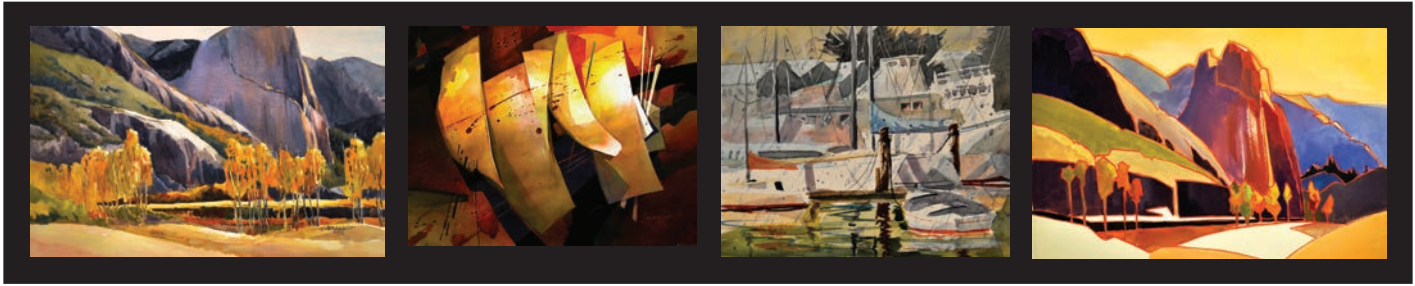


# MIKE BAILEY WORKSHOP

October 9 – 13, 2017 – Museum of the Shenandoah Valley  
901 Amherst St. Winchester VA 22601 – Tuition \$425 Deadline: September 11, 2017



The Virginia Watercolor Society is pleased to announce that the 38th Annual Exhibition Juror, Mike Bailey, will be teaching a 5-day water media workshop, from Monday, October 9 through Friday, October 13. Workshop hours will be from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday through Thursday; and Friday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.

### **A maximum of 20 artists will be admitted to the workshop.**

A supply list, map and hotel recommendations will be provided upon acceptance. A waiting list will be maintained in case of cancellations. Refunds will be provided only if there is a replacement for reservation cancellations.

Classwork is based upon introducing an understanding and fluency with the elements and relationships of design. Daily informative and revealing lectures, demonstrations and painting challenges will get you unstuck and looking forward to creating new and different artwork. Among the subjects covered in this workshop, you will be introduced to:

- Using a subject to begin a personal design
- Understanding harmonies of color, value & shape
- Raising mundane subjects to make extraordinary paintings
- Truly understanding the meaning of painting relationships
- Developing the means to seriously critique your own work
- Learning what your “style” really is . . . you may be surprised.

For further information or questions, contact Mary Fetter:  
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Mike Bailey, our juror, a signature member of AWS, and NWS, is a nationally known instructor and award winning watercolorist. During his career in marketing, he rediscovered his earlier love of painting. In 1988, he began painting daily and soon his hobby of painting turned into a passion.

Mr. Bailey has served as President of the National Watercolor Society and has received high awards for his work in the NWS exhibitions. An honor of which he is very proud is his acceptance into the International Biennial Watercolor Competition in Shanghai China. He currently resides in his hometown of Santa Cruz.

Mike Bailey is a high energy, enthusiastic teacher whose message is “Going Beyond the Obvious”. In his five day workshop you will awaken creative senses, excite your mind and learn to reach beyond the obvious to new, highly personal painting statements.

View Mr. Bailey’s gallery of art work, lively blog and other information at [www.mebaileyart.com](http://www.mebaileyart.com).

**REGISTRATION:** Please download the Workshop Registration Form from the VWS website. Complete the registration form and mail it with your check to the address indicated in the box below.

<https://virginiawatercolorssociety.org/ExhibitionForms/index.cfm>

## Mike Bailey Workshop Registration Form

**Registration Deadline: Sept. 11, 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Enclose a check in the amount of \$425.00 payable to: VWS Exhibition 2017.

Mail check with registration form to: VWS Exhibition 2017, c/o Mary Fetter, 212 Woodcrest Drive, Winchester, VA 22603.