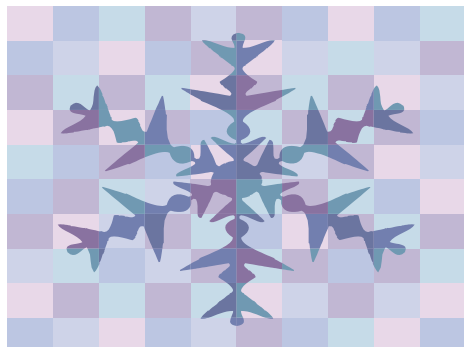


January 2012



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YAA GIFT SHOP

The York Art Association gift shop will reopen on Jan. 12th under new management. As a member, you are entitled to put your art / craft in the shop for sale. Following is the procedures for submitting work:

- Bring your items to the gallery on the assigned date below. Special arrangements can be made for those who are unable to meet this date.
- Each item must be marked with your YAA identification number, the item number and the price. This information is listed on a separate page for each participant in alphabetical order in the Shop Loose Leaf Book. A YAA representative will be present to assist you when you drop off your work.
- Artist / Craftsperson will be notified weekly of any sales and be invited to replace the item in the shop.
- YAA collects the sales tax and deducts 30 % commission from the purchase price for each sale. Checks are mailed on the 15th of the month following the sale.
- Please keep in mind that it is a very small shop so extremely large items may be difficult to display.

**The next date to bring your work is
Saturday Jan. 7th and Sunday Jan. 8th
between 12:00 to 4:00 PM**

**If you have questions or need to make special
arrangements please email:**

**Anne Gately
artannie@maine.rr.com**

YAA MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Anyone interested in chairing our Membership Committee, please contact any of the Board members. We are looking for volunteers to help build membership and reach out to our current members!

Written by Carrie Yakola

YAA FIBER ARTISTS

YAA Fiber artists will be meeting on Monday Jan. 12th at 1:00PM, at the YAA Gallery. Carol Powley will demonstrate the "Ruching" technique.

The challenge for the January meeting is "A Self Portrait". Also don't forget your handcrafted nametag! Put your skills and imagination to work, it should be an interesting project.

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The York Art Association Presents



LAUNCH! 2012

A Show For Emerging Young Artists

January 12th - 29th

Opening Reception:

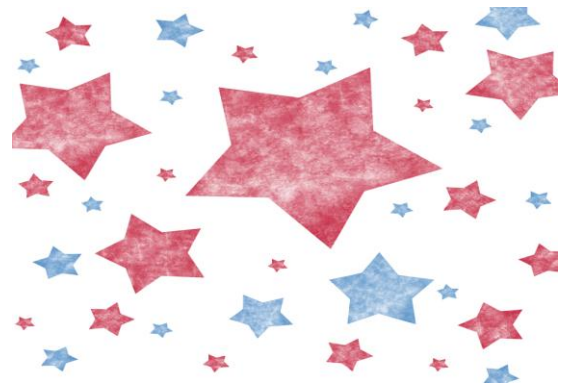
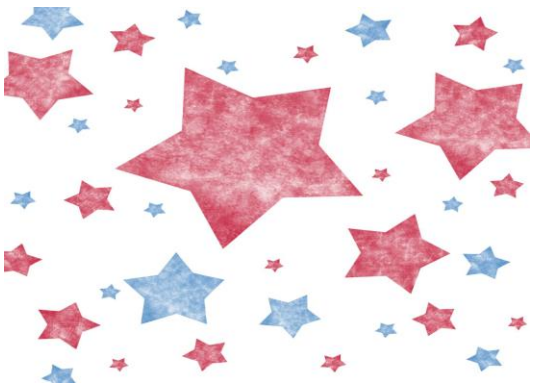
Sunday, January 15th, 2012
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Winter Gallery Hours

Thursdays & Fridays: 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturdays & Sundays: 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Gallery & Gift Shop ~ 394 York Street, York Harbor ~ 207-363-4049

www.yorkartassociation.com



YAA HOLIDAY GIFT SHOP

Louise Gerstenblatt, who organized this year's Holiday Fair, also planned the Holiday Gift Shop Sale that was held at YAA in December for two consecutive Fridays and Saturdays during December. Many of our members participated - - selling handmade scarves, soap, candles, pottery, pocketbooks, baskets, knitted items, crocheted items, cards, pottery, wood turned bowls and boxes, as well as jewelry. All items were priced under \$100. The sale was a success and we sold about \$2000.00 worth of fine arts and crafts.

We are already planning a similar sale for next year. The first Saturday of this year's sale was our biggest day in terms of sales so YAA may host the sale for only one weekend next year. We are also considering being open on Christmas Eve - - to cater to those last minute shoppers who are looking for a special gift that is locally made. There is nothing as personal or meaningful as a handcrafted gift.

Think about participating in this event next December - - either as a vendor or as a customer. We welcome your input if you have ideas that might help make our sale even more of a success.



