

## ANDREA TAYLOR

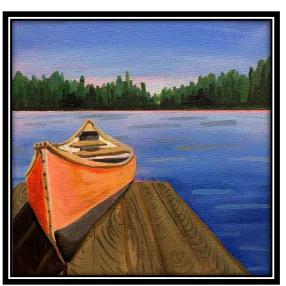
Andrea is originally from Orillia and now her family has a summer home in Port Severn. Her art is a reflection of her profound connection to the natural world, particularly the landscapes of Georgian Bay and Muskoka. Through her work, she strives to convey the beauty and importance of these landscapes, while also emphasizing the need for their preservation. Her art manifests a nostalgic connection to land and objects representing life in Canada.

andreataylorgallery.ca

IG: @andreataylorgallery



"A Galaxy Far Far Away, 2024", acrylic



"Orange Canoe, 2024", acrylic



"Toasted, 2024", acrylic

## **CAROL MORDY**

Carol in Huntsville and lives discovering enjoys thoroughly beautiful corners of our area for photography and plein air painting. Her art is inspired by glimpses of the interaction between sunlight and shadow and the resulting effect on This all colours around. often evokes joy and wonder in her, and she rushes to open her paints!

IG: @carolmordyart



"Enjoying a Winter's Day", oil



"Going for a Ski", oil



"Outdoor Hockey", oil

## CAROLE RUDDERHAM

Carole is an accomplished artist and a recipient of several awards. She is an impressionistic painter who cares less about detail, more about colour and abstraction. She is constantly exploring ways to "attack the canvas," resulting in fresh new approaches. She provides regular workshops at her home studio.

carolerudderham.art



"Rocky Cove", acrylic



"Winter Glory", acrylic



"Blue Sky", acrylic

## **CAROLINE PATTISON**

Caroline has been drawing and painting since childhood. She has taken classes using various mediums through Fleming College and Let the Cat Go Studio, as well as with various accomplished local artists. You can find some of her paintings hanging in the Art Gallery of Washago, May to October.

IG: @riverlife\_art



"Kilcoursie Bay", acrylic



"Morning Serenity", acrylic



"Curtain Call", acrylic

#### CHERIN HARRIS-TUCK

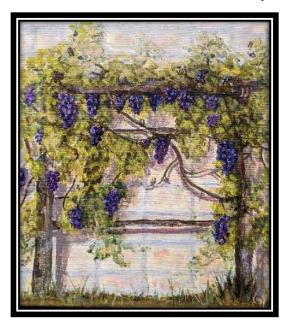
My artistic journey began from my relationship personal to my environment particularly in the beautiful lakes and forests of developed Muskoka. an appreciation and love for local landscapes to animals their environment. natural have explored my artistic expression in watercolour, acrylic and pastel. I continue to seek inspiration from renowned artists and have had guidance through workshops with **luminaries** such Robert as Bateman, Eric Wilson and Emma Colbert. They have greatly impacted my artistic development. I am an active member of numerous local and national organizations including Muskoka Arts and Crafts, The Huntsville Art Society, East Central Ontario Art Association and The Pastel Artists of Canada.

animalportraitsbycherin.com

IG: @animal\_portraits\_by\_cherin



"Queen Anne's Lace", acrylic



"Grape Arbour", acrylic



"Wildflowers", acrylic

## CHERYL HAMEL

My paintings are created to live in light, be an interplay of light and bright shadow. and intense. textures, and patterns and shape. They merge strong, bold strokes of individualistic colours with sculpted, three-dimensional images, so that the painting changes from morning night, glowing as the to illuminates or casts into shadows these sculpted, layered images. My hope is that every time someone looks at one of my paintings, that person will smile, experience its energy, hear the leaves rustling and dancing, the waters rushing, the bird singing, be in that moment, share my vision. Experience the joy in my heart.

cherylhamel.com

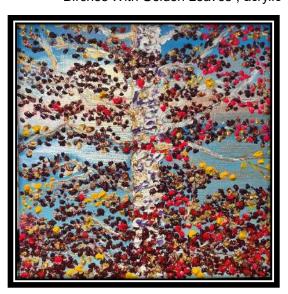
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"Birches With Scarlet Leaves", acrylic



"Birches With Golden Leaves", acrylic



"Birch With Red & Copper Leaves", acrylic

## CHRISTINA MACBEAN

Christina MacBean is a printmaker and oil painter. Inspiring viewers to explore deeper possibilities, she perceptions challenges through concept, creating image and opportunities for discovery. Christina is an honours graduate of the Georgian College Fine Arts Program. She now lives and works at Butterfly Way Studio in Utterson.

butterflywaymuskoka.org/CV-ArtistStatement

IG: @butterflywaystudio



"Fluttering Canopies", acrylic



"Under the Canopy", acrylic



"Honey Drops and Umbrella Tops", acrylic

## CORRINE MURDY

I draw inspirations from having lived where I had the view of the ocean as well as the mountains.

