

## Art at the Library

Wed, Oct 28, 2009 to Sat, Nov 7, 2009

## Delivery and Set Up

Saturday, October 24 from 10 AM to 4 PM

On Mon. October 26,

Judging in the AM—Set-Up in the PM

Set-up MUST be completed during the above dates and times. NO SET UPS DURING JUDGING.

Three paintings may be entered for judging.

All work to be judged MUST be original

No reproductions or giclees will be accepted.

The committee reserves the right to reject any work which is oversized or of inappropriate subject matter or not properly wired. No center hooks or sawtooth hardware will be accepted.

## Judging

Entries to be judged must be submitted on Saturday, October 24.

## Exhibit Opens

Wednesday, October 28, 2009

Monday thru Thursday—Hours 10 AM to 8 PM

Friday and Saturday—Hours 10 AM to 4 PM

Closed Sunday

Hours Subject to change.

If no monitors are available,

Doors will be closed.

## Artists Reception and Awards Night

Thursday, October 29, from 6:30 to 8 PM

Refreshments will be served .

Public invited - Free of charge

## Artwork Pick-up

Monday, November 9, 2009

10 AM to 7 PM

## **Do you have questions?** Call, email.....

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Gail Fuller-President  
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Or write to: Arts Institute Group  
P.O. Box 879 Methuen, MA 01844

Please consider donating artwork, services or any item for our annual drawing.

### **AD SPACE IS AVAILABLE IN OUR BROCHURE**

Third Page \$ 35.00

Half Page \$ 50.00

Full Page \$ 100.00

Supply us with a business card or your ad copy to advertise your business.

## Silent Auction

The scholarships we award each spring to talented local high school seniors, depend on the success of this annual show.

**If each artist will donate just one quick, framed miniature art work, the Silent Auction will once again be the reason we exceed our goals.**

The plan is to put a minimum price on each art work and visitors to this year's Library Show will be able to bid and increase the bids on their favorite works until the show's end. Paintings should be no larger than 5X7 without the frame-but all donations will be accepted. You may donate more than one painting.

## Drawing

Your donation of services, gift certificates, or other items (art related or not) will be greatly appreciated for the DRAWING.

**Come, participate, support our scholarship program fundraiser and enjoy the Arts in our community. Join us in celebrating our 11th year as a non profit organization**



## **The Arts Institute Group of the Merrimack Valley, Inc.**

P.O. Box 879 Methuen, MA 01844

[www.artsinstitutegroup.org](http://www.artsinstitutegroup.org)

Presents



## **The 8th Annual Art Exhibit**

## **“Art at the Library”**

**Show and Sale of  
Original Paintings,  
Photography, Prints, Cards  
and Fine Crafts**

**Wednesday, October 28,  
2009 to  
Saturday, November 7,  
2009**

at the

**Nevins Memorial Library  
Grand Hall, 3rd floor**

305 Broadway – RT 28, Methuen, MA 01844

## Eligibility

Open to all artists. Members and non-Members

Originals only for Competition—no prints

You can enter this show two ways

### Option 1.

Entering with your Screens Set-Up- for ten full days of showing

- **members** \$50 donation
- **non-members** \$60 donation
- You may set up 3 display panels, a print bin and a greeting card display rack.
- You may enter up to three artworks for the competition.
- Artwork entered in the competition will be hung on your screen after the judging.
- Every item should be clearly marked with name, price, media and any necessary information.
- An inventory of your display must be submitted at setup.
- A 25% Commission will be taken on all sales. No price on request.
- Artists participating in this show are required to be monitors for a minimum of two hours.



### Option 2.

Entering one to three pieces of Artwork for ten full days of showing

- **members** \$10 donation for one artwork - \$8 donation for each additional artwork to total 3.
- **non-members** \$15 donation for one artwork - \$10 donation for each additional artwork to total 3.
- You may enter up to three (3) artworks.
- A minimum of one entry must be for sale.
- Overall size limit for artwork 48" W X 48" H.
- You may offer for sale, prints, matted work and cards. (You provide your own bins and racks).
- Every item should be clearly marked with name, price, media and any necessary information. A complete inventory list must be submitted at set up.
- A 25% commission will be taken on all sales. No price on request.
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Our Judge: Andrea Holland Hart

A life long fascination with the individual and its' spirit within has led Andrea to her passion for portraiture and genre painting. She has taught courses in Art Therapy, Portraiture, Pastel and Oil at Northern Essex College, and various local establishments in the New England area. She spends much of her time inspiring such artists, both young and old, to unleash their natural talents.

