



Franklin County Art Alliance Officers:
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Message from the President

Greetings! Looking forward to the New Year – interesting and fun plans are being worked on for the club! Read in this newsletter some of the things that are being planned. Keep working on your art and plan on exhibiting in the 2006 show!

Jean Harshman

Meetings



The Alliance's January meeting will be held on Saturday January 10 from 1-3pm (12:30 social time) at Grove Family Library (101 Ragged Edge Road South). The business meeting will begin at 1pm and the program will follow, featuring a demonstration in acrylic by Claudine Jackson. Based in Carlisle, Claudine has taught for the Carlisle Arts Learning Center (CALC), offering a Bootcamp Acrylics Mixing class for adult artists. Her paintings have been displayed at the Penny Gallery in Carlisle, and other venues throughout the region. Claudine will create a pet portrait for her demonstration.

The Alliance's February meeting will be held on Saturday February 14 from 1-3pm (12:30 social time) at Grove Family Library (101 Ragged Edge Road South). The business meeting will begin at 1pm and the program will follow, featuring a critique of members' works by Kate Keely. Kate currently serves as an Instructor in Visual Arts at Shippensburg University, and a Lecturer in Humanities at Southern New Hampshire University, with courses including Art Education, Art History, Aesthetics and Basic Drawing. She has also taught at The Pennsylvania State University, Radford University and Frostburg State University (MD). Kate earned her Bachelor of Arts degrees in both Fine Art and Biology from Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, VA, and her Master of Fine Arts at Radford University in Radford, VA. She has also worked as a Civic Justice team leader for the Maryland Department of Juvenile Services and has taught art to State and County Prisoners. Currently, Kate's paintings can be seen at The Foundry in downtown Chambersburg.



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

Save these dates:

Saturday March 14, 1-3pm (12:30 social time): FCAA monthly meeting, watercolor demonstration by Janessa Travis.

Saturday April 11, 12-4, Celebration of Life for Jeff Barnhart, Grant Street Loft, 227 Grant St., Chambersburg.

Saturday April 11, 1-3pm (12:30 social time): FCAA monthly meeting, portrait painting demonstration by Scott Meier.

Saturday, April 25 (note new date!), 8:30-3pm, **Business of Art**, conference for artists, presented by the Foundry at FCVB.

Monday, April 27, FCAA Bus Trip to New York City. See attached flier for details and registration form!

Saturday May 9, 1-3pm (12:30 social time): FCAA monthly meeting, program TBA

June 5-11: FCAA Annual Exhibition at Calvary United Methodist Church, 150 Norlo Drive, Fayetteville.

Saturday, September 5: Plein Air Chambersburg, presented by the Foundry; www.foundryartmarket.com

October 5-7, FCAA Annual Workshop: Lynn Ferris, Watercolor – more details to come in March/April newsletter.

Check out the Alliance online! Danielle Riseley (danielleriseley@gmail.com) has redesigned, and will maintain, our website: www.franklincountyartalliance.org. Please contact her with suggestions and questions!

Alliance Notes: If you are a paid-up member of the Alliance, you should be receiving occasional emails from the club. We only use these for messages we feel are important, so if you are not receiving them, please let Dee Henry know by sending her an email at deehenry@gmail.com.

The Alliance dues - \$30 per year - are due between July 1 and April 15, for the membership year of July 1 through June 30. 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. If you have any questions about your membership status, please call or text our Treasurer Linda Gottfried at (973) 768-3186, or send her an email at linda.gottfried2010@gmail.com. **Members are encouraged to pay their dues now, for the 2025-2026 year: one lucky member who pays before January 1st will win a free membership for next year!**

