



Franklin County Art Alliance Officers:

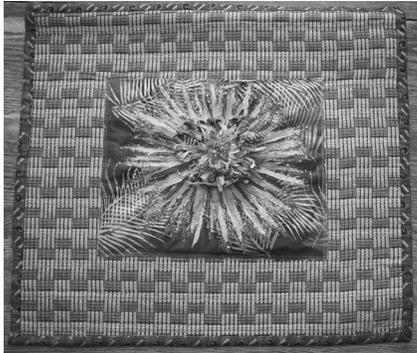
President: Arlene Babb

Treasurer: Dawn Burgoon

Vice-President: Dee Henry

Secretary: Jean Frey

## Meetings



The Alliance's **September 13 meeting** will be held at Grove Family Library (101 Ragged Edge Road South). The business meeting will begin at 7PM (6:30 social time), and the program will follow, featuring a hands-on creativity exercise with Andrea Finch, Following the Threads of an Idea: "Has your Creativity faltered during the long rainy summer?" she asks. "Let's gather up the threads of ideas and weave them into new creations." Andi will share ideas about what sparks her creative process and help you with your next creative endeavor. Then, we will push you out of your comfort zone with a hands-on creative exercise with fabric, that will give you different way to look at color and texture, an important component of any artwork no matter your medium. Andi earned a BA degree in Fine Arts from Kutztown University, where she studied photography, fiber arts and printmaking. Two of her more traditional quilts are in the permanent collection of Summit Health.

"My sewing machine is my pen and the fabric my paper," she says. "The quilts I create are not your grandmother's quilts. They are 'please touch me' quilts that call to be fondled and explored." Andi spent recent years photographing the nursery for Snavelly's Garden Corner and creating her own arboretum. "I am happiest with my camera, out in the garden, with the light just right; or with my sewing machine buzzing as I bring the flowers, insects and leaves to life in fabric. I love capturing the moments in time of an ever-changing landscape whether on the grand scale or down crawling under a bush with my macro lens in hand. After years of fermentation, three once separate parts of my life - photography, quilting and botany - now come together in my quilts."

The Alliance's **October 11 meeting** will be held at Grove Family Library (101 Ragged Edge Road South). The business meeting will begin at 7PM (6:30 social time), followed by a critique of members' works by Rhonda Smith. Rhonda Smith is currently a producing artist and a tenured Full Professor of Art at Shepherd University in Shepherdstown, WV. Chair of the Department of Contemporary Art and Theater, she has been with the university since 1987 and has coordinated the BFA programs in both painting and printmaking, as well as serving as Curator for the University's Creative Art Center Gallery. Smith earned her BFA from Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond, Kentucky and her MFA from the University of North Texas, in Denton, Texas. She has exhibited her work regionally and nationally, with solo shows at the Washington County Arts Council Gallery in Hagerstown, Maryland, an exhibit in conjunction with the Contemporary American Theater Festival in Shepherdstown and one-person exhibits at West Virginia State College in Charleston. Rhonda has traveled extensively in Europe, Africa, China, Peru, India and the United States. Her travels and interest in other cultures and traditions is often reflected in her work.

**Please bring one work in any medium for the critique – *unframed is fine* - and enjoy the friendly feedback!**

## Art Alliance News

Our May 2017 meeting featured an election of officers and board members: Jean Frey will serve as our Secretary, and President Arlene Babb, Vice-President Dee Henry and Treasurer Dawn Burgoon will continue in those positions. A big Thank You goes to Penny Durbin, who held the position of Secretary for many years!!! New Board members were elected to serve the term 2017-2019: Linda Best, Joan Disbrow and Jean Frey. We recognized with appreciation the service of our 2015-2017 board members: Pat Brezler, Jean Harshman and Laurie McKelvie. An updated list of officers, board members and committee chairs is included in this newsletter, so that members can contact them with any questions or suggestions!

