



~ The Artist's Palette ~

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Special points of interest:

- **Winter Art Exhibit pick up date at Oxford Municipal Bldg changed from Jan 4th to Jan 18th.**
- *Artwork pickup of WCARTS Guest Exhibit pieces at 5 East Art Gallery is Sunday Jan 5th, 10am.*
- *Artwork Drop off for Shadows & Silhouettes is Jan 18, 9 -10:30am at Oxford Municipal Bldg.*

From the President's Pen

Welcome one and all to 2020! Look to the box up on the left, see the volume number? That's how many years I've been writing the Warren County ARTS newsletter!! WOW!

January is sort of a catch all for activities. Yes this month we have 1) voting for members of the Board of Directors. Every two years these positions come up for renewal vote. Once we get that out of the way, then we'll also have 2) Member Show & Tell and if time permits a 3) palette knife acrylic painting project. See the description on page 3 for the painting project.

So regarding voting- Nominations will be accepted for all positions: President, Secretary, Treasurer, and 2 Member-at-Large seats.

Descriptions of the various roles is on page 3. I encourage everyone to consider signing up to do something! I learned early on that the more I contribute to an activity;

Daily Fare

The meeting this month is on **Saturday Jan 11th, 1-3pm** at the Oxford Municipal Building, 11 Green St., Oxford, NJ.

The 2020 membership year starts in March. Please note new fee structure below:

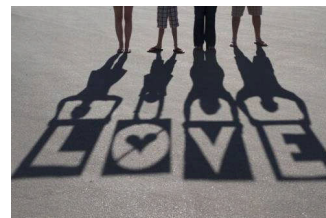
\$30/yr for single membership, \$55/yr for family memberships, \$25/yr for Seniors 75+, \$20/yr for students 18+ with school ID.

Donations or Sponsorships are easily accepted via our website (www.wcarts.org). Payments for annual memberships or sponsorship can be made electronically via PayPal or by check made payable to WCARTS and sent to Warren County ARTS, PO Box 420, Washington, NJ 07882.

If you have information to share with the membership, please contact Pam at 908-581-5185 or via email pjeden@yahoo.com.

the more I learn, enjoy and "get back" from it.

Our new upcoming show is "Shadows & Silhouettes" Jan 18 - March 14th. The



application form is available on our website. No fee for WCARTS members, \$15

fee for non members to enter up to 4 pieces. WCARTS receives 25% commission on artwork sold.

NOTE change in date for Winter Exhibit Artwork pickup !!!

Your Prez - Pamela Dulaff.

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WCARTS Monthly Program Schedule 2020

Held at Oxford Municipal Bldg unless otherwise noted.

Warren County ARTS Corporation- 2020 Monthly Program Schedule

Month / Date	Confirmed	Topic	Speaker	web	Participant fee
1/11/2020 (Sat, 1-3pm)	Yes	Voting / Show & Tell / Painting project	Pamela Dulaff		N/A
2/8/2020 (Sat, 1-3pm)	Yes	watercolor workshop	Doris Ettlinger	www.dorissettlinger.com	Member - Free, Non-member - \$10
3/14/2020 (Sat, 1-3pm)	Yes	Lecture "Women of Flowers"	Jean Perry		Member - Free, Non-member - \$10
4/9/2020 (Thu, 7-9pm)	Yes	Eagle Photography	Bob Behrent		Free
5/14/2020 (Thu, 7-9pm)	Yes	Oil Painting - Hudson School	Bill Hobbs	williamdhobbs.com	Free
6/11/2020 (Thu, 7-9pm)	Yes	Art Journaling	Samantha Matthews (Art Across Borders)	artacrossborders.com	Member - Free, Non-member - \$10
7/11/2020 Aug	Date TBC	Picnic Summer Break	Peggy Niece House- Oxford NJ		N/A N/A
9/10/2020 (Thu, 7-9pm)					
10/10/2020 (Sat, 1-3pm)					
11/14/2020 (Sat, 1-3pm)	Yes	Sculpture with Sculpy Workshop	Hillary Hill		\$10/person for sculpy
12/12/2020 (Sat, 1-3pm)		Holiday Lunch/Dinner			Members & Family only

