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SUMMER 2012

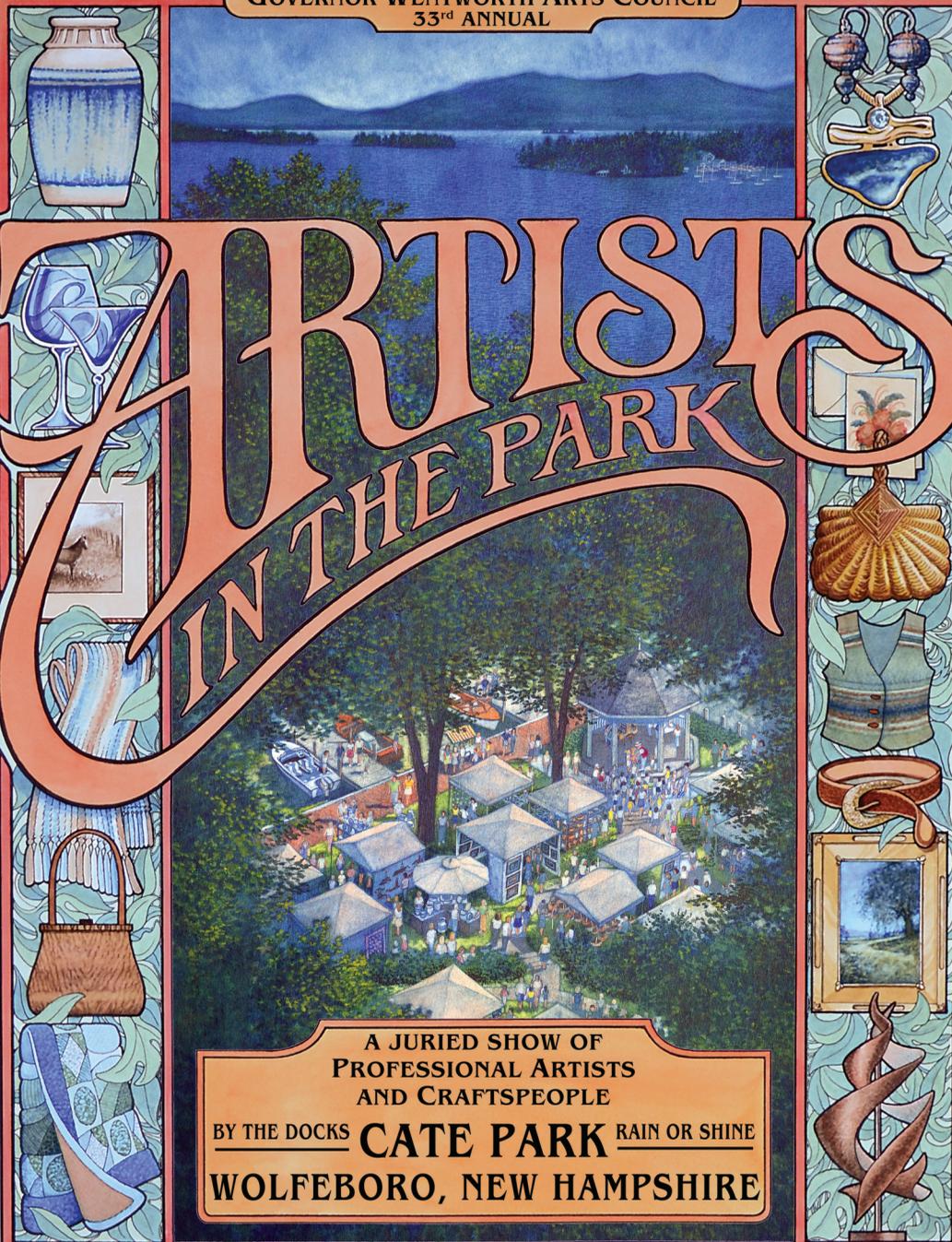
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A quarterly publication for members and arts supporters

WEDNESDAY • AUGUST 15, 2012 • 10 TO 5

GOVERNOR WENTWORTH ARTS COUNCIL
33rd ANNUAL



ARTISTS IN THE PARK

A JURIED SHOW OF
PROFESSIONAL ARTISTS
AND CRAFTSPEOPLE

BY THE DOCKS **CATE PARK** RAIN OR SHINE
WOLFEBORO, NEW HAMPSHIRE

EXHIBITS • DEMONSTRATIONS • SALES

PETER FERBER

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by
Peter Ferber

President's Notes

Hello Members!

