Björklunden Seminars

"Vacation with a purpose" SEPT. 29 - OCT. 2, 2024 AT BJÖRKLUNDEN



Watercolor: A Fresh Start Immersive

Course Description

Watercolor: A Fresh Start Immersive is designed for absolute beginners as well as for those who have had some experience painting with watercolor but need a refresher to gain the confidence to start again.

Explore the fall at Björklunden while enjoying this opportunity to learn or relearn watercolor from an artist passionate about the medium while enjoying a supportive and friendly learning environment.

Participants will explore basic traditional approaches to watercolor painting as well as fresh and experimental wet-into-wet watercolor techniques.

Immersive course includes class time in the afternoon following lunch. After experiencing the two-and-ahalf-day immersion, participants will go home with the skills and tools to keep on painting.

*\$35 materials fee



Instructor



Helen Klebesadel

Klebesadel was a tenured member of the Lawrence University faculty, teaching studio art and gender studies from 1990 to 2000. She has continued to offer her summer Björklunden watercolor seminars annually since that time.

Klebesadel served as director of the University of Wisconsin System Women's and Gender Studies Consortium (2000–2018) and as director of the Wisconsin Regional Arts Program (2013–2017). She is known as an engaging teacher and for her evocative and highly detailed narrative watercolors.

Klebesadel maintains an art studio in Madison and exhibits her paintings nationally and internationally. She has been invited to teach watercolor and creativity workshops from Texas to Alaska.

Klebesadel is a past member of the Wisconsin Arts Board and a past-president of the national Women's Caucus for Art. Learn more about her artwork and exhibition schedule at klebesadel.com.