Few artists of the Pocono Arts Council have been winning more awards and selling more art than Ellen Goosay. Most recently, as part of the Dutot Museum & Gallery’s “En Plein Air Art Exhibition & Auction,” Ellen received an Honorable Mention for her entry and the winning painting sold! This example of success is only a continuation of what has been a meteoric rise to local-art-world prominence for this multi-talented artist.

In her first year as a member of the arts council, Ellen has an impressive list of accomplishments. The first exhibition in which she participated saw her watercolor painting sell. In her third show, she won First Place for her watercolor “Fall Sunset.” Then to top things off, in the art council’s most recent “Shades of Green” show, she received yet another Honorable Mention for her work. It’s obvious why the Pocono Arts Council has recognized Ellen Goosay as an Emerging Artist!

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y. and now living in Saylorsburg, Ellen always possessed an artistic flair. Schooled at the Fashion Institute of Technology, she first dabbled with sketching and worked her way into advertising and fashion illustration. At one point she even worked for Bill Blass! Her late-husband Sam and she owned and operated a local jewelry/gift/coin shop for ten years and during that time she wrote advertising copy, designed ads for the store and created displays. Upon retirement, Ellen put more time into her sketching and painting and a few years ago began creating art on a daily basis. In 2016 she became a member of the Pocono Arts Council.

Sadly, Ellen’s greatest and most enthusiastic supporter, Sam, passed away last year. Prior to that, she promised him she would continue creating art and now credits him for her accomplishments. There is no doubt that, like all her friends and fellow artists, he too would be very excited, pleased and proud to see her continuing and growing success.
In Memoriam

The board and members of the Pocono Arts Council extend their sympathies to the family and friends of Dave Lantz, Jr. who passed away on June 9. Dave will be truly missed by the local music community.

COMMUNITY WORKSHOPS


Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC) – 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry. Moonlit Drumming, July 8, 6:30-9:30PM. Master drummer, Maxwell Kofi Donkor, is back for an unforgettable experience. Enjoy an introductory lesson and a drumming circle under the moonlit sky around a campfire. No experience necessary. Program requires a minimum of 15 preregistrations to run. Cost: $30 adult/ $20 child.

Pocono Quilt Camp, August 11-18. Quilters of all skill levels welcome to a week of fabric fun. Activities include: fabric covered umbrella, how to use selected sewing machine fee, Jelly Roll bed runner, Quilt Block Challenge, and Fabri-Strip Poker game. Includes lodging and meals. Cost $70 per day/Call for commuter rates.

Pocono Watercolor Associates, St. Paul’s Lutheran Church, Fish Hill Road, Tannersville (PA Grantee) Water Color Workshops, Summer 2017, 9AM-Noon. Wednesdays, June 14-August 16 - 9 Three-Hour Sessions with recognized water color artists. Instructors include: John James, June 28, July 5; Cathy Zateeny, July 12, 19; Luciene Nakielny, July 26, August 2; Tim Weaver, August 9, 16. Cost: $105 for 9 weeks. Space is limited. Registration is required. Information: Linford Werkheiser, 570-629-0089 or werkly@verizon.net

Shawnee Playhouse – 552 River Road, Shawnee-on-Delaware 2017 S.T.A.R.S. Summer Camps 
The Shawnee Theatrical Arts Resource School (S.T.A.R.S.) offers a channel for a child's natural gifts of imagination and role-playing. Through theatre arts children sharpen their creativity, improve their communication skills, gain self-confidence and learn the importance of teamwork. Above all, children enjoy becoming a part of the magic that they create on the stage. S.T.A.R.S. offers children an introduction to many aspects of theatre through stage movement, dance, music, art, creative games, role-play and scene study. Camp size is limited. The summer camps reflect the shows produced during the summer season. Young performers will learn about acting, theatre etiquette, terminology, costuming and make up. The campers will then join our staged production and be in a performance that coincides with the camp that they are in.

