

Dates To Note:

Thru Jun 28: *Trio of Photographers Exhibit*
 Jun 16: Board meeting, 7pm
 Jun 23: **All-Member Meeting**, 7pm
 Jun 27-28: Members remove older work, refresh with newer work
 Jul 1: Gallery committee, 9am
 Jul 1-26: *Exhibit by Susan Runkle & Natasha Tipler*
 Jul 4: Independence Day – gallery closed
 Jul 21: Board Meeting, 7pm



“The artist’s world is limitless. It can be found anywhere, far from where he lives or a few feet away. It is always on his doorstep.”

- Paul Strand

Guild Information

Hanover Area Arts Guild
 32 Carlisle Street
 Hanover, PA 17331

Gallery Hours

Tuesday thru Saturday:
 noon to 5pm
 Sunday & Monday: Closed

Website:

www.hanoverareaarts.com

Contact Us:

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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.

Spring Show Winners!

Hats off to everyone who entered the 2025 Spring Show. Many gallery visitors commented on the high quality of the artwork on exhibit, including the Judge of Awards, **Wendy Heiges** from the Adams County Arts Council. The award winners Wendy selected were:

Best of Show

Mary Moores - *Waiting for Frank* (right)

Awards of Excellence

Sharon Benner - *Fish Frenzy*
Sandra Desrosiers - *Pretty in Pink*
Eric Miller - *Interaction*
Craig Sheely - *What Would Virginia Say?*

Awards of Merit

Fran Drisgill - *Spring is Here*
Christopher Fowler - *Looking Up the Stairs*
Mike Jordan - *Jump Man*
Rebecca Kelly - *The Path*

Honorable Mentions

Barbara Bishop - *Pot of Cherries*
Kirby Heltebride - *Imagine #173*
Lydia Hobson - *Cherry Picking*
Maddie Miller - *Cherry Tree*
Jessica Woodward - *Nico*
Charlotte Yealey - *Tan Bunny*



Waiting for Frank by Mary Moores

2025 Scholarship Winner

Congratulations to New Oxford High School's **Katie Nava**, who will receive the Guild's \$1000 scholarship! Katie will study art therapy at Harrisburg Area Community College. You can meet Katie and see some of her artwork at the All-Member Meeting on June 23.

Give Local York Donations Support Scholarship



The Guild's 2025 Give Local York fundraising efforts focused on increasing the annual scholarship awarded to a graduating senior with plans to pursue post-secondary study in an art-related field. The online, offline, and post-event donations to GLY totaled \$4830. We received an additional \$384 from "pool" funds, through the Cultural Alliance of York County, bringing our total for the year to \$5214! This level of giving means

that beginning in 2026, and for several years thereafter, the scholarship awarded can be \$2500, an increase from the \$1000 it has been for years.

A group of volunteers, led by **Steve Stroup**, reached out to nearly all members to encourage contributions. Their efforts certainly paid off! Sincere thanks go to those volunteers as well as everyone who contributed during Give Local York.



2024-2025 Board of Directors

Officers:

Julie Miller – President
Jane West – Vice Pres.
John Jurassic – Treasurer
Dori Rogers – Secretary

Members:

Stan Gilmore
Gail Wine Mancha
Robert Marchio
Eric Miller
Eric Plump
Dave Sharp
Natasha Tipler
John Walker
Doug West

The Board meets on the third Monday of each month, 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.

Thanks Dave!

Board member **Dave Sharp** is not seeking another term. We thank Dave for his service to the Guild!

His work on the building and grounds especially are gratefully acknowledged.

Contacting the Guild

Use these addresses when emailing the Guild:

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for general questions and info.

president@hanoverareaarts.com
for email directed to Guild leadership and the board.

newsletter@hanoverareaarts.com
for questions or information for the newsletter.

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for email about finance-related business.

Trio of Photographers Featured in June

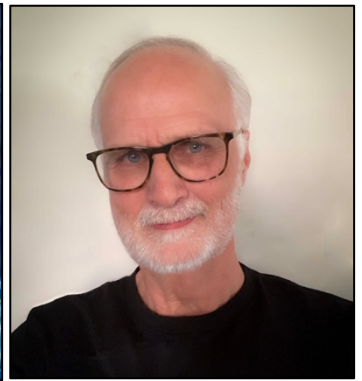
Three member photographers – **Julie Cavallio**, **Herb Kemme**, and **Eric Plump** – will fill the west gallery with their unique works through June.



Julie Cavallio



Herb Kemme



Eric Plump

Marylander Julie Cavallio grew up in the Long Green Valley of Baltimore County. Her work focuses on wildlife and nature, reflecting a lifelong connection to the outdoors. She earned her B.A. in Art and Design with a concentration in Digital Imaging from Towson University in 2022. Julie works across digital, analog, and alternative photographic processes.

Herb Kemme has been enjoying and practicing amateur photography for over 60 years. His work varies between photo realism and abstraction in an effort to achieve the same emotional sense as when he observed the scene. Many of his photographs are opportunistic, having been taken during his "getting fresh air" walks.

Eric Plump finds joy in capturing the world through his lens, drawn to everything from striking landscapes to candid street scenes. His work reflects a mix of curiosity, a love of storytelling, and a touch of humor. This creative journey is a way to connect more deeply with the world around him – and to appreciate the beauty in the everyday.

