

# **Newsletter June 2015**

Hello members

# May update

Wasn't May a great month at KAS!

Claire Spencer came and demonstrated with pastels and on appraisal night she bought back the finished piece. Great work Claire!

Thank you goes to two members for leading the work nights, Lucy Jolly for our figure drawing class, some really good ideas for proportions, and Lesley Connolly for leading the pastels night.

Work nights have really taken a turn for the better. If you haven't been for a while perhaps a visit would be a good idea.

Rod Edwards gave us an appraisal on our work in pastels and we had some really good pictures. He also bought along his own paintings for us to see. Thank you Rod.

# Moving on to June

This month we are working in Water Colour, the subject is still your choice.

**4th June** - We start off with a **demo by George Loades**. He is a member of the Birmingham Water Colour Society, Ludlow Art Club and The RBSA. He paints lovely landscapes and seascapes and is well worth coming to see. He will also bring some of his work along for us to view. George will be exhibiting with BWS this July/August at Hanbury Hall

**11th June** - Work night. Bring along your water colours and try some techniques out.

**18th June is BBQ night.** Tickets are free for members this year as we are celebrating our 85th year as an art society. If you still don't have a ticket and would like to come please collect it on 4th June or email me and I will keep you one. You can bring a guest along but they will pay £5.00 for their ticket. You must present your ticket to claim your food and all tickets will then go into a prize draw. If you want to bring a bottle of wine or some beer then remember to bring a glass !! A new sketch book will be presented to all members on the night. This looks like it's going to be a great night for everyone

# 25th June - Discussion Groups for appraisal

We are going to look at members work in groups and discuss and appraise the work in more depth with the artist explaining how they went about painting their subject and any problems they came across.

David Spurrier is organising a coach to visit the **RA Summer Exhibition in London on 15th July.** If you want to go please contact David on david.spurrier@btinternet.com **ASAP**The deadline for booking is WEDNESDAY 10th JUNE
Coach and exhibition £25.00
Coach only £16.00 depending on space availability

HAPPY PAINTING Shelley Waring

#### P.S.

Is there anyone available to assemble and man the camera for demo night? Please come forward and help if you can. With some of the committee members away on holiday I really need some help. Email me if you are willing. A big thank you !!!!