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A quarterly publication for members and arts supporters

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Governor
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cordially invites

All Members and Friends to

the

*Annual
Artists Reception*

A celebration of GWAC members' artwork

at

The Wolfeboro Public Library
259 S. Main St. Wolfeboro NH

on

Sunday, November 10, 2013

2:00 - 4:00pm

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Nancy Piper 569-2762 or Andrea Dudley 569-8246

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call Suzette Winchester 569-3372

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President's Notes

Hello Members!

Whew! What a summer!

Although we faced wild weather this summer, ranging from driving rain to punishing heat, members of the Governor Wentworth Arts Council must have been living right because the weather for *Artists in the Park* and *Paint the Town* couldn't have been better!

In August, *Artists in the Park* had a steady stream of visitors throughout the day -- and many artisans reported strong sales. It was a bittersweet day for many GWAC members. We were buoyed by the success of the day but sad that it was likely our last such event. Soon after it was over, however, some members came forward to offer to take on the job of running AIP next year. So, we've called a special meeting to talk about the event's future. If you'd like to be a part of that discussion, please join us on September 24 at 7 p.m. at the Wolfeboro Public Library.

Paint the Town saw 19 artists come to Wolfeboro for a day of plein air painting on September 7. You can read more about the day inside this newsletter, but what was perhaps the highlight of the event was that it gave us the chance to honor local businessman and artist John M. O'Connell who passed away last year. As you know, John was an avid outdoor painter and a long-time arts council member. We had the joy of having two of John's children join us at the event to share some memories of their father.

Please plan to attend our next regular meeting on October 3. It's an important one... We'll be brainstorming about the Arts Council -- what we feel we can and should be doing in the community. We need everyone to come with fresh ideas and energy.

Sunday, November 10, 2-4pm is our annual *Artist Reception & Exhibition* of members' work at the Wolfeboro Public Library. This event always provides a wonderful chance to reconnect and recharge as you chat with old friends, meet new folks, and see inspiring works of art.

So, in the space of this short message we've traveled from summer heat to thinking about Tom Turkey. Can the winter holiday season be far behind?

Take care and hope to see you soon.
Nancy Piper and Andrea Dudley
Co-Presidents

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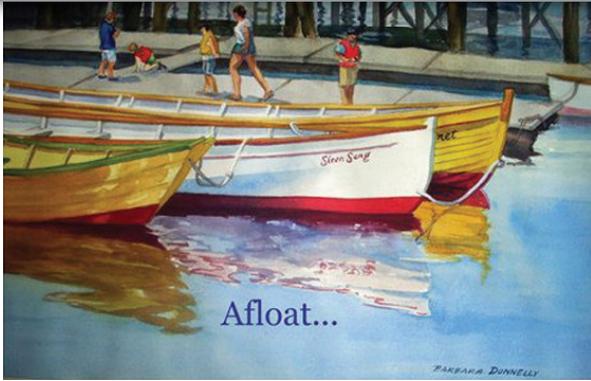
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GWAC News



Barbara Donnelly - "Afloat..."

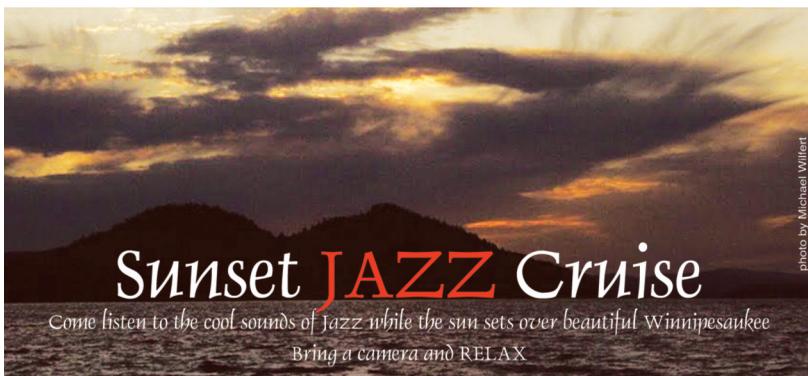
TAG Member, Barbara Donnelly's One-Artist show invites you to a world "Afloat..." at the Rockport Art Association, 12 Main St. Rockport MA from Saturday Sept. 28 to Oct. 9. There will be an artist reception on Sunday, Sept. 29 from 2 - 4pm.

Barbara also has more than 25 paintings in a two-person show with Karen Nastuk at the Gafney Library in Wakefield for the month of September.

ART AT THE WOLFEBORO LIBRARY

- September** Lakes Region Newcomers Rug Hooking Club
- October** Lakes Region Newcomers Photography Club
- November** Governor Wentworth Arts Council Members' Show
- December** John Sullivan (acrylics)

For details about how you can exhibit your work, contact Suzette Winchester, 569-3372.



