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Arts Alliance 30th Anniversary Gala

CELEBRATE A LEGACY • SUPPORT A FUTURE



Come celebrate the cultural legacy of Delaware Valley Arts Alliance and support a vibrant future for the arts at the *30 Art-Full Years Gala* on March 31. Enjoy an evening of dining, dancing and

entertainment at The Club at Villa Roma, Callicoon, New York, starting with a cocktail hour at 7 p.m. Following dinner, dance to the music of *The Rocketmen*, a rock and blues band, and enjoy the company of other arts supporters.

This is a major fundraiser to sustain the work of Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, the Arts Council for Sullivan County, who in 30 years has produced thousands of programs in the visual, performing, literary, media arts and film, and has managed grant

Celebrating 30 Art-Full Years March 31, 2007

An evening of dining, dancing, & entertainment
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programs that have supported cultural organizations in virtually every township in Sullivan County and individual artists in both New York and Pennsylvania.

"The Board of Directors is making a serious fundraising effort to insure the future of this arts council," says Executive Director Elaine Giguere. "This has always been a 'roll up your sleeves' organization. We're all used to hard work. But it takes money to keep up the professionalism that people expect from us. I hope everyone who values the arts will contribute to this event in some way."

Delaware Valley Arts Alliance was formed in 1976 by a group of

citizens and arts professionals to make the arts central to rural life. By 1981 the Arts Alliance bought a new home, the former Arlington Hotel on Main Street in Narrowsburg, NY, as its headquarters and renovated it over the years to accommodate the work of hundreds of artists -- in the galleries, the recital hall and the gift shop. In 1990, the Arts Alliance renovated the town-owned Tusten Theatre which became the home of Delaware Valley Opera, Jazzfest at Tusten, an on-going Fall Festival of theatre and music and the DiGit Media Festival.



Free Film Screening for Members, April 28

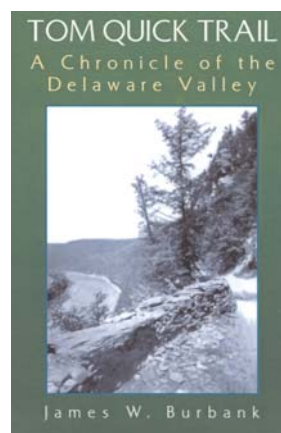
Delaware Valley Arts Alliance will host a *Member Night Film Screening and Reception* on Saturday, April 28 at 7:30 p.m. The evening will kick off with Buster Keaton's "The Playhouse" at the Tusten Theatre at 210 Bridge Street, followed by a reception at the Delaware Arts Center at 37 Main Street in Narrowsburg. This free event is for current DVAA members and those who would like to become members. For more information, call 252-7576.



MEET THE ROCKETMEN Performing at March 31 Gala

The Rocketmen take you back to the late 1950's with their authentic sounds, gear and looks from a style that was arguably the most influential and most fun in roots Rock and Roll history! Playing all styles of roots music from New Orleans to Memphis; Fats Domino, Little Richard to Carl Perkins, Eddie Cochran to Chuck Berry; to the R&B stylings of Hank Ballard, James Brown & Ray Charles, The Rocketmen have it covered. Separately the band has a very impressive history. They have all played on the music circuit with groups led by Chuck Berry, Buddy Guy, Steve Guyer and Carl Perkins for over 20 years.

NEW BOOK TRACES HISTORY OF UPPER DELAWARE VALLEY



Author James W. Burbank's posthumously published book *Tom Quick Trail* presents a comprehensive

look at the history of the Upper Delaware and the controversial man, Tom Quick. The book chronicles the march of civilization through the Delaware River valley. Born in 1900, Burbank shares the story of the early settlers; the settlements established along the Upper Delaware River Valley; as well as the building of the canal, the railroad, and Route 97. To order a copy, visit Xlibris.com or Signature Gifts at 37 Main Street in Narrowsburg.

