

Painting Realistic Pets & Animals in Pastel

Saturday and Sunday, July 19-20, 2014

Lisa Ober will be conducting a two-day, hands-on workshop sharing her experience creating pastel pet portraits. Lisa's step-by-step approach to teaching pastel portraiture insures that when you complete this workshop you will know how to develop a pet portrait from the first sketch through signing the painting and framing.

Lisa will provide great tips for photographing pets in order to get the most flattering reference poses. She will talk through the secrets to creating absolutely pet-able fur whether you enjoy painting cats, dogs, or other furry critters. She will address the special issues of painting dimension with all black or all white fur, a common challenge. She will also show you how to make incredibly life-like eyes. Whether you are a novice at creating pastel portraits or have a lifetime of experience you will gain a wealth of insights and ideas as Lisa shows you all the "tricks" of the trade she has mastered through thirty years of portrait painting. Every student will have the opportunity to paint a pet pastel portrait with plenty of Lisa's personal guidance and encouragement.

The workshop will be limited to 16 artists so everyone will receive plenty of personal guidance from Lisa. She will provide the U-art paper. You need to provide your own pastels, a ground cloth and easel. We have tables if you prefer to work flat. We will be working from a photograph, which we will provide. It's a two-day workshop at Paint St Louis Studios, and include snacks, and Diane's famous healthy lunches both days. Price for the workshop will be \$340.

Lisa is a signature member of the Pastel Society of America. Her work has been featured in the Pastel Journal and has received a top award for the 2014 Pastel 100, an annual international pastel competition. She is also an official demo artist for UART Sanded Pastel Paper.

To learn more about Lisa's and see more pet portraits, view her website www.lisaober.com

WHEN: Saturday & Sunday, July 19-20, 2014 9:00AM - 4:00PM,
Arrive between 8:00 and 8:30 to set up your pastels.

WHERE: Paint St Louis Studios, 1926 Allen Avenue, St Louis, MO 63104

COSTS: \$340 includes, snacks and lunch. Workshop fee is refundable, less \$50, up to July 1st, after that date it will be refunded only if someone takes your place. Make sure you include your telephone number and e-mail address. A supply list, a description of the workshop agenda and directions to the Paint St Louis Studios will be sent to you by July 5th. If you are coming from out of town we can provide you with a list of hotels, and Bed & Breakfasts within a few minutes of the workshop location.

Registration Form:

Your payment is required to hold your space. Use this form to register by check.

You can also register using PayPal or a Credit Card by going to:
http://www.paintstlouis.org/Lisa_Ober_Portrait_Pastel_Workshop.htm

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

e-mail address: _____

Make Checks payable to Paint St Louis and mail to: Paint St Louis
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