



Beaver Valley Artists

Official Newsletter of the Beaver Valley Artists

March 2011

Next Meeting
Thursday, March 10
Merrick Art Gallery

Program

Kathy Bischak – E- Z Carve Linoleum
Demonstration

Wednesday, April 20th: Juror's critique

Refreshments for the March meeting compliments
of Jennie Johnstone, Jeanne Sirko, Rob Ivanison,
Maya Peel and Lil Gordon.

34th Annual Beaver Valley Artists
Juried Exhibition

April 3rd - April 20th, 2011

The Merrick Art Gallery
1100 5th Avenue
New Brighton, PA 15066
(724) 846-1130



Opening Reception: April 3rd 1 - 4 pm
The public is invited to attend.

Drop of dates:

Friday, March 25th, 10am – 2pm
Saturday March 26th, 10am – 12 noon

Juror's Critique:

Wednesday, April 20th

Book Swap: Bring art books you'd like to swap
with other members to the BVA meetings.

Kathy Bischak, art teacher at Evans City Middle School, will give a short talk about the Japanese woodblock artist, Hokusai. There will be examples of Hokusai's prints.

Then she will demonstrate E-Z carve linoleum, and how to print using this medium with water based ink. Everyone in attendance, will be able to carve a small stamp, and practice printing with this material.

Member News:

The 8th Annual Student Art Exhibit Atelier de Begley will be held on Sunday, March 20th from 1 to 5pm at the Merrick Art Gallery. This exhibit introduces the art work of the students of Carol Volz Begley, PSA. The exhibition is being planned and organized by senior students who will be using this as their senior project. There will be refreshments and chamber music. A painting by Carol will be raffled off with the proceeds benefiting the Beaver Memorial Library and the Merrick Free Art Gallery.

Membership Dues: Individual: \$25 Family: \$30

The Membership year will now start in April.

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BVA Members' Small Artworks Sale will again, be held on April 3rd, during the BVA's annual exhibition opening reception. Artworks and matting must not be larger than 11x14 inches. Works should be covered in clear plastic and delivered to the Merrick Gallery during the drop-off dates, which are stated in the show's prospectus. BVA will take a 10% commission on all sales.



The second annual New Castle RiverWalk Arts Festival will be held on Saturday May 28, 2011 from 11:00 AM to 9:00 PM. (Memorial Day weekend) Visit <http://ncartfest.com/> for more information.



Snowy Weather? -- In the event of possible snow, please visit beavervalleyartists.org for meeting cancellations. Also, if you know someone who may not be on the e-mail list, please notify them by phone of cancellations.

Visit www.beavervalleyartists.org for the latest BVA news!