The Alliance **dues - \$30 per year** - are due for the membership year of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018. Dues support the club by paying for our speakers, newsletter and donations to the Library and Church, which generously host our meetings and our show. Once again this year, members paying their dues before January 1 will be entered into a drawing where the winner will **earn free membership** for the following year! Winner will be announced at the January meeting. If you have any questions about your membership status, please call our Treasurer Dawn Burgoon at 717-597-2559.

The Alliance newsletter is now available by email as a PDF document; please email Anne Finucane at ahf53 @comcast.net if you would prefer to receive your newsletter this way. We publish a list of our officers in our September/October issue and a list of our members in the March/April issue. News of our members: If you have news to share about your art activities, please send it to FCAA Newsletter Editor Linda Best lmb402@comcast.net or call her at 369-2249.

## FRANKLIN COUNTY ART ALLIANCE 2017-2018

### OFFICERS

President	Arlene Babb	Box 104, Willow Hill, PA 17271	552-8972
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### STANDING COMMITTEES

Monthly Programs	Anne Finucane	2760 Springview Dr., Chambersburg, PA 17202	267-1396
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#### Communications:

Website	Dallas Coble	136 Garber Street, Chambersburg, PA 17201	538-9266
	Cindy Baker	840 Paper Mill Road, Chambersburg, PA 17201	360-4583
"What's New" notices	Cindy Baker	840 Paper Mill Road, Chambersburg, PA 17201	360-4583
Newsletter	Linda Best	402 Bear Valley Rd., Ft. Loudon, PA 17224	369-2249
Newsletter Mailing	Kathy Giuliano	694 Forest Rd., Chambersburg, PA 17202	267-2511

Workshops	Mary Hickman	20 Carla Drive, Shippensburg, PA 17257	530-8936
Bus Trips	Looking for help here!	Call Arlene Babb to volunteer (717-552-8972)	
Publicity	Anne Finucane	2760 Springview Dr., Chambersburg, PA 17202	267-1396

#### Exhibits:

Hospital Exhibits	Derena Martinek	1584 Fairview Avenue., Chambersburg, PA 17201	263-3514
	Jean Harshman	1227 Clay Hill Road, Chambersburg, PA 17202	597-7039
	Barb Petrucci	574 Mower Road, Chambersburg< APA 17201	263-7854
	Jack Kier	6015 Greenbriar Terrace, Fayetteville, PA 17222	352-3982
Annual Exhibit	Anne Finucane	2760 Springview Dr., Chambersburg, PA 17202	267-1396
Show Catalogue	Dallas Coble	136 Garber Street, Chambersburg, PA 17201	538-9266
Show Photographer	Frieda Stayman	2744 Black Gap Road, Chambersburg, PA 17202	267-0895

### OTHER COMMITTEES

Telephone	Tawnya Stake	197 Buckingham Dr., Chambersburg, PA 17201	263-0148
Historian	Looking for help here!	Call Arlene Babb to volunteer (717-552-8972)	
DVD Library	Jean Harshman	1227 Clay Hill Road, Chambersburg, PA 17202	597-7039
Hospitality-Tea	Brandii Kligge	8533 Newburg Rd., Newburg, PA 17240	423-6561
	Chris Mcdonel	51 Maple Ave., Walnut Bottom, PA 17266	530-7949
Hospitality-Meetings	Members	Sign up for monthly meeting refreshments	
Awards & Patrons	Finucane	Best, Coble, Harshman, Hickman, Kligge, Koontz, McKelvie, Petrucci, Sabetto	

**OPPORTUNITIES!****Art Alliance Workshop**

Mary Hickman, Art Alliance Workshop Coordinator, reports that our 2017 Painting Workshop with watercolorist Sarah Yeoman is full, but names are being taken for a waiting list. The workshop will be held from October 2nd to 6<sup>th</sup>, 9:30am to 3:30pm, with an hour break from 12 to 1 for lunch, at a private home in Penn National Estates, in Fayetteville. Sarah Yeoman is an award-winning watercolor artist, and earned signature membership in the American Watercolor Society for 2017. She also has signature membership in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Delaware Watercolor Societies. Her mastery of reflections, unique surface layers, and unusual perspectives have made her workshops, both in the US and Europe, very popular. Visit [sarahyeoman.com](http://sarahyeoman.com) to read more about Sarah and see images of her work. The member cost for the week is \$190; the cost for non-members is \$200. Call Mary at 717-504-2916, or email her at [maryhickman-art@gmail.com](mailto:maryhickman-art@gmail.com) to ask to be on the waiting list. (Call our Treasurer Dawn Burgoon at 717-597-2559 if you need to check your membership status!)

