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New Art is Coming to Fareways in September!

Please join us as we celebrate the installation of new artwork by your friends and neighbors at Fareways Cafe. New art will be on the walls and our 3D artists will have their work on display, and for sale, during the reception. All artwork will be available for purchase directly through the artist. Come and enjoy live music by Elena Pratt, and vote for your favorite piece of art.



Members - We need your donations!

As many of you know, the annual Fine Art Show and Sale not only promotes artists in our community but also the future artists attending Orange County Schools. Each year our club donates the proceeds from the raffle, silent bid items, and our Giving Table to the schools. We rely on the generosity of our members for donations and the generosity of our neighbors for their purchases.

Artists - we need your donations of smaller items for our Giving Table. Please have your donations ready no later than October 31 - the sooner the better! *Contact Sigrid Wares.*

September Membership Meeting

Our next General Membership Meeting will take place on *Monday, September 9th - 10 am, Community Center - room 2*
(Critique, as always, at 9:30)

The September membership meeting is all about the Fine Art Show and Sale in November. Karen O'Donnell will discuss changes and adds to the show this year and answer member's questions on what to expect. Joe Freeland will talk about pricing your work. And, of course, you can always rely on Karen Falcon to provide us with some great quotes and a fun creativity exercise!

We always welcome guests and new members - artists and art lovers, alike!

UPCOMING PUBLIC EVENTS

September 21, 2024

New Art at Fareways
Artist Reception
2 - 4 pm

Additional Information - on the left.

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS

September 9, 2024

General Membership Meeting
9:30 am Critique Session
10 am - General Meeting
Community Center Room 2

Additional information - bottom left.

September 16, 2024

SEC Committee Meeting
2 pm
Fareways Meeting Room

September 20, 2024

*Annual Fine Art Show & Sale
Planning Committee Meeting*

11 am - Community Center
Meeting Room 1



Click above to see a complete
calendar of events and deadline dates.

OUR BUSY MEMBERS - they create



Creative minds are always looking for new ways to create! In August several of our members gathered at the Community Center to participate in a members only quilting workshop lead by Clysta Walters, a retired math teacher from Orange County Schools who has been quilting for about 10 years. Clysta also teaches quilting lessons at the Madison Museum in Orange. Our members learned a new creative skill and a good time was had by all!

they show



If you haven't yet visited the Fredericksburg Center for the Creative Arts this month, it's not too late! Our very accomplished member, Catherine Hillis, has a solo exhibition in their member gallery. Catherine is also the featured artist in Orange County's weekly online newsletter *ByrdStreet* which can be viewed [here](#). Click on "no thanks" to see the content before subscribing.

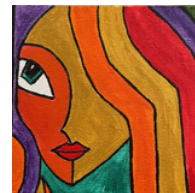
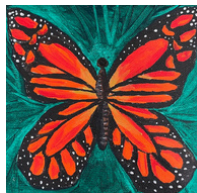


they Participate



America Connects is the USA leg of *Mural Mosaic's Global Roots International Arts Project* to Reconnect the World, one tile at a time, through the Joy of Painting. You can be a part of this project by creating a tile that will become part of the finished project. No special talents are required and you can participate as an individual or a group. Click [here](#) for more information. You can see a completed mural at the [IX Art Park](#) in Charlottesville.

More than 20 of our members have participated in this year's project. Here are just a few of their paintings.



Got news about possible opportunities to share with our other artists? Want to brag a little? Let us know!

"Learn the rules like a pro so you can break them like an artist." – Pablo Picasso

CALL FOR ARTISTS, ART CLASSES, AND OTHER OPPORTUNITIES



Next exhibit: Time & Reflections
A regional, all media juried exhibit.
Juried pieces will be on exhibit
August 31 - September 27, 2024.

Next opportunity to participate: Artist Choice - A regional, all media juried exhibit. Deadline for submissions is September 6, 2024. Accepted work will be on display September 28 - October 25, 2024.

CREATIVE GATHERINGS - UPCOMING WORKSHOPS

Dragonfly Batik, September 20th, 9:30am to 3:00pm – 3 spaces left. \$70/person.

Mat Cutting: September 21, from 10:00 am to 11:30 am (Session 1) or from 1:00pm to 2:30 pm. Learn how to professionally cut mats by Alice Dudley. Alice trained with the Logan Mat Cutting Company and will demonstrate how to properly measure and cut mats. \$15/person.



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Email: CGStudioLOW@gmail.com



More classes are coming this fall - Pet and Wildlife Drawing and Painting (all mediums), Beginning Acrylic and Oil Painting, Beginning Drawing 1 & 2, Intermediate Painting 1 & 2, Paper Crafting, frame thrifting, and porcelain holiday ornament painting. For more information contact Maribeth Logan at CGStudioLOW@gmail.com.



LibertyTown Arts Workshop CALLING ALL FIBER ARTISTS!

Fiber IV, a National, juried exhibition comes to LibertyTown in October. The deadline for submission is September 16, 2024. Juried pieces will be on exhibit October 1 - October 27, 2024. More more information [here](#).



Plein Air Artists are invited to enjoy the beautiful grounds before the season ends. September 15th and 19th will be the last of their Plein Air Days this season. Gather and create in their beautiful gardens alongside other artists. Guidelines and additional information can be found [here](#).



Arts in Healthcare

VCU Health requests original art for the new Liver Transplant Unit. The deadline is 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time), December 1, 2024.

They are seeking artists in a variety of mediums to submit digital images of original artwork available for purchase for the new inpatient and outpatient Liver Transplant Units. For more information click [here](#).

Art is meant to be shared! There is a thriving art community both within Lake of the Woods and outside our gates. These local galleries not only display the work of their artists but sponsor exhibits that are open for you to participate in. Take that step! Share your art! They want to display (and possibly sell) your work! You will find all the details you need about each show on their website. Click on the graphic to connect.



For more information visit our website, our Facebook page, and watch for articles in the Lake Currents.