Camp Schedule:

Camp 101 Dalmatians I – Ages 5-7 July 3 to July 7, performance 7pm July 7
Camp 101 Dalmatians II – Ages 8-12 July 17 to July 21, performance 7pm July 21
Camp Annie Jr. I – Ages 5-7 July 24 to July 28, performance 7pm July 28
Camp Oklahoma! – Ages 8-14 July 31 to August 4, performance 7pm August 4
Camp Annie Jr. II – Ages 8-12 August 7 to August 11, performance 7pm August 11
Tuition for all camps is $165 for the week. There is a $15 discount for additional camps purchased for multiple camps or siblings. Registration or information: 570-421-5093 or call 570-616-0317

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR TICKET RESERVATION, VISIT POCONOFEST.ORG OR CALL 570-616-0317

2017 Pocono Mountains Music Festival

The Buck Hill Skytop Music Festival has a new name and look for its 2017 Season. The change was instituted by its board of directors to better reflect the scope of its audience while maintaining its mission to engage world class talent to entertain, enrich, and educate the audiences in the NE PA region. This year’s Festival Lineup includes:

BROADWAY – The Music Man in Concert, July 28, 7-30PM, Pocono Mountain East High School

OPERA/CHORAL – The National Chorale, July 29, 7-30PM, Pocono Mountain East High School

CABARET/JAZZ – Liz Callaway & Ann Hampton Callaway in “Sibling Revelry,” July 30, 6:30PM, Skytop Lodge, Evergreen Room

CHAMBER – Classical Jam, August 3, 7-30PM, Buck Hill Falls, Tennis Tea

NEW WORKS – Danny and the Rocket, August 4, 7-30PM, Smith McFarland Theater, ESU

POP – The Doo Wop Project, August 5, 7-30PM, Stroudsburg High School

EDUCATION – Performing Arts Cam Showcase, August 6, 6:30PM, Pocono Mountain East High School

For further information or Ticket Reservation, visit PoconoFest.org or call 570-616-0317

Congratulations to the winners in the “Shades of Green” Exhibition

First Place: Bev Abel, Summer Reflections; Second Place: Rich Spezzano, Inner City Green; Third Place: Paula George, Sunburst; Honorable Mentions: Alison Gray, Stanky the Cat; Ellen Goosay, The Beauty of Summer; Jeffrey Green, Halved

Special thanks to Debra Dick for serving as juror for the exhibition.

Upcoming Exhibitions:

July: 2016 & 2017 ArtPop Artists
August: 3rd Annual Photography Exhibition
September: Summer Travels
October: Autumn Impressions
November: Small Works II
December: Holiday Store

Please visit the website at www.poconoarts.org for a prospectus.

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July Calendar

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Monroe Farmers Market
Produce, Plants, Baked Goods, Dairy & More,
Courthouse Square, Stroudsburg, 8AM-Noon.
(917) 716-6489 or www.monroefarmersmarket.com

2
Trinity Episcopal Church
Opening Reception, Penny Ross, Lake
Swiftwater Benefit Show, 137 Trinity Hill Rd.,
Mt. Pocono, 1-3PM. 570-839-9376 or www.trinitympocono.org

Eastern Monroe Public Library
Words & Film Series: “Living,” 1002 N. 9th St.,
Stroudsburg, 2PM. 570-421-0800 x 304 or www.monroepl.org

City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)
Fortunes, Nay Aug Park Bandstand, 1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 2PM. 570-348-4186

3
Presbyterian Church of the Mountain
(GPA Grantee)
Gazebo Concert Series, Bill Stine & Friends,
Main Street, Delaware Water Gap, 6PM.
570-350-3404 or dellaria@gmail.com

Wayne County Creative Arts Council
Independence Day Celebration, Central Park,
Honesdale, Music, 6:30PM. 570-785-3674 or
www.honesdaleparkevents.org/

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Historic Dansbury Depot
16th Annual Freedom Festival, 5 S. Kistler St.,
E. Stroudsburg, 3PM. 570-424-7540 or
www.eastburgalliance.com

City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)
Ringgold Pops, Nay Aug Park – Pool Area,
1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 10:30AM-
570-348-4186

5
Fellows Park Concerts
Fortunes, Fellows Park, Main Ave., West
Scranton, 5-7PM. 570-343-7271

Shawnee Community Concerts
Trinity Centennial Band, The Grand Lawn,
Shawnee Inn, Shawnee-on-Delaware, 7PM.
570-424-4000 or shawneeinstitute.org

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Come Paint With Me ’17
Free On-site Outdoor Painting & Sketching,
Dorfinger-Suydam Sanctuary, White Mills,
10AM-3PM. 570-775-6895 or
www.joanpolishook-art.com

Stroudsburg Borough
Outside Concerts at Courthouse Park, Zac
Lawless, Monroe & 6th St., Stroudsburg,
6-8PM. 570-348-4186

