

## **ARTS FOR EVERYONE: WEEKLY EVENT UPDATE**

**COMING SOON:** Follow A4E Director, G. Nowack, as he chronicles the history of our forgotten Armed Service Heroes and Heroines who served our Nation beginning with America's War of Independence, through WWII. This chronicle will include an extensive documentation of the regional abandoned and forgotten gravesites of these Service Personnel, as well as a full rendition of their heroic deeds and accomplishments. Upon completion, a traveling exhibit detailing the history of these individuals will be available for exhibition at your group or organization's locale. Follow in their footsteps as they laid the path of our Nation's history. For complete details, contact [gnowack@windstream.net](mailto:gnowack@windstream.net).

**MONDAY, MONDAY!:** Discover all that's happening throughout our North Shenango/Espyville Area every week in the new ESPYVILLE BUZZ column in the Linesville COMMUNITY NEWS. The column, written by A4E /Edgewood Studio Director, G. Nowack explores the history and contributions of the People from the local area to our Northwestern PA Regional Community. Pick-up your copy every Monday at one of our local businesses, or subscribe online at <http://www.communitynewslinesville.com/>

**EDGEWOOD STUDIO 2018 CLASSES:** The 2018 list of EDGEWOOD STUDIO scheduled class dates is listed below. In addition, classes may be scheduled AT ANY TIME at your group's location, providing more opportunities for you to attend a class near to your home! Classes/demonstrations can be scheduled to meet your convenience. For more information regarding availability, required materials, and fees, or to register your group, or yourself, contact George P. Nowack, at [gnowack@windstream.net](mailto:gnowack@windstream.net) or 814-795-6888. Classes will take place on the following dates:

**MAY.....5/5, 5/12**

**JUNE.....6/2, 6/9, 6/23**

**JULY.....7/14, 7/21, 7/28**

**AUG.....8/11, 8/25**

**SEPT....9/15, 9/22**

**OCT....10/6, 10/20**

### **Classes will include:**

- **Watercolor Painting**
- **Pet Portrait Painting**
- **Stained Glass**
- **Guitar**
- **Candlewicking (Embroidery)**
- **Chain Jewelry**
- **Ceramic Bisque Painting**

**NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE:** The new monthly EDGEWOOD STUDIO/A4E NEWSLETTER is now available online! Visit the ARTS FOR EVERYONE Facebook page to read all that is new and happening throughout our Region. Included in each issue are: coming events, Artist interviews, craft patterns, a monthly recipe, promotions of local businesses, and MORE! If you are a local/regional business owner and wish to have your venue included, please contact [cnowack@windstream.net](mailto:cnowack@windstream.net).

**ON THE ROAD AGAIN!:** Join internationally recognized Carousel Artist, George P. Nowack, as he, once again, "takes to the Road" with a demonstration of the Art of Carousel Carving! Currently, George is completing his replica of the original Carousel Lion which graced the machine at Conneaut Lake Park until 1987. Upon the completion of this animal, he will begin work on a replica of the original Carousel Goat which delighted visitors to the Carousel located at Pittsburgh's long-gone, but fondly remembered, West View Park. If your group or organization wishes to schedule one of George's demonstrations, which includes a presentation of regional Amusement Park History, please contact him at [gnowack@windstream.net](mailto:gnowack@windstream.net), or 814-795-6888.

**GOING HOME:** Coming SOON...the sixth addition to the series of Artworks created by G. Nowack honoring our U.S. Armed Forces Personnel and their Canine Service Companions. Each work in this series was created in response to the annual regional event, OPERATION WOUNDED VETZ. Prints of each of these works are available for purchase, with the proceeds going directly to support our wounded Veterans. For more information, or to place an order for prints, contact [gnowack@windstream.net](mailto:gnowack@windstream.net).

Pre-orders for "GOING HOME" may also be placed (sorry, no "sneak-peeks!").

**COMING IN JULY:** Join A4E in supporting the ICC "OPERATION WOUNDED VETZ" event which will take place this July 21, 2018 at the Meadville Italian Civic Club. More details concerning the event will be coming soon.

