

# Clay Vorhes

Born: 1968, Sacramento, CA

Lives: Sacramento, CA

## Solo Exhibitions

- 2016 *Riverscapes and Waterways: Paintings*, Skidmore Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA  
*Clay Vorhes: Trapeze Paintings*, Morris Graves Museum of Art, Eureka, CA
- 2015 *Clay Vorhes: Trapeze*, Skidmore Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA  
*Clay Vorhes, Trapeze*, University Library Art Gallery, Cal State University, Sacramento, CA
- 2014 *Clay Vorhes, Trapeze*, Skidmore Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA  
*Clay Vorhes: Trapeze*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- 2011 *Clay Vorhes: Paintings and Recent Works on Paper*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- 2008 *Clay Vorhes: Pastels and Recent Oils*, MOJO, Sacramento, CA  
*Clay Vorhes: Mountainscapes*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA

## Group Exhibitions

- 2016 *15th Annual California Landscape Exhibition*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- 2015 Art Market San Francisco (Fair), Skidmore Contemporary Art, San Francisco, CA  
*A Work in Progress*, Skidmore Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA  
*Big Names, Small Art*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA  
*Annual Art Auction*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA
- 2014 *Summertime*, Skidmore Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA  
Art Market San Francisco (Fair), Skidmore Contemporary Art, San Francisco, CA  
Art Silicon Valley/San Francisco (Fair), Skidmore Contemporary Art, San Mateo, CA  
*Big Names, Small Art*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento CA  
*Annual Art Auction*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA  
*Degrees of Abstraction*, Skidmore Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA
- 2013 *Summertime*, Skidmore Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA  
*12th Annual California Landscape Exhibition*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*BARK*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA

- Art of Painting in the 21st Century*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Annual Student Exhibition*, American River College, James Kaneko Gallery, Sacramento, CA
- 2012 *Big Names, Small Art*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA  
*BARK*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Big Names, Small Art*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA  
*Works of the Students of American River College*, James Kaneko Gallery at American River College, Sacramento, CA  
*American River College Fine Arts Club Annual Art Exhibit*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA  
*11<sup>th</sup> Annual California Landscape Exhibition*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Art of Painting in the 21st Century*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Great California Paint Out*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Memory*, curated by Molly Knorr, Sacramento Temporary Contemporary, Sacramento, CA  
*Annual Student Exhibition*, James Kaneko Gallery at American River College, Sacramento, CA
- 2011 *10<sup>th</sup> Annual California Landscape Exhibition*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*ArtHamptons*, International Fine Art Show, Bridgehampton, NY  
*BARK*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Great California Paint Out*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Art of Painting in the 21st Century*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Painting Where the Wild Things Are 2011*, Sacramento Fine Arts Center, Carmichael, CA  
*Works of the Students of American River College*, James Kaneko Gallery at American River College, Sacramento, CA
- 2010 *9<sup>th</sup> Annual California Landscape Exhibition*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*11th Annual Dog and Cat Show*, Skinner Howard Contemporary Art, Sacramento, CA  
*American River College Fine Arts Club Annual Art Exhibit*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA  
*Painting Where The Wild Things Are 2010*, Sacramento Fine Arts Center Juried Exhibit, Honorable Mention by Juror Gregory Kondos. Traveled to Effie Yeaw Nature Center Gallery, Carmichael, CA
- 2009 *Art of the Bicycle*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*8<sup>th</sup> Annual California Landscape Exhibition*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*The Christmas Show*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Group*, Shiny Nickel Art Gallery, Sacramento, CA  
*Small Works*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- 2008 *7<sup>th</sup> Annual California Landscape Exhibition*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*All Creatures Great and Small*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA  
*Studio Sale*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA

- 2007 *Art Auction*, KVIE Public Television  
*Sacramento Valley Landscape Conference*, John Natsoulas Gallery, Davis, CA
- 2006 *Reigning Cats and Dogs*, Sacramento SPCA, Sacramento, CA  
*Art Auction*, KVIE Public Television, (Honorable Mention)
- 2005 *74th Crocker Kingsley Exhibition*, Crocker Art Museum, Sacramento, CA
- 2004 *Art Auction*, KVIE Public Television  
*Fine Art Competition*, California State Fair, Sacramento (Honorable Mention)
- 2003 *Art Auction*, KVIE Public Television
- 2002 *Art Auction*, KVIE Public Television (Honorable Mention)

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