**Figure Drawing in Hagerstown**

The Wednesday Portrait Drawing Group that meets at the Hagerstown YMCA is on hold at the time this is being written, but in the meantime, the Gardner Open Studio, located at 120 Bester St. near downtown Hagerstown, offers a well-organized and affordable way to improve your figure drawing and painting skills. There is no instruction, making the cost very reasonable - \$6 per session. The group meets every Wednesday morning from 9:30 to 12:30. You don't need to join, just show up. We have the easels and painting tables from the Y. To learn more, or to receive weekly notices with information about the models, join the group's Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/gardneropenstudio>. If you don't use Facebook, Margery Benson at 717 762-1204 can answer any questions. One note: there is a steep flight of stairs to get up to the studio.

**Art Nights at MHA**

Mental Health Association of Franklin and Fulton Counties is looking for four artists to volunteer their time to helping those with mental illnesses. Each artist will teach a two-hour class for 10-15 adults, on an art project of their choice, using basic supplies. Between this fall and next May there will be four art nights, 6-8pm, at MHA at 478 Grant Street, Chambersburg. Each will feature a different artist and an art project that can be completed in two hours. With the permission of the students, the artwork will be entered into their MHA annual art show in May. If you are interested or know someone who would be interested, please contact Martha Nolder at [mdnolder@mhaff.org](mailto:mdnolder@mhaff.org)

**Art for the Animals Fundraiser**

Howards' Art Supplies and Frames announces its 12th Annual Art for the Animals fundraiser, which has raised over \$4800 in past years for charity. All artwork must be on a 5"x7" board and can be created in any medium, by beginners or professionals. Visit the store and give a dollar donation (cash or check preferred) per board—as many as you want. Return them by Sept. 16th and they will be framed for free and hung in the silent auction, with bidding from Sept. 30-Oct. 21. Opening reception: Sept. 30; Tail-end reception on October 21. All proceeds (including the dollar donation for the boards) will go to Humane Society of Washington County. AFTA also offers prizes for popular choice and best in show. Contact Howard's at 301-733-2722 or [www.howardsartandframes.com](http://www.howardsartandframes.com) or stop by 1256 Dual Highway in Hagerstown.

**"Celebration of Art" to benefit Doey's Hospice House**

Do you have a painting you would like to contribute to a good cause? On Sunday October 22, Sagittarius Salon/Spa in Hagerstown will host a charity event from 1-4pm to benefit the new Doey's Hospice House. Doey's Hospice House, named in honor of Doey Doris Glessner, will be a state of the art facility to care for cancer patients. Art donations should be framed, with wire for hanging, and delivered between 9am - 6pm Monday through Saturday to Sagittarius Salon, 1136 Conrad Ct., Hagerstown, MD (or mailed to 10843 Archer Lane in Williamsport MD 21795) - on or before October 2<sup>nd</sup>. **Artwork can also be picked up, if within a 25-mile radius of Hagerstown!** For more information contact Marsha Knicley by email ([marsha@sagittariussalon.com](mailto:marsha@sagittariussalon.com)), text or phone (301-992-2727).

**Walnut Street Studios**

Walnut Street Studios is "Your Space to Create"! Their goal: To provide a cooperative artistic community that encourages personal growth, creativity, and collaboration with others. Their facility provides space for artists and potters to create their works of art. Come visit their fully functional pottery/artist studio spaces located at 117 Walnut Street, Waynesboro, PA. (717)729-7125. Contact Walnut Street with your questions at 717-729-7125 or [walnutstreetstudios@gmail.com](mailto:walnutstreetstudios@gmail.com).