Wayne County Creative Arts Council
Free Outdoor Concert: The Crackers,
Central Park, Honesdale, Music, 7:30PM.
570-785-3674 or www.honesdaleparkevents.org/

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Wayne County Arts Alliance
15th Annual Artists’ Studio Tour, Tour Starts
at the co-operaer, 1030 Main St, Honesdale,
10AM-6PM. 570-493-8128 or
www.waynecountyartalliance.org

Pike County Arts & Crafts
66th Annual Exhibit, Milford Borough
Hall, 111 W. Catherine St., Milford, 1-8PM.
570-493-8128 or www.waynecountyartalliance.org

First Friday Scratchon (PPA Grantee)
Self-Guided Art Walk, Downtown District,
Scranton, 6-9PM. FirstFridayScranton.com

AFA Gallery (PPA Grantee)
Artists’ Reception: Annual Members’
Exhibition, 514 Lackawanna Ave., Scranton,
6-9PM. 570-969-1040 or artistsforart.org

Pike County Arts & Crafts
66th Annual Exhibit, Artists’ Reception,
Milford Borough Hall, 111 W. Catherine St.,
Milford, 6-8PM. 570-493-8128 or
www.waynecountyartalliance.org

Sherman Theater
Gin Blossoms, 524 Main St., Scranton, 8PM.
570-420-2808 or www.shermantheater.com

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Monroe Farmers Market
Produce, Plants, Baked Goods, Dairy & More,
Courthouse Square, Stroudsburg, 8AM-Noon.
(917) 716-6489 or monroefarmersmarket.com

Kettle Creek EEC
Boo Walk, 552 Cherry Lane Road, Tannersville,
10AM. 570-629-3061 or
www.mcconservation.org

City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)
West 3rd St. Band, Nay Aug Park Poolside,
1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 7PM.
570-348-4186

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10AM-6PM. 570-493-8128 or
www.waynecountyartalliance.org

Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PeeC)
Moonlit Drumming, Maxwell Kofi Donkor,
538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 6:30-9:30PM.
570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

Kettle Creek EEC
Boo Walk, 552 Cherry Lane Road, Tannersville,
10AM. 570-629-3061 or
www.mcconservation.org

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Pike County Arts & Crafts
66th Annual Exhibit, Milford Borough
Hall, 111 W. Catherine St., Milford, 11-3PM.
570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

Historic Dansbury Depot
Music on Monday – Woodrow; Visual Artist
– Dora Pieren, 5 S. Kistler St., E. Stroudsburg,
7PM. 570-424-7540 or eastburgalliance.com

Wayne County Creative Arts Council
Free Outdoor Concert: The Irish Balladeers,
Nay Aug Park Poolside, Milford,
4PM. 570-296-9625 or info@greytowers.org
(reservations suggested)

ARTSPACE Gallery
Artists’ Reception, ArtPop Artists’ Exhibition,
18 N. Seventh St., Stroudsburg, 5-7PM.
570-476-4460 or www.poconoarts.org

Origins Gallery at PoconoArts
Artists’ Reception, Just for Laughs II Exhibition,
Live Music: Doug Kaetz, 18 N. Seventh St.,
Stroudsburg, 6-8:30PM. www.facebook.com/
originsgallerystroudsburg

Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PeeC)
Moonlit Drumming, Maxwell Kofi Donkor,
538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 6:30-9:30PM.
570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

Sherman Theater
Gin Blossoms, 524 Main St., Scranton, 8PM.
570-420-2808 or www.shermantheater.com

Smithfields Library
Omnivorous Readers Book Club, RGB Plaza
Building, 507 Seven Bridge Road, East
Stroudsburg, 7PM. 570-223-1881 or
cyoung@monroepl.org

Wayne County Creative Arts Council
Free Outdoor Concert: The Pharo,
Central Park, Honesdale, Music, 7:30PM.
570-785-3674 or www.honesdaleparkevents.org/

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Shawnee Community Concerts
Village Saxophone Quartet, The Grand Lawn,
Shawnee Inn, Shawnee-on-Delaware, 7PM.
570-424-4000 or www.shawneeinstitute.org

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Kettle Creek EEC
Boo Walk, 552 Cherry Lane Road, Tannersville,
10AM. 570-629-3061 or
www.mcconservation.org