**CALL FOR EVENTS:** Artists, Promoters, Event Organizers, Area Event Sponsors...to have your happening or event listed in the A4E Weekly Event Listings, simply contact [gnowack@windstream.net](mailto:gnowack@windstream.net). Event listings reach an audience of over **350,000** every week through our email contacts, website, Facebook Page, and through our Community Partners (such as the MEADVILLE TRIBUNE and COOL 101.7FM). There is NEVER a charge for this service.

## **LOCAL...**

**2nd Annual Open Air Artisan Market and Yard Sale:** Saturday, June 16 at 10 AM - 4 PM. The 2nd Annual Open Air Artisan Market is held once again at Canal Park Market Village in historic Canal Park. Stop and shop a wide variety of unique handmade items created by local artists and businesses along with an eclectic mix of gently used yard sale items. The shops will be open as well. Share with your friends and meet them here!

We are inviting artisans and yard salers to participate by having space in this outdoor event. 12x12 spaces are available for \$15.00. For an application, please contact Tina at [bowerhousecreations@yahoo.com](mailto:bowerhousecreations@yahoo.com). Deadline for applicants is May 25th. Parking & outdoor facilities available. Canal Park Market Village, 158 Main Street, Rt 18, Conneautville, PA 16406

**CABARET!:** Meadville Community Theatre. Meadville Community Theatre is excited to close their 51st season with John Kander and Fred Ebb's Tony Award-winning musical, Cabaret. Tickets are \$12.50 for adults and \$10 for students and seniors. Due to graphic content this show is not recommended for patrons under 18 without adult supervision. Show dates are June 22, 2018 - July 1, 2018. For reservations, call the box office at 814-333-1773 or visit us at [squareup.com/store/mct](http://squareup.com/store/mct). Meadville Community Theatre is located at 400 North Main Street, Meadville, PA, in the Oddfellow's Building.

**ACADEMY THEATRE:** Disney's "The Little Mermaid" Directed by Sue Wentz! In a magical kingdom beneath the sea, a beautiful young mermaid named Ariel, King Triton's youngest daughter, wishes to pursue the human Prince Eric in the world above, bargaining with the evil sea witch, Ursula, to trade her tail for legs. Apr 20 - May 6 Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$18 for seniors, and \$16 for students. For more information or to purchase tickets visit [TheAcademyTheatre.org](http://TheAcademyTheatre.org) or call our Box Office at 814.337.8000.

## **ERIE AREA...**

**KELLY RUN GALLERY:** Kelly Run Gallery, 264 S. Main St., Cambridge Springs presents The Face of the Firmament by 16 area artists in a variety of media: Amy Hahn, Bev O'Reilly, Brad Lethaby, Cathy Ferraro, Dorothy Kloss, Ehren Knapp, Jack Stone, Jan Lutz, Joyce Perowicz, Kathe Umlauf, Mary Hamilton, Mike Vandegrift, Sean Clayton, Susan Stone, Terry Pytlarz, Thomas Ferraro. The exhibit runs from April 28 to June 23, with an opening reception on Sat., April 28 from 7-9PM. Hours: Wed-Fri 1-5, Sat 11-5. More info: 814 398-9331 or [kellyrungalleryandframing.com](http://kellyrungalleryandframing.com)

**95th Annual Spring Show Opening:** Now in its 95th year, the Erie Art Museum's Annual Spring Show ignites creativity across the Erie region by showcasing the work of artists who live or work within a 250 mile radius of the Museum. Erie Art Museum, 20 East Fifth Street (mailing address is 411 State St. Erie, PA 16501.