ON VIEW

- January** "Watercolors, ecoprints and collage by Vickie Negley", Grove Family Library, 101 Ragged Edge Road S., Chambersburg, Mon.9-5, Tues.12-8, Wed.& Fri.9-1, Thurs.9-8, 717-264-9663.
- Jan.-Feb.** "Elizabeth Willson, Photography", Chambersburg Hospital, 112 N. 7th St., Main entrance, 8am-8pm.
- Jan.-Feb.** "Mixed Media Paintings by Barbara Randall & Holly Strayer and Artworks by Foundry Art Co-op members" Denim Coffee, 15 North Main Street, Chambersburg, Mon-Sat. 8am-3pm, Sunday 9am-1:30pm.
- Jan.-Feb.** "Artworks by Foundry artist Paola Diaz" at Falafel Shack, 9 North Main Street, Mon.-Thurs.11-6, Fri.& Sat. 11-8, 717-404-8282
- Jan.4-Feb.28** "South Mountain Artists Group" at Nisei Gallery at Fort Ritchie, 14370 Reckord Ave, Highfield-Cascade, MD. Reception Fri. January 9, 1-4pm. Gallery hours: Thurs.-Sat.10-4. For more details visit Niseigallery.com
- Jan.9-31** "Contain", CALC's Annual Juried Exhibit, 38 W. Pomfret Street, Carlisle. Gallery hours Tues-Fri 10-5, Saturday 10-3 or by appointment; 717-249-6973.
- Through Jan.13** "Annual Community Art Show: The Best Local Art of 2026", Washington County Arts Council, 34 S. Potomac St., Hagerstown, MD. Gallery hours Tues.-Fri.11am-5pm, Sat. 10am-4pm, 301-791-3132 www.washingtoncountyarts.com
- Through Jan.25** "A Creative Celebration: Valley Art Association Members" at Mansion House Art Center & Gallery, 480 Highland Ave., Hagerstown. Fridays & Saturdays, 11am-4pm and Sundays 1-5pm, Free. 301-797-2867.
- Jan.26-Feb.27** "Art on Ice: Inspire, Create, Energize" open entry art show at Franklin County Visitors Bureau, 15 S. Main St., Chambersburg, IceFest Receptions Thursday and Friday Jan. 29 & 30 from 5-7:30pm, Saturday Jan 31 from 9am-7:30 pm and Sunday Feb.1 from 12noon-4 pm, regular hours Mon.-Fri. 8am-4:30pm, 717-552-2977.
- Jan.30-Feb.22** "A Journey in Creativity: Valley Art Association Members" at Mansion House Art Center & Gallery, 480 Highland Ave., Hagerstown. Fridays & Saturdays, 11am-4pm and Sundays 1-5pm, Free. 301-797-2867.
- February** **Black History Month**, photographs from the book, That They Lived (children dressing up as famous people in African-American history), Grove Family Library, 101 Ragged Edge Road S., Chambersburg, Mon.9-5, Tues.12-8, Wed.& Fri.9-1, Thurs.9-8, 717-264-9663.
- Feb.6-April 18** "Faces & Places", paintings & photography by 11 artists including FCAA members Eric Hyne, Laurie McKelvie & Sandy Barton. Gallery 50, 50 W. Main St., Waynesboro, Opening reception with live music and refreshments, Fri. Feb.6, 5:30-8pm. Gallery hours Fridays 5--8, Saturdays 11:30--2:30, live music every Friday from 5:30-8pm 717-655-2500.
- Feb.13-Mar.14** "Annual Members' Color Show: Dandelion", Artworks by CALC members, Opening Reception: Friday, February 13, 5:30-7pm, 38 W. Pomfret Street, Carlisle. Gallery hours Tues-Fri 10-5, Saturday 10-3 or by appointment; 717-249-6973.
- Through April 26** "Cumberland Valley Artists Exhibition", Washington County Museum of Fine Art, Hagerstown, Tues.-Fri. 10am-5pm, Sat. 10am-4pm, Sun. 1pm-5pm (301) 739-5727 .

**Want to just click on the links instead of typing them out?
Go to our Newsletters at www.franklincountyartalliance.org**

News of our members:

If you have news to share about your art activities, please send it to FCAA Newsletter Editor Linda Best at lmb402@comcast.net or call her at 717-369-2249.