City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)
Luongo Brothers, Nay Aug Park Poolside,
1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 7PM.
570-348-4186

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Come Paint With Me ’17
Free On-site Outdoor Painting & Sketching,
Main Street Overlook, Narrowsburg, NY,
10AM-3PM. 570-775-6895 or
www.joanpolishook-art.com

Stroudsburg Borough
Outside Concerts at Courthouse Park, Len
Mooney, Monroe & 6th St., Stroudsburg,
6-8PM. www.stroudsburgboro.com

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Antoine Dutot Museum & Gallery
Opening Reception, Jack & Jill Swersie,
47 June St., Stroudsburg, 5PM.
570-424-4000 or www.dutotmuseum.com

Monroe Farmers Market
Produce, Plants, Baked Goods, Dairy & More,
Courthouse Square, Stroudsburg, 8AM-Noon.
(917) 716-6489 or www.monroefarmersmarket.com

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Kettle Creek EEC
Amphibian Tales with a Cuban Flair, John Burns, American Museum of Natural History, 8050 Running Valley Road, Stroudsburg, 10AM. 570-629-3060 or www.mconseravtion.org

Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC)
Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle, 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 1-3PM. 570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

Trinity Centennial Band
Community Band Concert, Mt. Pocono UMC, 12 Church Ave., Mt. Pocono, 7PM. tricentband@aol.com

Kindred Spirits Arts Program (PPA Grantee)
Sounds of Brazil with Os Clavellos, Milford Theater, 114 E. Catharine St, Milford, 7:30PM. 570-409-1269 or www.kindredsports.org

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Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC)
Gardening with Rain Barrels, 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 1-3PM. 570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)
Von Storch Septet, Nay Aug Park Bandstand, 1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 2PM. 570-348-4186

 Fellows Park Concerts
Doug Smith Band, Fellows Park, Main Ave., West Scranton, 5-7PM. 570-343-7271

Presbyterian Church of the Mountain (PPA Grantee)
Gazebo Concert Series, The Lost Ramblers, Main Street, Delaware Water Gap, 6PM. 570-350-3404 or dellaria@gmail.com

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2017 Senior Expo
Pocono Mountain Swiftwater Elementary Center, 1 Swiftwater Dr., Swiftwater, 9AM-1PM. 570-620-4326 or mariascavello.com

Historic Dansbury Depot
Music on Monday – Alex Allegra: Visual Artist – TBA, S. S. Kistler St., Stroudsburg, 7PM. 570-424-7540 or www.eastburgalliance.com

Wayne County Creative Arts Council
Free Outdoor Concert: Flashback, Central Park, Honesdale, Music, 3:30PM. 570-785-3674 or www.honesdaleparkevents.org/

Sherman Theater
Joe Sabo Elvis Tribute, Nay Aug Park Bandstand, 1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 3:30PM. 570-348-4186

Presbyterian Church of the Mountain (PPA Grantee)
Gazebo Concert Series, SheilaMark Band, Main Street, Delaware Water Gap, 6PM. 570-350-3404 or dellaria@gmail.com

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Pocono Mountains Magic Club
Monthly Meeting, 18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg, 7-10PM. 570-242-6821 or damagician@verizon.net

Origins Gallery at PoconoArts
Artists’ Reception, Forwardian Society’s Cover to Cover IV, 18 N. Seventh St., Stroudsburg, 10AM-Noon. 570-348-4186

Trinity Centennial Band
Community Band Concert, Main Street, Stroudsburg, 7PM. 570-424-7540 or www.eastburgalliance.com

Eastern Monroe Public Library
BookHouse Series: Jay Smar, NEPA Coal & Folk Music, 1002 N. 9th St., Stroudsburg, 7:30PM. 570-421-0800 x 312 or www.monroelibrary.org

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Shawnee Community Concerts
The Lost Ramblers, The Grand Lawn, Shawnee Inn, Shawnee-on-Delaware, 7PM. 570-424-4000 or www.shawneeinstitute.org

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Kettle Creek EEC
Bog Walk, 552 Cherry Lane Road, Tannersville, 10AM. 570-629-3061 or www.mconseravtion.org

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Monroe Farmers Market
Produce, Plants, Baked Goods, Dairy & More, Courthouse Square, Stroudsburg, 8AM-Noon. (917) 716-6489 or www.monroefarmersmarket.com

Sherman Theater
McEiogt School of Irish Dance, 524 Main St., Stroudsburg, Noon. 570-420-2808 or www.shermantheater.com