THE FINE ART OF GILDING WORKSHOPS



START DATE - JANUARY 18th

Come explore for a Part - One Workshop

- The sessions will be 2 hours each class
- 3 Wednesday evenings study periods
 - 6:00 to 8:00 PM
 - \$75.00 plus materials
- A total of 6 hours of hands – on study time

The Fine Art of Gilding

Come and experience the “how - to” with hands-on applications for the art of the oil-gilding techniques using gold, copper and silver metal leaf. Learn the necessary surface preparation, finishing effects and the materials required for this unique artistry. In this 6 hour study program, you will explore gilding on paper, seashell and stone. A material list will be provided at time of the workshop registration.

YOGA is coming to YAA!

Please contact :

Hannah Burke

classicbd@comcast.net

For more information and to pre-register



2012 YAA MEMBERSHIP DUES

Thank you for sending your 2012 dues to the Gallery Manager, Elena Sarni. We are dependent upon the dues to keep our operations and programs running year round.

Don't get left behind. We've got great things in store for 2012

Annual membership runs from Oct. 1st to Sept. 30th. 2012 Membership levels are:

Active: \$35	Student: \$10	Associate: \$35
Corporate: \$50	Patron: \$100	Benefactor: \$500
	Life: \$1,000	

Your dues help us keep the YAA a vibrant organization serving its members and the community with great exhibits, shows, programs, events and so much more.

ATTN: York Art Association
P.O. Box 74
York, ME 03909

SEND IN YOUR DUES TODAY!



THE IMAGE AND THE WORD

A judged exhibit at the YAA - members only

February 9th to March 4th 2012
Drop Off on Feb. 5th or 6th at 4 to 6 PM
Pick Up on Mar. 4th or 5th at 4 to 6 PM
Reception is Feb. 12th from 5 to 7 PM

\$10.00 Hanging Fee
3 Pieces if art may be submitted

The artwork should be inspired by words; either poetry or prose, original or quoted and the words used should be clearly typed onto an 8 or 10 paper to be displayed next to the art work.

If members write their own poetry, we would encourage them to combine their own words with their images and to read from their poetry at the opening, if they wish, after a review by the chairpersons who must make the selections, as time is limited.

All submitted works must be for sale and created within the last 3 years. Participants must be available to gallery sit during the show.

Three works of art may be submitted. All submissions may not be shown and the judge determines selection. All the rules for proper hanging and framing must be met. Please refer to our website for these instructions at:

www.yorkartassociation.com

For this show are, any and all questions regarding this show may be directed to:

CO - CHAIRS
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207-363-7308
or
Diana Servis
arty.candy@yahoo.com
207-361-1186

YAA GIFT SHOP AT NEW MANAGEMENT

Louise Gerstenblatt has managed the YAA Gift Shop for over 6 years. She is responsible for making it what it is today – a successful, revenue producing part of YAA. During her tenure she purchased display cases, arranged and rearranged the shop, selected paint for the walls and expanded the gift shop space into the entryway. Over the years she recruited fine craftsmen in many mediums, which resulted in an increase in membership.

In addition, Louise organized at least 6 craft shows. Ultimately, these shows outgrew the confines of YAA building and it became necessary to old these events at the spacious American Legion Hall in York. For the past 2 years she also organized a holiday gift shop sale at YAA in December, which has proved quite successful.

Louise has recently decided to move on to other projects. She wants to explore ways to raise funds to help make YAA's dream of a new building a reality. Her commitment and dedication are sure to benefit the organization as she moves into this new role.

Louise will be a hard act to follow and it will take 3 of us to fill her shoes! Anne Gately, Deb Kolbjornsen and Donna McDonald -- have agreed to manage the gift shop going forward. They are hoping to have it up and running in time for the *Launch!* exhibition for emerging artists that open January 12th. *Launch!* was a great show last year. The enthusiasm of young artists is always infectious. We hope that our members will attend the opening reception and help spread some of this energy into our revamped gift shop – either by offering your art/crafts for sale, or being a patron of the gift shop and supporting our many talented artists and craftspeople.

If you have questions or suggestions please email:

Anne Gately
artannie@maine.rr.com

OUTSIDE EXHIBITS FOR MEMBERS

Members got an email listing areas and months available several times. Will call if no response from my email. Will email the 2012 Outside Exhibit Schedule to 2011 members.

Currently, many members email does not get accepted to send, so please contact me for your email correct!

