

DETAILS

MISSOURI, OKLAHOMA, ARKANSAS

2017 TRI-STATE WOCP CONVENTION

March 30, 31 & April 1, 2017

HOTEL ROOMS: Nightly rate of \$82 includes a full hot breakfast. Call 417-866-5253 or 888-532-4338 and mention WOCP for this rate. Free airport shuttle is available with reservation. Calling well in advance will allow time for us to increase the number of rooms blocked at this rate if necessary.

MEALS: The onsite restaurant is too small to accommodate our group during lunch hour, so we are offering the Box Lunches prepared by their award winning chef included in the package deal. **THE BOX LUNCHES MUST BE RESERVED IN ADVANCE WITH THE HOSPITALITY PACKAGE AND WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE AT THE SHOW.** Lunch includes your choice of meat with lettuce and tomato on a hoagie roll, chips, cookies and bottled water. **SEPARATE BANQUET MEALS FOR SPOUSES OR OTHER GUESTS MUST ALSO BE RESERVED IN ADVANCE WITH THIS REGISTRATION AND WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE AT THE SHOW.**

PAINT-INS: Classes will be limited to 10 students and assignments will be made according to earliest postmark on paid registrations returned.

COMPETITIONS: Each of the three host states will conduct its own Museum competition for its members, and there will be Themed Contests open to anyone with the following rules:

RULES FOR THEMED CONTESTS

1. Any member of WOCP regardless of state membership may enter one piece in each of the 4 themed contests and will pay \$5 entry fee for each piece.
2. There will be separate contests for professional and nonprofessional painters. Professional is defined as anyone who sells painted work and/or teaches.
3. The winner in each contest will receive ½ of the total entry fees for that category.
4. The 4 themes are:
 - FACES ACROSS MANY RIVERS (portraits)
 - FLORA ACROSS THE MILES (flowers and fruit)
 - CREATURES THROUGH THE WOODS (birds and animals)
 - CREATIVITY WITH NATURE'S TREASURES (special techniques)

BONUSES FOR ENTERING COMPETITIONS AND DISPLAYING ON CLUB TABLES: Throughout the convention there will be drawings for "Vendor Dollars" in increments of \$10 to \$100. These can be used for purchases from any vendor on the final day of the convention. Each person who attends will receive a ticket for the drawing, and anyone who enters the Museum competition and/or the Themed Contests will receive an additional ticket for each piece entered. Also, anyone who exhibits on a club table will receive an additional ticket. Each person may win only once and must be present on the show floor at the time of the drawing to win.