**OPPORTUNITIES, continued****CALC Seeking Juried Exhibit Entries**

Carlisle Arts Learning Center (CALC) is seeking entries for a juried exhibit to be held in their main gallery space January 12 - February 3, 2018. Entry is open to members and non-members of CALC. Works in this juried exhibit are to be the artist's interpretation of the theme "Square One". Consider the use of the square, the numeral one (1), the concept associated with the phrase - or a new interpretation. Creative thinking (outside the "box") is encouraged! All media are accepted except for audio/visual, film, or performance. Artists are asked to submit with consideration to venue-appropriateness and the work's ability to engage an audience of diverse ages and backgrounds. Deadline for submission: October 31, 2017. Complete entry forms and submission guidelines can be found on their website [www.carlislearts.org/exhibit-opportunities/](http://www.carlislearts.org/exhibit-opportunities/). For more information contact Cathy Stone at 717-249-6973 or [castonecalc@gmail.com](mailto:castonecalc@gmail.com)>

**Miniature Art 2017 Exhibition**

The deadline is September 29 for Chambersburg Council for the Arts' 33rd Annual "Miniature Art 2017" Exhibition, to be held Nov. 3, 2017 – January 5, 2018. Artists may submit up to 4 works, each with image size no greater than 4" by 6", not to exceed 24 square inches; framed pieces should not exceed 48 square inches (all works must be framed). Original work only will be accepted - no copies - in any fine art media (no crafts, jewelry, photography, laser prints or computer-generated artwork). Sculpture is encouraged, and should not exceed 5" in any dimension. Awards will be offered as follows: Best of Show (\$300) and 3 Merit Awards (\$100 each). A 35% commission will be charged on all sales. The entry fee (for 1-4 works) is \$25; an additional \$15 will be charged for return shipping and insurance on works not hand delivered. For an entry form call 717-264-6883, stop by the Council, email [gallery@councilforthearts.net](mailto:gallery@councilforthearts.net) or download from [www.councilforthearts.net/opportunities](http://www.councilforthearts.net/opportunities)

**Art in the Park at Cowans Gap State Park**

Cowans Gap State Park, located at 6235 Aughwick Rd, Fort Loudon, is offering an Art in the Park experience on Saturday October 14. Participants should meet at 11 am at the Brightbill Interpretive Center, to join artist & former DCNR designer Nancy Mendes and create a landscape of the park. She will lead you step-by-step through the process of creating a beautiful art piece to take home. All materials will be provided. A donation of \$25 is requested for participation in this event. This event is sponsored by the Friends of Cowans Gap. Please register online at [events.dcnr.pa.gov](http://events.dcnr.pa.gov) or call the park office at (717)485-3948 and the clerk can process your registration. For more information contact George Barner at [Gbarner@pa.gov](mailto:Gbarner@pa.gov) or the park office at (717)485-3948.

**Grove Family Library**

Grove Family Library invites area artists to display their work in their gallery. There are no commissions, although donations are gratefully accepted. The display changes each month, and many people may see your work who might not go to a gallery. The only month available for 2018 is February, but you can sign on for any month in 2019 except May, September or October. Please sign up via email, [crinehart@fclspa.org](mailto:crinehart@fclspa.org), or by stopping in or calling the library, 264-9663.

**Foundry Artist Challenge**

**October 21st** brings the **FOUNDRY's 2nd Anniversary** and we want to celebrate! We've made our Artist Challenge & Live Auction an annual event and we're doing it BIG this year and we'd love **YOU** to take part! Here's how it works...

- ¥ Taking advantage of the closed streets and crowds of AppleFest in Downtown Chambersburg, Foundry members and Community Artists choosing to participate will be spread out in unused booth space up & down Main Street with signage explaining what you're doing.
- ¥ You have 2 hours to complete a piece of art [in whatever medium you choose] from start to finish.
- ¥ When "creation" time is finished, artists will bring their finished piece back to the FOUNDRY to go on display for a PEOPLE'S CHOICE VOTE. Event attendees can give a quarter per vote for their favorite projects. There will be PRIZES for pieces with the highest number of votes.
- ¥ After the People's Choice voting, we will have a LIVE AUCTION to sell the artwork, with all proceeds going to the Foundry Fundraiser.
- ¥ All monies raised through the People's Choice Vote and Live Auction will go toward new industrial shelving for the Foundry's retail space.

