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Greater Haverhill Arts Association

AUGUST 2018 NEWS

Send items (announcements, opportunities) by the end of the month, questions and feedback at anytime, to info@ghaa.art. If you are having a solo show, open studio, or similar event, or have your work juried into an exhibit or receive an honor, tell us so we can share the good news. *Have you not received recognition when your colleagues have? We do our best to stay abreast of the art scene, but we depend on you to notify us directly of your honors. Don't be modest - we want to rejoice with you!* If you or another member experiences a life event (marriage, birth, hospitalization, etc.) and would welcome recognition/support from the rest of us, do let us know.

Calendar at a Glance

July-August Featured Artist James McCarthy at Art Niche, Innovation Hub August 11 Workshop 9-12 August 25 Workshop 9-12 August 27 Registration Deadline Haverhill Library Exhibit August 30 Deliver to Haverhill Public Library 5-7 September 8 Art Festival on Bradford Common 10-4 September 22 Workshop 9-12 September 22 Demo at HC Media 2-4

WE ARE ALL VOLUNTEERS! How can you help your GHAA serve you best?



Summer Stag by Miranda Mitrano

IF YOU'RE NOT A MEMBER -JOIN US ONLINE or HERE

Welcome New Members:

THE GHAA SATURDAY ART WORKSHOPS

at the FCC on the Bradford Common are held 9-12 on the 2nd & 4th Saturdays, with a still life set-up and a posed model; Mark Hayden and Joan Rademacher mentor, and Mimi Johnson monitors. All mediums, all levels, all ages welcome! A \$5 donation is requested and always appreciated. *Always check the website and/or Facebook page for last-minute changes!*

We thank Mark and Mimi for continuing the Saturday Workshops in July and August!

Patricia Selin

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GHAA NEWS!

Membership renewal is due September 1 and doing it <u>ONLINE</u> is so easy!

The GHAA is *your* art association! If you haven't yet responded to the poll regarding venues for our demos, please do so. We need to hear what's best for you and why, as we plan future programs. So far most of the responses are in favor of HC Media, so the September demo will be held there. However, because we try to meet the needs of all our members, the October demo will be held at Buttonwoods.

Paul Ciaramitaro will give a demo in drawing the figure at HC Media (Harbor Place, 2

Merrimack Street, Haverhill) on Saturday, September 22, 2-4 PM. Parking is in the lot diagonally across the street, free on weekends.

Watch for a special **RESOURCES ISSUE** from your GHAA MailChimp in mid-August! The listings (Ongoing.... Bookmark these links...) will no longer appear at the end of each newsletter. Instead, an expanded listing will be sent separately twice a year for you to keep and reference. It will include venues that welcome solo exhibits as well as networking links.

Our annual members exhibit at the Haverhill Public Library is earlier this year: August 31 1 - October 30. The deadline to register is August 27 and delivery/hanging is August 30. The online form is <u>HERE</u> or you can print and mail the <u>paper form</u>. Your membership for the coming year needs to be paid in order participate; you can pay dues and registration at the same time.

Join us at the GHAA Art Festival on Bradford Common, Saturday, September 8 - the form is <u>HERE</u> and on the website, where you can register and pay online. The fees remain the same - \$30 members, \$40 nonmembers.

Are you receiving our news and benefiting from all the GHAA has to offer, but are not yet a member? We hope you'll join us! The GHAA year is September 1 - August 3. If your membership has lapsed, consider renew ing - still a bargain at \$30 (if you attend the five demos and enter one piece in the Annual Open Exhibit as a non-member, it would be more than the membership fee). We do not mail individual renew al notices to keep expenses dow n. It's also a good time to **UPDATE YOUR BIO**; send the current one to info@ghaa.art or bring it to the next event. Do you have representative **IMAGES ON THE WEBSITE**? Have you updated them recently? Did you notice that each new sletter features the work of a different member? Send images to dshirleyart@yahoo.com.

Members' Honors, Awards, Solo Exhibits

James McCarthy is the Featured Artist for July and August in the Art Niche at Innovation Hub (UMass Lowell at Harbor Place, 2 Merrimack Street, Haverhill). He works in digital art with a wide range of subject matter. Security is a plus for iHub at Harbor Place; If you should go to the 3rd floor and find it locked, go to UMASS Lowell on the 2nd floor - staff there can give access.

Margery Jennings, **Daniel Shaw**, and **Susan Spellman** are core members of the Newburyport 10 Plein Air Painters (N 10) who will be exhibiting at the Newburyport Art Association through August 12, with a public reception August 3, 6-8 PM.

Ann Jones has a solo exhibit at the Hall-Haskell Gallery in Ipswich through Sunday August 5, 1-5 PM daily.

Kathleen Bennett has a solo exhibit "Sky and Marsh" through August 30 at Post Road Framers in Rowley.

Sheila Alden has a solo exhibit at the First Ipswich Bank, Gloucester Branch, through August 31.

ARTISTIC OPPORTUNITIES

- Innovation Hub of UMASS Lowell at Harbor Place (2 Merrimack Street, Haverhill, 3rd floor) is partnering with the GHAA to showcase members in an Art Niche, a space that lends itself to featuring a single artist for a two-month period. Two adjacent walls (5 ft and 8 ft) can accommodate 2 very large paintings or 10 very small paintings, or a mix of in-between sizes. There is a surface for promotional materials and perhaps a small sculpture. The venue hours are Monday - Friday, 8:30 - 5:00 (www.uml.edu/ihub). There is no charge to participate; the usual 15/20/65 % (venue/GHAA/artist) will apply to any sales. If you are interested in participating, respond to info@ghaa.art. James McCarthy is the Featured Artist for July and August.
- Don't forget to register for the **GHAA Art Festival** on Saturday, September 8! The form is <u>HERE</u> and on the website, where you can register and pay online. The fees remain the same \$30 members, \$40 nonmembers no commissions!
- North Shore Arts Association offers informal "Paint In or Out" Sessions every Wednesday noon-3, July -September. The studio/gallery and grounds will be open to all artists, all levels (\$5). RSVP is recommended (but walk-ins welcome): https://www.nsarts.org.
- The New Hampshire Art Association invites all to paint plein air Tuesday mornings (8:30) during the summer. For locations and directions go to nhartassociation.org.
- There will be a Pop-Up Gallery of fine art In Wyndham NH on Saturday October 20 (10-4); indoor booths or outdoor space available. Contact Patricia Crowley (daartist@comcast.net or 603 893-1425).
- Parker River NWR Headquarters is seeking artists for month-long solo shows in 2019. contact Jean Adams (jean_adams@fws.gov or 978-465-5753 ext 208) for more info.

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