A good group of Alliance members braved the cold and ice and had a great time at our annual Christmas Party on December 14th: good food, fun games and time to just socialize!



Opportunities for learning

Open Studio Class with Kate Keely, 9:30am-12:30pm, on Saturdays Jan.24-Feb.28, 2026 at St. John's UCC, 1811 Lincoln Way East, Chambersburg. The cost is \$150 for the 6-week session and students will provide their own materials. Call or text 717-816-7568 for more information or to register.

Students will use the medium and subject of their choice, and Kate will share painting techniques and fundamentals that work regardless of medium. Students may work in oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel or pen & ink. Kate will offer occasional demos and lots of personal instruction.

Valley Art Association, 480 Highland Avenue, Hagerstown, MD. (301) 797 – 2867

Hans Guerin - Figure-drawing Workshop with Professional Model, Thursday, January 8, 2026, 10 am - 3:30 pm, \$90 plus model fee. Hans Guerin, is a graduate and educator at the Schuler School of Fine Arts, and brings expertise and experience in teaching the mastery of figure-drawing techniques. He is an award-winning artist, and superb instructor, bringing close and careful observation and thoughtful perspective to his workshops.

Howard's Art & Frames, 1256 Dual Highway, Hagerstown; 301-733-2722; howardsart@aol.com

Art History Appreciation Class with David Bottini, Tuesdays, January 13-25, 1-2:15pm. \$50 + \$25 registration fee

This class will look at the major art, artists, and the philosophical shift that defined the Renaissance, and will include lecture, discussion, and many images to support the topic.

Creative Acrylic Painting with Jenny Avila, Wednesdays, Jan. 14th – Feb. 18th, 10am-1pm, \$125 + \$130 supply kit & \$25 registration fee. Explore the beauty of acrylic paint in a relaxed, fun and informative atmosphere. The class is open to all levels, from aspiring beginners to advanced artists.

Stained glass classes with Chris Parker – also see Adams County Arts Council

Chambersburg Rec Center, 235 South Third St., Chambersburg.

All classes run 5:30-8:30 pm; cost: \$55 (\$50 if Boro resident). call CRC at 717-261-3275 to reserve your spot.

Thursday, January 22: Cardinals/Birds; Thursday, February 19: Turtles or Hearts

Furnace Run Park, 2244 Lindsay Lot Road, Shippensburg

Call 717-230-7101 or 717-530-0261 or sign up at <https://shipparkrec.recdesk.com/Community/Program>

Thursday, January 8: Cardinals/ Birds; Thursday, February 5, Turtles or Hearts

Adams County Arts Council, 125 S. Washington St., Gettysburg location. Call (717) 334-5006 or email aa@adamsarts.org.

Foundations of Drawing with Stan Gilmore, Fridays Jan.9-Feb.13, 10am-12pm. \$140 for the 6-week class.

Gilmore will guide students through the basics of drawing, the foundation of all other art, in this class that is suitable for all levels. Students will develop an understanding of line, tone, value, light, perspective, composition, and negative space. A materials list will be supplied.

Experimental Mixed Media, with Sue Marrasso, Tuesday, Jan.13, 10am-2pm. Cost: \$143 for the 4-hour class.

Students will learn color theory, design & mixed-media techniques in this step-by-step workshop. Supplies will be provided.

Painting with Oils and Acrylics with Anita Williams, Wednesdays, Jan 14-Feb.18 ,10:30-12n. \$161 for the 6-week class.

Learn about brush techniques, mixing color, methods of composition and more. You will design a mixing color chart and also have a fun painting challenge! Instructor demos, and hands on instruction. Materials list provided. A canvas is provided.

Exploring Beginning Watercolor with Stan Gilmore, Fridays Feb.20-March 27. \$140 for the 6-week class.

Gilmore will help students build a foundation by exploring washes, dry washes, wet-on-wet, gradients, layering, brushes, brush strokes, papers, color mixing, pigment control and color theory basics. To practice skills, students will paint a still life, shapes, a landscape, and other subjects. Materials list to be provided.

