

White Room Shows

TBA

Each artist is responsible for displaying his/her own work. When displaying with another artist please work with them on when to display, how to share the space and whether to have an Open House.

**Next AFAF meeting:
January 12, 2010,
6.30 p.m.**

AFAF Events & Schedule of Artwork Changes

January

09 - Music at the gallery, 1-4 p.m.
12 - AFAF meeting 6.30 p.m.
23 - Winter Wine Walk

February

09 - AFAF meeting 6.30 p.m. Antioch
Upper Grade Art Room
13 - Music at the gallery, 1-4 p.m.
27, 28 - Pick up old and drop off new
artwork with hanging fees; sign up for
gallery hours

March

01 - Pick up old and drop off new artwork
with hanging fees; sign up for gallery
hours
02 - Hang new show
09 - AFAF meeting 6.30 p.m. Antioch
Upper Grade Art Room
13 - Music at the gallery, 1-4 p.m.

Gallery News

All artists showing work in our gallery are reminded that you may now display up to *four* pieces except for works that are unusually large. The fee remains the same as before (\$10 for two months).

Any member who signs up for a shift in the gallery and then cancels should find a replacement, especially if the cancellation is only a week before the commitment. And please make sure your new work gets in on time to make this as easy as possible for those people who help in hanging the artwork. Also remove old work from the gallery and the closet upstairs as soon as possible.

All members working at the gallery, please be more descriptive when filling out receipts for jewelry sales. Type and color of jewelry should be specified. And please turn off the Gallery lights when you leave.

Keep an eye on the Gallery Bulletin Board! Information on upcoming events is being posted on the bulletin board at the gallery in addition to items that can be easily e-mailed.

And don't forget -- we have *live folk music free* at the gallery on the 2nd Saturday of every month from 1-4 p.m. by the group "Morman Folk Musicians."

New Art Lines Editor

This is my final issue as editor of this newsletter. I have had a wonderful time doing this job and would not have been able to do it without all of you. Thank you to Connie for the wonderful, timely news releases, to Bev for the new member details, to Marilyn for the membership updates, to Sandy for taking over the mailing, to Lisa, Roger, and all of you who have helped out with Art Lines!

The new editor of Art Lines is Lynne Krestan who will take over the newsletter next month – thank you so much, Lynne for taking this on! Please continue sending all your news and updates to Lynne. If you need to contact her, the e-mail address is simplewisdom@sbcglobal.net.

– *Jasmine Tata*
Art Lines Editor

Open Studio

Need inspiration to complete that long overdue art project? Come and join your fellow AFAF artists on Thursdays from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Antioch Upper Grade Art room. There is no fee, but donations to the AFAF will gladly be accepted.

Welcome New Members!

Please welcome new members Nancy Morrissey and Marlene Keibler. We're glad you joined us -- and look forward to seeing you at a meeting.

Nancy Morrissey. Nancy is a talented artist that recently joined AFAF. Nancy directed me to her great website learn more about her passion, philosophy, and art work. Please visit June-marie.net to enjoy her wonderful paintings, and to get to know her better.

Marlene Keibler. Marlene returned to painting after receiving an art kit as a gift. Marlene enjoys doing landscapes, florals, and characters in oil. She is very happy to be back at her easel, and is looking forward to meeting, and sharing the joy of art with our AFAF members.

If you have not seen our events publicized in your local newspaper please contact Connie Siewert at mommyfingers29@yahoo.com with the paper's name and email address and she will contact them and make sure our events show up in your local paper.

Art in the Area

The **Anderson Arts Center** (121 66th Street, Kenosha, WI) has a wonderful lineup of current and upcoming gallery shows:

Through January 3, 2010
Main, East & Upper Galleries: Winter

Juried Show
3-D Gallery: Holiday Exhibit
January 24, 2010– March 21, 2010
Fiberistic Journeys; by Ann Fahl, Kathleen Schroeder, Robbie Joy Eklow, Rachel Wetzler, Beth P. Gilbert, Denise Havlan, Annette M. Hendricks
3-D Gallery: "Liquid Landscape" and "Denizens and Diorama" by Angela Laughingheart – Sculptural Fiber
Call 262-653-0481 or go to www.andersonartscenter.com for more information.

The Robert T. Wright Community Gallery of Art at CLC (19351 West Washington Street, Grayslake, IL) announces the Members Exhibition from January 15 -- February 21, 2010. A diverse group show of all fine art media by over 100 Lake County, Illinois artists. Reception: Friday, January 15, 7-9 pm

Calls for Artwork and Other Opportunities

Sandy Wildkatsch is giving classes in metal clay (silver, bronze and copper) at Bella Beads in Mundelein. Check the schedule at www.bellabeads-mundelein.com or call Dori Davis at 847-837-1896. If you want more information on the clay Sandy can be reached at gone2thedawgs@att.net.

The **Round Lake Beach Civic and Cultural Center** will display your art work for up to two months, and publicize your art in the town newsletter. (20% commission for sold artworks.) If interested, please contact Cathe Ladner at cjladner@sbcglobal.net or 847-975-9707.

Area Locations. We have several local businesses in Antioch to display our

work:
State Bank of the Lakes – room for 5 – 7 easels
American United Bank – room for upto 15 paintings
Mirror Image – will also be accepting pictures
Please see the sign up sheet at the gallery posted in office area.
Questions? Please contact Marjie Krutsch at 847-502-8251 or marjie1@comcast.net.

AFAF's Facebook Page:
<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Antioch-IL/Antioch-Fine-Arts-Foundation/60491458485?ref=mf>

Applause!

Bonnielynn Brankey has had a painting accepted into Watercolor Wisconsin, at Wustum Museum, 2519 Northwestern Ave, Racine WI. The exhibition will run through April 24, 2010.

Catherine Nash, TWSA has two paintings accepted into the Anderson Arts Center Winter Exhibit which runs through January 3, 2010. Anderson Arts Center is located in Kenosha, WI.

Let's hear from you! The Applause column publicizes our members' art-related exhibits, activities, and achievements. If you would like to have your news published in this column, please leave the items in the "Newsletter" mailbox at the Gallery, or e-mail simplewisdom@sbcglobal.net.

Deadline for next newsletter: January 17, 2009. Send news items to simplewisdom@sbcglobal.net or drop them off in the "Newsletter" mailbox at the gallery.

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