

### Dates To Note:

May 31: Gallery committee, 9am  
 Jun 20: Board meeting, 7pm  
 Jun 28: Gallery committee, 9am  
 Jun 24-25: Deliver work for \$99 & Under Sale. Remove older work  
 Jun 27: **All-Member Meeting**, 7pm  
 Jun 28-Aug 27: *Annual \$99 & Under Sale*, also Silent Art Auction for Hanover Against Hunger  
 Jul 4: Happy Independence Day!  
 Jul 16: Snack Town Street Fair, 8am-4pm  
 Jul 16: Meet & Greet Roxy's Sheep, 1-4pm. Sign-up required  
 Jul 18: Board reorganization meeting, 7pm

### Guild Information

Hanover Area Arts Guild  
 32 Carlisle Street  
 Hanover, PA 17331

#### Gallery Hours

Tuesday thru Friday: 12 to 5pm  
 Saturday: 10am to 3pm  
 Sunday & Monday: Closed

#### Website:

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

#### Contact Us:

Phone: 717-632-2521 or Email:  
[info@hanoverareaarts.com](mailto:info@hanoverareaarts.com)

The Hanover Area Arts Guild is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Donations are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

### Congratulations Spring Show Winners!

Guild members once again delighted gallery visitors – and the awards judge – with outstanding new art for the 2022 Spring Show and Sale. Congratulations to the winners:

Best of Show: **Gail Wine Mancha**, "Sunrise Over Cornfield" (right)

Awards of Excellence  
**Kirby Heltebridle**, "Fairy with a Kirbco 360"  
**Barbara Hess**, "Friesian"  
**Don Jones**, "Spalted Tupelo Vase"

Awards of Merit  
**Mary Moores**, "The Leadership Team"  
**Jamie Reeder**, "Daydreamer"  
**Jane West**, "Valley of Tranquility"



#### Honorable Mentions

**Chris Buchholz**, "Pick Your Polish"     **Vince Schaffer**, "Old Oak Standing Guard"  
**Jennifer Longo**, "Reflecting"     **Rebecca Yates Shorb**, "Blue Skies"  
**Eric Miller**, "Mother and Child"     **Ed Wargo**, "Heron's Lair"

#### Judge's Choice Awards

**Anne Cherry**, "Double Daff"  
**Herb Kemme**, "The Eyes Have It"  
**Vera Mackey**, "Landscape"  
**Jeffrey Mark**, "Tunnel Vision"  
**Julie Mosebrook**, "Sunny"  
**Deborah Nell**, "Surrounded"  
**Eric Plump**, "Hiatus"  
**Susan Runkle**, "Moonrise"



Some of the winners following presentation of awards, from left: Becky Shorb, Anne Cherry, Jamie Reeder, Ed Wargo, Gail Wine Mancha, Jane West, Eric Miller, Don Jones, Chris Buchholz, Barb Hess, Jennifer Longo, Mary Moores, Herb Kemme, Julie Mosebrook

### June Welcomes a Double Exhibit; July Begins \$99 & Under

There will be two themes in the gallery in June: *Farms, Gardens, and Wildlife Art* and *Abstract Art*. Drop off work on May 27 or 28. If you have miniatures or florals from the May show you may leave them in the gallery. The June double show will be displayed in the Bittinger (front) gallery; member work will be shown in the west gallery.

On June 24-25, members are invited to drop off work priced at \$99 & Under for the annual "bargain" exhibit, which will run through July and August. Look in your closet or under the bed for some of your quality work that you're willing to part with for a very reasonable price! When you bring it in, be sure to remove older work that's been moved to our storage area, or on display, for many months.

## 2021-2022 Board of Directors

### Officers:

Carla Long - President  
 Justin Wantz - Vice Pres.  
 Anna Miler - Treasurer  
 Julie Miller - Secretary

### Members:

Julie Gelsinger  
 John Jurasic  
 Robert Marchio  
 Eric Miller  
 Andy Smith (Past Pres)  
 Marie Smith  
 Doug West  
 Jane West

The Board meets on the third Monday of each month, now beginning at 7:00pm in the gallery. Any member can ask to have an issue brought to the Board for consideration. Contact any officer to raise such an issue, or send an email to the Guild.

## Selling Your Artwork at the Guild

When you show your work in the gallery, you are offering it for sale to visitors. The price you assign to the art should consider the percentage the Guild withholds, as well as what you feel is a price you are comfortable with to part with the piece. Once the art is sold, there's no taking it back! If you really don't want to part with the piece, please just enjoy it at home.

