

PLEIN AIR PAINTING

Wetlands Art Day is presented by Clark County Wetlands Park and Commissioner Jim Gibson. Most activities are located at the Nature Center, with artists invited to paint *en plein air* throughout the Park.

FAQ

Q: Is there an entry fee to participate?

A: Participation is free, but you do need to sign in.

Q: When should I arrive?

A: Artists can sign in between 9 am and 2 pm. Other event activities are 10 am to 2 pm.

Q: Are supplies provided?

A: Artists should bring all of their own supplies for *plein air* painting.

Q: Do I have to leave by 2 pm?

A: You can stay and paint after the event ends but be sure to sign in by 2 pm.

Q: Do I have to paint in watercolor?

A: No, other media are welcome. Do not dump paint, solvents, or anything else on the ground or into the water. Cleaning should be done offsite.

Q: Do I have to work in the Nature Preserve?

A: No, you can paint anywhere in Wetlands Park.

Q: When is the Exhibit?

A: The 4th Annual Plein Air Invitational Exhibit is scheduled for May – June 2026. Awards will be presented for Best in Show and Honorable Mention, thanks to Clark County Public Arts.

Q: Do I have to complete my painting on Saturday to submit it for the Exhibit?

A: No, your work should be started/inspired during this event but does not need to be completed until the submission deadline, to be announced. Submitted artwork must be ready to hang.

Q: If I finish, can I submit my painting the same day?

A: No, you will receive an invitation with submission details and dates. Please do not leave your work behind.

Q: I still have questions.

A: Please call (702)455-7522 or email wetlands@clarkcountynv.gov.