The tentative schedule is...

- 9:30-11:30 – Artists creating their piece
- 12-1 – People's Choice Vote
- 1:00 – Live Auction

If you have questions or would like to participate, please contact Anita Crawford at [info@foundryartcoop.com](mailto:info@foundryartcoop.com)

**OPPORTUNITIES, continued****We Salute Our Heroes Festival**

As a thank-you to local active and retired military, Ludwick Eye Center (825 5th Ave. in Chambersburg) is hosting their annual We Salute Our Heroes festival on Saturday, September 9th from 11-2PM, welcoming all active and retired military and their families to come and enjoy a free, fun-filled day with great food, live music by Rudy and the Blue Fish, entertainment, games, giveaways, local business vendors, and more. They are interested in having some artists come and display their work – with demonstrations or just display, whichever works – and the opportunity to sell their work as well. They will supply a 6-foot table and chairs. There is a \$25 charge for vendors to attend, but that will be waived for any vendors willing to donate a door prize to the event or any that are active/retired military. They are also looking for someone to come and create some patriotic-themed chalk art on their pavement. If you are interested in participating, or in finding out more, please contact Kristen Mills at 717.552.2218 or kmills@ludwickeyecenter.com .

**Artesian Well**

Artesian Well, an Art Gallery, exists to foster creativity and community in the local area. Their 9th annual Gallery/Stage will be held on September 16th in conjunction with Uprise Festival at the Shippensburg Fairgrounds. In addition to an open-air art exhibit, there will also be musical performances by Matthew Thrift, Rebekah Foster, Black Pages, the Lion-hearted, Matt Wheeler, and Cool Hand Luke. Art entries will be accepted until September 9th. To enter art or for more information, please visit [artesianwell.org](http://artesianwell.org) or email [artesian.well.art.gallery@gmail.com](mailto:artesian.well.art.gallery@gmail.com) .

**First Fridays**

First Fridays in Downtown Chambersburg provide artists with a free venue to display and sell their creations in a relaxed and friendly setting, May through September; there is no booth fee, no commission, and display racks are available to Alliance members for their use that evening. Contact Anne Finucane at [ahf53@comcast.net](mailto:ahf53@comcast.net) or 717-816-7568.

**Photography Club**

The Franklin County Photographers Club welcomes new members - both beginning and experienced photographers. For more information, call Eric Harbaugh at 717-261-6739 or [ericseyes@gmail.com](mailto:ericseyes@gmail.com) or look them up on Facebook.

**Destination Arts! Waynesboro**

Destination Arts is now 4 years old and has gone through many changes since opening July 2013. "Gallery 50", the flagship gallery, features: Wind Down Fridays with music every Friday night from 5-8pm. Art classes every Monday from 1-4pm with Marjorie Tressler and artist's demo and class every Thursday with Marjorie Tressler 1-4pm.. the Writers Forum and Song Writers Forum once a month as well as The Artist Connection every month in Gallery 50 with Marjorie Tressler. The new " Music Makers-Our Community Music Center" next door to Gallery 50 is open, where area and regional musicians can gather to jam and hold musical performances. With over 80 artists and artisans represented in Gallery 50, it is joined by 42 West Arts, a co-op gallery with 17 artists; The Ceramic Center, a co-op of potters with pottery for sale plus classes. The latest gallery to open is Rodney Clark Photography and 35 East Gallery at 35 East Main Street, features photography and fine art. All galleries are located on Waynesboro's Main Street plus South Church St. Hours of operation are Thursday 1-4pm, Friday 5-8pm, Saturday 12-6pm, and Sunday 1-4pm. For more information, contact Gallery 50 Curator/Gallery Director Marjorie Tressler at [marjoriertressler@comcast.net](mailto:marjoriertressler@comcast.net).