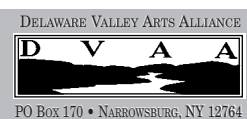


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"UNDER MY SKIN"
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Cultural Calendar

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FOR THE SULLIVAN COUNTY AREA

Now - March 9

Exhibit: "Spirit of the Letters," new paintings by Edward Evans, sponsored by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance. Alliance Gallery, Delaware Arts Center, 37 Main Street, Narrowsburg, NY. Hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Opening reception: Saturday, February 17, 2 - 4 p.m. Free. Information: 252-7576 or ArtsAllianceSite.org.



Cynthia Toliver's group show "Goods and Guns" at Writers Among Us.

Now - March 29

Exhibit: Quilts by members of the Calico Geese Quilt Guild of Sullivan County, as part of National Quilt Month. Liberty Public Library, 189 North Main St, Liberty, NY. Mon, Weds, Fri 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Tues/Thurs 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. and Sat. 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Admission is free. Information: 292-6070.

March 1

Film/Discussion: *Swing Kids* (PG-13), Cabin Fever Film

Series, sponsored by the Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library, 7 p.m., B.O.C.E.S. John Street Education Center, St. John Street, Monticello, NY. Discussion facilitated by Jack Herschfeld follows screening. Free.

March 2 - 25

Exhibit: "Healing and Power and Solve the Problems," an exhibit of handmade tapestries by artist Chief Z.O. Oloruntoba, presented by the Center for Creative Therapies and the Arts, 1107 Plank Rd., Forestburgh, NY. Gallery hours are Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays 1:00-9:00 p.m. or by appointment. Opening reception: Friday, March 2, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Free. Information: 796-2554.

March 4

Reading: "Writers Among Us" literary series features Cynthia Toliver, sponsored by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, 2 p.m., Gloria Krause Recital Hall (second floor), Delaware Arts Center, 37 Main Street, Narrowsburg, NY, Free. Information: 252-7576 or ArtsAllianceSite.org.

March 8

Film/Discussion: *Billy Elliot* (PG-13) Cabin Fever Film Series sponsored by the Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library, 7 p.m., B.O.C.E.S. John Street Education Center, St. John Street, Monticello, NY. Discussion facilitated by Jack Herschfeld follows screening. Free.

March 10

Workshop: Card-making workshop with Linda Cobb of Fallsdale Studios, sponsored by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, 1 p.m., Delaware Arts Center, 37 Main Street, Narrowsburg, NY. Bring your own pencils and scissors. Tuition of \$12 includes supplies. You'll go home with a set

of 4 cards and envelopes. Register by March 8 by calling 252-7576.

March 10

Workshop: Part of National Quilt Month, Quilt guild members, including Sally Abrams, demonstrate quilting and answer questions. Student quiltmakers will work on a special Liberty Bicentennial Quilt, depicting scenes from the Liberty of yesteryear. Liberty Public Library, 189 North Main St, Liberty, NY. 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon. No registration is necessary. Information: 292-6070.



Chief Oloruntoba's tapestry "Mother and Child - Part III" on exhibit March 2 - 25 in Forestburgh.

March 11

Dance: Winter Ballroom Dance at Sullivan County Museum, 265 Main Street, Hurleyville, NY. Lessons by local dance instructors Norton and Agi Hyman. 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. Admission is \$15 for couples, \$8 for singles, and \$3 for students. Information: 292-4312.

March 15

Book Discussion: "Surely You're Joking, Dr. Feynman" by Richard Feynman. Western Sullivan Public Library, Tusten-Cochecton Branch, 198 Bridge St, Narrowsburg, NY. 4:30 p.m. Free. Information: 252-3360.

March 15

Film/Discussion: *Take the Lead* (PG-13), Cabin Fever Film Series, sponsored by the Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library, 7:00 p.m., B.O.C.E.S. John Street

Education Center, St. John Street, Monticello, NY. Discussion facilitated by Jack Herschfeld follows screening. Free.

