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SACKETS HARBOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEET & GREET JUNE 2nd

AANNY will host the Sackets Harbor Chamber Meet and Greet on June 2nd from 6:00-7:30PM at our gallery. Volunteers are needed to help with the hors d'oeuvres. Please contact Clorise Mancini or Lynn Newman.

ANNUAL MEMBER PICNIC & MEETING JUNE 8TH

The Annual Member Picnic and Meeting, with election of officers for 2011-2012 will be June 8th starting with a pot luck at 6PM, followed by the Annual Meeting at 7PM. Everyone is invited to join us for this important event. Members are asked to bring a main dish or dessert to pass. AANNY will supply the paper and plastic ware, coffee and iced tea.

Slate of Officers for 2011-2012

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| President | - Ursula Mickle |
| VP Publicity/Marketing | - Holly Roe |
| VP Fund Raising/Grants | - Bill Christopherson |
| Corresponding Secretary | - Donna Strejlau |
| Recording Secretary | - Open |
| Treasurer | - Marsha Deming |
| Director (9/2011-8/2013) | - Lynn Newman |
| Director (9/2011-8/2013) | - Open |
| Director (9/2011-8/2013) | - Linda Schmonsees |

Two positions are open: one for the Recording Secretary and one for a Director. If you are interested, please contact Marsha Deming or Donna Repaty.

PLEIN AIR EVENT - JULY 15-17

This year, the Plein Air Event will be held 3 days: July 15th to 17th. The Entry Fee is \$15/per artist.

Artists are encouraged to bring their previously created work for display & sale at their site (they set price-keep money). Volunteers will provide ½ hr. breaks for artists, as requested.

The Gallery will remain open Friday, July 15, until 9PM; artists are encouraged to gather and socialize.

Prizes: 40% of entry fees for 1st place; 25% for 2nd place; 15% for 3rd place; 20% for AANNY to cover materials.

The brochure for the Plein Air Event is inside this newsletter. If you would like more copies please contact Bill Christopherson at wchrist796@aol.com or 315-785-6850.

May 2011



2010-2011* Board of Directors

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**September 2010– August 2011*

Directors:

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| Sherman Ward (9/2010--8/2012) |
| Christa Harris (9/2010--8/2012) |
| Charlotte Foster (9/2010--8/2012) |
| Lynn Newman (9/2009-8/2011) |
| Leslie Deil Beale (9/2009-8/2011) |
| Janet Summerville (9/2009-8/2011) |

Important Phone Numbers

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ART AUCTION AUGUST 6TH NEW GUIDELINES

All art will be put in one of three (3) groups when donated. This will be determined by the \$ amount placed on the piece by the artist and whether or not it has a "minimum bid" placed on it.

Group 1: All art which has a "minimum bid" placed on it by the artist, regardless of value. (Value and "Minimum Bid" are determined by the artist.)

Group 2: All art valued over \$50.00 with no "minimum bid" placed on it. (Value is determined by the artist.)

Group 3: All art valued under \$50.00 with no "minimum bid" placed on it. (Value is determined by the artist.)

DAY OF THE AUCTION

Prior to the start of bidding: Group 3 artwork will be classified as a "Buy It Now!" item. These items will be displayed prior to the start of live bidding (hopefully during the Preview) on a table or some kind of display. Patrons may purchase these items before live bidding begins at the predetermined value set by the artist. Ten minutes before the live bidding starts, unsold "Buy It Now!" items will be pulled and included in the live auction process. Items from all groups will be mixed up for the order of auctioning.

Auction: Artwork from Groups 1, 2 and 3 are auctioned as usual. Artwork from Group 1 (those with a "minimum bid") whose "minimum" is not met during the bidding, will be set aside. Hopefully, all items from Groups 2 and 3 will sell since there is no minimum bid on them.

After the Auction:

Group 1: Artwork which does not sell (due to "minimum bid" not being met) will be required to hang in the Gallery until the end of that year's Gallery season. Artwork will hang in a prominent area of the Gallery. Maximum price on these pieces will be either the "minimum bid" or a lesser "sale" price as determined by the artist. 100% of these sales go to the Gallery.

