

The Art Studio at Max Mays Refuge

Summer 2026 Newsletter

2082 Victory Hwy. Coventry, RI 02816



Wednesdays Walk & Watercolor

9:30am-1pm

Watercolorist, Aileen Quinn shares painting process, ideas and fun lessons. Walk at 9:30 painting begins at 10:30 all levels welcome. \$30 each or \$100 for series of 4.



'Studio Soiree'

Friday, June 12th
5-8pm

Local Artists & Musicians gather for an evening of Artist Open Studio. Bring your supplies & work together while listening to a relaxing piece of music casually performed.

The Fresh Palette is Open for 2026

The Art Studio Season is in full swing! Beginning its 3rd season with artists, crafters and those seeking a day of creative respite watching the unfolding beauty of a long awaited spring and summer! Our natural setting is at the ASRI's Maxwell Mays Wildlife Refuge at 2082 Victory Hwy in Coventry, RI 02816. All workshops & events can be registered for in advance: Contact Aileen: 401-440-7520 aileenmquinn.com aileenquinn1306@gmail.com <https://>



Creative Gatherings

Celebrate the milestones of life with art workshops tailored to meet your artistic ideas, events and schedule.





Watercolor Class Schedule 2026

Beginners & Intermediate always welcome!!

Register at 401-440-7520 or
aileenquinn1306@gmail.com

'Walk & Watercolor' 9:30am -1pm \$30
Wednesday mornings weekly

Evenings '4th Wednesdays' 6-8pm \$40
June 24, July 22, Aug 26, Sept 23, Oct 28

Afternoons '2nd Tuesdays' 1:30-4:30pm \$50
June 9, July 14,
Aug 4 (First Tuesday) Sept 8, Oct. 13th



Plein Air Painting Workshop

Saturday 6/13 1-7 pm

En plein air is French for "in the open air," referring to the practice of painting outdoors on-site capture natural light.

Artist, Carol Shelton will walk us through an introduction of outdoor painting . A short lecture will be followed by a demonstration before spending time painting in the field.

\$75 (Rain date: Sunday, June 14th)



3-D Needle Felting

Thursday 6/25
5-8pm

Fiber Artist, Gail Mitchell Slezak will guide us through the process of needle felting as we create a sweet 3-D bird.

All materials provided.
\$40



Bagels & Brushes

Saturdays. 9am-1pm

Call ahead to reserve your spot! Bring your work to share while creating along side other artists in the studio!...Or plan to spend time on the refuge painting 'en plein air' using the studio as your home base. Bring your own materials. \$10 Let us know if you plan to go....
401-440-7520. See you there!



'DATE COMING SOON!'

'Foraging Hike & Dinner on the refuge at the studio with Brett Mayette, 'Conscious Cuisine'