March 17 - April 6

Exhibit: "A Delicate Nature," photographs by Greg Miller, sponsored by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, Alliance Gallery at the Delaware Arts Center, 37 Main Street, Narrowsburg, NY. Opening reception: Saturday, March 17, 2 - 4 p.m. Free. Information: 252-7576 or ArtsAllianceSite.org.

March 18

Concert: Weekend of Chamber Music's early spring concert features acclaimed violinist Curtis Macomber performing Beethoven's "Spring Sonata." Big Twig Studio, 855 County Rd 93, Roscoe, NY. 3:00 p.m. \$18, general admission (free for children and students under 18). Information: 932-8527 (leave a clear message with your name, how many tickets you need and your phone number.)

March 23, 24, 25

Performance: Dinner Theatre at the Sullivan County Museum, "Our Town" by Thornton Wilder, performed by the Sullivan County Dramatic Workshop, 265 Main Street, Hurleyville, NY. Information: 583-6097 or e-mail haroldtighe@att.net.

March 21 - 24

Exhibit: Vintage photographs and prints commemorating the 90th anniversary of the Sullivan County branch of the American Red Cross, sponsored by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, Loft Gallery at the Delaware Arts Center, 37 Main



1917 photo of Red Cross workers in New York, as part of an exhibit at Delaware Arts Center's Loft Gallery, March 21-24.

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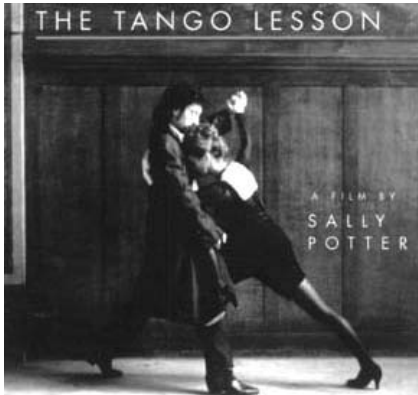
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March 25

Lecture: Creating Pottery, sponsored by Friends of Sunshine Hall Free Library, 14 Proctor Road, Eldred, NY 12732, 2 - 4 p.m. Free. Information: 557-6258.

March 29

Film: *The Tango Lesson* (PG 13), Cabin Fever Film Series, sponsored by the Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library, 7 p.m., B.O.C.E.S. John Street Education Center, St. John Street, Monticello, NY. Discussion facilitated by Jack Herschfeld follows screening. Free.



Discussion of Sally Potter's film *The Tango Lesson* on March 29.

March 31

Gala: Celebrate 30 Art-Full Years with Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, the Arts Council for Sullivan County. Dinner, cocktails, live music, dancing and entertainment, The Club at Villa Roma, Callicoon. \$75 per person. Reservations: 252-7576.

April 13 - May 4

Exhibit: "Under My Skin," new watercolor paintings by Sidney H. Berger, sponsored by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, Alliance Gallery, Delaware Arts Center, 37 Main Street, Narrowsburg, NY. Opening reception: Friday, April 13, 7 - 9 p.m. Free. Information: 252-7576 or ArtsAllianceSite.org.

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Dance: Winter Ballroom Dance at Sullivan County Museum, 265 Main Street, Hurleyville, NY. Lessons by local dance instructors Norton and Agi Hyman. 2:00 -

5:00 p.m. Admission is \$15 for couples, \$8 for singles, and \$3 for students. Information: 292-4312.

April 19

Book Discussion: "Art of Mending" by Alice Berg.

Western Sullivan Public Library, Tusten-Cochecton Branch, 198 Bridge St, Narrowsburg, NY. 7:00 p.m. Free. Information: 252-3360.

April 28

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April 28

Bus Tour: 12th Annual Sullivan County Architectural Bus Tour in Liberty, Fallsburg, and Neversink, sponsored by Liberty Museum & Arts Center. Morning tour: 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., afternoon tour 1:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. \$45 per ticket eserved before April 1 (\$50 after). Information: 292-2394.