If Motorcycle Week is over, summer can't be far behind! And, as always, the Governor Wentworth Arts Council has a full slate of activities.

First up, you won't want to miss our annual visit to the Libby Museum. Please join us for our meeting there on July 5. It's always fun to have a change of venue -- and we'll enjoy a demonstration by watercolorist Fay Lee.

At the 33rd annual Artists in the Park on August 15 we'll see both new and familiar faces under the tents. Check out our web site for a complete list of artists. Peter Ferber and Robin Cornwell will be doing demonstrations and *Lindsey and Her Puppet Pals* will be on hand to provide afternoon entertainment. Don't miss the newsletter story that describes our new offering this year! TAG Coordinator DJ Geribo is coordinating a GWAC tent that will give members the chance to display and sell their work. What an opportunity!

And the call is out for artists for September's Paint the Town. It's been a successful plein aire painting event for the last two years and we're hoping to expand it even more by lowering both the registration fee and the percentage that artists contribute to GWAC for works they sell. Check out all the details in this newsletter, and download a registration form at wolfeboroarts.org.

This month also marks the start of our annual membership drive. For just \$20 per household you can renew or start a membership. You'll receive a quarterly email newsletter and email updates, the opportunity to display and sell your work around town and at Artists in the Park, and the knowledge that you're supporting a vibrant arts presence in the greater Wolfeboro area.

Finally, we'd like to say a huge 'thanks' to Debbie Hopkins for all she did for GWAC during her time as president. Although she won't be wielding the gavel any more, we know that she's still committed to lending her experience and energy to Artists in the Park, Paint the Town, and more. She knows she can't escape!

Enjoy our all-too-few months of warm weather and sunshine, and we hope to see you at this summer's GWAC events.

Nancy Piper and Andrea Dudley
Co-Presidents

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Jo's News

Jo M. Orise, a member of the GWAC and TAG has been accepted to display her artwork in two galleries on the Maine seacoast. Her work can be seen at *The Small Wonder Gallery* at the public landing in Camden, Maine and at *The Store Upstairs Art Gallery* in the historic Port Clyde General Store. Go to <http://jomorise.blogspot.com> to see what she's been up to. Make a comment to let her know you visited her blog.

Jo has also written her first manuscript for a Young Adult novel. The story is set in 1957 in a fictitious New Hampshire town near the Saco River. It is about three neighboring, rural kids, ages 11 to 14, who are each dealing with the loss of a parent. They are seeking answers and dealing with the anguish, loneliness and the unfairness of their loss. The story took twelve years to write during Jo's spare time and then two more years of re-editing and having it reviewed for critiques. She hopes to have the story published.

Go to: <http://jomorise.wordpress.com> to see what she's up to and read some of her shorts. Make a comment to let her know you visited her blog. Share her blog with friends.

Governor Wentworth Arts Council

"Everything old is new again.."

I'm sure you've heard that line before, and it's true in the case of the original logo for our arts council.

In the search for a new logo design, the board and marketing members agreed that the very familiar original logo seemed to embody the correct image of the group even in today's market. So GWAC member, Jeannette D'Onofrio, took the original file and digitally remastered every point and corner, so that we would have an electronic version of our logo for ready use in all forms of new media. This "new" old logo will be applied to all marketing communications for the group.

ART AT THE WOLFEBORO LIBRARY

July & August **Marilyn Bodwell**
(oils)

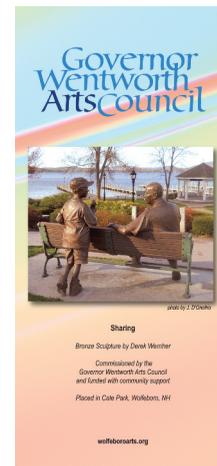
*For details about how you can exhibit your work,
contact Suzette Winchester, 569-3372.*



GWAC Board for 2012-13

The new Board for 2012-13 was overwhelmingly approved at the June 3rd meeting... and they are familiar faces to you all I'm sure.

