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Greater Haverhill Arts Association

September 2019 NEWS

GHA A RENEWAL TIME!

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

September 1 Membership Renewals Due!

September-October Featured Artist Rebecca Jones at Art Niche, Innovation Hub

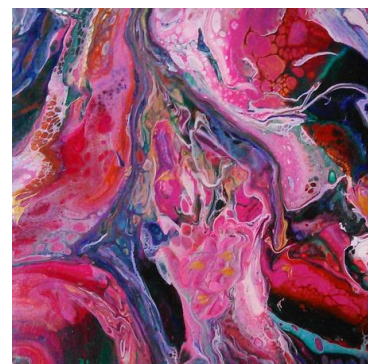
September 3 Deliver to Haverhill Public Library

September 6 close of GHA A Exhibit in the Senate Lobby

September 7 Art Festival on Bradford Common 10-4

September 14 Saturday Workshop 9-12

September 28 Saturday Workshop 9-12



Ascension Process by Rebecca Jones

IF YOU'RE NOT A MEMBER - JOIN US [ONLINE](#) or [HERE](#)

Welcome new

WE ARE ALL VOLUNTEERS!

How can you help your GHAA serve you best?

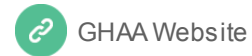
members-
Lisa Hertel
Anne McCambridge

THE GHAA SATURDAY ART WORKSHOPS

in the hall behind the church (FCC) on 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. Want a bit of immortality by serving as a portrait model? Volunteer for a sitting! *Always check the website and/or Facebook page for last-minute changes!*

We thank Pentucket Bank for sponsoring September and October Workshops!

Become a member!



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Benefactors subsidize our programs, including the Saturday Workshops.

The GHAA NEWS

Renew your membership - the GHAA year is September 1 - August 31; you can easily renew online!

Join us on the Bradford Common September 7 - the annual GHAA Art Festival is the place to be from 10 - 4. Info and registration are [HERE](#) and online; there are still a few spaces available. Don't miss this wonderful event - stop by and enjoy the day even if you

aren't exhibiting!

The **Saturday Workshops** resume September 14. We thank **Pentucket Bank** for sponsoring the sessions in September and October!

The September demo at HC Media has been canceled. The next demo will be October 27 at Buttonwoods with Christopher Volpe.

The GHAA Members' Exhibit is at the Haverhill Public Library in September and October. Art delivery is September 3rd.

Tis the season! Get your wee art ready for the ArtisTree, our annual contribution to Buttonwoods Festival of Trees. Materials will be available for the asking at all our events in September and October.

Can't do much by way of volunteering? How about three hours on a Saturday morning? We are always looking for volunteers to be **portrait models for the Saturday Workshops**, which are held in the hall behind the church in Bradford on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month 9-noon. A volunteer poses on the model stand (20 minute periods, 5 minute breaks between). No experience necessary - all ages! Regular attire (or costumes can be fun). Email info@ghaa.art with questions or to sign up.

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 31. If your membership has lapsed, consider renewing - 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 renewal notices to keep expenses down. 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

Rebecca Jones is the Featured Artist for September and October in the Art Niche at Innovation Hub (UMass Lowell at Harbor Place, 2 Merrimack Street, Haverhill). She is known for her fluid works in acrylic. 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.

The Senate Lobby at the State House in Boston serves as an art gallery where senators can feature the fine art of constituents who are professional artists. Senator DiZoglio is hosting a juried exhibit of GHAA members residing in Massachusetts through September 6. We thank **Susan Kneeland** and **Tracy Meola** for jurying the submissions. These artists represent the GHAA for this show: **Kathleen Bennett, Barbara Brissenden, Anne Cook, Anna Teresa Hull, Ann Jones, Susan Cole Kelly, Judith Larmay, Lynne Schulte LaValley, James McCarthy, Maria Nemchuk, Joan Rademacher, Susan Spellman, Debbie Shirley, and Robert Stokes**. Visitors are welcome in the Senate Lobby except when the Senate is in session (usually Mondays and Thursdays). We are pleased to raise awareness of the GHAA and to

showcase a number of our artists.