WCARTS- Oxford Municipal Bldg Gallery Exhibit Schedule - 2020

2020 Warren County ARTS Exhibition Schedule

Start	End	Exhibitor	Reception	Title/Theme	Entry Fee
16-Nov-19	18-Jan-20	Open	8-Dec-19	Annual Winter Art Exhibit	Members - Free, \$15 nonmembers
18-Jan-20	14-Mar-20	Open	2-Feb-20	Shadows & Silhouettes	Members - Free, \$15 nonmembers
14-Mar-20	2-May-20		29-Mar-20	TBD	
2-May-20	18-Jul-20	Open	7-Jun-20	Spring Open Art Exhibit	

Treasurer's Report



December 2019

Balance: \$2854.53



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It's tough to run an organization and have interesting programs and events. Yes, we receive grant money through Warren County Cultural Heritage Division, but on it's own it's not enough to cover everything we want to do. If you shop on Amazon, then here's a simple and automatic way to support Warren County ARTs every time you shop, *at no cost to you*. When you shop at smile.amazon.com 0.5% of the purchase price from eligible AmazonSmile purchases is donated by the AmazonSmile Foundation to your selected charitable organization. Your account information is the same for both Amazon.com and AmazonSmile along with all the same products and prices. On your first visit to AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com), you need to select a charitable organization to receive donations *before* you begin shopping. Your selection is saved and then every eligible purchase made at smile.amazon.com afterwards will result in a donation to that organization. *Only purchases made on Smile.Amazon.com result in donations.* To select/change your charity, sign in to smile.amazon.com on your desktop or mobile phone and select "change your charity" in "Your account", enter Warren County Arts Corporation in the charity list search field and select us. Periodically you'll receive an email from AmazonSmile to let you know how much your selected charity has received.

January Meeting/Program information

The January program is for Members only.

- 1) VOTING - 20 minutes
- 2) SHOW & TELL- 25 minutes
- 3) EASY PALETTE KNIFE PAINTING PROJECT - 1 hour

1) Voting- Nominees accepted for the following Officers & Board of Director (BOD) positions:

President: Presides over all meetings, oversee general & active management of the business of Warren County ARTS. Appoint all committees, Ensure all resolutions of the BOD are carried into effect.

Nominee: incumbent - Pamela Dulaff

Vice President: Perform & exercise the duties of the President (if absent) as well any other duties prescribed by the President or Board.

Nominee: new- Hillary Hill

Secretary: Attend all session of the Board of Directors & regular meetings to record minutes of all transactions. Distribute copies of minutes, give notice of all meetings of BOD. May have other duties as assigned by BOD or President.

Nominee: incumbent - Carol Zielinski

Treasurer: Receiving & managing all

monies for Warren County ARTS, keep an accurate account of all expenditures and receipts. Authorized to pay all bills associated with WCARTS with approval of President.

Nominee: incumbent - Peggy Niece

Member at Large: Two positions. Duties are determined by President. Required to attend all BOD meetings. Responsibility for one or more of the following activities/committees: Exhibitions, Publicity, Marketing, Social Media, Hospitality, Membership, DayTrip planning...

Member at Large I:

Nominee: incumbent - Brian Daum

Member at Large II:

Nominee: New - Rosemary Barcellona

2) SHOW & TELL - Bring one or two pieces of artwork that you having been working on and are either having trouble with and would like suggestions or are particularly proud of.

