

PJ's (Plein Janes/Joes) LAA Plein Air Painters – September 2024

The 2024 painting season has been so well received. Thank you friends of Plein Air for opening up your homes to us. Please know we will not put private location information on the LAA Calendar. Location for those sites is in this document. We suggest you print or save the document in a plein air file for easy finding. 😊

The Nederland (16artists) fieldtrip was great. Nice to get out of the heat. Thank you Laura, Dororthy, Ani, and Cheryl for organizing and hanging the pieces painted from that day at a local restaurant.

We will paint from 9:00-12:00 unless otherwise specified. At the private locations, PLEASE, don't arrive early. PJ's is free and welcomes all levels of painters, sketchers, photographers. Come join us.

September 4: S. Public Road Trailhead on Coal Creek

110 Old Laramie Trail East, Lafayette

Directions From Louisville take South Boulder Road to S. Public Road(also known as 287) Turn south on S. Public Rd (Hwy 287), Go past Clinica Family Health and the trail head is west of S. Public Rd. If you come to the roundabout, you've gone too far. There is plenty of shade, picnic tables, and bathrooms. The Lafayette Collective Gallery has a call for entries regarding Coal Creek. This would work for this.



September 11: Carol Tuttle's Friend, Amy Wildgrube, invited us to paint at her home. Gorgeous views, street, flora and fauna(if we're lucky). Bathroom we can use. **Again please don't arrive early.**
For parking you may want to carpool.



September 15: (Sunday) Lafayette Open Space will hold the 11th annual “Celebrating Migratory Birds” festival at Waneka Lake / Greenlee Wildlife Preserve on September 15, 1-3 p.m. We have been invited again to paint at the Lafayette Migratory bird Day. Here is the information on that event. Explore the wonderful world of birds in a beautiful place! See live birds of prey up close and view birds in the wild through spotting scopes and binoculars. Learn about migration, marshes and the role avian friends play in our lives. The main bird viewing will be at the north side of the lake. Parts of the Waneka Lake trail, the boathouse area and the east parking lot will feature local organizations with great activities and displays to entertain and educate. This year, a station with exhibitors and story activities by the Lafayette Library will be set up at the playground area on the south side of Waneka Lake as well.

September 18: Melanie’s studio/farm – 7873 Saint Vrain Road Longmont 80503. Her studio is at the end of the driveway to the back of the residence. **Please have everyone park in the gravel sections.** If there are a lot of cars, you can park on the street and walk in. There are quite a few spots in the gravel though. She will have her garage door up. Easy to find. There are friendly dogs that may initially bark. They roam free as well as chickens. There is a shared bathroom. **Please don’t arrive earlier than 9.**

There are two pastures, outbuilding studios, a large yellow barn, a chicken coop and the residence house.



September 25: Brunner Farmhouse in Broomfield – 640 Main St, Broomfield
The Brunner Farmhouse is located on the northeast corner of Midway Boulevard and Main Street in Broomfield. It is surrounded by “the Field,” a designated open space area.



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