**2018 Edinboro Art and Music Festival:** The 2018 Edinboro Art and Music Festival, now going into it's 15th year, will be held May 17 - May 20. It is a showcase of grassroots art and music in the unique spirit of Appalachian culture and tradition. Over the course of the four day festival, there will be live music all around town, children's activities and workshops, art shows, music workshops, local artisan vending, jam sessions, yoga, pilates and much more. All events are \*FREE\* and open to the public! For more information visit:

[www.edinboroartandmusic.com](http://www.edinboroartandmusic.com)

**ICA Art Show:** INDEPENDENT COUNCIL ON AGING 2018 SENIOR ART EXHIBIT, May 6-11, Highlighting Area Artists Age 55 and Older. HOSTED BY THE MERCY HILLTOP CENTER INC. 444 EAST GRANDVIEW BLVD., ERIE.

CALL AMY CHEVALIER AT 824-2214 FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR VISIT YOUR LOCAL SENIOR CENTER FOR AN ENTRY FORM.

## **PITTSBURGH AREA...**

**MANCHESTER CRAFTSMEN'S GUILD:** "Invitational Arts Exhibition" through May 11.

For more than 25 years, the Manchester Craftsmen's Guild has been a champion for youth, art and education in Pittsburgh. Historically, MCG has hosted an annual juried arts exhibition where talented students from Pittsburgh Public Schools competed for accolades and awards exceeding \$100,000. The seventh annual MCG Invitational continues this tradition of serving Pittsburgh area high-school students. 1815 Metropolitan Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15233 412-322-1773.

**3<sup>RD</sup> STREET GALLERY (CARNEGIE):** Christine Swann, The Power of Pastel Portrait Workshop, June 9-10, 2018. This workshop focuses on better understanding and control of the medium while applying it to portraiture with an emphasis on understanding light. Her casual teaching style and personal attention make the workshops fun and yet challenging. All levels welcome. \$295 includes model fees. Send a check to reserve your spot: Christine Swann, 202 Pine Grove Court, Baden PA 15005. 3rd Street Gallery Carnegie PA. Limited space!

**ART ON FIRE:** SAVE THE DATE, Friday, September 14...ART ON FIRE, A Hot Party and Pittsburgh's Only Contemporary Glass Art Auction. Honorary Artist: Davide Salvatore; Co-chairs: Wendy and Peter Mars; Location: Nova Place. Art on Fire attracts nearly 500 community leaders and art appreciators and generates over 10% of our annual operating funds in ONE evening! Pittsburgh Glass Center, 5472 Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15206, 412-365-2145.  
[www.pittsburghglasscenter.org](http://www.pittsburghglasscenter.org).

**ANDY WARHOL MUSEUM:** "Good Fridays!" Recurring monthly event. The Andy Warhol Museum, 117 Sandusky St, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15212. Tickets: [www.warhol.org](http://www.warhol.org)

**PITTSBURGH GLASS CENTER:** Summer Workshops and Classes are Online Now! Register for Summer Classes Now Even though classes don't begin until May, don't wait to register for a summer intensive. This summer instructors will be visiting from around the world. One class is already full and others are filling fast. If you have any questions or would like a catalog in the mail, please email or call us at 412-365-2145. Pittsburgh Glass Center, 5472 Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15206.

**APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE:** 2018 Family Festival Assoc. applications are available NOW!

**Five shows are scheduled for 2018:**

- May 25-27...Washington, PA
- August 31-Sept. 1-3...Greensburg, PA
- Oct. 19-21 & 27-28...Washington, PA
- Nov. 2-4...Morgantown, W.V
- Nov. 16-18...Monroeville, PA

For more info., visit [www.familyfestivals.com](http://www.familyfestivals.com). Applications available, contact [gnowack@windstream.net](mailto:gnowack@windstream.net)

## **AND BEYOND...**

**Northern Appalachian Folk Festival:** On September 8, the Northern Appalachian Folk Festival (NAFF) will celebrate its sixth year of bringing art, free live music and entertaining, educational programming to Indiana's downtown. Musical acts with local and regional ties, representing a variety of genres, play throughout the day and the downtown is lined with some of the region's finest craftspeople and food. Downtown Indiana invites artists, craftspeople, antique dealers, food vendors & non-profits to become a part of NAFF! Questions? Call 724-463-6110 Email [NAFF.vendors@gmail.com](mailto:NAFF.vendors@gmail.com)