Enter in these categories

- Oil
- Acrylic
- Watercolor
- Photography
- Pastel
- Mixed Media
- Theme

## Awards

### Cash Awards

Will be presented for **Best of Show, Theme, Founder's Award and 1st Place in each Category.**

### Ribbons will be awarded

**1st and 2nd Place** in each category, **Honorable Mentions, Best of Show and Theme Award:**

To be awarded by the judge

**Founder's Award:**

To be awarded by the founders

**Librarian Choice Award:**

To be awarded by librarians.

**Mayor William M. Manzi III Award**

Mayor City Of Methuen

**Popular Vote:**

To be awarded by the public

## Theme

### "Visions"

You may enter up to three (3) artworks for this theme award. You will still be eligible for awards in any of the categories.

**AIGMV Entry Form 2009 for competition entries**  
**Attach to back left bottom of artwork when**  
**you bring your artwork to the Library.**

**Keep-Attach to your work – Artwork # 1**

Name
Address
Telephone
Email
Title
Media
Size X
Price \$ NFS Theme

**Keep-Attach to your work – Artwork # 2**

Name
Address
Telephone
Email
Title
Media
Size X
Price \$ NFS Theme

**Keep-Attach to your work – Artwork # 3**

Name
Address
Telephone
Email
Title
Media
Size X
Price \$ NFS Theme



**Return this portion with your donation** monitoring required, 2 hrs minimum of gallery sitting

**Competition entry forms should match the forms that are attached to your artwork.**

**Make your check made payable to: “Arts Institute Group”- P.O. Box 879 Methuen, MA 01844**

Name
Address
Telephone
Email
<b>Artwork #1 Title</b>
Media
Size X
Price \$ NFS Theme
<b>Artwork #2 Title</b>
Media
Size X
Price \$ NFS Theme
<b>Artwork #3 Title</b>
Media
Size X
Price \$ NFS Theme

**Please circle your option.**

I am a member entering # \_\_\_\_\_ artworks.

I am a member setting up with my own screens.

I am not a member entering # \_\_\_\_\_ artworks.

I am not a member setting up with my own screens.

**I have:**

Prints                      Cards  
 Art bin                      Screens

I will donate an item(s)  
 I will donate a miniature painting(s)  
 I will place an ad in brochure

I will be a monitor , 2 hrs minimum of re-  
 quired gallery sitting

I am interested in becoming a member of  
 the AIGMV today and enter show with  
 members rates.

You are welcome to join at anytime!

Enclosed is donation fee check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**A FULL PAGE AD \$100**

**A HALF PAGE AD \$50**

**A THIRD PAGE AD \$35  
(BUSINESS CARD )**

To our Fellow Artists and Supporters:

The Arts Institute Group of the Merrimack Valley, Inc. is happy to present the:

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**Original Paintings, Photography, Prints, Cards  
and Fine Crafts**

*At*

Nevins Memorial Library, Methuen MA 01844

October 28 to November 7, 2009

**Buy an Ad**

*and gain exposure to potential and existing clients.*

**Buy an Ad**

*to show your continuing commitment to supporting the Arts.*

Our group is committed to promoting the Arts in our community. This Exhibit/Sale is our major fundraiser which supports the scholarships we award each spring to talented local high school seniors who will further their educations in the Arts.

Join us as we showcase area Artists and Fine Crafters. The show is 10 days long and inspires the many library visitors.

**Everyone who visits the show will receive a brochure and see your Advertisement**

Thank you in advance for your donation. Our group is non-profit and your donation is tax-deductible.

Size of the brochure is: 4 ¼ X 5 ½

Full Page..... \$100.

½ Page..... \$ 50.

1/3 Page (Business card). \$ 35.

To digitally submit ads please email [g.g.fuller@gmail.com](mailto:g.g.fuller@gmail.com)  
Gail Fuller 617-510-5742 Submit images in jpeg format.

Please provide us with a business card or photo ready ad copy .  
Make checks payable to:

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Methuen, MA01844

Deadline is October 21, 2009