Sunset JAZZ Cruise

Come listen to the cool sounds of Jazz while the sun sets over beautiful Winnepesaukee
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Friday, Sept. 20, 2013 / 6:30-8:00pm
aboard the WinniBelle - Docksideside-Wolfboro, NH
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T.A.G.... from Polly Cain

The artists who have their works presently hanging at Huggins and MVSB have kindly agreed to keep there work hung until mid-October. As the TAG coordinator, I must return to my home in Florida before Nov. 1st as I have an exhibit during the month of November. I am one of those "Snow Blrds"!

Nancy Piper and Marilyn Bodwell have agreed to have their works exhibited at the MVSB from October through the end of April, 2014. Ilona Train and Robin Cornwell have consented to exhibit their works also through the end of April, 2014. I will continue in the future to have one of the exhibits hung on a Saturday to allow those who work during the week to be part of this group.

Having only one exhibit at the MVSB and Huggins during the winter/spring months was the idea of DJ Geribo who initially started the TAG group. The idea was also approved by the GWAC board.

I hope all of members of TAG will enjoy the winter months working on projects and will have some wonderful new works to display come May 1st, 2014. There have been many positive comments coming from both venues and it is important to have our artwork continue to be exhibited. This is a great way of getting your works exposed to the public. If your work can be hung on a wall, then we want to see it!

See you all next Spring. My email address is: pollywerks@aol.com. I would appreciate any comments or suggestions.

Polly Cain, TAG coordinator

Local Arts Events



Capitol Quartet
 Saturday
 Oct. 5, 2013
 7:30pm
 Village Players
 Theater



Amy Yang - Pianist
 Saturday
 Nov. 16, 2013
 7:30pm
 Kingswood Arts Center

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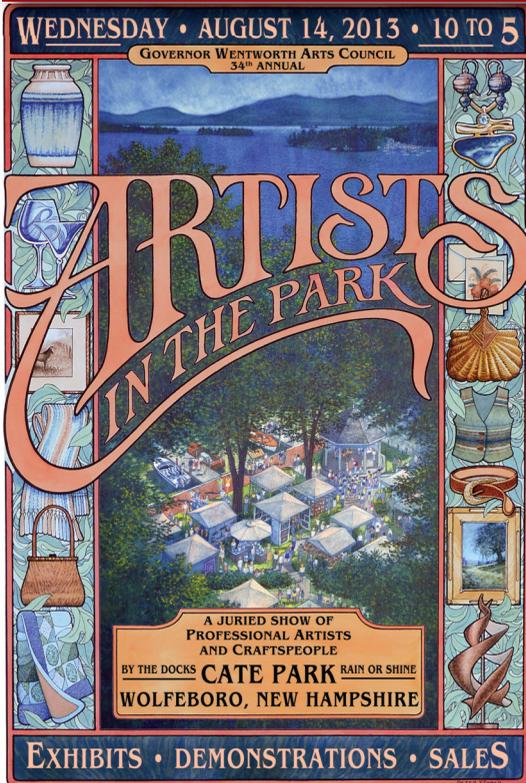
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FIRST NIGHT WOLFEBORO

Please note the Governor Wentworth Arts Council
 is no longer a participating partner with
 the Wolfeboro Area Chamber of Commerce
 on this particular arts event.

If you would like to still volunteer to be on a committee
 or help the event for the coming season,
 you are welcome to contact Mary DeVries
 at the Wolfeboro Chamber directly
 603-569-2200 or email:
Mary@wolfeborochamber.com

GWAC Events - AIP RECAP



from Debbie Hopkins & Nancy Piper

“The 34th annual ‘Artists in the Park’ couldn’t have been better,” according to chair Debbie Hopkins. “The windy sunny day turned out the buyers, and exhibitors were very happy. With so few submissions, we were fortunate to be able to fill 37 spots, keeping quality and originality as our hallmark. In recent years, we have seen more fine artists applying and our Wolfeboro community has come to appreciate such a variety”.

Our GWAC members’ tent was very successful this year! Four members sold artwork - 3 oils, by Ruth Willett, Marty Koons and Lucy Merrow, as well as Debbie Hopkins selling a vase and dish... CONGRATULATIONS! We had 22 participating exhibiting in the tent and the tent favorite cash prize went to Alison Forbes from Alton for her photograph “Vinaigre de Cidre”. We had over 220 votes in the box!

The winner of the lovely floral Raffle painting by Madelyn Albee went to Sandy McBeth....CONGRATULATIONS!