In the event that this art does not sell by the end of the Gallery season, the artist has two options:

1) The artist must remove the art from the Gallery, with no penalty to the artist. AANNY receives nothing.

2) The artist can opt to re-donate the piece to the next year's Auction with no "minimum bid" placed on it. It will then fall into Group 2 or 3 depending on its value.

Group 2 and 3: The artist has the option to take back the donated piece(s) with no penalty or to donate it/them to the Spring Garage Sale.

All attempts will be made to contact the artist on the status of their artwork prior to the end of the Gallery's season. If the artist fails to pick up their work within a reasonable period, the artwork will become the property of the Gallery and the Gallery will dispose of the piece as seen fit.

NEW LOOK TO AANNY WEBSITE

Thanks to Linda Schmonsees, the AANNY website has a new look! It is still being built, but, as new information is received, it will be posted to the website. Keep up to date with classes and events that are happening. Linda may be reached at lschmons@yahoo.com

COVERAGE FOR THE GALLERY

The Board approved expanding the Gallery hours as follows:

Weekends: Sat. 10-5; Sun. 12-4 pm: 5/21/11-7/3/11

Summer Tues.-Fri. 1-5pm: 7/5/11-9/4-2011

Weeks: Sat. 10-5 & Sun. 12-4 pm: 7/5/11-9/4/11
7/5 to 8/31 3rd Fridays 5-9pm: 7/15/11 & 8/19/11

Fall

Weekends: Sat. 10-5; Sun. 12-4 pm 10/2/2011 Closing

Due to the increased hours the Gallery will be open, the Board voted to provide an incentive for artists who display their work in the Gallery to help insure that all the hours will be covered.

Artists signing the 2011 Consignment Agreement must volunteer for one, 4-hour shift per season or pay \$25. Artists who display their work and do not work or arrange substitute coverage for themselves will be charged the \$25. If enough money is in that fund at season's end, we will have a thank-you party for the volunteers who helped.

Of course, artists are encouraged to volunteer their time to ensure that the Gallery will be open to the public the maximum number of hours this season.

A sign-up sheet will be available during the "Intake of Art" for the Spring Art Show, May 15th and 16th, and during the intake of art for the new season, June 5th and 6th. But, if you are interested in a special day of the week or weekend, contact Cloirse Mancini now, and save your date(s) early!

Note: Anyone working a 4-hour shift on a Saturday will get credit for 8-hours.

New & Renewing Members Since the March 2011 Newsletter

New Members

Jan Byington, Clayton

Renewing Members

Robert J. Stojetz, Dexter

Robert & Ruth Uhlig, Cape Vincent

Logo Contest for AANNY

We're ready for a change and would love to put an extra \$100 in **YOUR** pocket! Just break out those creative ideas and draft up your plans for AANNY's new logo!

Mail, or bring your **original** design(s) to the gallery by **June 1st** and we'll keep it in a confidential file until its unveiling at our June 8th Annual Meeting. Limit 2 designs per member. Members attending the annual meeting will vote to narrow down the top three choices with the Executive Board and Directors making the final choice.



Although we anticipate some amazing offerings, we reserve the right to reopen the contest if necessary. Keep in mind this logo is specifically for the Arts Association of Northern New York.

If selected, we will properly register your entry; but we ask that you not sign your submission to allow for completely anonymous voting. Please abide by the June 1 deadline to allow us time to develop a display. Sorry, but designs brought to the Annual Meeting will not be considered.

The current logo looks like this...

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Don't forget to start putting
aside items for the AANNY
Garage Sale on May 28th!
(No shoes or clothing)

We will collect items on
May 26th and 27th at the
Gallery from 1-4PM.



PLEIN AIR EVENT

JULY 15-16-17, 2011

The dates for the Plein Air Event are July 15-17.
Members and non-members may enter three pieces of artwork.

See brochure inside for details.

A list of accommodations is available on the aanny.org website.

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