And now, living in Muskoka, when I see the burst of colour every fall when the leaves change colour this inspires me to try to get that beauty in paintings.



"Lovely Wee Waterfalls", acrylic



"Happy Chick-a-dees", acrylic



"Ocean Meets Land", acrylic

## **DAWN HUDDLESTONE**

Dawn Huddlestone is a printmaker and photographer with a particular interest in alternative processes, historical techniques, and the ways in which art and nature can interact. She is a firm believer that art is for everyone and via her workshops and writings strives to stamp out even the most adamant "I'm just not creative." A writer, editor, and biologist by training, Dawn extends her love for storytelling, science, and the natural world to her artwork.

birchnotescreative.art

IG: @birchnotescreative



"Primordial", cyanotype



"Liana", cyanotype



"Frondly", cyanotype

## **DEBRA LYNN WRIGHT**

Debra is an artist with a superb way of using bright colours and creating wonderful moods. She has taken many workshops and is currently in a "Master's Course" with Peter John Reid. Debra's paintings are found in many Ontario homes. Debra works full time and lives with her husband and two sons in Flesherton.



"Golden Sky", acrylic



"Daisy Days", acrylic



"The Cove", acrylic

## **DELIGHT ROGERS**

Delight is a mixed media artist, deeply inspired by the magic of nature and her own imagination. She lives in the village of Burks Falls, where the natural beauty fuels her artistic spirit. Her art is a labour of love with layers of life, heart, and emotion.

delightrogers.com

IG: @delightrogers\_art



"Come As You Are", mixed media



"Bloom", mixed media



"Flower Child", mixed media

## **ELAINE VIDA**

Elaine has always done some kind of art, watercolour in particular. Recently pen and ink are her passion. Her background as a Landscape Designer gave her a propensity to observe details. Pen and ink drawing is especially suitable to that propensity. Her aim: to find fresh meaning to the familiar.

IG: @elainevidaartist



"Look Up", pen and ink



"In the Midst of the Mist", pen and ink



"Just Visiting", pen and ink

## **ELISE MULLER**

Elise works with ink, stone, and metal and is inspired by nature that surrounds Stone Tree Studio near Dorset where she lives and works. Elise trained in Dublin, Hamilton, and Haliburton School of Art and Design where she now teaches part-time.

stonetreestudio.ca

IG: @elisemuller\_art



"Toadstools", lino print and acrylic



"Winged Things", lino print and acrylic



"Inside the Labyrinth", lino print and acrylic

# GRACE ISARD

Hong Kong by origin
Canada by extraction
Artist by absorption



"Florals 1"



"Apples in a Bowl"



"Florals 2"

#### **JANICE FEIST**

Muskoka has been Janice's home for over 30 years and constantly inspires her with its beauty and ruggedness. Her studio is nestled under towering Pine trees and embraced by Muskoka bedrock, an oasis of nature.

Whether using watercolour, India ink, soft pastel, oil or acrylic paint, Janice's work has an impressionistic quality which evolves with each painting. With a wide range of subjects, which include the Canadian landscape, flora and fauna, her paintings embrace the dialogue between colour and texture. Her instinctual process of applying paint captures the excitement of the moment as she responds to her subject.

Awards for Best Use of Media and Best 2D work in group and juried shows.

JFeist Fine Art Studio ~ Gallery 1843 Muskoka Beach Road, Bracebridge 705-644-1030

janicefeist.com

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"Sunset at the Lake #6", acrylic



"Wind in the Field", acrylic



"Sunset at the Lake #7", acrylic

## **JUDY WALLACE**

Judy is a self-taught wool and textile artist and a long-time resident of Huntsville. Creativity found in needle felting and the calmness working with wool became her passion during COVID. Each of her pieces are uniquely one of a kind.

Judy's felted creations are available at Two Horse Gallery in Huntsville.



"Wonderment", needle-felted wool



"Fields of Gold", needle-felted wool



"The Forest Floor", needle-felted wool

## KARLA HOUSER

Karla Houser has honed a distinct style of minimal realism. Her work captures striking yet familiar perspectives, exploring themes of duality, connection, and transformation. Karla's artistic journey is a fusion of experiences. Hailing from Windsor (ON) she has also resided in Amsterdam, Osaka, Toronto, and now Huntsville, while evolving her artistic voice sharing creative output through various mediums.