## Give Local York Donations Support Guild

The 2022 Give Local York campaign on May 6 resulted in direct donations of \$2,134 to the Guild! Many thanks to all who participated in this very valuable fundraiser. There will be some additional "pool" funds coming our way, though the amounts haven't been announced yet.

## Aligning with Main Street Hanover's Second Saturdays

Main Street Hanover is trying to sharpen its downtown focus by using the second Saturday of each month as the day for scheduling various activities and celebrations (much like some communities use First Friday). Not every month will have a specific activity, but themes have been set for each month. Businesses in the downtown are encouraged to schedule any of their special events on Second Saturdays, in the hopes that multiple businesses having events on those days will bring greater numbers of people downtown on those days. Looking ahead, September 10<sup>th</sup> will see the downtown featuring art!

You will start seeing the Guild scheduling more events – receptions, demonstration days, etc., on Second Saturdays in support of this initiative to bring more visitors to the downtown.

## Volunteers Needed

Regular readers of the newsletter know that the Guild needs volunteers to make things happen in the Guild. With just one part-time employee, the organization's lifeblood is its volunteers. At right are some specific, urgent needs for volunteers with more detailed information about each role.

Willing to help? Contact the front desk or **Carla Long** at [carlablong@thejourneyisthelife.com](mailto:carlablong@thejourneyisthelife.com)

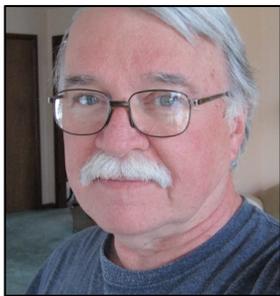
Position	Frequency	Report to	Description
Front Desk	Monthly	President	Help with front desk, greet visitors, answer phones, handle sales/cash register - training provided
Housekeeping	Monthly	Board	Clean the floors, bathroom, classrooms, and other areas of the gallery
Digital Media	Weekly	President	Keep social media accounts up to date with Guild events and happenings
Volunteer Coordinator	Weekly/Monthly	President	Recruit, organize and communicate with volunteers
Committee Members	Up to Monthly	Committee Chairs	Help with committee work. Especially need: Ways & Means, Marketing, Finance, and Membership



Thanks to **Justin Wantz** for creating the first-ever (that we know of) original comic strip for the newsletter!

Are you a cartoonist looking for a venue for your creation? Consider submitting one of yours for inclusion in a future newsletter.

## Artist of the Month: June



Self-taught oil painter **Don Weaver**, June's Artist of the Month, has been painting on and off for 50 years as time and life allowed. Now that he's retired after 48 years as a Chevy mechanic, Don plans to spend a lot more time painting. He prefers to work on canvas, currently focusing on landscapes. He's adopted a new style: larger canvas, more color, working fast and thick, which for him is more fun, without "sweating the details." Art has brought Don a lot of joy over the years, and he hopes the same for others.

Don and his high school sweetheart-turned-wife live in the Biglerville area. His wish is to have his paintings hanging in people's homes, bringing a little joy into their owners' lives.



## Silent Auction Supports Hanover Against Hunger

During July and August, the Guild will host its second Silent Art Auction in conjunction with Hanover Against Hunger, a local organization dedicated to raising funds for the purpose of alleviating hunger. The auction will take place during the \$99 & Under Show and will occupy the Artist of the Month space at the front of the gallery. Last year, 11 Guild artists donated 13 pieces of art reflecting a wide range of media, including, watercolor, oil, pastel, digital, photography, acrylic and mixed media. Hanover Against Hunger's meal packing event held last November provided 73,000 meals for those in need. The Silent Art Auction in 2021 raised over \$1,000 for that meal packing event. This was enough to enable local volunteers to pack 3,150 meals for primarily school-age children challenged by food insecurities. Meal packing events are held biennially. This year's silent auction will support the meal packing event scheduled for Saturday, November 4, 2023.

To learn more about the organization, visit [www.hanoveragainsthunger.org](http://www.hanoveragainsthunger.org).

### Will You Donate Art to the Auction?

The 2022 silent auction will feature artwork donated by Guild members. Do you have a piece of art you would consider donating to the cause? The more variety in styles and media the better. If you are interested in donating or finding out more about the auction, please contact **Doug West** at [dwest51@comcast.net](mailto:dwest51@comcast.net).