Delaware Valley Arts Alliance is an arts council founded in 1976. Its mission is to lead collaborations that advance the arts in Sullivan County and the Upper Delaware Valley; to encourage and support cultural programs relevant to all citizens; and to provide services to individual artists, arts organizations and the area's arts industry. While programs and services are available to everyone, membership support is vital to DVAA's programs, and we encourage everyone to join, starting at \$45 (\$40 for individual artists & senior citizens) per year.

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The Arts Council for Sullivan County, Delaware Valley Arts Alliance presents programs in the visual, performing, literary and media arts and serves a county- and valley-wide constituency of artists, arts groups and the general public. To view our programs visit www.ArtsAllianceSite.org.

ARTSLETTER

Artsletter, the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance membership newsletter and cultural calendar, is compiled as a service to area residents, artists and arts groups. *Artsletter* is sent directly to members by mail. It is also available free at public libraries and cultural institutions. Calendar listings are free for Sullivan County and Upper Delaware Valley nonprofit cultural organizations.

For further information:

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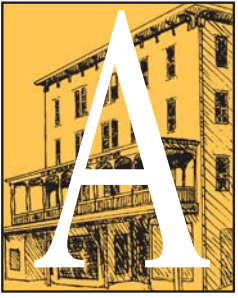
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“A Delicate Nature”
Photographs of New York State by Greg Miller



Greg Miller's "Shawangunks Harvest" (36" x 10") will be on view March 17 - April 6, 2007 at Alliance Gallery, 37 Main Street, Narrowsburg, NY.

An exhibition of photographs by Greg Miller titled "A Delicate Nature" opens at the Alliance Gallery in Narrowsburg on Saturday, March 17, 2007 with an artist's reception from 2 - 4 p.m. The exhibition will be on view through April 6, 2007.

Early in his career, nature photographer Greg Miller was frustrated by the quality of photographic prints available from commercial labs, as they were unable to reproduce the power of what he saw in the field. But that changed about five years ago when he discovered how to make accurate color prints using digital scanners and printers.

"My images tend to have vibrant colors and are very luminous. I do not use filters or alter the colors digitally," explains Miller, who lives in Orange County, NY. His panoramic format images are seamless composites of 9 to 13 images stitched together in Photoshop so as to appear to be one continuous image. In order to capture just the right frame, he visits a location many times until the light and weather conditions combine to yield a special image. "I am very aware of the subtractive aspect of photography, where I start with the entire scene before me and then eliminate all unnecessary elements until I arrive at the composition that includes only the primary essence of the scene. This is very different from the arts where one begins with a blank canvas and adds the elements of the scene to create the composition".



Greg Miller's "Bashakill Birches" (18" x 12") as part of "A Delicate Nature" exhibit

Working in both film and digital formats, Miller recently began to produce monochromatic images in an effort to stress the textures, lines, and shapes of scenes where color can actually detract from the image. He uses a technique that combines in-focus and out-of-focus shots of the same scene. The result is an image that has familiar, yet surreal quality.

This exhibit, free and open to the public, is sponsored by the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, the Arts Council for Sullivan County, NY, and is made possible in part with funding from the Visual Arts Program of the New York State Council on the Arts.

Alliance Gallery is located at the Delaware Arts Center at 37 Main Street, Narrowsburg, NY. Hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information about the exhibit call 845-252-7576 or visit www.ArtsAllianceSite.org.



