

# ROOT STUDIO SCHOOL WINTER TERM



**WINTER TERM 2013** begins **January 24<sup>th</sup>**. Registration is now open. Call (423) 302-8960 or (423) 753-8398, or write [rootstudioschool@gmail.com](mailto:rootstudioschool@gmail.com) for more information and registration details.

Basic Drawing/Basic Oil Painting

Portrait Painting and Drawing

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Open Studio/Special Projects

Saturday Afternoon Workshop

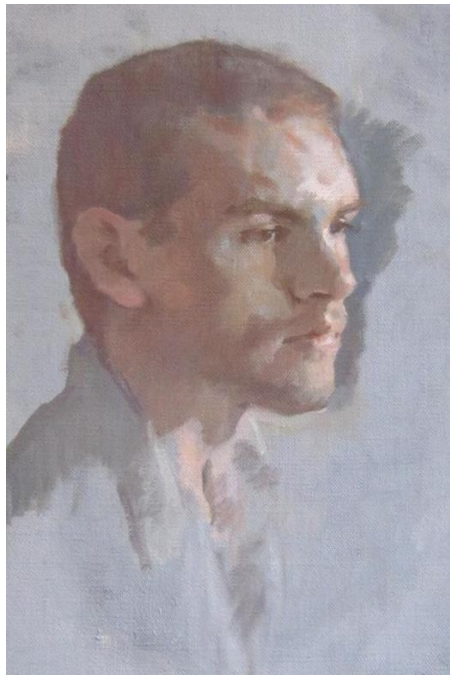
First Fridays in Johnson City

(RSS will be open for First Friday in February)

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## Portrait Painting and Drawing

(10 week session) Begins Jan. 25

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

**Friday Mornings (3 hour) 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.**

Ten Weeks \$300. Model fee - \$70.

Space is limited; sign up early. Class begins January 25th.

## Basic Drawing/Basic Oil Painting (10 week session)

Thursday morning or Saturday morning class (begins January 24 and 26)

Drawing is an essential skill for the visual artist (painter, illustrator, digital animator, etc.). This course is designed to help the student become a skilled practitioner of freehand drawing. Participants will work on upright easels, drawing from still life, plaster 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. Students will also be encouraged to keep a sketchbook for on-the-spot drawing. Basic oil painting will also be taught to those interested, starting with limited palette and progressing to full color. Instructor: Tom Root

**Basic Drawing (2 hour) 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Ten weeks (Sat. or Thurs.) \$200.**

**Basic Painting (3 hour) 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Ten weeks (Sat. or Thurs.) \$300.**

*Class schedules are subject to possible adjustments for work and workshop schedules.*

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## Open Studio/Special Projects

Looking for a quiet place to work? Studio space is available per hour. We also accommodate special requests, social "art parties" for groups and art clubs. Send us an email with your ideas and we will do our best to work something out for you! Thank you for your interest in the Root Studio School.

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## Landscape Painting Workshops

We are planning some exciting workshops for 2013. Announcements and details for the **May and June – Intensive Landscape Painting Workshops** as well as the **March Saturday Afternoon Workshop** will be posted in mid-January.

## February 8, 2013 Painting Sky (Saturday Afternoon Workshop)

In response to many requests, we are offering a series of short, one afternoon, workshops on single topics during the winter months. We will meet at the (warm) studio school for a discussion of particular painting techniques, a coffee and cookie break and then painting practice! These workshops will run 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm on Saturdays - once a month. \$75. per person, art supplies not included. Call or write to reserve your spot. You are welcome to bring along your landscape work for an informal critique.



*Thank you for a lovely year at Root Studio School.  
Wishing you a wonderful 2013!*