



NEWS ABOUT OUR MEMBERS

Donna Lindboe Trupin's oil painting, "Summer-time," was juried into the 65th Art Annual Exhibition at the Neville Public Museum in Green Bay, which opened August 22nd and will continue through January 3rd.

Jan Forkert has a forged copper enameled sculptural centerpiece in the juried ISEA (International Society of Experimental Artists) exhibit running from August 20th until November 8th at the Banana Factory in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. Jan says it was the first international show she has ever entered and, therefore, it was a real thrill!



Barb Kenyon is showing her paintings at the Northern Door YMCA during the month of October.

**GALLERY NEWS;
COOPERATIVE RECEPTION WITH
THE LINK GALLERY**

The Gallery of the Door County Art League will close for the season on Monday, October 12th, and will reopen in mid-May 2010. It was a prosperous season with much traffic and good sales. Each week, one or two artists were featured at the Gallery; so there was a lot of press coverage throughout the summer.

A reception with wine and refreshments was given the fourth Saturday of each month. The final reception was in conjunction with the closing reception of the League's "What I Did This Summer" exhibit at the Link Gallery, located in the Door Community Auditorium in Fish Creek.



Laurretta Kelley

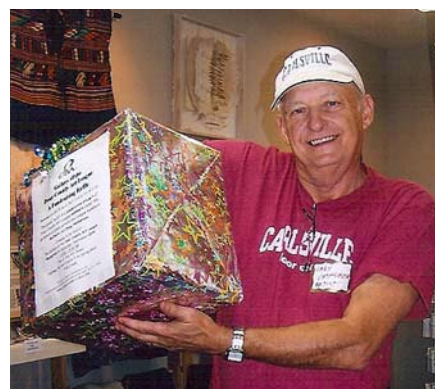


Keith Wickert with the second glass "quilt"

The second glass "quilt," a fund-raising effort of the League which was begun at the February general meeting, was raffled off at the reception. The lucky winner was **Keith Wickert**. The People's Choice winner of the Link exhibit was **Laurretta**



Kelley for her watercolor entitled "Symphony in Knit and Purl." She was awarded a \$25 gift certificate to the Door Community Auditorium.



Gary Orthober with raffle ticket box

*Pictured above,
Rich Delcarson,
Bob Kenyon and
Ed Dosenbach at the
Link closing reception*

The weather for the **Plein Air Paint-Out** unfortunately did not cooperate. Five fearless souls braved the windy, cold, rainy morning to paint outside. Connie Glowacki graciously brought the painters and their work into her shop as she judged each piece and gave a short critique to the artists and onlookers. Thanks, Connie!



Randy Rasmussen

At right, Mary Blotti Anderson showing her artwork



Below, paintings done by the artists displayed at Connie's gallery

The Gallery Board members have many excellent plans for next year, so if you are interested in participating contact Mary Streu at streu@greenbaynet.com or 251-929-3844 or Marcia Nickols at mnickols@charter.net or 920-854-9369 for more information.



MEMBERS WE'VE LOST

Russ Coventry was a charter member of the DCAL and was instrumental in getting other artists involved in supporting the League. Russ was president of the Door County Art League 1987 - 1988 and again 1992 - 1994, at the same time filling in any vacancy on the Board. His guidance and perseverance steered DCAL through its formative years.

Before moving to Door County, Russ was a commercial artist and had a studio on Michigan Avenue in Chicago. In recent years Russ lived a retiring life in Ellison Bay with his wife Martha. They both founded Heartside Cordial Care, an assisted living home in Sister Bay.

Russ Coventry Scholarship Fund

This scholarship is targeted specifically for persons over 60 years of age who need help financially to attend an art class at the Peninsula School of Art. People wishing to honor the memory of Russ may do so by contributing to this cause. Please make checks out to "RUSS COVENTRY SCHOLARSHIP FUND". The Door County Art League is a 501 (C3) organization. Your donation is tax deductible to the full extent of the law.

Please send your donation to:

PAT ULLOM, 8279 Island View Rd., Fish Creek, WI 54212-9459

Sincerely,

Jan Forkert & Pat Ullom

Isabel Beaudoin was named a Door County Art League Master Artist in 2000.

As a young girl, Isabel spent summers on her grandparents' farm near Stephenson, Michigan. Life on the farm later became the inspiration for many of her paintings.