Painting with Acrylics or Oils with Elsie Shackleton, Wed. Feb.25-March 18, 10:30am-12:30pm. \$106 for 4-week class. Learn about brush techniques, mixing color, methods of composition and more. You will design a mixing color chart and also have a fun painting challenge! Instructor demos, and hands on instruction. Materials list provided. A canvas is provided.

Winter Birds Glass Designs with Chris Parker, Thursday, January 15, 5:30-8:30pm. \$55 for the 3-hour workshop.

Heart or Turtle Stained Glass Designs with Chris Parker, Thursday Feb.12 from 5:30-8:30pm.

Create a stunning stained glass design with glass instructor Chris Parker. You'll apply your new knowledge of cutting techniques, grinding, copper foiling, and finishing to your design. There will be several designs and colors to choose from. At the conclusion of class you will have created amazing piece with the guidance of your instructor, suitable as a dazzling sun catcher. No prior experience necessary. Materials provided.

More opportunities for learning

Classes at Grove Library, 101 Ragged Edge Road S., Chambersburg, 717-264-9663.

Brief descriptions below: email Carol Rinehart for details: crinehart@fclspa.org

Open Studio for Adults: First and third Fridays, from 10 am to noon. Gather your supplies and your projects and come work in any art medium. Students get help and advice from the instructor, and everyone works on their own projects at their own pace. It's a nice group of supportive people who are progressing with their arts. No preregistration is needed and the program is free.

Open Studio at Fulton County Library, 227 N 1st St, McConnellsburg, Wednesdays, 12:30-3. Call 717-485-5327 for details. There will be no instruction, just bring your own materials and join other artists in working together.

Classes at Nisei Gallery, 14370 Reckord Ave, Highfield-Cascade, MD 21719, 301-414-8790, or Curator@niseigallery.com

Needle Felting Workshop, Friday, Jan. 9, 1-3pm: Learn the art of needle felting in this beginner-friendly workshop! We'll create lovely decorations, bits, and bobs, while exploring the basics of this fun and relaxing craft.

Tiny Book Binding Class, Friday Jan. 16, 1-3pm: This class will introduce you to the art of making tiny handbound books.

Exploring Watercolor, Friday Jan. 30, 1-3pm: The perfect "I'm not an artist" art class! A fun and stress free class designed to let you play with and explore the world of watercolor.

Carlisle Arts Learning Center (CALC), 38 .W. Pomfret Street Carlisle.

Registration and supply lists at 717-249-6973 or carlislearts.squarespace.com/adult-programs.

Making Collage Papers with Jeanney Wharton, Saturday, January 17, 10am-2pm. \$135 for the 4-hour class.

Students will learn the joy of making their own collage papers and how to use them.

Collage as a Fine Art with Sue Marrazzo, Saturday January 24, 10am-2pm. \$135 for the 4-hour class.

In this one-day workshop of collage art explorations, students will learn design and art techniques and create spirited and innovative collages from unique and found papers. Supply list will be provided.

Abstract Painting with Jeanney Wharton, Saturday, January 31, 12pm-3pm. \$135 for 3-hour workshop

Students will enjoy a day to play and learn the fundamentals of abstract painting.

Beginning Watercolor with Janessa Travis, Wednesday February 4, 11, 18, & 25, 10 am-12 pm, \$125 for the 4-week class plus \$10 materials fee. This beginning watercolor class covers the fundamentals of watercolor painting, including materials, techniques, and color theory. You can expect hands-on practice, demonstrations, and critiques to guide students in developing their skills and understanding of the medium.

Gelli Printing with Jeanney Wharton, Saturday, February 7, 11am-2pm, \$135 for the 3-hour workshop.

Learn how fun and easy Gelli printing is, and how to make a greeting card with your prints.

Experimental Mixed Media, with Sue Marrazzo, Tuesday, Feb.10, 10am-2pm. Cost: \$135 for the 4-hour class.

Students will learn color theory, design & mixed-media techniques in this step-by-step workshop. Supply list will be provided.