**Artist Connection – Waynesboro**

The Artist Connection will be held at Destination Arts' newest gallery, "Rodney Clark Photography and Gallery 35 East " on September 18, 6:30 -8:30pm (new date and location for September only) at 35 East Main Street, Waynesboro. Artists are invited to come with ideas, news about shows to share, and any new projects they are working on. All are invited, and snacks (wine, dips etc.) are always welcome. For more information contact Marjorie Tressler at [marjoriertressler@comcast.net](mailto:marjoriertressler@comcast.net)

**FCAA Plein Air Painting Group**

Alliance member Jean Frey coordinates outdoor painting sessions through the end of October, weather permitting. Mountain Valley Plein Air painters will meet Tuesdays from 9:30-3:00 at various locations throughout the area. If you are interested in joining, contact Jean at [jeanfrey@aol.com](mailto:jeanfrey@aol.com) or 703-347-1172.

**Council for the Arts September-October 2017 Adult & Teen Classes**  
**81 North Main Street, Chambersburg, PA - email: [programs@councilforthearts.net](mailto:programs@councilforthearts.net)**  
**Register online at [www.councilforthearts.net](http://www.councilforthearts.net) or CALL 717-264-6883.**

**Daily Painters' Workshop****Instructor:** Ski Holm

Daily Painting: it's a great way to motivate yourself & produce saleable work! Each day of this 3-day workshop will have a different focus, in addition to generous time to paint. Day 1: Introduction, materials, working no larger than 5x7 or 6x6; painting a still life from direct observation. Day 2: Scaling & cropping; working off prints vs. working off of a computer screen. Day 3: Marketing: eBay, etsy, DPW, blog, Facebook. Students may work in any color-based medium (not graphite or charcoal). Previous experience in the student's chosen medium recommended; Ski can suggest materials. Bring lunch!

**Dates:** Monday, Tuesday and Friday September 11, 12 & 15, 10am-3pm**Price:** \$90 for 3-day class**Oil, Acrylic, Watercolor and Pastel Painting****Instructor:** Jeff Barnhart

Using the medium and subject of your choice, the instruction in this class will focus on painting techniques and fundamentals that work regardless of medium. Students may work in oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel or pen & ink. Jeff will offer occasional demos & lots of personal instruction. Previous experience in drawing or painting is recommended.

**Dates:** Mondays September 18 – October 23, 1-4pm OR Nov. 6 – Dec.11, 12-3pm.**Price:** \$115 for 6-week session**Observational Drawing****Instructor:** Thomas Tholen

A ground floor drawing experience regardless of skill level: something for everyone, with a variety of subjects! The class focuses on observational skills and applies them to drawing what you see. Students will work on a variety of surfaces and use a variety of materials. Call for materials list.

**Dates:** Tuesdays October 17 - November 14 (no class Oct. 31), 1-3pm OR November 21 - December 19 (no class Dec.5), 1-3pm**Price:** \$60 for 4-week session**Try Your Hand at Painting!****Instructor:** Laurie McKelvie

Have you always wanted to paint, but never had the opportunity? Now you can try out working in oil paint, watercolor and pastels without having to spend lots of money on supplies. Each week Laurie will lead you through a short introduction to the medium of the day, and then guide you through a project. The fourth class will be open to finishing projects from the previous weeks, or choosing to work on a new painting. This is a class for beginners: get ready to have fun! Materials fee \$20.

**Dates:** Tuesdays September 5 - 26, 6-9pm**Price:** \$85 for 4-week session**Basic Digital Photography****Instructor:** Eric Harbaugh

Eric will help students understand how their digital camera works, and how to better understand the various functions. Topics include shooting modes, understanding Shutter Speed, Aperture & ISO, Composition, Rule of Thirds, White Balance, Shooting Indoors & Outdoors, and other topics. Class time, as well as hands-on time with the students' own cameras, will be available. This class is a basic course for beginners and for people with a little experience. Bring your camera and manual to class (if you still have it!)