Karlahouser.com

IG: @karla\_houser\_art



"Winter Wander III", oil



"Pink Clouds on Yellow Sky", oil



"Campfire", oil

#### LAURA ADAMIAK

cloth is bound to rust by my hands

surrendering itself to transformation

a story unfolds

the trees watch as we exchange breath

nothing is finished + everything returns

IG: @fallingtoland



"hours", rust-dyed canvas & sashiko thread



"minutes", rust-dyed canvas & sashiko thread



"seconds", rust-dyed canvas & sashiko thread

## LISA LYNN PHILLIPS

Lisa Lynn Phillips creates art in her studio in Muskoka, working with acrylics, palette knives and brushes.

'When I'm painting, it's a meditation as my mind, body and spirit are absorbed by the process.'

lisalynnportraitst.wixsite.com/paintings

IG: @lisalynnart



"Thoughtful", acrylic



"Abundance", acrylic



"Mindful", acrylic

## LIZ DERKSEN

As someone who finds it easier to speak with a paintbrush, finding the right words for a statement does not come easily. My hope is that my paintings speak to you. That you are able to share the beauty I see all around me and enjoy it through my eyes.

When I am outdoors, I see beauty in the way the light strikes a tree, or hits the lake, or the way the clouds move. I see beauty in the colours in the forest, in the mountains and rocks, and the old, tired trees. I have to admit I am in love with trees. I love to touch them, sketch them, and paint them. I think I'm kind of obsessed with tree bark as well, although this might just be a phase.

If my paintings touch you in some way or make you smile, I am happy.

lizderksen.com

IG: @derksenliz



"At the Cottage", acrylic



"A Thrillium of Trilliums", acrylic



"A Quiet Spot", acrylic

## MARGOT SNOW

Margot Snow is a Canadian artist with works exhibited in both private and corporate collections across North America, Australia, and parts of Europe.

While Margot enjoys painting in oils acrylics her medium and of preference has always been She is watercolours. constantly exploring and interesting new variations of surfaces and textures to use with watercolours. Hence you will see her work on paper, canvas, as watercolour, egg tempera, and monoprinting.

facebook.com/margotsnowfineart



"Allofeeding", watercolour



"The Observer", watercolour



"Winter Companion", watercolour

## MARILYN SMITH

Painting has become a major interest in Marilyn's life, having attended various workshops over including drawing, the years watercolours, oil, acrylics, and She mixed media. has been fortunate enough to enjoy the beauty of Muskoka to inspire her in her art endeavours.



"Scenic View in Algonquin Park", acrylic



"Red Cardinal Perched on a Bough", acrylic



"Summer Retreat", acrylic

# MICHELE SCHWEMMER

Michele is an independent working multimedia artist with a long career in film & television production.

She is locally involved with Huntsville Art Society, Huntsville Festival of the Arts, Huntsville Theatre Company, and Algonquin Theatre.

bio.site/MicheleSchwemmer



"Abstract 1", acrylic



"Abstract 2", acrylic



"Abstract 3", acrylic

## Nancy Halmos

Painting with acrylics is my happy place. It is fun to create the differing landscapes of nature as the changing seasons unfold. I love flowers and trees and the colours of nature.



"Muskoka Twilight", acrylic



"Sneaking a Peek", acrylic



"Along Ragged Falls", acrylic

## NANCY MCKINNON

Nancy grew up in Hamilton, Ontario, in a modest neighbourhood where any form of art was always priority for her. In 2011, she retired in northern Ontario where she credits her education primarily to the Haliburton School of the Arts. Here she became a vibrant landscape painter inspired by the raw beauty Movement. that surrounds us. texture, color, shapes - her choice of medium is acrylics and oils. As quoted by Emily Carr, she is always trying to find "that nameless thing," the soul of a painting!

rockwoodartstudio.com

IG: @rockwoodartstudio



"Rebecca Bella Bridge", acrylic



"Limberlost Forest", acrylic



"Western View on Bella Lake", acrylic

## **NANCY WATT**

Nancy is an acrylic and watercolour artist living on beautiful Bruce Lake in the Muskoka Lakes. She is surrounded by abundant forests and pristine lakes. People, small towns, flora and fauna, and the rich colours found in Canada's four seasons are all subjects for Nancy's paintings. Her style is a mix of abstraction, impressionism, and high realism.

IG: @brucelakestudio



"White Birch Stand", acrylic



"Skies Are Clearing", acrylic



"View From the Mainland", acrylic

## PAT WHITTLE

Pat came late to art, but when she joined an art group in Ajax after her children were on their way, she went in with all the curiosity and hope that she could muster. Workshops and books held her fascination and she was happy to enter juried shows along with her new friends. Several awards helped her to explore many mediums and she really enjoys learning new techniques.

