smith on April 27, 2019 9am – 2pm Includes 2hr Eco Tour

Welcome Reception April 26, 2019 Gautier Senior Center 6pm- 8pm

Reception to announce the winners will be held May 23, 2019 6:00pm at Gautier City Hall Council Chambers

Contact Chassity Bilbo at 228-219-7644 should you require assistance during the competition

Text your painting location to Rachel Honea at 228-219-3259 the day of the competition

Refreshments will be provided in the Council Chambers at Gautier City Hall on April 27th from 11am- 3pm

Plein Air Art Competition

- All fine art painting mediums (oils, acrylics, gouaches, watercolors, pastels or pencils)
- All work must be completed outdoors in natural elements and NOT in a studio or indoor spaces
- Artists must paint on location within the City of Gautier during the official painting period April 27, 2019 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- No use of photography, photographs, photographic or computer equipment is allowed for painting plein air competition entries
- All paintings created during the competition must be returned to **GAUTIER CITY HALL** located at 3330 Hwy 90 by **4:00 p.m.** to be photographed and recorded. Once photographed and recorded, art may not be touched up or changed
- To be entered into the competition, art created during the Plein Air event must be framed and returned to **GAUTIER CITY HALL** on or before May 10, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.
- Framed art may be submitted the day of the event
- Judging will take place on May 14, 2019 by a selected panel of judges. Artist need not be present.
- Art will be curated on May 16, 2019 at Gautier City Hall
- Judges will have final discretion with respect to awards. Participating artists will allow The City of Gautier to photograph all paintings and release to The City of Gautier such images and work for promotional and publicity purposes
- Unsold art may be taken the night of the reception or may hang in the Council Chambers for 30 days

Suggested Painting Locations:

George Martin City Park- 902 De La Pointe Dr

Indian Pointe Birding Trail- 1600 Indian Point Pkwy

Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College

Jackson County Campus 2300 Highway 90

Shepard State Park- 1034 Graveline Rd

Sandhill Crane Refuge- 7200 Crane Lane

Point Clear Riviera- 3134 Graveline Rd

Shell Landing Golf Club 3499 Shell Landing Blvd

Any location within the City of Gautier

Nature Photography

- Entrants submitting photographs for the contest must be a participant from the Nature Photography Workshop and entries must be the original work of the participant taken during workshop
- Participants may submit up to two 8X10 framed photographs by May 10, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. for judging
- Photos must be submitted electronically to cbilbo@gautier-ms.gov by May 10, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.
- Each entry should contain the following information: a) Title of photograph b) Name of photographer (first and last)
- Grand Prize winner will be selected. The Grand Prize winner will receive a \$100.00 Walmart gift card
- Photographers will allow the City of Gautier to use photos for promotional and publicity purposes

Plein Air Work Shop
April 26, 2019 9am- 4pm
Gautier Senior Center



Jerrod Partridge, Visual Artist

Ocean Springs, MS

<http://www.jerroddpartridge.com/>



Jerrod is a full-time studio artist while also teaching drawing and painting workshops. He and his wife lead Visual Explorations to Tuscany, Italy each summer. He is also owner and co-creator of Art Space 86 which uses events to provide opportunities for artists and enrich communities through art. Jerrod and his artwork have been featured in Portico Jackson Magazine, Northside Sun, Find it in Fondren, Kiplinger's Personal Finance Magazine, Number: Inc Arts Journal, Magnolia Magazine, Northeast Ledger, Madison Magazine, and the Scott County Times. and every scene as a potential painting.

Jerrod and his wife Jessie, owner of Maidenhair Floral, lead a creative life together with their three children on the Gulf Coast of Mississippi. Jerrod earned a Master of Fine Arts degree from the New York Academy of Art in 2004. During his undergraduate years studying graphic design at Mississippi College he also spent a semester in London, England studying art history. Jerrod is a 2011-2012 recipient of a Visual Arts Fellowship from the Mississippi Arts Commission, and was named distinguished Alumnus of the Year for the Mississippi College Department of Art in 2017.