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Sidney H. Berger's "Under My Skin"

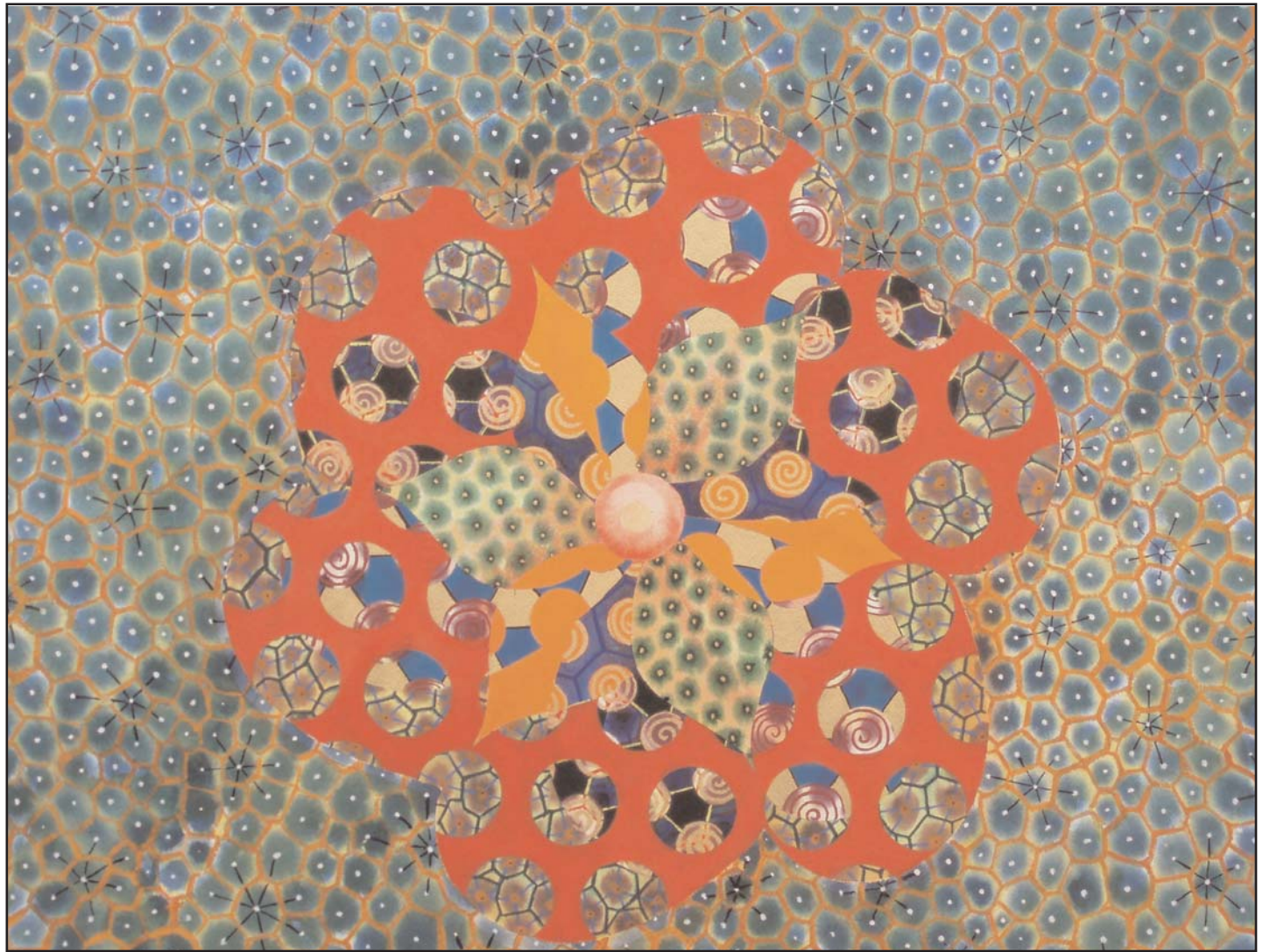
Watercolors on exhibition in April

An exhibition of new watercolor paintings by Sidney H. Berger titled "Under My Skin" opens at the Alliance Gallery on Friday, April 13, 2007 with an artists' reception from 7 - 9 p.m. The exhibition will be on view through May 4, 2007.