The current exhibits for these sites are:

TOWN HALL

OPEN – All Year So Far

YORK HOSPITAL

Philip McCurdy – May / June

YORK LIBRARY

OPEN – Jan to Aug

YORK LAND TRUST

OPEN – All Year So Far

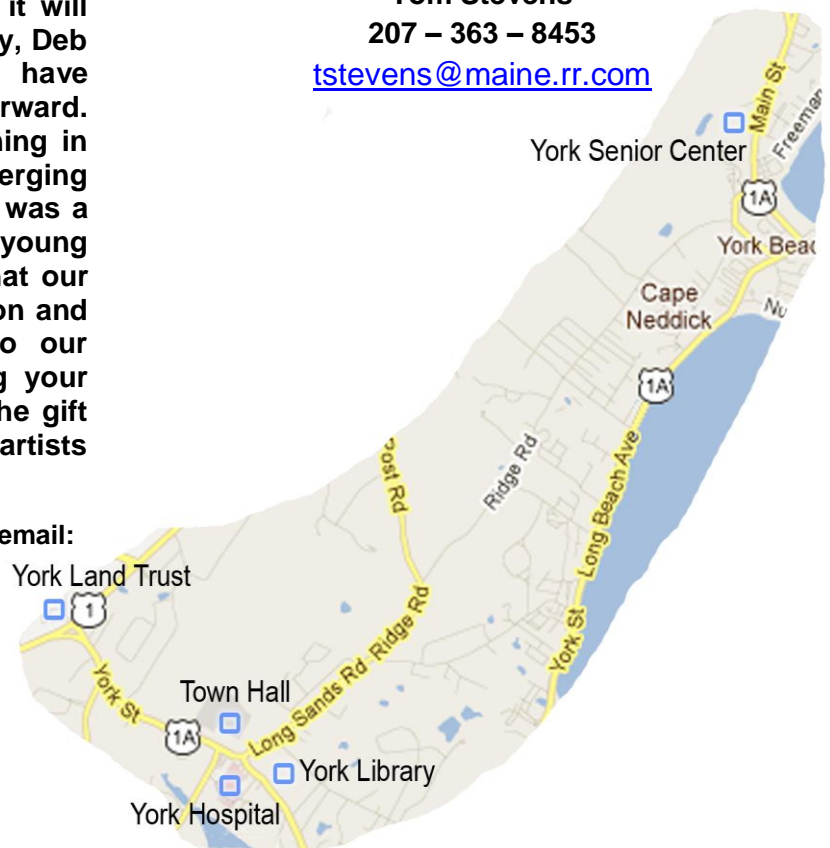
YORK SENIOR CENTER

Louise Whelton – Jan / Feb

Tom Stevens

207 – 363 – 8453

tstevens@maine.rr.com





YORK ART ASSOCIATION

SHOWS AND CHAIRMEN 2012

JANUARY	"Launch", Emerging Artists OPEN	Tori Rasche and Mary Sweeney
FEBRUARY	"The Image and the Word" Paintings and Poetry Members Only	Diana Servis and Susan Overby West
MARCH	"MONKEY BUSINESS – Animals and Children" OPEN	MaryAnn Fleming and Deb Kolbjornsen
APRIL	Clay Show OPEN	Kathleen King and Southern Maine Clay Guild
MAY	"Clothesline Show" Spring Show Members Only	Gene Gallipeau and Sondra Weaver
JUNE	"Fiber Show"	Pat Spiller and Fiber Arts Group
JULY	Annual Show "Art in Bloom" Members only	Sue Wierzba and Evelyn Ring
AUGUST	"Wonderful Water" Summer Show Members only	Pat Iguchi and Jean Lincoln
SEPTEMBER	"Works on Paper" OPEN "ART IN THE PARK"	Donna Sabaka and Julie Barrett
OCTOBER	"Abstract and Out of the Ordinary" OPEN	Wolfgang and Maryann Ertl
NOVEMBER	Photography	Photography Group Teresa Mattson and Bob Bush
DECEMBER	Gifts Galore – All Artwork and Crafts \$100 or under	Anne Gately and Deb Kolbjornsen



York Art Association Show and Workshop Schedule

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Show Name</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>Drop Off</u>	<u>Reception</u>
1/15 to 1/29	<u>Launch! Emerging Artists</u>	Elena Sarni	1/8 & 1/9	1/15, 4-6 PM
2/9 TO 3/4	<u>The Image and The Word</u> <u>Paintings / Poetry</u> Members Only	Diana Servis and Susan Overby West	2/5 & 2/6	2/12, 5-7PM
3/8 TO 4/1	<u>Monkey Business</u> Animals and Children	Julie Barrett	3/4 & 3/5	
4/5 – 5/6	<u>Clay Show</u>	Kathleen Gallipeau Clay Guild	4/1 & 4/2	4/8, 5-7 PM

ow on FACEBOOK!!

I am Julie Ann LaBouve, a member of YAA and I have volunteered to handle the Facebook page. Be sure to like us on Facebook - YORK ART ASSOCIATION – for more info, events and photos. Also to tell your friends.

Julie Ann
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YAA Newsletter

December Newsletter Article Deadline by Monday 11/21/11 please.

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- To get the YAA Newsletter by email from Suzie Goodwin and we will add you to the list.
- For future classes, lectures, shows, demos please get in touch with specific contact person if you have any questions

YAA Gallery Hours For November

Thursdays and Fridays
Saturdays and Sundays

2:00 to 7:00 PM
11:00 AM to 4:00 PM



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