Jerrod's work can be seen by appointment at his studio and the Local Creatives Gallery in Ocean Springs, Mississippi; Southside Gallery in Oxford, Mississippi, and various locations through Art Space 86. If you like Jerrod's work and would like a custom drawing or painting, he accepts commissions for artwork including portraits and paintings of Italy. Contact Jerrod to discuss possibilities.

Lunch will be provided for all registered participants. For more information please contact Chassity Bilbo at 228-497-8000 ext. 317 cbilbo@gautier-ms.gov.

Supply List:

A Plein Air pochade box or suitable Plein Air easel (please be familiar with your equipment)

Artist quality colors:

Cad Lemon
Cad Yel Medium
Yel Ochre
Cad Red Light
Alkyd Titanium White
Alizarin Crimson Deep
Ultra Marine Blue
Cerulean Blue Hue
Trans Red Oxide
Raw Umber
Indigo

Odorless mineral spirits and sealable container

Brushes:

2-10 long flat synthetic bristle
#4 Script Liner
#4 Egbert
Cheap 1" Bristle Brush
Palette knife
Old Credit Card
2 - 11x14 Linen Panels

Snack, water, hat, sunscreen, insect repellent, chair, sketch pad/pencil, camera



The Art of Nature Photography Workshop
April 27, 2019 9am- 2pm
Indian Point Clubhouse



Overview: This workshop is designed for beginning or intermediate photographers who might want to create stand-alone photo images or reference images for later paintings. It will be divided between interactive presentations to build everyone's understanding and field photography to utilize what we have talked about during the presentations. Depending the group's overall interest and equipment, there will be the opportunity for landscape photography, macro photography (flowers/dragonflies), and bird photography. We will take advantage of the marsh and bayou views, high flower diversity, and large bird blinds during this workshop. It is envisioned that most of the group will want to photograph together, but participants may opt to photograph independently in the area during field time as well. Robert will lead the field portions and be available to demonstrate techniques and assist participants as time allows.

Instructor: Robert Smith is a forest and wildlife biologist by training. He is the Coastal Program Coordinator for Wildlife Mississippi (www.wildlifemiss.org). He has carried a camera in the field while he works for over 30 years. What began as using the camera to document wildlife and habitats grew into a hobby which grew into a large image collection. Robert has fine art images hanging in many homes and businesses; his imagery has been used in many educational venues from web sites to brochures to mural images. He has had articles, photographs and cover images in several magazines. He regularly shares what he has learned in seminars and workshops. You can see some of Robert's work at www.photobiologist.com.

Lunch will be provided for all registered participants. For more information please contact Chassity Bilbo at 228-497-8000 ext. 317 cbilbo@gautier-ms.gov.

Location: Clubhouse, Indian Point RV Resort, 1600 Indian Point Parkway, Gautier, MS

Date & Time: April 27, 2019 9am- 2pm

What to Bring: Camera, Lenses, Tripod (recommended), Bug Spray, Sunscreen, Clothes & shoes that you can get dirty. Many of the topics talked about in this workshop are applicable to any camera (cell phone, point-and-shoot, or digital single lens reflex). Participants with DSLRs will likely get the most out of the workshop, but all are welcome. Lenses to bring could be anything from wide-angle to long telephoto; if you are interested in bird photography a lens equivalent of at least 300 mm is recommended; if you are interested in flower/dragonfly photography then a macro lens or extension tubes are recommended.

Trip Rigor: This workshop does not require much exertion beyond the ability to carry your gear several hundred feet. Some participants may opt to walk into the edge of the marsh through muddy, wet grass or lay down in a muddy area to obtain different perspectives.

Transportation: Participants will provide their own transportation; carpooling during field portion is encouraged.

The Art of Nature Photography Workshop with Robert Smith

Outline:

9:00-10:00 – Introduction to Nature Photography Presentation (Clubhouse)

- Basic Camera and Image Overview
- How your Camera Sees Things
- Different "Kinds" of Nature Photography

10:00-11:15 – Image Acquisition in the Field at Indian Point RV Resort & adjacent Indian Point Coastal Preserve

11:15-11:45 – Lunch

12:00-2:00 – Eco Tour