Throughout his career, painter Sidney H. Berger has always found creative inspiration in the natural world. Seven years ago, he moved from New York City to Sullivan County in order to live closer to nature, where he found that his imagination blossomed: "Working in the garden, floating on the pond or walking through the woods are all opportunities for observation that might show their influence in the studio," Berger explains.

Berger's colorful and intricate watercolors, which suggest elements from environment, start with one or two repeated shapes that begin to define one other and make up the whole. "From there, if things are going well, it is the painting that, for the most part, decides where things are going," he says.

While creating a painting, Berger describes a point when, "the painting begins to resonate with me, reminding me of some experience, per-



"El Dorado" by Sidney H. Berger as part of the "Under My Skin" exhibit opening April 13 at Alliance Gallery in Narrowsburg, NY.

ception or rhythm of the natural world." That's where the influence of nature truly kicks in. "If the work is finished, it will have some small part of the sensation of, say, looking at a flower, an insect or at the night sky and their mystery and beauty."

Sidney H. Berger's "Under My Skin" exhibit is sponsored by the Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, the Arts Council for Sullivan County, NY, and is made possible in part with funding from the Visual Arts Program of the New York State Council on the Arts.

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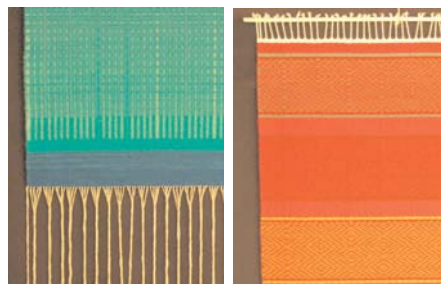
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Sherry Camhy's art work was chosen to be featured as the frontispiece of *FineArtConnoisseur Magazine*, January, 2007. Recently two of her silverpoint images became part of the permanent collection of the Telfair Museum of Art, Savannah, Ga. Her "Silver Sky" is now on exhibit at The National Arts Club. Camhy will resume teaching at The School Of Visual Arts, NYU, and the Art Students League when the Spring Term begins.

Daria Dorosh's New York exhibition "The Changing Room" appeared at A.I.R. Gallery in Chelsea from February 6 - March 3.

MetroTang played one long very cool set on January 25 at The Duplex on Christopher Street in New York.



In February, **Judith Leire's** handmade espresso cup and saucer appeared in the "Cups Coming Together" show at

the Clay Art Center in Port Chester, NY.

Painter **Eric Karpeles** had an exhibit titled "Between pole and tropic" from February 17 - March 18, at Mahady Gallery in Scranton, PA. Karpeles is the recipient of the 2005 F. Lamot Belin Fellowship.

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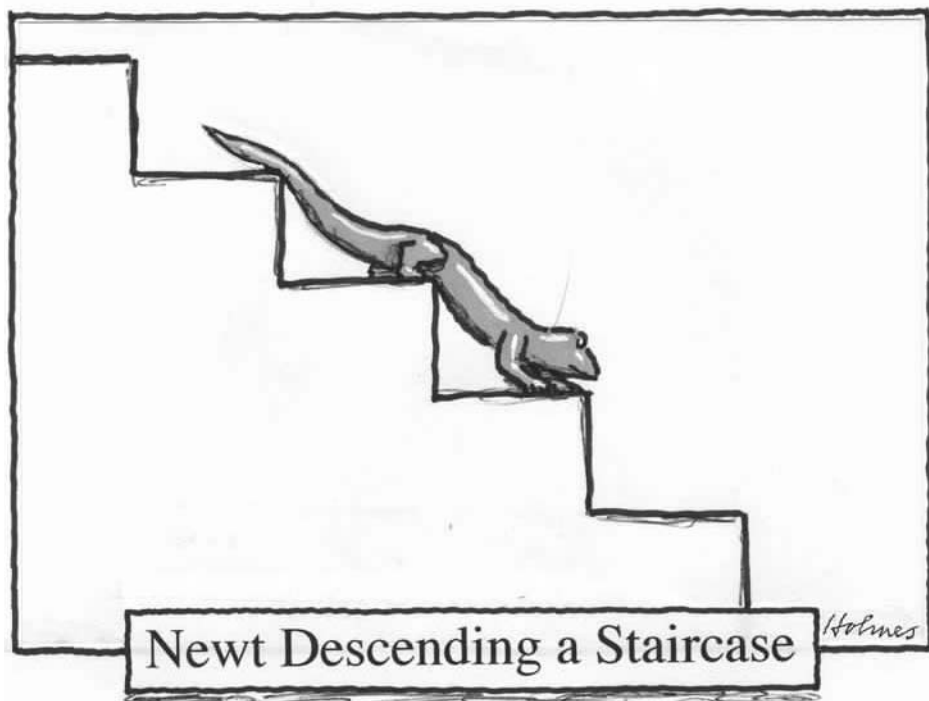
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Learn the Art of Cardmaking