#### @patwhittlestudio



"Tulips 1", oil



"Tulips 2", oil



"Tulips 3", oil

## SAM SULLIVAN

Sam Yarde-Sullivan contemporary artist and graduate of Ontario College of Art & Design. She had an opportunity to work under professional artists engaging contemporary and abstract works, which helped influence her work to this day. Sam paints in acrylics, watercolours, and oils, as as mixed media well light installations and photography. She creates works that illuminate light and colour.

"Art represents a moving experience for me. It's everchanging, as life is ever-changing. It doesn't stay the same. Neither does Art. My work is creating pieces that emphasize light, movement, and the experience of being amongst life's existence."

You can visit her studio at Collaborate Studio Space & Gallery (inside Red Pine Art Supply).

samsullivanartist.ca

IG: @samsullivan\_artist



"Dwight Beach After Sunset", acrylic



"Evening Boat Launch", acrylic



"Waking Up to Moonlight", acrylic

## SHARON MCKENZIE

Sharon McKenzie grew up in Huntsville, leaving to attend The Ontario College of Art in 1976, where she completed foundation year, then attended the School of Architecture, University of Toronto, graduating in 1981. A practicing architect for over 40 years Sharon continued to develop her interest in art, including printmaking and ceramics. In the 1980s, she wrote many of the architectural descriptions of heritage buildings in Huntsville. In 2020, she retired to Huntsville, designed her new home, and has taken up landscape painting. She has participated in shows in the Huntsville, Kearney, and Sand Lake areas.

sharonmckenzieart.wixsite.com/artwork



"Cardinal", acrylic



"Redpoll", acrylic



"Blue Jay", acrylic

#### STEPHANIE AYKROYD

Inspired by rugged, atmospheric landscapes and vast skies, Stephanie Aykroyd shares her love of wild places and reverence for the earth in natural and serene paintings. Stephanie learned the foundations of oil painting a teenager, studying the Old Masters at a small school in Toronto, and called Muskoka home for over 25 years. She currently paints from her home studio in the Almaguin Highlands, Ontario.

stephanieaykroyd.com IG: @stephanieaykroyd



"Serenity", acrylic



"Immersion", acrylic



"Afternoon Paddle", acrylic

## TAMMY COO

Tammy Coo is an acrylic landscape living painter, and working Muskoka Lakes, ON. Her serene paintings often capture majestic and cloudscapes the tranquil waterways in and around the Georgian Bay Muskoka and regions.

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tammycoodesigns.ca IG: @tammycoo.artist



"Summer Breeze 3", acrylic



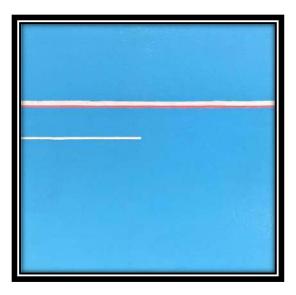
"Pull Up a Chair", acrylic



"Summer Breeze 4", acrylic

## **TIFFANY MONK**

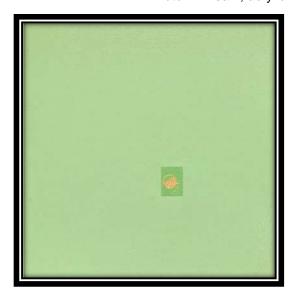
Born in Northern Ontario, Tiffany Monk has shown her work in Texas. Australia, Vancouver, and Toronto. Over the years she has worked with acrylic paint on paper, canvas and wood panel, sculpture, rug hooking and illustration, but currently is focusing on beaded work. Unlike traditional bead work, she creates beaded paintings by sewing each individual bead onto canvas or other fabric. The main purpose is to make bold yet interpretive pieces that are not only visually appealing but also tactile. After spending 20 years in Toronto, she decided to move to Muskoka where she works in the medical field and spends time in her private studio.



"Lake Sky", acrylic



"Autumn Peak", acrylic



"Moonquake", acrylic

## TOM CLARK

Tom has lived in Muskoka for fifty years and on Lake Waseosa for most of it. After retiring from teaching at the high school in Huntsville, he rekindled an interest in painting. A few summer courses at the Haliburton School of Art and Design allowed him to develop his style within of "loose impressionistic genre watercolour." Surrounded by waterways, and tree, Tom has all the inspiration he needs, in all four seasons, to render what he sees through the magic of his chosen medium. He often mounts his paintings in "repurposed" frames keeping the cost of ownership to a minimum. They are "ready to hang." Lately he has experimented mounting his paintings without mats or glass. This involves using a watercolour wax to make the surfaces waterproof. The three paintings in Square Foot North show are examples of this. Tom hopes you feel a personal connection to some of these images and enjoy looking at them as much as he has creating them. Sale enquiries may be made Instagram or by calling 705-783-5489.

IG: @tomclarkwatercolour



"There is Mystery in This Place", watercolour



"Sugar Shack", watercolour



"Blueberry Island", watercolour