Collage and Painting Together, with Jeanney Wharton, Saturday, February 21, 10am-2pm. \$135 for the 4-hour workshop.

Students will enjoy a day to play making collage paper and learn how to add collage elements to their paintings.

Mountain Valley Plein Air, ongoing group: an offshoot of the Alliance, the Mountain Valley Plein Air painters meet every Tuesday morning, weather permitting, from mid-April through mid-October. There is no fee, and no sign-in, just come and paint at a variety of beautiful sites around Franklin (and occasionally Adams) County, and participate in an annual exhibit in the fall. Members also meet in the winter, as an informal art book club meeting biweekly at Denim Coffee in downtown Chambersburg. Email Anne Finucane at ahf53@comcast.net if you'd like to be on the email list. There is no commitment to attend, but please only sign up if you at least have the intention to participate.

Figure Drawing, ongoing group: This is a group meeting without instruction on Mondays from 10am-1pm at the Mansion House Art Gallery in Hagerstown. The usual session begins with gesture poses/sequence of brief poses, followed by 20-25 minute poses with short breaks every half hour. The professional model fee is \$20/hour split among four artists, that would be \$15 each. Because of increased gasoline costs, we have, on a voluntary basis, paying more than that. We pay the model in cash. If you are paying by check, the check would be made out to the model. Call Elaine Wolfe: (304)261-9583 (no text) with questions or to confirm attendance.

Gems Online: This winter take a look around in Google Arts and Culture. You can take a virtual walking tour of famous sites, play games and get up close to famous artworks. Lots to explore here so have fun.

Opportunities for showing your work**Franklin County Visitors Bureau will present their first open entry Call for Artists, in honor of IceFest 2026:**

Art on Ice: Inspire, Connect, Energize, at their 15 South Main Street location in Chambersburg, from January 26-February 27, 2026. Artists are invited to submit 3 works in any medium; there is no entry fee and no commission on sales. **Entry forms are due no later than January 15**, and works are to be dropped off Jan.19-22, 8:30am-4:30pm. 2-D works must be wired for hanging. IceFest Receptions will be held Thursday and Friday Jan.29 & 30 from 5-7:30pm, Saturday Jan.31 from 9am-7:30 pm and Sunday Feb.1 from 12noon-4 pm. Pickup will be March 2-6, 8am-4:30pm. An entry form is included in this newsletter. For more information call the Visitors Bureau at 717-552-2977.

Carlisle Arts Learning Center (CALC) welcomes entries in its 2026 Member's Exhibit, "Dandelion", with the theme of the color yellow! The show will be on display at their gallery at 38 West Pomfret Street in Carlisle from February 13-March 14, 2026. As a non-juried show, 2 pieces per member will be accepted, with a \$10 entry fee per piece, with **delivery dates Tuesday Jan 27 through Tuesday Feb 3**, during regular gallery hours, Tuesday-Friday 10am-5pm, Saturday 10am-3pm. Awards will be made by media and theme categories. For more information or to join CALC, call them at 717-249-6973 or go to www.carlislearts.org

The Adams County Arts Council's 22nd Annual Juried Art Exhibition will be held June 5-27, 2026 at Wolf House, United Lutheran Seminary Campus in Gettysburg, with an opening and awards reception on June 5th from 4:30-7pm, and delivery of work May 30 & 31 from 11am-2pm. **Entry deadline is Friday March 20**, and artists may enter up to 3 works completed within the last 3 years. The juror of selection & awards will be Philip Lindsey, Professor of Fine Arts & Curator of Bogigian Gallery, Wilson College; over \$3000 of awards will be made. For complete details and an entry form, check ACAC's website www.adamsarts.org or contact the Arts Council at aa@adamsarts.org or (717) 334-5006.

