

# EVENTS & PROGRAMS

## Stephanie Schirm – Cold Wax & Oil Abstract Landscape » Saturday May 6, 10am – 4pm

In this workshop you'll be taught how to approach the subject of landscape with cold wax and oils. Working from photos, students will be guided through different approaches, to create an abstract landscape. This course is ideal for beginner, intermediate or advanced students. The cost is \$80, all materials are included.

To register for a workshop please email:  
[dchurchill@haltonhills.ca](mailto:dchurchill@haltonhills.ca)

## Drawing in the Gallery

Connect with local artists and hone your figure drawing skills with these free, self-directed sessions: Wednesday afternoons from 1 – 3pm in the Helson Gallery running until May 31, and restarting back up in the Fall.



## Plein Air Painting Challenge »

Saturday, June 3

Want to participate? Please visit [haltonhills.ca/callforartists](http://haltonhills.ca/callforartists) for more details and to register.



Receive updates about Helson Gallery exhibitions, programs and other Cultural Services news by subscribing to the Create Halton Hills Newsletter. Opt-in by visiting [haltonhills.ca/culture](http://haltonhills.ca/culture)



## Halton Hills Library & Cultural Centre

Located in the heart of Downtown Georgetown  
9 Church Street, Georgetown, ON L7G 2A3  
[haltonhills.ca/gallery](http://haltonhills.ca/gallery)

Monday . . . . . Closed  
Tuesday . . . . . Closed  
Wednesday . . . . . 9:30 am – 5:00 pm  
Thursday . . . . . 9:30 am – 5:00 pm  
Friday . . . . . 9:30 am – 5:00 pm  
Saturday . . . . . 9:30 am – 5:00 pm  
Sunday . . . . . 1:00 – 5:00 pm

Please note the gallery is staffed by volunteers and hours are subject to their availability. The Gallery and Cultural Centre are closed on Sundays during July and August.

## CONTACT US

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# ON VIEW

## SPRING/SUMMER 2023



Peter Palermo; Bon Eco Provincial Park  
Acrylic on canvas

## IN THE HELSON GALLERY

### Locally Grown: Further Afield April 19 – June 18



Milly Tseng; *Autumn in Island Lake Conservation*, Acrylic on canvas

This annual Locally Grown exhibition features local artists exploring the theme Further Afield. Now that the world has opened since the pandemic, travel has become more common. That might mean travelling more within your own community, town, province, country or even further abroad. Come see how artists have interpreted this theme, whether it be expressed literally, emotionally, or imaginatively.

### Halton Black History Awareness Society: Emancipation Art Exhibition June 21 – August 27

For this year's annual Emancipation Art Exhibition, artists were invited to submit work to be juried in both the Helson Gallery and Sisnett Lobby. This exhibition aims to educate the public about black history and celebrate the freedom that came with Emancipation. Come out for the opening reception on June 25th from 2-4pm where selected artists will be awarded prizes for artworks that best reflect and articulate the Black Experience.



## IN THE SISNETT LOBBY

### The Artistic Viewpoint April 11 - April 30

SOVA (Southern Ontario Visual Artists) are an award-winning group of artists who exhibit nationally and internationally. The show features work in a variety of media by Robert Chisholm, Lynden Cowan, Helen Duplassie, Joanne Lomas, Daureen Murphy, Charlene Nickels, Margaret Pardy, Sherry Park, Lynne Schumacher, Steve Wilson, Michelle Eissler and Janice Ykema.



Michelle Eissler; *In the Fields*, oil on canvas

### Forms, Faces & Spaces, *figuratively speaking!* May 1 - May 28 (lower lobby)



In association with the Scotiabank CONTACT Festival, this exhibition is on view at two satellite locations – in the lower Lobby of the Library & Cultural Centre and the Falls Gallery in the Alton Mill Arts Centre. This show explores a universal theme across cultures and time, that of our fascination with faces, people in their own spaces, and the landscapes that surround us. Stay tuned for exciting announcements about events happening during the exhibition.

### Annual Halton Hills Youth Week Art Exhibit May 1 – 26 (upper lobby)

As part of the Town of Halton Hills celebration of Youth Week, this showcase of talent features local youth artists grades 7 – 12.

### Plein Air Exhibition June 3 – June 19 (upper lobby)

This exhibition showcases the art created during the Plein Air Event held at the Cultural Centre on June 3rd. Artists are challenged to produce an artwork in just 3 hours in and around the Georgetown Farmer's Market. Artworks are juried and awards are presented directly following the event.

### Indigenous Art Exhibition May 29 – July 2 (lower lobby)

In celebration of indigenous month, indigenous art from the Town of Halton Hills Art Collection will be on display.



Roy Thomas (1949 – 2004, Ojibwe), *Teacher of the Ways*, Silkscreen on paper. Gift of Dave and Dale Cox

### Marjorie Nazer July 3 – August 27 (lower lobby)



This exhibition explores the art of Marjorie Nazer (1906-1982) who was an artist and librarian that worked for the Halton Hills Library from 1962 to 1974.

Marjorie Nazer, *Untitled*  
Watercolour and gouache