**Dates:** Tuesdays, October 10 – 31, 6:30-8:30 pm**Price:** \$100 for 4-week session**Painting the Seasons in Watercolor****Instructor:** Kent Roberts

Using the exciting medium of watercolor, students will learn to paint glistening snow, spring flowers, bright summer days, and the glory of autumn colors. Students will master watercolor through instructor demonstrations, hands-on practice, and insightful critiques. Call for materials list.

**Dates:** Wednesdays August 30 – September 27 (no class Sept.6), 1-4pm**Price:** \$70 for 4-week session**Dynamic Compositions For Watercolor****Instructor:** Kent Roberts

Learn to design your watercolors for maximum impact using five strong compositional devices. Students will learn the rule of thirds, framing the subject, dramatic cropping, the s-curve, and three point perspective. With plenty of handouts, and instructor demonstrations, students will learn to compose watercolors like the pros. Call for materials list.

**Dates:** Wednesdays October 18 – November 15, 1-4pm**Price:** \$90 for 5-week session**Nuno Felted Scarf****Instructor:** Barbara Pennett

Students will learn to create wearable art in the form of nuno felting. Nuno felting is a wet process of felting wool into a fabric such as silk. Barb will bring samples of inspiring advanced designs. Beginners are welcome! \$20 materials fee payable to instructor.

**Dates:** Wednesdays October 18 & 25, 6-9pm**Price:** \$45 for the two-day workshop**Observational Drawing****Instructor:** Thomas Tholen

A ground floor drawing experience regardless of skill level: something for everyone, with a variety of subjects! The class focuses on observational skills and applies them to drawing what you see. Students will work on a variety of surfaces and use a variety of materials. Call for materials list.

**Dates:** Thursdays Sept. 14-Oct. 5, 6:30-8:30pm**Price:** \$60 for 4-week session***Class sizes are limited!******Adult classes are open to students age 16 and up, unless otherwise noted. Students under 16 will be considered.***

**ART ON VIEW.....**

- September *Sue Zacharias, Chambersburg Hospital, 263-3514*
- Sept-Oct *Wayne Gunnelson, Waynesboro Hospital, 762-4138*
- September *Sandra Blair, Painting and Photography, Grove Library, Mon. & Tues. 9am-8pm, Wed. & Fri. 9am-5pm, Thurs. 12-8pm, Sat. 9am-3pm, 264-9663.*
- Sept 1-Oct 27 *Andrea Finch: Painting with Fabric, Council for the Arts, 81 North Main Street, Chambersburg. Gallery hours Tues.-Fri. 10 am-2 pm. 264-6883. **First Friday Reception** Sept. 1, 5-7pm*
- Sept 1-29 *Oculus Abstractus: 15th annual abstract, surreal and nonobjective show, SHAPE, 19 East King Street, Shippensburg, PA, Reception Sept. 1, 6-8pm, gallery hours: Wednesday to Friday - 5 to 7 pm.*
- Sept 10-Oct 5 *Nancy Horton Heefner Memorial Art Show, Mercersburg Academy's Burgin Center, **Opening Reception:** Sunday September 10 from 1-4pm.*
- Sept 13 - Oct 13 *The Foundry Artists, Wilson College, Bogigian Gallery, **Reception:** Sept. 13, 4:30-6 PM*
- Sept 13-Dec 8 *Kate Miller, Chronicles, Wilson College, Cooley Gallery, **Reception:** Sept. 13, 4:30-6 PM*
- October *Glen Sabetto, Chambersburg Hospital, 263-3514*
- October *Penn National Photo club, Grove Library, Mon. & Tues. 9am-8pm, Wed. & Fri. 9am-5pm, Thurs. 12-8pm, Sat. 9am-3pm, 264-9663.*
- Oct 14 & 15 *Mountain Valley Plein Air Painters, 310 Penn Street, Mont Alto, Sat. & Sun 1-5pm, jeanfrey@aol.com, 793-347-1172, or 717-749-7664 for directions.*

**Council for the Arts September/October 2017 Schedule of Classes for Adults & Teens, *continued*****Oil Painting with Ski Holm****Instructor:** Ski Holm

