# **AMERICA'S PARKS**

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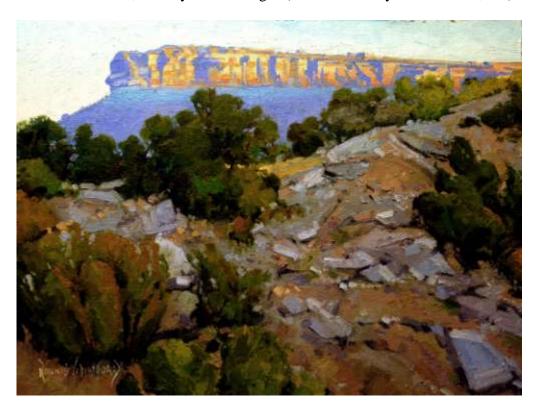
The 2013 AMERICA'S PARKS exhibition is the first of three, with others to follow in 2014 and 2015. AMERICA'S PARKS will premiere on March 17, 2013 at The Ella Carothers Dunnegan Gallery of Art in Bolivar, MO, and then tour to The Roger Tory Peterson Institute, 15 miles from Chautauqua in western New York, and the Kenosha Public Museum, mid-way between Milwaukee and Chicago. Jurors for AMERICA'S PARKS I included: M. Stephen Doherty, Editor, *PleinAir*<sup>TM</sup> Magazine; Susan T. Fisher, Past President, American Society of Botanical Artists and former Director, Arizona-Sonora Desert Museum Art Institute; and Todd Wilkinson, Managing Editor, Wildlife Art Journal. The following are photos of artworks honored with awards in alphabetical order by name of award:

### **PARKS I AWARDS**



America's Parks Curator's Choice Award (above)
Alexandra Tyng, "Marsh at Round Pond" (Acadia National Park, ME)
(Highest Total Point Accumulation from Jurors)

Arizona-Sonora Desert Juror's Choice Award (below) Ronnie Williford, "Candy on the Ridge" (Palo Duro Canyon State Park, TX)



PleinAir™ Magazine Juror's Choice Award (below)
Aaron Schuerr, "Cold Creek Junction" (Yellowstone National Park, WY)



# Society of Animal Artist's Wildlife Art Award (below) Ezra Tucker, "Magpie Summer" (Rocky Mountain National Park, CO)



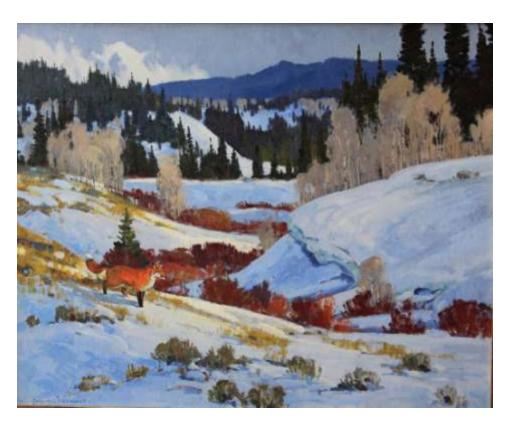
Susan Kathleen Black Foundation Floral Art Award (below) Rhonda Nass, "A Child's Fantasy Forest" / Mayapple (Dane County Festge Park, WI)



# Wildlife Art Journal Juror's Choice Award (below) Mark Susinno, "Lurking" (Delnor-Wiggins Pass State Park, FL)



Curator's Tribute (below) Gregory McHuron (1946-2012), "Movement?" (Grand Teton National Park, WY)



### **HONORABLE MENTION**

(in alphabetical order by last name of artist)

David Gallup: "The Space Between Worlds" (Leo Carrillo State Beach, CA)
Mary Garrish: "Harmony" (Canaveral National Seashore, FL)
Susan Elwart Hall: "Blue and Yellow" (Don Edwards, Bay Front Park, CA)
Bryan Haynes: "Above the Beyond" (Mark Twain National Park, MO)
Mary Helsaple: "Lark Sparrow in Limberbush" (Estero Soldato, Sonora, Mexico)
Jean Herman: "Sunset" (Bahia Honda State Park, FL)
Arayna Howard: "Delicate Arch Sunset" (Arches National Park, UT)
Evelyn McCorristin Peters: "Snow Blue and Green, Weir Farm" (National Historic Site, CT)
Anne Peyton: "Under A Watchful Eye" (Parago Park, AZ)
Mort Solberg: "Old Faithful" (Yellowstone National Park, WY)

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