Linda Cobb of Fallsdale Studios will present a card-making workshop on Saturday, March 10 at the Delaware Arts Center in Narrowsburg, NY. Participants will stamp, cut, fold, crimp, and weave paper to create unique cards, and will go home with a set of four cards & envelopes.

Tuition is \$12 and includes supplies. Please bring your own pencils and scissors. Register by March 8 by calling (845) 252-7576.

The workshop takes place in the Loft Gallery (second floor) of the Delaware Arts Center, 37 Main St, Narrowsburg. For more information, call (845) 252-7576.



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2007 Sullivan County Arts & Heritage Grants

The Sullivan County Legislature provided funding in the 2007 budget to assist nonprofit organizations to present or produce cultural programming in Sullivan County during 2007. Administered by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance, the Sullivan County Arts & Heritage Grants Program is accepting applications for 2007 funding.

Sullivan County nonprofit arts groups and community organizations are eligible, such as literary groups, choral groups, historical societies, orchestras, libraries, chambers of commerce, etc.

Organizations may apply if they:

- are based in Sullivan County and have a Board of Directors or volunteers who perform board functions.
- have been in existence for at least one year.
- supply evidence of nonprofit status with one of the following documents: an IRS letter of Determination, a charter issued by the Board of Regents of NY State, an authorization as an arm of local government or a receipt of registration from the New York State Office of the Attorney General's Charities Bureau (available at 120 Broadway, New York, NY 10271 or online at www.oag.state.ny.us/charities).

SCAHG can fund quality arts programs, projects or services that focus on one of the following: visual, performing, literary, media or folk arts; local or ethnic culture; architecture or environmental arts.

The minimum funding request and grant is \$300; the maximum is \$2,500. All projects must take place before December 31, 2007. Applications must reach the Arts Alliance office by May 4, 2007. This is **not** a postmark deadline. There will be no extensions. Faxes or emails are **not** accepted.

For applications, contact the Arts Alliance at 252 7576, or visit www.ArtsAllianceSite.org.

The National Endowment for the Arts 2008 Grants

The Arts Endowment awards grants to non-profit organizations for arts projects that are of national, regional, or field-wide significance; that tour in several states; or that provide an unusual or especially valuable contribution because of geographic location. Grants are awarded also for local projects that can have significant effects within communities or that are likely to serve as program models.

Arts Endowment funding is available for projects in the fol-

lowing fields: Dance, Design, Folk & Traditional Arts, Literature, Media Arts (Film, Radio, Television), Museums, Music, Musical Theater, Opera, Presenting, Theater and Visual Arts. The Endowment also awards grants to local and State Arts Agencies and to Regional Arts Organizations.

Access to Artistic Excellence: Projects that foster and preserve excellence in the arts and provide access to the arts for all Americans. An organization may request a matching grant from \$5,000 to \$150,000. Application deadlines: March 12, 2007 and August 13, 2007. (See Guidelines to determine which deadline per-

tains to which type of project.) Application guidelines available on-line at www.arts.gov.