**FOCUS ADVENTURES:**

- **Photography & Personal Vision Workshop** at Focus Ranch, Slater, Colorado, August 12-18, 2018

- This educational and fun photo workshop AND ranch vacation takes place in the Rocky Mountains in August, just 50 miles north of Steamboat Springs. Contact us now to reserve your place!
- \$100 discount valid until March 1st
- **Travel with Focus Adventures and Strabo Photo Tour Collection:**
  - Photography & the Creative Spirit in Western Ireland - June 17-27, 2018
  - The Spirit of Ecuador - September 16-25, 2018
  - Heart & Soul of Cuba - Winter, 2019 (Exact dates TBA)

**You don't have to live in Steamboat Springs to study with Karen.**

**Lessons can be in person or by telephone, Skype or FaceTime!**

Contact Karen at 970-879-2244 or by email: [karen@focusadventures.com](mailto:karen@focusadventures.com)

## **ADDITIONAL REGIONAL EVENTS:**

Mar 1-Oct 31. The Art of Josephine W. Pennypacker.

5 Haldeman Road | Schwenksville, PA 19473 | 610-287-9349

Features watercolors, charcoal drawings, oil paintings, and pencil drawings by Josephine Pennypacker. Adm by donation. Pennypacker Mills, Schwenksville. 610-287-9349, [www.montcopa.org/pennypackermills](http://www.montcopa.org/pennypackermills)

Mar 24-Jul 15. Rae Sloan Bredin: Harmony & Power.

138 S. Pine St. | Doylestown, PA 18901 | 215-340-9800

The work of the renowned Pennsylvania Impressionist painter is characterized by refinement, dignity and serenity. Much of Bredin's oeuvre is privately held, and this show marks the first solo retrospective of his work in 85 years. James A. Michener Art Museum, Doylestown. 215-340-9800, [www.michenerartmuseum.org](http://www.michenerartmuseum.org)

Apr 27-May 12. Lewisburg Celebration of the Arts.

A two-week long celebration of arts bracketed by two main events: the Market Street Festival, with art, entertainment and food on Apr. 28, and Lewisburg Live! with bands playing in venues throughout downtown on May 12. In between, there are art and photography exhibits, performances, workshops, demonstrations and a children's play. Lewisburg.

[www.lewisburgartscouncil.com](http://www.lewisburgartscouncil.com)

May 1-31. Tri-Valley Area School District Exhibition.

110 W. Columbia St. | Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972 | 570-732-3728

Community Gallery, Walk In Art Center, Schuylkill Haven. 570-732-3728, [www.walkinartcenter.org](http://www.walkinartcenter.org)

May 5-6. Arts4All.

116 W. Pine St. | Athens, PA 18810 |

This two-day event is designed to allow visitors of all ages to experience, participate in and enjoy all forms of art. Artisans, music acts, food vendors, children's activities, clay demonstrations and art classes will be available. More than 100 artisans will be located at the indoor venue. 10am-4pm. Harlan Rowe Middle School, Athens.

[www.athensarts4all.com](http://www.athensarts4all.com)

Jan 27-Jun 3. The Paintings of George A. Weymouth.

U.S. Route 1 | Chadds Ford, PA 19317 | 610-388-2700

Features approximately 65 of Weymouth's best works of art in all media, from the early oils of the 1950s to the watercolor and egg tempera landscapes and portraits of later times. Brandywine River Museum of Art, Chadds Ford. 610-388-2700, [www.brandywinemuseum.org](http://www.brandywinemuseum.org)

**For more information on all events, contact George P. Nowack, at [gnowack@windstream.net](mailto:gnowack@windstream.net) or 814-795-6888.**

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**Tune in to COOL 101.7 FM on WEDNESDAYS at 2:00P.M.. for complete updates.**

**Look for our Weekly Event Listings in the BRAVO! Section of Thursday's MEADVILLE TRIBUNE!**