(pictured left to right) Barbara Gray, Secretary, Andrea Dudley & Nancy Piper, Co-Presidents, Heather Ashton, Treasurer. WELCOME NEW BOARD!!



The NEW GWAC BROCHURE is Here!

The GWAC member team of Andrea Dudley, Nancy Piper, Ligia D'Appolito and Jeannette D'Onofrio met during the month of May to write, edit, design and labor over the content of our newest member of the family - our brochure. ...I use the word "labor" lightly, for the team had a wonderful time communicating on all the possible aspects of this marketing piece for the group.

The brochures will be mailed in the Membership Renewal packets, available to pick up in the Wolfeboro Chamber of Commerce this summer and at each of our GWAC events.



The kids aren't the only ones using social media these days. More and more communications have to be instantaneous in our world, and the Governor Wentworth Arts Council has become part of that world. To find us, simply type in the name of our group on your Facebook search header and you should see the new photo of the statue commissioned in Cate Park and our logo. Click the "like" button and you'll receive updates on FB regularly. Add to the conversation and leave a comment, we'd love to hear from you!

Local Performing Arts Events



Arts on the Edge Wolfboro – Summer 2012

* Our third annual Sculpture in the Parks exhibit will return from June 22 to September 3 in Cate and Clark Parks. Juried by the New England Sculptors Association, this free exhibit brings together artists from all over New England.

July 7 at 10am Northeastern Ballet Theatre, New Hampshire's premier ballet company with one of its two studios here in Wolfeboro, will present the ballet "Stars and Stripes" as well as an assortment of other dances, and also featuring a concert with local phenomenon The Traveling Wolfeburys, in a free event at the Durgin Stables green on North Main Street next to the Folk Cellar.

* July 14 at 7pm at Anderson Hall, we will present international recording artist Carrie Newcomer at Anderson Hall, presented in part by The Putnam Foundation. Carrie is a rare breed of singer/songwriter: the kind who illuminates life with startling depth, humor, and clarity. She is one of the definitive voices of the Heartland and progressive spirituality. There will also be an informal talk with Carrie and the audience after the concert. Tickets are \$22 in advance and \$25 at the door.

* July 28 storyteller Diane Edgecomb and Celtic harpist Margot Chamberlain will present "Midsummer Magic," a free event for all ages in Cate Park at 10am followed by a workshop. This event is sponsored in part by The Booth Foundation, the New England Foundation for the Arts, and the Cate Memorial Lecture Committee.

* August 22 is our annual poetry day at The Pinkney Boathouse, and will feature workshops and readings with poets Robert Cording, professor at College of the Holy Cross, and Betsy Sholls, former Maine Poet Laureate. The theme of the day will be "Poetry and the Social Conscience." Please pre-register for this event by emailing info@artsedgewolfboro.org.

* September 1, multi-faceted concert performer, songwriter, recording artist and musical entrepreneur, Kimball Gallagher will bring his 88 Key Concert Tour to Anderson Hall at 7pm. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$23 at the door.

For more information on the above events, email: info@artsedgewolfboro.org.

LEADING LADIES
by Ken Ludwig

JULY 27 & 28
AUGUST 3 & 4
... 8:00pm
AUGUST 5
... 2:00pm

The Village Players Theater - Glendon St - Wolfeboro, NH
directed by Michael Wilkes
produced by Jay Sydow

TICKETS
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or
www.village-players.com

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A NOTE to ARTS ORGANIZATIONS