CALL FOR ENTRIES

Encaustic Works '07
R&F Handmade Paints is calling for entries for an exhibition to provide a forum to demonstrate and document the impact that encaustic is having on contemporary art. This ancient medium has re-emerged, adapting to the stylistic demands of the 21st century. The show will open on August 4,

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There are numerous ways to aid the programs and services of the DVAA, including membership and contributions to endowment funds. DVAA is a 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization. Contributions are tax deductible.

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Pan's Labyrinth



In March, CineArt at the Callicoon Theatre presents Guillermo Del Toro's adult fairy tale *Pan's Labyrinth*. Set in Spain in 1944, the story is told through the eyes of a little girl whose imaginary world is inhabited by nightmarish creatures. AO Scott of the *New York Times* says "The brilliance of *Pan's Labyrinth* is that its current of imaginative energy runs both ways. If this is magic realism, it is also the work of a real magician."

Pan's Labyrinth is rated R and will be screened at the Callicoon Theatre:

Wednesday & Thursday, March 7 & 8 at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 10 at 2:00 p.m. and 9:45 p.m.

Sunday, March 11 at 2:00 p.m.

Admission is \$7.00.

The CineArt film series is co-sponsored by Delaware Valley Arts Alliance and the Callicoon Theater. A percentage of the profits and \$1 per person from ticket sales benefit Delaware Valley Arts Alliance. For more information call the MovieLine at 845-887-4460.

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2007 at The Gallery at R&F in Kingston, NY, and will run through September 29. The show then travels to Ball State University's Atrium Gallery from October 31 - December 1, 2007.

All work must incorporate hot wax techniques, pigmented, or unpigmented and must have been completed in the last two years. Entries may be two or three-dimensional. Jurying is done by slides or jpeg/tiff files on CD only. Non-refundable entry fee is \$20 for up to five slides, Entry deadline: postmarked by April 16, 2007.

Send materials to: Encaustic Works '07, c/o R&F Handmade Paints, 84 Ten Broeck Ave, Kingston, NY 12401, 800-206-8088, www.rfpaints.com.

Liberty 2007: 200 Years of Liberty, NY

The Liberty Museum & Arts Center is calling for entries for their program celebrating Liberty's Bicentennial. "Liberty 2007: 200 Years of Liberty, NY", is the museum's special effort to commemorate the town of Liberty's 200th birthday. The contest is open to anyone who has a connection to Liberty.

Applicants will be divided into

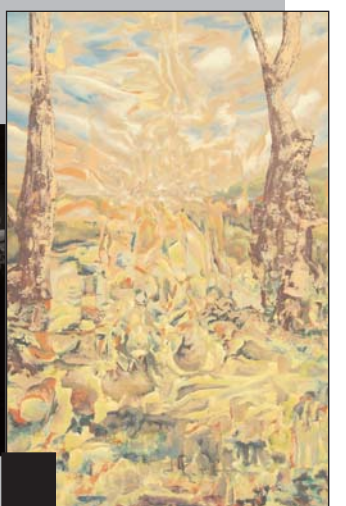
two age groups: Students up to age 18 and Adults 18 and over and are welcome to submit any of the following which will be divided into the appropriate category; art or writing: drawings, paintings, photos, essays or poems which depict your love of Liberty. Each artistic representation should be accompanied by a brief description. Items of historical significance should be submitted as reproductions - no originals please.

The deadline for submissions is March 9, 2007. All entries become the property of the Liberty Museum & Arts Center and may be reproduced for future use.

There will a \$100 grand prize, \$50 second prize and honorable mention for each age group and category. Winning submissions will be featured in the museum's spring newsletter. The top three entries from each age group in both Categories will be on display at the museum for the duration of the 2007 season. Judges will be area artist Robert Friedman and writer Victoria Diescher from Livningston Manor.

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