

## MONHEGAN ISLAND WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP

with Paul Niemiec, Jr

June 13- June 19, 2020

For beginner/ intermediate level painters.

Class size limited to 10 participants

**Workshop Goal:** To nurture observational skills and use of the watercolor medium in a joyful process of self-expression. It is the intent to provide the participant with basic tools and approaches to painting in watercolor that encourage self-development. Watercolor is a beautiful, playful, spontaneous medium. Having fun in this workshop is important.



A demonstration and art discussion on the first day will get everybody going! We will be painting daily at various beautiful locations around this amazing island. **The schedule may change depending upon weather.**



**SATURDAY-** Arrive and settle in at the historic Island Inn. Meet up at 5pm for complimentary wine and hors d'oeuvres at the Island Inn to discuss the upcoming week .

**SUNDAY-** Workshop starts 9:00-12:00pm. Demonstration on the Inn's lawn. 1-5pm Painting also on the lawn.

**MONDAY-** 9:00-12:00pm Painting at the Hitchcox homestead.

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**TUESDAY-** . 9:00-12:00pm Demonstration and painting outside the Barnacle Café. 1-5pm Painting on the Island Inn property.

**WEDNESDAY** -9:00-12:00pm Painting together at the Lighthouse. (truck will transport equipment). Complimentary bag lunch from the Island Inn delivered to the Lighthouse. 1-3:30pm Painting at the Lighthouse.

**THURSDAY-** 9:00-12:00pm Painting in WinterWorks yard.

1-5pm Painting in WinterWorks yard.

**FRIDAY-** 9:00-12:00pm Painting at location of your choice. 12:00-1pm Group lunch at The Island Inn, my treat.

1-3pm Painting. Final critique and small painting exchange 3:30-5pm. Wine , cheese, and happiness .

**SATURDAY-** Participants depart Monhegan.





### Tuition and Payment:

Deposit: \$275 due by Feb 1, 2020

Final payment: \$275 due by April 1, 2020

Send payments to (check or money order):

Paul Niemiec, Jr. 8399 E. Mud Lake Rd, Baldwinsville, NY 13027

Please include a mailing or email address. A recommended materials/equipment list will be sent upon workshop enrollment.

**Workshop Cancellation Policy:** After balance is paid on April 1, 2020 there are no refunds for the total amount. It is recommended that you purchase travel insurance, which can protect you by refunding monies if you need to cancel your trip due to an emergency. If the workshop is cancelled by the instructor for some reason all payments will be refunded.

**Accommodations :** make reservations at The Island Inn ([www.islandinnmonhegan.com](http://www.islandinnmonhegan.com)) by calling 207-596-0371. Making room reservations at The Island Inn is the responsibility of each participant. Registrants can reserve rooms starting on January 2, 2020. A block of rooms of various types and pricing will be available at a 15% discount off low season rates on a first come, first serve basis.

The room rate includes a full breakfast. The 15% discount and buffet breakfast do not apply to those reserving rooms at the Artist Cottage, Zimmie's, since its room rates are already discounted by an average of 60% off the lowest hotel rates. Zimmie's does have a fully equipped kitchen and the Inn's full hot breakfast can be purchased separately.

### Getting to Monhegan Island

You can catch a people ferry (no cars) to Monhegan from New Harbor or Port Clyde, Maine. Parking is available at both sites.

**For schedule and rates:** **Hardy Boat Cruises ( New Harbor):** 1-800-278-3346, [www.hardyboat.com](http://www.hardyboat.com)

**Monhegan Boat Lines (Port Clyde):** 207-372-8848, [www.monheganboat.com](http://www.monheganboat.com)

**Balmy Days (Boothbay Harbor) :** 207-633-2284, [www.balmydaycruises.com](http://www.balmydaycruises.com)

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