

# Plein Air Gouache Workshop with aida

**DATE & TIME:** Saturday July 11, 2026, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. (Rain date Sunday July 12, 2026)

**LOCATION:** Farmstead Arts Center 450 King George Road, Basking Ridge, NJ 07920

**FEE:** Members: \$20.00 Non-Members: \$30.00 Limit: 12 attendees

**REGISTER:** [www.gswcs.org](http://www.gswcs.org)



**Beaumont de Pertuis  
en Provence**  
Gouache  
By aida

## **OPEN TO ALL LEVELS: Beginner, Intermediate and Advanced Artists.**

Paint under our shady trees with award winning Plein Air Artist, aida . Bring your easel, folding chair, sunscreen, bug spray, gouache gear & lunch. Be inspired by aida's gouache demonstration, then proceed to create a gouache plein air painting of your own. aida will be there to help you along the way.

**ABOUT aida:** Cuban born, aida immigrated to the US in 1968 and grew up in Elizabeth, NJ. She attended Rutgers, Mason Gross School of the Arts and NJ City University receiving her BFA in 1990.

aida's work was exhibited in several regional, national and international exhibits throughout the US and Tri-State area of NY, NJ and PA; the National Works on Paper 2024 exhibit held at Long Beach Island Foundation of Arts and Sciences NJ 2024; the 47th International Watermedia Exhibit at WASH-H in Houston, Texas 2023, receiving a Merit Award; the 22nd and 23rd National Adirondack Exhibit of American Watercolors 2023 and 2024.

aida has given workshops and demos for the Garden State Watercolor Society, Warren County Arts NJ and AOY Art Center, in Yardley, PA. She also taught a six-week sumi-e painting class at AOY Art Center. She paints in her home studio in High Bridge, NJ, where she has lived with her husband since 1997, having raised two daughters. For more information: [www.aidawatercolors.com](http://www.aidawatercolors.com)

## **ANY QUESTIONS? CONTACT:**

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### Plein Air Supply List

PLEIN AIR EASEL

GOUACHE PAINTS

Windsor Newton or any other professional grade gouache

Choose one group of two-complimentary colors:

Yellow and Violet

Orange and Blue

Red and Green

White

One other color of your choice

SYNTHETIC BRUSHES for Gouache:

1-inch flat brush

2-inch flat brush

½ inch flat brush

#8 round brush

#6 round brush

and any other synthetic watercolor or gouache brushes you have

Paper towel

Pencil

Plastic container for water

Large white palette for mixing colors

140lb cold press watercolor paper 16 x 20 or 18 x 24

Drawing Board to tape your paper onto

Blue painters masking tape

Lunch and Beverage

Water for hydrating

Folding Chair, Sunscreen, Hat and Bug Spray

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