Volunteers pack meals at the 2021 meal packing event at St. Matthew's Church

## Members Out & About

- ❖ **Sandra Desrosiers** and **Eric Miller** have had paintings accepted into the Adams County Arts Council's 2022 Juried Art Exhibition, which will be on display at the Schmucker Art Gallery on the Gettysburg College campus from June 2-24.
- ❖ **Jim Mackey** has had a piece accepted into the Art Association of Harrisburg international juried Art show. The show runs until July 7.
- ❖ **Eric Miller** will have a solo display of his work at the Coyle Library in Chambersburg in June.
- ❖ **Eric Miller** and **John Walker** have had paintings accepted into the Baltimore Watercolor Society's juried Mid-Atlantic Regional Exhibition that will be on display June 11 to July 23 at The Gallery at CCBC Catonsville Center for the Arts.

Do you have work that will be included in a show or exhibit outside the Guild? Let us know so we can share the news in an upcoming issue. Just send an email to [info@hanoverareaarts.com](mailto:info@hanoverareaarts.com) with the details.

## Meet and Greet Roxy's Sheep!

Guild member **Roxy Dean** has agreed to host a "Meet and Greet" with her flock of Scottish sheep. Members are invited to photograph or sketch the animals on Saturday, July 16 from 1-4pm. This is a member-only event with limited space and requires advance sign-up. Contact the front desk to sign up – first come, first served. Directions are available through the front desk.

There is no cost for this activity, but you must bring animal crackers for the sheep – their favorite treat!

Rain date: July 23.



## Proxy Ballot

Complete ONLY if you will NOT attend the all-member meeting June 27. There are five open positions.

Candidates for renewing three-year terms ending 2025:

**Julie Miller**

Yes  No

**Doug West**

Yes  No

**Jane West**

Yes  No

Candidates for initial three-year terms ending 2025:

**Jennifer Longo**

Yes  No

**Ed Wargo**

Yes  No

Member Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Member Signature \_\_\_\_\_

If voting by proxy, complete and return ballot by Saturday, June 25 to:

Hanover Area Arts Guild  
32 Carlisle St.  
Hanover, PA 17331  
Attn: Julie Miller

## All-Member Meeting: June 27

Please plan to attend the All-Member Meeting on Monday evening, June 27, at 7pm in the gallery. This important annual meeting is when we elect board members, present the Guild's scholarship award, and update members on the past year's performance and upcoming key events. This is also your opportunity to meet, talk with, and share thoughts with other members, board members, and officers.

Following the business portion of the evening, which is brief, all attending will be invited to participate in a **share session**. Bring a piece of art you would like to share with the group. Maybe you just tried a new technique or medium, have a problem you're trying to work out, or just want to show off a piece – whatever you want to share is fine. Everyone will have a few minutes to talk about their own work.

Light refreshments will be served.

If you are unable to attend, please take a moment to complete and mail in the proxy ballot, at left, for board positions.

## Some membership fees increasing

At its May meeting, the board voted to increase the annual fees for family and student memberships. Family memberships will go from \$70 to \$75, student memberships from \$15 to \$20. These modest increases represent more realistic pricing for the benefits of those memberships.

**The individual adult artist membership remains unchanged at \$50.** Non-exhibiting supporting memberships also unchanged, starting at \$40. Membership renewal packets will be mailed to all members during the summer.

Members joining for the first time have, in the past, were able to join at a reduced (pro-rated) amount depending on the month in which they joined. The board has decided to eliminate the pro-ration effective with the new membership year. This is consistent with what other arts organizations in the area do and will facilitate on-line membership application and payment.

## Snack Town Street Fair July 14

The Guild will once again have a booth near the gallery for the day. Planning is underway for that event – watch your email or social media for more details, including volunteer, demonstration, or display opportunities.

If you would like to be a part of the planning for that day, please contact the front desk, any board member, or Carla Long at [carlablong@thejourneyisthelife.com](mailto:carlablong@thejourneyisthelife.com).

*"What is stress? It's worrying about something in the future. Art is now."*

- David Hockney

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### Our Mission Statement

*The Hanover Area Arts Guild provides an open and welcoming venue for artists and artisans who want to display their work and offer it for sale, and also extends opportunities and encouragement for everyone to explore art, learn about art, and develop one's creativity.*