Whether you're a beginner looking to develop good habits or more experienced and looking to break some bad ones, this class can help. While demystifying the oil painting process, you'll work from direct observation to develop greater hand-to-eye coordination. Basically, "see it, paint it". You will also learn step-by-step methods of color mixing, making form by blending, and many of the do's and don't's of composition. "Remember, oil painting is a simple process but not necessarily an easy one. Nothing worthwhile ever is." Call for materials list. Check out Ski's blog at <http://skiholm.blogspot.com>

**Dates:** Thursdays Sept. 28 – Nov. 2, OR Nov. 9 – Dec. 21 (no class Nov. 23), 1-4pm**Price:** \$105 for 6-week session**Beginning and Intermediate Portraiture****Instructor:** Thomas Tholen

Explore the fascinating art of portrait drawing or painting! Beginners and intermediate students will work from a live model, focusing on observational skills and applying them to drawing what they see. Thom will give short lessons on the structure of the face and then will give help to each student as they spend the rest of the class drawing or painting. Students should feel comfortable in whatever medium they choose since the emphasis will be on the process of creating portraits.

**Dates:** Thursdays Oct.19-Nov.9 OR Nov. 30-Dec. 21, 6-8:30 pm**Price:** \$65 for 4-week session plus model fee**Council for the Arts Friday Open Studio**

Need inspiration? Tired of working solo in your studio? Join a group of other artists working independently on 3rd Fridays at the Council. Easels and tables available, but no instructor – just bring your art supplies and work on your own in the company of other artists! Pre-registration not required. Feel free to just drop in!

**Dates:** Friday September 8 and December 15, 10am-2pm**Price:** \$5 per session**Ceramic Birdhouse****Instructor:** Sherree Devor

Students will create a decorative birdhouse for their home or patio. Clay and a template will be provided and they will be guided through the process of decorating & assembling the birdhouse. A \$15 materials fee will be paid to the instructor.

**Dates:** Fridays September 22 and October 6, 1-3pm**Price:** \$30 for 2-week session**Ceramic Mug****Instructor:** Sherree Devor

Students will create a coffee mug with their own personal touches. Handmade ceramics make wonderful gifts! Clay and template will be provided; students will be guided through decorating and assembling the handled mug. \$15 materials fee.

**Dates:** Fridays October 13 and 27, 1-3pm**Price:** \$30 for 2-week session**Colored Pencil Portraiture****Instructor:** Amy Lindenger

Colored pencil is excellent for painting portraits due to its versatility, and the fact that - unlike oils - it is neither subject to drying time nor susceptible to cracking, blistering or peeling over time. The technique of blending with a solvent can be used to lay in the major forms and values of the skin tone and hair, then finishing work and details can be added with the point of the pencil. In this new class, students will work from a photo reference and learn the basics of skin tones, hair color and texture and how to render lifelike eyes.

**Dates:** Fridays October 20 & November 3, 10am-3pm**Price:** \$85 for 2-week session

FRANKLIN COUNTY ART ALLIANCE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership year: July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ Member since (estimate ok!) \_\_\_\_\_

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ADULT \_\_\_\_\_ (\$30) HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT \_\_\_\_\_ (\$15) LIFETIME (60yrs & older) \_\_\_\_\_ (\$175)

Would you like to contribute to our FCAA Membership Award, funded by members, and awarded by judges to an outstanding work displayed at our annual exhibition? (any amount ok!) \_\_\_\_\_

Mail form and appropriate dues (payable to FCAA) to:

FCAA  
ATTN; Treasurer  
P.O. Box 1341  
Chambersburg, PA 17201

The Franklin Co. Art Alliance will publish a listing of the names and phone numbers of paid Members in the March/April Newsletter. Please check this box if you **DO NOT** want your phone number listed

Note: If membership card is desired, please include a SASE

Remember your membership is good from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.

Check out the Alliance Website! [www.franklincountyartalliance.org](http://www.franklincountyartalliance.org)



**“To practice any art, no matter how well or badly, is a way to make your soul grow.**

**So do it.”**

*Kurt Vonnegut*

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