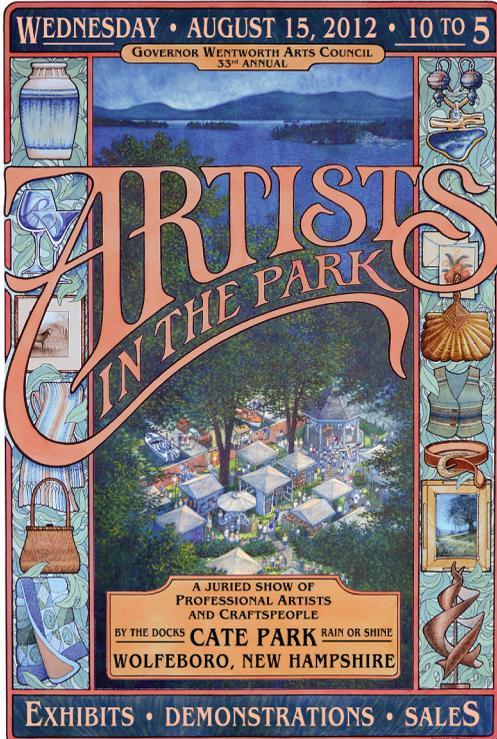
GWAC invites other non-profit arts organizations to join us as MEMBERS and take advantage of the gratis advertising, as space allows, in our e-newsletter and monthly e-ART Clips news brief blasts.

Space is on a first-come, first-serve basis and ads must be submitted by deadline in .pdf file format. Art organizations which have not paid their annual dues, will not be considered for advertising to our arts audience.

**Cost is \$20 annually.
Same membership fee applies to artists and art supporting individuals.**

**Contact
Jeannette D'Onofrio, Membership Chair
j@virgodesignstudio.com**

GWAC Events - UPDATE



from Debbie Hopkins

The 33rd "Artists in the Park" promises to bring quality and original work to the park. This year there are sixteen new exhibitors and more local talent than we have had in past years.

Local Potters Doug Blum and Gogi Millner (formerly Cornish Hill Pottery shop), will be joined by Bill Spaulding. Paper quilling, scherenschnitte and Origami will be presented by Richard and Roxanne O'Neal; Julio Emilo produces whimsical painted gourd ornaments or free-standing; Susan Arnold hand-paints imaginative canvas rugs; and Jeff Nelson from the Huson River Inlay Furniture Co. will again present detailed marquetry, using rare and beautiful woods. In the fiber and clothing category, Marie and Tim Reimensnyder offer children and adult tee-shirts with cheerful hand stenciled and painted images; Heather Bell offers gorgeous hand painted and sewn silk jackets and kimonos; and Karen Eames brings colorful and practical fabric handbags.

There are more jewelers than usual and they all offer very different work and materials. Local Jeweler Carol Cloutier works in Polymer clay; Rolande Andrews sets sea glass in silver; Ken Kantro (Lovell Designs) offers hand cast pewter items as well as silver and gold-plated jewelry; Patricia Flynn works in birch bark, jewelry as well as home accessories; Susan Scribner Reed offers delicate recycled paper jewelry; Diane Terragni works with "Funky Findings (!); Judith Barker, Jack Dokus and Thomas Kuhner work in silver, gold, and stone settings. Each has their own unique style. Sholeh Regna is a mono-print artist who also works in porcelain jewelry and this year adds ceramic wall reliefs.

It has been a while since we have had such a strong line-up of fine art. In the mixed media category are Barbara Barclay, Betti Williams, and Fay Lee (from Alton). Oil painters are Ginny Nickerson, Cynthia Brown, and Liane Whittum. Bruce Iverson does Chinese Brush Painting (Sumi-e), and Denis Leblanc and Jeanette Fournier are watercolorists. Elizabeth Craumer presents pastel drawing and Roland Simard puts texture into his paintings using hand cast pigmented paper pulp. Nancy Stillwagon paints and stitches around quaint drawings called Trapunto work.

Local photographers, Tom Lavoie and Russell Schundler will be joined by Ronald Wilson, Stephen Eames, Duncan Hall, and George Kelly who does his printing on tiles. There are colorful photos of New England fields and woods, seacoast, as well as travel shots to savor.

Lindsay and Her Puppet Pals will be performing at ARTISTS IN THE PARK on Wednesday, Aug. 15th at 12:30, 1:30 & 3:30pm at the Bandstand.