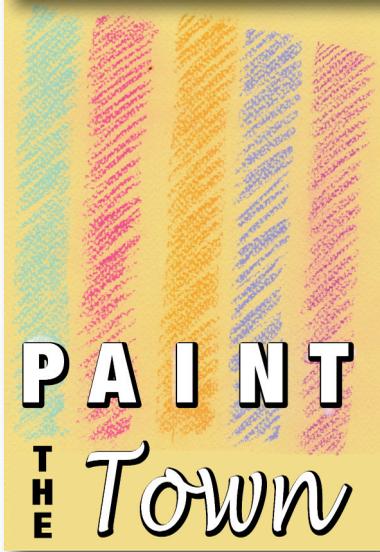
The demonstrations during the day were well attended too - thanks go out to Theresa Hlushuk for her basketweaving demo and Peter Ferber for his watercolor demo. Children and adults alike were entertained by Robert Rivest at the bandstand.... in all, a wonderful day in the park for the arts!



photos by Marty Koons



GWAC More - PTT Recap



Paint the Town a great success! *from Andrea Dudley*

Nineteen artists spent a glorious early fall day painting scenes around downtown Wolfeboro at the 4th annual Paint the Town event on September 7. The participants attracted large crowds who enjoyed watching them paint. Their subjects ranged from boats along the waterfront, to rakes and wheelbarrows in front of Bradley's Hardware, to hydrangeas along Endicott Street.

The artists' "off the easel" works — along with other paintings they had brought with them — were on sale during the day in Cate Park. A percentage of the proceeds from those sales supports arts programs in schools and libraries in the Governor Wentworth Regional School District.

Joining us to paint for the day were New Hampshire painters Laurel Brower, Pam Grady, Sue Riddle, Rea Anne Rogers, and Ann Tracy, all of Wolfeboro; Colina Cummings and Norman Royle of Sanbornville; Marilyn Bodwell of Mirror Lake; Carole Halsey Keller of Alton Bay; Sharon E. Allen of Derry; Aline Lotter of Manchester; Sandra Garrigan of Sandown; Laurie Levesque of Kingston; Flo Parlangei of Pembroke; Elizabeth Lewandowski of East Hampstead; and Lyn Lull of Bow. Out-of-state artists included Judith Grossman of South Thomaston, Maine; Charles McCarthy of Beverly, Mass.; and Lorna Pervier Fuller of Spring Hill, Fla.

Thanks to singers Laurie Jones and David Lane for donating their time to provide fabulous entertainment during the afternoon in Cate Park.

The event was also very special because it honored long-time Wolfeboro businessman and artist John M. O'Connell, who passed away last year. John was a long-time member of the Governor Wentworth Arts Council and an avid outdoor artist, and we were honored to have two of his children, Geoff and Sheila, join us during the day.

One final thanks — to all the volunteers from the arts council who helped organize and staff the event. We couldn't have done it without you!

Madelyn Albee and Debbie Hopkins
event co-chairs



photos by Marty Koons



GWAC - Priscilla Hodges Workshop Recap



Priscilla Hodges Scholarship Funds Watercolor Workshop, Grants Artist's Stipend

from Lise Richardson

Ten local artists completed the Priscilla Hodges Scholarship Fund's watercolor workshop in June. Held at Wolfeboro's Azure Rising Gallery, the workshop was conducted by noted artist Barbara Donnelly. GWAC members and friends had a chance to view the artists' work at a reception at the end of the workshop.

This year, the Priscilla Hodges Scholarship Fund also awarded a \$500 scholarship to Sandy Martin who will be attending a week-long workshop at the Hudson River Valley Art Studio of artist Alvaro Castagnet in Greenville, NY.

Adults in the Lakes Region who wish to attend classes or workshops to improve their artistic skills can apply for the Priscilla Hodges Scholarship. Applicants do not have to disclose financial information since the scholarships are not based on financial need. Former recipients may apply for funding two years after their last award. For more information, call **Lise Richardson at 569-8247 or Ligia D'Appolito at 569-1651 or email Lise at lisedean@metrocast.net**.

Applications for funding to attend an artist workshop are available for pick-up at The Art Place, The Blue Shutter Gallery, and The Sandy Martin Gallery or at www.wolfeboroarts.org



(left to right) Co-President Nancy Piper, scholarship recipient Sandy Martin, and Co-President Andrea Dudley

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All members WELCOME to
the next GWAC meeting:

Thursday, Oct. 3, 2013

7:00pm

at the

**Village Players Theater
Glendon St. Wolfeboro**

Meeting focus:

Brainstorming who is GWAC?

Where are we going?

Bring creative ideas for discussion

Light refreshments served.

Please contact Nancy Piper:

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or Andrea Dudley

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for meeting details.