

# ROOT STUDIO SCHOOL WINTER TERM 2016



**STUDIO PAINTING AND DRAWING**  
**OPEN PAINTING AND DRAWING**  
**PORTRAIT PAINTING**  
**HAPPY 2016 LET'S GET PAINTING!**

**Winter Term Classes begin January 14th**

To register, write us at [rootstudioschool@gmail.com](mailto:rootstudioschool@gmail.com) or call (423) 302-8960 or (423) 753-8398.

**2016 Workshops, Demonstrations, Exhibition and Art Camp schedule on pages 4 – 6.**



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## **Studio Painting and Drawing** (Johnson City Studio)

**(10 week session) Thursday morning classes 9 – 12 pm Class begins January 14, 2016**

Level – Beginners to Advanced *Classes are designed for adults, but serious teen students are welcome.* **9:00 -12:00 (3 hour) Thursday Mornings \$300. (drop-ins 35. per class – call to see if there is space available.**

This course is designed to help the student become a skilled practitioner of freehand drawing and basic oil painting. Participants will work on upright easels, drawing from still life, casts, drapery and reproductions of master drawings, and will be instructed in various aspects of drawing such as likeness, light and shade, line, tone, massing, form, space, perspective and design. Painting is taught starting with limited palette and progressing to full color. Independent study is also an option in this class time.

Instructor : Tom Root

*Drawing Materials: vine charcoal: 1 pkg. hard, 1 pkg. soft; sandpaper block; kneaded rubber eraser; chamois; backing board; Canson Ingres charcoal paper, full sheets, white and gray; sketchbook; soft drawing pencils.*

*Oil painting materials will be recommended to individual students based on instructor's assessment. Please contact instructor at [rootstudioschool@gmail.com](mailto:rootstudioschool@gmail.com).*

Studio and Portrait classes are taught by Tom Root in his north light studio upstairs in the Miller Artz Building across from Hands On Museum on Main in Johnson City. Class schedules are subject to possible adjustments for work and workshop schedules.

## **Open Painting and Drawing** Friday Afternoon (Jonesborough Studio)

General painting and drawing instruction. Students may work on class assignments (as in the Thursday studio drawing and painting class) or on their own projects. Classes are designed for adults, but serious teen students are welcome.

**\$300. for a ten week term. 1:30 pm – 4:30 pm starting Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>.** Instructor: Tom Root

139 ½ East Main Street ( storefront ) Jonesborough, Tennessee, 37659 *Class schedules are subject to possible adjustments for work and workshop schedules.*



## Portrait Painting and Drawing      Johnson City Studio

Friday Mornings 9 – 12 (10 week session) begins Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Students will paint and draw the portrait from the live model. The instructor will demonstrate and discuss aspects of the portrait, including achieving a likeness, posing, lighting, design, and various historic painting methods -- all in the context of understanding the portrait's history and future potential as fine art. Basic drawing and painting skills will also be taught.

**Instructor: Tom Root**

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Ten Week term \$300. Model fee - \$70. Space is limited; sign up early!



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February

Feb. 6<sup>th</sup> 2 – 5 pm **Portrait Painting Demonstration** – Tom Root  
Root Studio School , 139 ½ East Main Street, Jonesborough, Tennessee, 37659

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March

**Peggy Root Exhibition “Love of Place”**

22 March – 24 April opening 24 March  
David Lusk Gallery, 516 Hagan St., Nashville, Tennessee

April

April 2 2 – 5 pm **Portrait Painting Demonstration** – Tom Root  
(Jonesborough Studio)

April 30<sup>th</sup> 1 – 4 pm **“Catching the Sky”** Peggy Root, Instructor  
Saturday Afternoon Landscape Painting Workshop (Jonesborough Studio)

May

May 9 - 13<sup>th</sup> **Light, Life, Atmosphere** 9 – 4 Monday - Friday

Join us for our expansive painting intensive at the beautiful McKinney Center in Historic Jonesborough.



*“A wonderful enrichment workshop for artists – drawing, painting, compositional exercises incorporating still life, plein air and figurative lessons along with art history and discussion – highly recommended to artists of all levels!”*

Tom and Peggy Root combine their knowledge and years of experience to teach an intensive immersion workshop to benefit all levels of artists - from beginners to art majors and professionals wanting to refresh their inspiration or to shore up their foundational skills. There are 6 lessons/focus points for the week (a new set-up each year), starting from simple exercises in color, light and form to painting a more complex figurative "environment." Lessons will be directed for oil painting, but participants may work in the medium of their choice. This five-day workshop is \$500 (model fee included). A \$250 deposit with registration will hold your spot in the workshop. For more information and a supply list, call (423) 302-8960 or (423) 753-8398 or write us at [rootstudioschool@gmail.com](mailto:rootstudioschool@gmail.com) . Accommodation list, discounts and local tourist information available for out-of-towners.

## June 12 – 18 **Painting the Old Town**

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Five - Day Intensive Outdoor Landscape Painting Workshop for details see: [www.rootstudioschool.com](http://www.rootstudioschool.com)



Join us for a week of painting and camaraderie in this five-day intensive workshop in charming and beautiful Jonesborough, Tennessee's oldest town. Painters of all levels are welcome to participate. Price of the workshop is \$400. One half of tuition (200.) reserves your spot in the workshop. For more information and to register, call (423) 302-8960 or (423)753-8398 or send us an email at [rootstudioschoo@gmail.com](mailto:rootstudioschoo@gmail.com). Accommodations list, discounts on lodging and local tourist information available for out-of-towners.

## June 6 – 10 **ART CAMP 2016 !** Sign up early, please, as space is limited!



Taught by professional artists Tom and Peggy Root at Root Studio School in Jonesborough, Tennessee. This summer camp is designed as a fun and relaxed environment to stimulate your child's interest in art and art history. Morning session (9 – 12) designed for ages 8 – 11 years .Afternoon session (1:30 – 4:30) designed for ages 12 – 16 years. \$200. for 5 days/classes - supplies included. Sibling discounts are available. Please register early - Space is limited as we keep classes small.

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## Mark Your Calendars for these Upcoming Painting Workshops...

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### July – August 2016

### Workshops and Residency in Old Lyme, Connecticut



*A College of the*  
University of New Haven

Peggy's Residency: August 8 – 12 (five-day plein air workshop)

#### **OLD LYME, REVISITED – Peggy Root**

Tom's Residency: August 10 – 12 (three-day portrait/figure workshop)

#### **PAINTING WHAT MATTERS – Tom Root**

Tom's Lecture: Tuesday, August 9

Peggy's Lecture: Thursday, August 11

Tom and Peggy Root Exhibition July 14 – August 13

For more information, see:

<http://www.lymeacademy.edu/index.php/community-engagement/artist-residencies-summer-2016/>



And...join us this fall for our five-day "intensive" landscape workshops working en plein air in the beautiful mountains of northeast Tennessee.

**Painting Water** Sept. 12 -16, 2015 (tentative date)  
Landscape Painting Workshop with Peggy Root

**Painting Color** October 17 - 21, 2015 (tentative date)  
Landscape Painting Workshop with Peggy Root

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