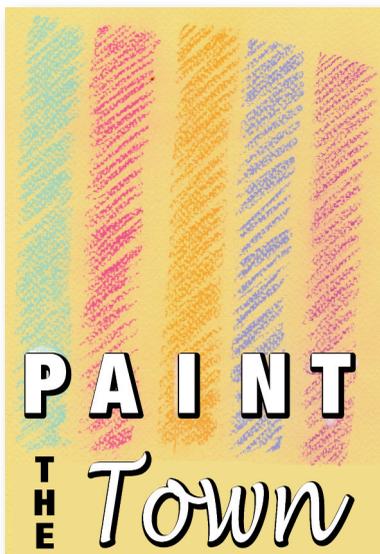
Wolfeboro becomes the subject at this one day event...

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2012 (rain date Sept. 22)
Downtown Wolfeboro in Cate Park**

"Paint the Town" is an opportunity for artists to paint scenes of "Wolfeboro, The Jewel of Lake Winnepesaukee™" Views of the mountains, the lake and the quaint community "the Oldest Summer Resort in America" await plein aire painters for the day.

Begin the day at 9:30am with coffee and muffins as you register in the Community Bandstand in lovely Cate Park on the waterfront. Roam the town, paths and parks, and find a view to set up your easel. A yellow t-shirt is part of your \$15 fee.

Instant purchases are possible at "take away prices" until 3:00pm. Then at 3:30, a Silent Auction will begin in the Bandstand with all the paintings for sale from that day. This is a fundraiser for the Governor Wentworth arts Council with proceeds of 60% to the artists and 40% to GWAC. For more details go to the website: wolfeboroarts.org or call Madelyn Albee 569.1701 or Debbie Hopkins 569-4994.



GWAC Members - Take Note

GWAC -TAG Artists Painting Wolfeboro

from DJ Geribo

For July and August at Huggins Hospital and for July at Meredith Village Savings Bank the theme for all artwork and photos is "Wolfeboro". Bring your Wolfeboro paintings and photography pieces to Huggins Hospital on June 25 and to MVS on July 2. The paintings/photographs at Huggins Hospital will remain there for the months of July and August. Watch your email for a reminder of dates and times when we will be changing the current exhibits.

*Reminder: Only bring artwork that can hang at both locations for the entire scheduled time. If a piece of artwork is sold during that time, you may replace it with a similar piece. Please only bring pieces that represent the theme of "Wolfeboro".

We are also changing the artwork at Granite State News on June 25. All paintings and photographs are accepted – there is no theme. All work at all locations is juried.

For any information regarding exhibits at these locations, contact TAG Coordinator, DJ Geribo by email: DJ@DJGeribo.com or by phone: 603.875.0066.

GWAC Sponsors Tent at Artists in the Park

from Andrea Dudley

New for 2012! GWAC members have the opportunity to display and sell their work in the GWAC tent at **Artists in the Park** this August.

Each GWAC member can submit two pieces of art for display. In keeping with the current arrangement with TAG members, GWAC receives 20% on all work sold.

Visitors to the tent will be asked to vote for a "Best in Show" piece in the exhibit. At the end of the day, the art piece with the most votes will be awarded a \$50 cash prize!

Information and sign-up sheets for **Paint the Town** -- as well as samples of work purchased at last year's event -- will be available in the tent. GWAC membership information will be on-hand as well.

Visitors to the tent will be able to get details for October's JUST DESSERTS event which supports the **GWAC's Visual Arts Scholarship**.

To arrange for your work to be displayed in the GWAC tent, contact TAG Coordinator DJ Geribo via email at dj@djgeribo.com or call her at 875-0066.

Membership Renewal Packet - en route

How do YOU benefit from GWAC Membership?

As an annual dues-paying member of the Governor Wentworth Arts Council, you can:

- attend the monthly meetings
- receiving the quarterly e-newsletter
- and receive monthly e-mail updates (e-ART Clips)
- have advance notice of arts events and activities
- the opportunity for artist members to feature samples of their work on the group's web site and to participate in area exhibits
- the knowledge that you're supporting the growth of the arts in the community and the schools.