The Delaplaine Arts Center in Frederick, MD will hold its National Juried Exhibition May 2-July 12, 2025; this is an annual show featuring works in a variety of media by artists from around the region and nation. All media are eligible, including but not limited to: painting, printmaking, photography, ceramics, drawing, installation, and sculpture. **The deadline for entries is March 22, 2026** and the fee is \$35 per artist for up to three (3) images of artworks created in the last two years. Over \$1800 in awards will be made. Questions? Contact Corey Frey, Exhibitions Manager (301-698-0656 x108).

The Mechanicsburg Art Center, 18 Artcraft Drive in Mechanicsburg, will hold their annual February **Small Works** show, with dates to be announced soon! Open to non-members, each artist may display up to 3 works: 2-D image size no larger than 35 square inches and 3-d not more than 5" in any direction. Entry fees are \$15 for 1 piece, \$25 for 2 & \$30 for 3. Contact the Art Center at art.center@verizon.net or 717-697-2072, or check their website at www.theartcenterschoolandgalleries.com.

Fulton County Library, 227 N. 1st St., McConnellsburg. Contact April Leese at 717-485-5327 or aleese@fclspa.org for more information. The library welcomes artists to display their work for month-long exhibits.

Chambersburg Hospital: Alliance members can display their art in the busy hallway of the Chambersburg Hospital. Grateful thanks to Sharon Holoziak who organizes these shows, working with Jean Harshman and Barb Petrucci to hang them in this great location! Please contact Sharon at 717-658-6555 or skbh53@gmail.com to sign up for a 2-month show; the space requires approximately 20 works. No commission is taken, but a 20% donation to the Hospital Auxiliary is requested.

Chambersburg's Coyle Library is open Mon.-Fri 9am-8:30pm & Sat. 9am-5pm, and exhibits there are possible for 1, 2 or 3 months. Lou Cowles, who organizes the exhibits in the 2nd floor gallery area, is looking for artists interested in displaying their work. It's a good space, with excellent lighting! Call Lou at 717-263-1054 or send her an email at lcowles@fclspa.org. Several months in 2026 are still available.

Grove Family Library: "Opportunities abound to display artwork at Grove Family Library in 2026. One great advantage to showing your work in a library is that many people will see it who are not inclined to go to a gallery, so the art gets exposure to a wider audience. If you have not seen our display space, it is a welcoming area located in the Library's senior center. Please call the library at 717-264-9663, extension 1207, or email me, crinehart@fclspa.org. Thank you. Carol Rinehart".

Chambersburg's artists' co-op, The Foundry Art Market, is located at 54 Lincoln Way West, just ½ block west of the Square. The gallery continues to welcome applications from new artists. Visit www.FoundryArtMarket.com and scroll down under Home, or better yet, just stop by and meet a Foundry Artist. Many are members of the Art Alliance who enjoy the networking and collaborative aspects of Foundry membership – and having their work in a gallery with a growing audience. The shop is a busy place, open Friday through Sunday 11am-3pm, with additional hours during holidays and festivals.

NOTE: three shows usually advertised this month are missing from the schedule: **The Art of the State** is not being held in 2026 due to renovations at the State Museum, and the **TWEP wildlife art show** and the **Franklin County Historical Society** show at the Old Jail have been discontinued.



Inspire ~ Connect ~ Energize

Call to Artists for Art on ICE: A Winter Art Exhibit

Franklin County 11/30 Visitors Center, 15 South Main Street, Chambersburg

Exhibit will be on display from January 26, 2026 to February 27, 2026.

- Franklin County Visitors Bureau invites artists from age 16 to adult to submit up to three original works, created in any medium. Two-dimensional art must be wired for hanging. Personally created digital art is welcome but not Ai-generated digital art.
- Pieces simply need to *Inspire, Connect, Energize*; hence, the ICE in Art on ICE.
- Art on ICE has no entry fee.
- Art may be for sale or simply display at the exhibition; no commission will be taken.
- Entries will be exhibited in the lobby and expand into the hall areas of the Franklin County 11/30 Visitors Center, if number of submissions require the additional space.
- **Entry forms are due no later than January 15, 2026.**
- Works may be dropped at the Franklin County 11/30 Visitors Center from January 19-22, 2026 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. At time of drop off, artist’s name and contact information will be affixed to art piece. Art pick-up after the exhibition will be March 2-8, 8am-4:30pm.
- Artists are invited to meet the public during four IceFest Receptions:
 - ◊ IceFest Thursday, January 29, 2026, 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM
 - ◊ IceFest Friday, January 30, 2026, 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM
 - ◊ IceFest Saturday, January 31, 2026, 9:00 AM to 7:30 PM
 - ◊ IceFest Sunday, February 1, 2026, Noon – 4 PM