Coming in July

A delightful exhibit in July will feature **Susan Runkle** and **Natasha Tipler**. Both of these artists use mixed media to create beautiful, often whimsical images. This show will be on display July 1-26 in the west gallery; member work will fill the rest of the gallery. Watch for more information about both of these artists and their work as July nears.

Bylaw Change Proposed

As announced in the April/May issue of the Newsletter, members will have the opportunity to vote on a proposed change to the Guild's bylaws at the All-Member Meeting on June 23. The proposal would change the term limits for the president, vice president, and secretary from two to three years. Here is the exact proposed wording change to Section 2, Article 4:

Current wording: "...The President, Vice President, and Secretary may not serve more than **two** consecutive one-year terms in the same office, but may be reelected after a lapse of one or more terms."

Proposed wording: "...The President, Vice President, and Secretary may not serve more than **three** consecutive one-year terms in the same office, but may be reelected after a lapse of one or more terms."

If you will not be at the June 23 meeting, please use the proxy ballot on the last page of this newsletter to vote on this change.

Get Working on Your Abstracts!

The next themed show will be September's exhibit of abstract art. The Guild hasn't offered many opportunities for an exclusively abstract show in many years. Members are invited to exhibit work in any media.

Special May Exhibit Brought Visitors, Sales

The South Western High School Drawing & Painting 4 Class Exhibit in May was hugely successful. This brief show, just nine days long, featured a student-hosted reception and sales exceeding \$2000. For the seniors among the 16 student Guild members whose work was shown, this exhibit was the culmination of their high school art experience.



Members Out & About

- Two of **Chris Fowler's** photographs were exhibited internationally, one in the May pop-up exhibition in Paris held under the auspices of Galleri Soho in Sweden, of which he is a Home Artist, and the Rome International Art Fair, under the auspices of the ItsLiquid Group.
- **Jim Mackey** had a solo show, "Dark Night of the Soul: A Bipolar Tour," at Shippensburg University in April. He also had one piece juried into an online show "Human Expressions" by Maryland Federation of Art thru the end of May, and another in the MFA online show "At Play" from June 16-July 31. The Pennsylvania Department of Aging's Permanent Collection now contains one of Jim's works. One of his wooden pieces was juried into a show at Smith Gallery in New Cumberland, opening June 5, 5-7pm. Finally, one of his paintings is now in an Artists Equity show in King of Prussia, through July 16.
- **Eric Miller** has paintings hanging in the Dillsburg Library through June.
- **Eric Plump** had a photograph accepted into the prestigious Art of the State 2025 exhibit that will be on exhibit at the State Museum of Pennsylvania in Harrisburg from June 8 – September 14.

New Members

The Guild welcomes four new adult members:

Marie Duffy
Brian Paul Horshaw
May Lucas
Theresa Wright

Guild Receives Grant



The Cultural Alliance of York County awarded a 2025 Impact Partner Grant to the Guild in May. The \$2,821.36

grant has a few restrictions, but can generally be used for most purposes supporting Guild operations. This grant reinforces the value of the Guild's ongoing relationship with the CAYC.

This is the second grant the Guild received through the CAYC in the current (2024-25) fiscal year. A \$5000 grant was received in November 2024.

Classes for July, August, and September

A full slate of classes for the summer session is being posted to the website and social media; a few more classes may be added as soon as planning is finalized.

Space doesn't permit the full listing here – please go online for the details. The offerings include some returning favorites as well as several new and different classes and workshops, for adults and children.

The federal funding received post-COVID under federal award number FAIN SLFRP0252 awarded to York County, Pennsylvania by the U.S. Department of the Treasury, will continue to allow classes to be offered at extremely low rates while funding lasts!

Kudos to **Rebecca Kelly** for coordinating the schedule with the instructors, supported by **Doug West**, **Mark Miler**, and the social media team who help make registrations and promotion happen.

All-Member Meeting June 23

The Guild's annual All-Member Meeting is set for 7pm on Monday, June 23! Please come to this interesting and informative gathering. The brief business meeting will include election of board members, a vote on the proposed bylaw change, a look at the 2026 gallery schedule, presentation of the 2025 scholarship, and a summary of the past year as well as what's ahead. There will, of course, be refreshments.

The featured program following the business portion will be a photo documentary by Guild member **Dorothy Marquet**, who recently completed a solo trek of the entire Appalachian Trail.

Why a Proxy Ballot?

As required by the bylaws, the All-Member Meeting is the time when elections of board members and votes on any changes to the bylaws happen.

The proxy ballot gives members who cannot attend in person the opportunity to vote by mail. Please complete the proxy ballot **only** if you will not attend the meeting. Save the stamp – come to the meeting in person!

Proxy Ballot

Complete *ONLY* if you will *NOT* attend the all-member meeting June 24.

ELECTION OF BOARD MEMBERS: There are **five** open positions.

Candidates for new three-year terms ending 2028:

Barclay Olsen

Yes No

Jessica Woodward

Yes No

Candidates for re-election to three-year terms ending 2028:

Julie Miller

Yes No

Doug West

Yes No

Jane West

Yes No

CHANGE TO THE GUILD BYLAWS:

The Guild bylaws should be changed as proposed to allow three-year rather than two-year term limits for the offices of president, vice president and secretary.

Yes No

Member Name _____ Member Signature _____
(please print)

If voting by proxy, complete and return ballot by Saturday, June 21 to:

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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.

