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Important Upcoming Dates

November 10: MAG Board Meeting, 6 pm Sequoya Library
January 2: Registration deadline for January Showcase
January 9: Drop-off for January Showcase 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

November 10th MAG Board Meeting

All MAG members are welcome to attend any meeting of our Board. The meeting will begin at 6:00 p.m. at Sequoya Library on Midvale Blvd. Agenda items will include the Activities Committee survey, supply discounts for MAG card holders, the 2016 Directory, the addition of websites to the Directory, and creating a promotional brochure for MAG. The meeting will be held in one of the small classrooms.

Annual Meeting Report

The official annual meeting of the MAG took place on October 15th, at the Great Dane Pub in Fitchburg. In addition to a fun gathering of members and guests, and a delicious dinner arranged by Sherry Klinkner and Chris Echtner, the Annual Meeting of the corporation was held. Thomas Kuchenbecker was unanimously elected to a second term as Treasurer. The four amendments to the corporate bylaws, introduced in the last newsletter, were approved. Three attendees volunteered to help set up the January Showcase, but there were no offers to fill the vacant positions of Membership Chairperson or Chairperson of the January Showcase. Four of MAGs eight new members were introduced and presented samples of their works.

*We had a lovely annual dinner and meeting at the Great Dane in Fitchburg on October 15th. 31 members attended including 4 of our new members who shared their artwork with us. A big thank you to Sherry Klinkner for organizing this event for us.

New Member Jurying Results

Our new member jurying is over and we are pleased to welcome 8 new member into the Madison Art Guild!

Irene Clark	Fiber
Nancy Donahue	Mixed Media
Patricia Duren	Oil and Soft Pastel
Marcia Getto	Photography
Rebecca Herb	Watercolor
Andrea Murray	Oil
Julie Snyder	Jewelry
David Williams	Watercolor

Help Wanted!

We have two, possibly three, chair positions available at this time:

Membership Chair

This position is responsible for keeping member information up to date and keeping a list of artists who have expressed interest in becoming members. This chair is also responsible for organizing the new member jurying to be held in September.

January Showcase

This position is responsible for organizing the January Showcase at the UW Hospital. This consists of getting the list of participants to the gallery coordinator at the hospital so that she can make the labels and organizing volunteers for intake and pick-up.

Event Chair

Typically, this position has been held by the Membership Chair and that is still an option. This position would primarily plan the annual October dinner when we hold our annual meeting. This involves securing a venue, invitations to members and any other details involved with the logistics of the event.

We will certainly help with support and any questions you have if you should choose to accept any of these opportunities to work more directly with MAG. *Chris Echtner*

Art Night!

Our next Art Night is November 5th, 6:00pm at the home of Kerri Shannon, 3026 Yarmouth Greenway Dr., Fitchburg. 608-513-0220

Come and enjoy a relaxing evening with other artists. Bring art, a beverage or finger food to share or just bring yourself. New members are welcome! See you there.

A big "thank you" to Karen Watson-Newlin for hosting our August Art Night and to Sherry Klinkner for hosting our September Art Night.

It's Time for the January Showcase!

MAG members are encouraged to participate in the January Showcase. Please fill out and return the application, shown below:

MADISON ART GUILD, ARTIST'S REGISTRATION

JANUARY SHOWCASE, January 9 to February 6, 2016

U. W. Hospital and Clinics

Register by Saturday, Jan. 2, 2016. Drop off art at U. W. Hospital (Main Entrance) on Saturday, Jan. 9, between 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Pick up art on Saturday, February 6 between 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. One or two, artworks may be submitted. There is no fee for this show but a 20% U. W. commission is charged on sales. Two-dimensional art must have hanging wire attached to the frame. Please identify your work with a tag on the back or bottom.

REGISTRATION:

ARTIST'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

E-MAIL _____ PHONE _____

TITLE CARDS:

TITLE:
MEDIUM:
DIMENSIONS :
WIDTH:
HEIGHT:
DEPTH:
SALE PRICE _____ OR NFS

Value if not for sale \$ _____

TITLE
MEDIUM:
DIMENSIONS:
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DEPTH:
SALE PRICE _____ OR NFS

\$ _____

ART SHOW TERMS:

Entries must be original work by submitting artist. All entries are at the sole risk of the artist. Madison Art Guild does not provide insurance and is not liable for any loss, theft or damage that may occur during the exhibit. Artists may offer their artwork for sale, subject to any MAG conditions of sale.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE _____

Please mail your registration with your original signature to:

David Carpenter
53 Cherokee Circle #201
Madison, WI 53704

For questions, please contact me at:
dcarpenter3@charter.net
(608) 442-6958

Heritage Credit Union Offers MAG Artists a Great Venue

Heritage Credit Union in Prairie du Sac is a unique office setting that boasts a café, library area, and gallery space that allows for artists to display installments for public viewing. I am currently looking for artists to display their work for the following dates in the upcoming year. These are the available installment dates:

January 4, 2016 thru February 26, 2016

February 29, 2016 thru April 29, 2016

May 2, 2016 thru July 15, 2016

July 18, 2016 thru August 30, 2016

The display spaces are each individually lit for optimal viewing, and we use a Walker-type cable hanging system. There is space for 6 larger pieces, or the ability for multiple smaller pieces to share wall space as well. Upon request, elevations of each wall space will be provided, as well as time to come personally visit the branch to get a feel for the space. Art on display can be for sale, but all transactions are handled between the prospective buyer and the artist. Heritage Credit Union does not collect any commission on pieces sold.

Please contact me with any questions or for further information.

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Wisconsin Union Directorate Art Committee Call for Artists

I am contacting you on behalf of the Wisconsin Union Directorate Art Committee. We are a student-run organization based in the University of Wisconsin-Madison. We currently run two galleries in our Unions and are sending out our final call for submissions for the 2016-2017 cycle. The deadline for submissions is Friday November 6th. We are looking for artist from the Midwest area that would like to exhibit their work through us.

If you have students, colleagues, friends, or acquaintances that you believe would be interested in submitting their artwork for the opportunity to have their own month-long exhibition, please forward this message to them. The application process is fairly simple. You can find more information about our committee and the submissions process at <https://union.wisc.edu/get-involved/wud/art/> or you can email me with any questions. We are looking forward to receiving your submissions!

Francesca Pessarelli

Associate Director of Installations and Submissions Art Committee Wisconsin Union Directorate
University of Wisconsin-Madison, 414-243-5009

Wine and Art Teaching Opportunity

Laurie Struss, of the Cambridge Arts Council, is looking for artists that might be interested in teaching a wine and art class. All classes are on Friday Nights at the Camrock Café 7:00 to 9:00pm.

The art project needs to be able to be completed within the two hour time frame.

Each class costs \$35 per student, with \$10 of that fee going to the Camrock for the drinks, and \$25 going to the instructor. This must cover their supplies and time (generally about \$500-\$600). We usually have 20-24 students depending on how much space is needed to work on the project (but there is no guarantee as to how many will sign up).

Cambridge Arts Council will provide marketing of the class, tables that are set up and ready to use, nametags, a class list and help, should you need it during the class.

If you or any one you know are interested in teaching please email me at cambridgewiarts@gmail.com

Many thanks,

Laurie Struss

Volunteers Needed

The Wisconsin Alliance of Artists and Craftspeople (WAAC) is in need of volunteers for the Winter Art Fair Off the Square held on November 14, 9-5 & November 15, 10-4 at the Monona Terrace.

Help is needed with booth sitting, silent auction, and info booth.

Benefits for volunteering include free entry into the art show.

Please contact:

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