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Antioch Collaboration for Art

In this exciting new collaboration, one or more members of the [Antioch Fine Arts Foundation \(AFAF\)](#) will be displaying their art at the [Antioch Public Library](#) (757 Main St., Antioch) for 3-month periods throughout the year.

Questions? Contact Suki M. Clark (AFAF) at suki.michelle@ymail.com

Open Studio

LCAL members Janet Shaw and Doug Kimberlin enjoy painting in the **Fine Art Studio of the Vernon Hills Park District every Wed. from 10:30 to 1:30.**

Join this lively, helpful group of painters that has been going strong for 20 years! There is no teacher; everyone works on their own projects and assists each other with advice and support. Try a session for \$12, or enroll in the series at a low cost. Openings available.

Questions? Contact Janet at 847-721-3738 or [Adult Fine Art Studio](#)

Volo Bog Avian Art Show

Takes place April 9-May 15 and includes a weekly silent auction, Wed.-Sun., 9 am–3 pm. Submission dates have expired.

Reception:

May 15, 1pm – 3 pm.

See their [website](#) for details.



The **LCAL members** listed below are participating in this show.

- Oliver Steven Merriam, omerriam@yahoo.com
- Clarese Ornstein, socoro@comcast.net. Clarese is submitting several pieces, including the pastel shown below.



"Mama Embracing Baby"

Samantha McDonald (SamTheJam)

- **Solo Gallery Showing** at 3Legged Coffee Brewery, 2120 E Grand Ave, Lindenhurst. April 1-May 31. More information coming soon.
- **Grayslake Mayfest** Solo chalk art installation. 164 Hawley St, Grayslake; behind the Grayslake Heritage Center. Sat., May 3; 1-4 pm. More information coming soon.
- **Kites at Racine Public Art display** is Racine's 24th annual public art project. Six-foot tall kites will be displayed outdoors in downtown Racine from June through mid-Sept. My design, "Gnome Stack," was accepted for display (see images below). All pieces are sponsored and will be auctioned off later in the year.
- I was accepted to the **Habitat for Humanity Public Display** event. Sculptures will be on display from June-August 2025 in East Dundee, West Dundee, Carpentersville, or Elgin. More information coming soon. They are currently looking for sponsors.
- **Open artist call for Mythological Meyhem** at the Robin and Mark Seigle Gallery, Elgin ArtSpace Lofts, 51 S. Spring St., Elgin. June/July 2025.

Questions? Contact Samantha at clintandsam@gmail.com



Kites before painting (left) and after (right; "Gnome Stack")

Sandra Saxton

- I am showing my art at the **Antioch Public Library** (see page 1). My paintings incorporate oils, acrylics, pencils, crayons, and other materials into collages.



Questions? Contact Sandra at saxton.songbirdstudio@gmail.com



Erin Galbraith

I am selling fine art glicée prints of some of my artwork. Please visit my [website](#).

Questions? Contact Erin at galbraith@gmail.com