After graduating from St. Joseph's Academy in Green Bay, Isabel attended the University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee Fine Arts Program, graduating with a degree in Art Education at age 20. Isabel then began a 34-year career as an art teacher in the Green Bay Schools, teaching kindergarten through junior high. She also trained art teachers at St. Norbert College and Green Bay Vocational School and later taught at the Peninsula School of Arts.

Isabel was a world traveler, visiting Japan, Mexico, Hawaii, England, Ecuador, India, Cuba, and Spain, just to name a few places. She portrayed the landscapes and cultures of those countries in her own unique and thought-provoking style. Isabel's artwork was shown in numerous regional, national, and international exhibitions.

Isabel always dreamed of opening her own art gallery, which became a reality with Gallery Isabel in Fish Creek. In the natural setting of Door County, she nurtured colorful flower gardens, creating an oasis of inspiration for her creativity, and devoted the rest of her life to what she loved most: art.

DCAL SURVEY

Thank you for taking time to fill out the following survey. The League’s Board of Directors would like to know how best to serve our members. Please be candid as you answer these questions. You may sign your name and provide your contact information if you wish, which would afford the appropriate Board members the opportunity to speak with you further if deemed suitable. Please mail the completed survey to Door County Art League Survey, P.O. Box 405, Fish Creek, WI 54212-0405.

I am here all year round. ____ I am here seasonally. ____ I have a working studio. ____ I have a gallery. ____
Please check all that apply.

I am interested in the League’s Gallery indoor, extended exhibits outdoor short exhibits
(such as the Link Gallery) (such as the Settlement Shops)
Please circle all that apply.

I enjoy the League’s monthly programs plein air group other (please specify) _____
Please circle all that apply.

The main reason(s) I am a member is _____
_____.

I especially like _____
_____.

I don’t like and/or would like to see improved _____
_____.

I attended one or more of the League’s monthly meetings this year. yes no
Please circle one.

I feel the best one was _____.

Name (optional) phone number (optional) e-mail address (optional)

2010 ELECTION SLATE

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| Executive Member 1: Exhibits | Pat Olson |
| Executive Member 2: Programs and Membership | Dianne Saron |
| Executive Member 3: Public Relations / Honors and Awards | JoAnne Rosenfeld |
| Executive Members 4: Gallery Cooperative (Top of the Hill Shops) | Mary Streu / Marcia Nickols |
| Executive Member 5: Development and Outreach / Nominations and Elections | Cheryl Stidwell Parker |

Secretary: Lee Vlaming
Treasurer: Keith Wickert

As there is no opposition on this ballot, you do not have to vote; although you may write in a candidate if you wish. If you do so, please mail your ballot to Door County Art League Election Ballot, P.O. Box 405, Fish Creek, WI 54212-0405 as soon as possible. Officers are announced at the October 26th meeting and assume their offices November 2009.



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ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY

The Door County Art League will be participating in the Adopt-A-Highway program. Our portion for clean-up approximately twice a year is Highway 42 between Gibraltar Road and Maple Grove Road in Fish Creek. This is a great location, since it is in the heart of “artsy” Door County. The highway section will display our name on a sign, which will be seen by thousands of travelers. Cheryl Stidwell Parker will be organizing each clean-up. To volunteer, contact her at cherstidwellpar@itol.com or 920-839-9151.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26TH, GENERAL MEETING AND POTLUCK

The October potluck is a very important occasion, so please plan to attend. Bring a dish to share, plates, and utensils.....and your thoughts and ideas for 2010. The meeting begins at 6:00 PM at the Gibraltar Fire Department meeting room, 3496 County F in Fish Creek.

FOR SALE:

Pro panels and accessories for 10' x10' art fair space
Retail cost \$1671 - Used: excellent condition for \$975
Includes:

- (9) pro panels, each 7' x 38.5" (2 panels with custom made slots for shelving)
- (2) shelves with brackets
- (1) pedestal 12" x 12" x 36"
- (2) long steel support bars, expanding 10'
- (2) steel stiffeners with bag

Contact Wendy Carpenter at 920-868-3580 or wendy@interfibers.com.

MAKE A DONATION:

2 Dexter mat cutters in boxes. Please call Cal Bon-nivier at 920-743-6330 if you are interested, and she will describe them to you. If you want one or both, make a donation to Feed My People and you can have it (them).

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