Additional benefits to GWAC membership include participation in the annual Paint the Town event, the opportunity to create an ornament for GWAC's tree at Wolfeboro's annual Festival of Trees, have a link from our website: wolfeboroarts.org to your website, and representation at the annual member art show at the Wolfeboro Public Library.

For more Information and to download a Membership form, visit our web site at: www.wolfeboroarts.org
Annual members will receive a renewal form and member information in their postal mailbox shortly. (GWAC fiscal year begins July 2012) If you know someone who would benefit from membership, contact Membership Chair, **Jeannette D'Onofrio at 569-0078** or email: j@virgodesignstudio.com and a form can be sent to you via email. Annual dues is still only \$20.
Mail your dues and contact info to: **Jeannette D'Onofrio, GWAC Membership, 17 Grove Street, Wolfeboro, NH 03894.**

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Same membership fee applies.**

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of ART**

HOURS:

Sunday, Monday, Wednesday
to Friday ...11am - 5pm
Saturday ...10am - 5pm
(FREE Admission on Sat 10am-
12noon)

CLOSED TUESDAYS



Contemporary Connections Cristi Rinklin: Diluvial

Organized by the Currier Museum of Art ... June 9, 2012 – September 9, 2012

This summer, museum visitors will be absorbed in an imaginary landscape of dazzling color and light when they enter Cristi Rinklin's new immersive installation created specifically for the Currier. The museum's collection and a wall of floor-to-ceiling windows in the Putnam Gallery inspired this project, which re-interprets the drama of nineteenth-century sublime landscape paintings through a contemporary lens.

Rinklin titled her installation "Diluvial" in reference to cycles of creation and ruin and the Great Biblical Flood, which many people through the mid-1800s believed shaped the American landscape and imbued it with spiritual significance. Francis Cropsey's 1857 painting *An Indian Summer Morning in the White Mountains* melds beauty with foreboding and exemplifies the type of awe-inspiring images that inspired Rinklin's project. Through a combination of hand-painting and digital techniques, Rinklin creates a different pictorial model based on contemporary graphical and technology-generated views of nature.

Dancing with Renoir

May 19, 2012 - September 3, 2012 (Gallery 255)



Museum of Fine Arts Boston



"...a superbly stylish trilogy of full-length paintings." —The New York Times

Let the dancing begin! The MFA welcomes two monumental loans from the Musée d'Orsay, Paris—Renoir's *Dance in the City* and *Dance in the Country*—as part of our Visiting Masterpieces series. These full-length canvases accompany the MFA's own iconic Renoir, *Dance at Bougival*. All three paintings, depicting couples in urban and rural settings, were created by the artist in the same year. Renoir's colorful Impressionist style, full of verve and daring, captures the fashion and pastimes of his contemporaries. Don't miss the experience of a lifetime viewing this glorious trio of paintings, together here at the MFA for the first time in a generation.



Come shop, learn, and have fun at the Annual League of NH Craftsmen's Fair

The Annual League of NH Craftsmen's Fair is a nine-day event that showcases the work of more than 350 craftspeople's items made by hand – HERE. It's the place to see an incredible variety of beautiful, one-of-a-kind craft items that are functional, decorative, and built to last. The fair is held at the Mount Sunapee Resort in the beautiful Dartmouth/Sunapee region of New Hampshire. For more: http://www.nhcrafts.org/craftsmens_fair/fair_home.html

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All members WELCOME to
the next GWAC meeting:

Thursday, July 5, 2012

7:00pm

at the

LIBBY MUSEUM

**Rt.109 - Gov. Went. HWY - Wolfeboro
(3 miles north of downtown)**

July's demonstration artist is Fay Lee who lives in Alton. Originally from Alabama has been drawing and painting since she was very young. She started painting in oils and acrylics in 1978 and watercolors in 1987. She participates in local and regional art shows and has won many awards including "Best of Show" twice. She has been involved in art associations in NY, ME, MA, and AL. Her favorite subjects to paint are florals, seascapes, and a variety of mixed media collages.

**Please contact Nancy Piper:
nancypiper6@gmail.com
or Andrea Dudley
andrea.dudley@moosepoint.org
for meeting details.**