Please complete the entry form and mail or drop at the Franklin County Visitors Bureau 11/30 Visitors Center, 15 South Main St., Chambersburg. The Visitors Center is located on the SW corner of Memorial Square. Or, simply email your name, address, phone number, titles, price(s), dimensions and medium of your work(s) to jpollard@explorefranklincountypa.com

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

For any questions, please contact 717.552.2977.

Title	Medium	Price	Dimensions

FCAA Bus Trip to The Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

The Whitney Museum of American Art is a must-see New York destination. As the preeminent institution devoted to the art of the United States, the Whitney presents the full range of twentieth-century and contemporary American art, with a special focus on works by living artists.

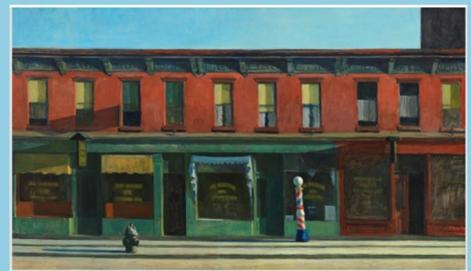
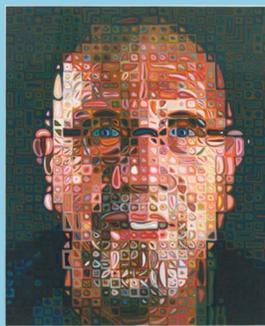
The Whitney's collection features works by over 4,000 artists, including luminaries like Edward Hopper, Georgia O'Keeffe, Alexander Calder, and Faith Ringgold. The Renzo Piano-designed building features state-of-the-art galleries and sweeping skyline views of the Statue of Liberty and the Empire State Building from the terraces. After viewing the galleries, we can have lunch at the Whitney's café, the Frenchette Bakery. Our FCAA trip coordinator Anne St. John (and NYC expert!) will also offer lunch suggestions nearby - and we can explore the High Line, a remarkable native-plant filled park 30 feet above street level, with river & city views & good accessibility from the Whitney.

Join your FCAA friends for a memorable trip on our well-appointed Wolf Motor Coach. On the day of our trip, you will need pay for your meals. **The bus will make a brief fast food stop on the way home, but you can also pack your meal/s!**

Bus Trip Schedule

Date: Monday, April 27, 2026
Time: 6:15am pickup, 8:30-9pm return
Cost: FCAA Members \$115, payable to FCAA
 Non-members \$155, payable to FCAA
Prices include driver's tip.
Pickup : Weiss Market, 1056 Wayne Ave, Chbg.

All participants need to provide a cell phone number at which they may be contacted. The bus needs to depart on time, so please be prompt. The bus only holds 38 people: reserve early!



Bus Trip Registration Form

Name _____

Address _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Please complete and mail with your \$115 (*members price*) check payable to FCAA, to Anne St. John, 95 Laurel Drive, Fayetteville, PA 17222. Contact Anne at 631-495-3354 or annestjohn1@gmail.com with questions.

FRANKLIN COUNTY ART ALLIANCE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ DATE _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

Member since (estimate ok!) _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

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

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

Membership year: July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026



Franklin County LIBRARIES The Franklin County Library System supports the Art Alliance not only with meeting space at Grove Library, but with their community art spaces open to all!

ZOELLER REAL ESTATE COMPANY Zoeller Real Estate supports the Alliance with storage space for our exhibition display racks

“Learn the rules like a pro, so you can break them like an artist.” — Pablo Picasso

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