

Artist CV - Olive Dodd

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Location: Salmon Arm, British Columbia, Canada

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Mediums: Soft Pastel & Watercolor

Signature Style: Realistic landscapes and wildlife inspired by the wilderness of Western Canada

Education & Training

- Ongoing mentorships with professional artists through Mastrius (2023–present)
 - Various online courses in pastel, watercolor, composition, and art business (2022–present)
 - College of New Caledonia – Diploma in Website Design
 - NAIT – Computer Programming & Technology
 - Trent University – Undergraduate studies in Science
 - McGill University – B.Ed. in Physical Education
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Selected Exhibitions

2025

- *Reedman Gallery*, Blind Bay Hall, Blind Bay, BC – Group Exhibition
- *Atelier Gallery*, Salmon Arm, BC – Group Exhibition
- *Notch Hill School Artisan Show*, Blind Bay, BC – Group Show

2024

- *Shop-a-Ganza*, Salmon Arm, BC – Artisan Market
- *Artistry at Blind Bay*, Blind Bay, BC – Group Show
- *Coastal Creations & Canvas Artisan Showcase*, Salmon Arm, BC – Group Exhibition

2023

- *Royal Purple Art & Craft Fair*, Salmon Arm, BC – Group Show

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- *Cedar Heights Art Show*, Blind Bay, BC – Group Exhibitions
 - *Festival of the Arts*, Blind Bay, BC – Community Art Show
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Selected Courses & Workshops (*Chronological highlights*)

- **2025:**
 - David Langevin – *Paint Tranquil & Transparent Water*
 - Jeff Boutin – *Selling the Art You Love*
 - Mentorships: Sally Walsh, Kim Eshelman
 - **2024–2025:**
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- Mentorships: Sharon Lynn Williams, Tricia Taylor
- Mastrius Winter Residency (Jan), Summer Residency (July)
- David Langevin – *Mastering Light & Color*
- Keiko Tanabe – *Impressions with Watercolor*
- Michael Chesley Johnson, Tom Christopher – Mentorships
- Stephen Fuller, Les Darlow – Online Workshops
- **2023–2024:**
 - Rebecca de Mendonca – Mentorship & Workshops
 - Sandra Orme, Julie Skoda, Julie Swan Walsh Ford – Online Workshops
- **2022–2023:**
 - Emma Colbert, Sue Kerrigan-Harris, Nina Squire – Online Workshops
 - Phil Davies – *Sketch Awesome, Draw Awesome*
 - David Shkolny – *Portraits in Pastel* (Red Deer Summer Arts)
 - Gaye Adams – Acrylic Workshop (in-person)
 - Terry Damm – Acrylic Workshops (in-person)

Memberships & Mentorships

- **Salmon Arm Artist Mastermind Group** – Member (2025–present)
- **Mastrius Mentorship Community** – Active participant (2023–present)
Ongoing mentorship with various professional artists in pastel and watercolor mediums.

Collections & Sales

- Artwork held in private collections in British Columbia
- Sales through local artisan shows and exhibitions