

Eileen Stevenson

Eileen Stevenson was born in London, Ontario and moved to Ottawa at a young age where her interest in art developed over a number of years. Her formal training began with nationally known artists as the Buckhorn School of Art, Loyalist College, St. Lawrence College, Algonquin College and numerous artist workshops. Hours of study and experimentation have led to some self taught techniques and her interest in photography also plays an important part in the development of ideas for her paintings.

Eileen has taught workshops in drawing, coloured pencil, and perspective. She currently teaches watercolours, from her home, where students are encouraged to develop their own style using new and innovative techniques, enabling them to progress at their own pace. She admires the work of Terrance Andrews, Brian Atyeo, Carl Brenders, Gordon Harrison, Garnet Hazard and Arleta Pech.

Artist's Statement:

“As an artist, I try to preserve the beauty of wildlife, people, and the things that surround us every day. As I explore this creative process, my hope is that viewers will be moved and appreciate the experience in their own unique way.”

Memberships:

- Art Lending of Ottawa
- Kanata Art Club
- Nepean Fine Arts League (NFAL)
- Ottawa Art Association (OAA)
- Ottawa Watercolour Society
- West Carleton Art Society (WCAS)

Awards:

- “Experimental Garden”, Honourable Mention, NFAL, Members’ Night Exhibition
- “Exotic Three”, Best in Show, Orchid Society Show
- “Pansy Face Orchid”, Third Place, Orchid Society Show
- “Stained Glass Slipper”, First Place, Orchid Society Show
- “Up the Garden Path”, Honourable Mention, NFAL, Members’ Night Exhibition

Exhibitions:

- Art Lending of Ottawa, 2005 to present
- Nepean Creative Arts Centre, “NFAL Gallery”, 2003 to present
- NFAL, Clothesline Fair, 1998 – 2005
- NFAL, Nepean Museum Show 2005 to present
- NFAL, Spring Art Sale, 2009 to present
- NFAL, Winter Art Sale, 2002 – 2008
- Orchid Society Show, 2003 to present
- OAA, Ottawa Little Theatre, 1999 – to present
- St. Marks Church Art Sale, 1994 to present
- St. Stephen Church Art Sale, 2009
- WCAS, Expression of Art Show, 2007 to present