Mackenzie Casto has an exhibit of her watercolors at the Mass General Cancer Center in Boston through September. The July issue of *Haverhill Life* featured Mackenzie and her art.

Susan Kneeland, Maria Nemchuk, and Debbie Shirley are among the Master Artists of the Newburyport Art Association in the Masters Exhibit (Part 2) September 17 - 29.

Maureen DeSisto has an exhibit at the Wilmington Library in September.

Debbie Shirley has paintings juried into the Real/Unreal Exhibition for the National Association of Women Artists, at the B. Beamesderfer Gallery in Highland Park NJ through October 31st.

Susan Cole Kelly had art juried into the RAA Grassroots Exhibit in August.

Joan Radmacher had a painting juried into the current NSAA Exhibit.

Sandra Peters received an award at the weekend event of the NSAA.

ARTISTIC OPPORTUNITIES

- The annual GHAA Art Festival on Bradford Common happens this year on Saturday, September 7; the info and registration are [HERE](#) and online. There are still spaces available - don't miss this wonderful event.
- All American Assisted Living in Kingston NH is seeking a muralist to paint realistic landscapes on three interior doors. Contact Stephanie at 603-347-5522 or sburrows@allamericanatkingston.com.
- The first Haverhill Art Walk will be taking place in downtown Haverhill on Saturday, September 14th from 5 to 8pm. Start at The Switchboard at 43 Washington Street to get your map and find out more about the participating artists and businesses. Want to be a part of it? We are still looking for more artists who want to paint or sketch en plein air in the Cultural District during the event, as well as artists who want to set up an easel or display indoors at the Burgess Center at 143-145 Essex Street. Contact Debbie at DShirleyArt@yahoo.com for more information.
- **Susan Kneeland** will present a demo "Acrylic and Colored Pencil" for the Woburn Guild of Artists. Open to all, it will be September 12 at the New Horizons at Choate, Terrace Lounge (21 Warren Avenue, Woburn) at 7 PM.
- Derry Homegrown Farm & Artisan Market in Derry NH is seeking local artists for a free opportunity to demonstrate your skills 3-7 PM on a Wednesday in September, in downtown Derry. The space is free; artists are juried in: contact Wendy info@derryhomegrown.org with 'Artist Spotlight' in the subject line.
- The Andover Artists Guild calls for artists for "Art at The Ridge" on September 29 (10-4) at Rolling Ridge in North Andover: aagartinfo@gmail.com or 978-886-8729 for more info or to enter. It's an outdoor event, with an indoor option should the weather be inclement.
- **Maria Nemchuk** is teaching two Saturday morning (9-1) sessions at the Essex Art Center: Fall Colors in New England (Plein Air Workshop), 10/19; Painting with Casein (materials provided), 11/2. Sign up at essexartcenter.org.

- The Concord Art Center calls for artists to enter the Roddy Memorial Exhibit: <https://www.concordart.org/exhibitions/20th-annual-frances-n-roddy-exhibition>.
- The NH Art Association calls for artists for the 20th Annual Joan L Dunfey Juried exhibition; the deadline is September 15: submit online www.nhartassociation.org.
- The Rockport Art Association is calling for artists for a National Exhibit: <https://www.rockportartassn.org/raam-national-2019>
- There is a Pop-Up fine arts show October 19 (10-4) in Windham NH. For info or to apply: neil.j.fallon@gmail.com or DAArtist@comcast.net
- Newburyport is hosting an ArtWalk on November 2, with some shared space available for those without studios in the city (first-come, first serve). The cost to participate is \$35, giving you a space, a place on the map, signs and balloons. Contact Sara: sara.demrow.dent@comcast.net.
- 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 65/20/15 % (artist/GHAA/venue) will apply to any sales. If you are interested in participating, respond to info@ghaa.art.

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