

Daryl Reimer

Bartlesville Art Association will be hosting a drawing workshop, given by Tulsa artist, Daryl Reimer. It will be held Friday through Sunday at the Art Center in Johnstone Park, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., February 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup>

The workshop is titled, Classical Portrait Workshop - Graphite and Charcoal, and will be a classical approach to describing form with an emphasis on the quality of light. The work done will be useful to beginning and intermediate portrait artists. Interested students should not feel shy at all if they have little or no experience with faces or are new to drawing.

Some of the concepts to be covered will be: finding the likeness; blocking in and the first abstract shapes; ways to measure; understanding gestures and working them into the form; convexity of the human form; shading and quality of light; shapes, form and light on form; the basics of the physics of light; setting up lighting and observation and organization.

Daryl Reimer, a Vietnam Era Air Force Pilot, settled in Oklahoma in 1975 and has worked in the oil refining industry for 30 years. An engineering degree from Kansas State University and an MBA from the University of Oklahoma seem an unlikely beginning for an artistic journey, but they led Reimer to study at the Anthony Ryder Studio in Santa Fe and a passion to find more than just a “likeness” but to bring an emotional quality to his faces.

To be able to see and describe the “light” on the form and the “glow” of life with a brush or pencil is his objective and the heart of Reimer’s work.

The cost of Reimer’s three-day workshop will be \$200 for members and \$220 for non-members and there are limited numbers of student slots available. Once registered, students will receive a list of supplies they must purchase and bring to class. You may contact BAA workshop chairman, Dedra Morgan, 918-285-0660, for reservation or information on payments. Morgan can also be contacted at: [baaworkshops@gmail.com](mailto:baaworkshops@gmail.com)

Information and registration for all 2012 BAA workshops can be found online at:

[www.bartlesvilleartassociation.org/pages/workshops.html](http://www.bartlesvilleartassociation.org/pages/workshops.html)