3) EASY PALETTE KNIFE PAINTING

When I first started painting on my own after my knee replacement in early 2018, this impressionistic palette knife acrylic painting of Poppies was one of the first



online tutorials I followed. If you'd like to watch the tutorial ahead of time here's the link for Painting with Jane on YouTube at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aLjS98OhFyQ> (We'll use the following: • A 1-inch flat brush • A small pointed palette knife • A 2 1/2-inch narrow palette knife • You'll also need an extra paper towel, acrylic paints in the following colors: • Titanium White • Burnt Umber • Mars Black • Cadmium Red Deep Hue • Naphthol Crimson (can substitute Cadmium Red Medium Hue) • Cadmium Yellow Deep Hue But you can use any colors you like). I also added some Golden paste medium to give my poppies additional texture. Remember those free samples we got at the Roy Kinzer Program?

Member News & Art Opportunities

- Entries due: Jan 23, 2020 for 5th Annual Xpose - Regional Juried Photography Exhibit at Sussex County Arts & Heritage Council, Newton, NJ. Acceptance issued 2/6/20, Artwork intake: 3/1 & 3/6, Reception: 3/21, Critique 3/28 @ noon. Pickup 4/19 & 4/21. Entry fee \$45 for

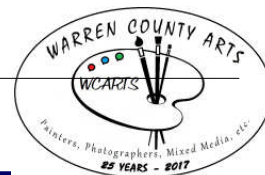
up to 3 pieces. For full details download the Call for Artists from <https://scahc.org/> Best in show \$300, cash prizes for 2nd place & Best in Category winners.

I wanted to share a great online framing supply resource that I have been using. The company is FrameDestination.com and let you know that Warren County ARTS members are eligible for an artist discount.

FRAMEDESTINATION.COM - Artist Discount: 10% OFF EVERY ORDER - STOREWIDE. As a member of Warren County ARTS you will receive an automatic discount of 10% off every order storewide. No coupon or discount code to remember or minimum purchase required. The discount is valid on every purchase you make regardless of how often or how much your order from Frame Destination. This discount cannot be combined with other offers.

- Create an account on FrameDestination.com and contact Sales@framedestination.com or phone 972-479-1188 with your organization's name: Warren County Arts Corporation. Within 5 minutes or so, your account will be activated.

About Warren County Arts



Website: www.wcarts.org
Facebook: @wcarts- warren county arts corporation

In 2017 Warren County ARTS (WCARTS) celebrated 25 years as an arts organization in Warren County NJ! After all this time we continue to be a close knit group dedicated to our mission to promote the advancement of the arts in Warren County and provide a venue for artists of all disciplines to learn with a variety of monthly programs. We welcome anyone who is an artist, wants to be an artist or appreciates the arts & just

enjoys hanging out with artists! Our meetings are held once a month at the Oxford Municipal Building in Oxford, NJ. Each meeting has an exciting program to stimulate and educate. We have one judged exhibition, several non-juried shows as well as solo exhibits on display throughout the year in the Oxford Municipal Building. We offer special day trips & other

“Warren County ARTS celebrated 25 years in 2017”

events to the membership which are free or low cost. WCARTS is a not for profit 501(c)3 organization. Funding for our programs is made possible, in part, by a grant from Warren County Cultural & Heritage Commission. We encourage everyone to share their knowledge & experience with the group in the form of a workshop or lecture.

President: Pamela Dulaff
Vice Pres: Kathleen Jusko
Treasurer: Peggy Niece
Secretary: Carol Zielinski
Member at Large I: Brian Daum
Member at Large II: Open
Membership: Peggy Niece
Newsletter, Social: Pam Dulaff
Programs & Day Trips: Pam Dulaff
Exhibit Chair: Brian Daum
Hospitality: Open
Publicity: Open
Historian: Pat Olds

December Pictures - Holiday Potluck Luncheon



Great turn out for the Annual Holiday PotLuck Luncheon! And of course FABULOUS FOOD!!!

Gift Exchange Table had a great variety of items. After we ate, ticket numbers were called and folks went up to the table to select their gift.