Beacon Hill Concerts
TEMET, “Music of Medieval France: The Sounds of Time,” 119 Barn Rd., East Stroudsburg, 4PM. 570-421-5748 or dcrawford1@unl.edu

Trinity Centennial Band
Community Band Concert, St. Luke’s Catholic Church Festival, 818 Main St., Stroudsburg, 7PM. tricentband@aol.com

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Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC)
Frog Frolic, 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 1-3PM. 570-775-6895 or www.poconoatkool.com

City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)
Joe Sabo Elvis Tribute, Nay Aug Park Bandstand, 1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 3:30PM. 570-348-4186

Sherman Theater
“Clara, We Hardly Knew You,” Jim Werkheiser, 900 Main St., Scranton, 7PM. 570-421-7703 or www.shermantheater.com

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Historic Dansbury Depot
BookHouse Series: Jay Smar, NEPA Coal & Folk Music, 1002 N. 9th St., Stroudsburg, 7:30PM. 570-421-0800 x 312 or www.monroelibrary.org

Trinity Centennial Band
Community Band Concert, Main Street, Stroudsburg, 7PM. 570-424-4000 or www.shawneeinstitute.org

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Shawnee Community Concerts
The Ron Richardson Band, The Grand Lawn, Shawnee Inn, Shawnee-on-Delaware, 7PM. 570-424-4000 or www.shawneeinstitute.org

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Kettle Creek EEC
Bog Walk, 552 Cherry Lane Road, Tannersville, 10AM. 570-629-3061 or www.mconseravtion.org

City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)
Gerard Mayer Band, Nay Aug Park Bandstand, 1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 7PM. 570-348-4186

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Come Paint With Me ’17
Free On-site Outdoor Painting & Sketching, City of Scranton Parks & Rec (PPA Grantee)

Sherman Theater
“Mr. Bojangles,” Joe Sabo Elvis Tribute, Nay Aug Park Bandstand, 1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 3:30PM. 570-348-4186

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Monroe Farmers Market
Produce, Plants, Baked Goods, Dairy & More, Courthouse Square, Stroudsburg, 8AM-Noon. (917) 716-6489 or www.monroefarmersmarket.com

Sherman Theater
McEiogt School of Irish Dance, 524 Main St., Stroudsburg, Noon. 570-420-2808 or www.shermantheater.com

Beacon Hill Concerts
“Mr. Bojangles,” Joe Sabo Elvis Tribute, Nay Aug Park Bandstand, 1901 Mulberry St., Scranton, 3:30PM. 570-348-4186

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Gazebo Concert Series, The Lost Ramblers, Main Street, Delaware Water Gap, 6PM. 570-350-3404 or dellaria@gmail.com

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Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC)
Origins Gallery at PoconoArts
Open Air Gallery at POCONO SOAP, Live Music: Ben Gorski, 10 N. Seventh St., Stroudsburg, 6-8:30PM. www.facebook.com/originsgallerystroudsburg

Sherman Theater
HELL YEAH: UNDEN!ABLE World Tour, 524 Main St., Stroudsburg, 8PM. 570-420-2808 or www.shermantheater.com

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Historic Dansbury Depot
Music on Monday – Tony DellaFio and his Jazz Quintet; Visual Artist – Echo Lake Photography, S. S. Kistler St., East Stroudsburg, 7PM. 570-424-7540 or eastburgalliance.com

Wayne County Creative Arts Council
Free Outdoor Concert: Joe Stankey & The Cadets, Central Park, Honesdale, Music, 7:30PM. 570-348-4186

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Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC)
Shawnee Community Concerts
The Ron Richardson Band, The Grand Lawn, Shawnee Inn, Shawnee-on-Delaware, 7PM. 570-424-4000 or www.shawneeinstitute.org

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Trinity Centennial Band
Community Band Concert, Grace Park Senior Living, 1170 W. Main St., Stroudsburg, 2PM. tricentband@aol.com

Origins Gallery at PoconoArts
Open Air Gallery at POCONO SOAP, Live Music: Ben Gorski, 10 N. Seventh St., Stroudsburg, 6-8:30PM. www.facebook.com/originsgallerystroudsburg

Sherman Theater
Historic Dansbury Depot
Music on Monday – Riverside Rhythm; Visual Artist – Star Mountain Studio-David Sandt, 5 S. Kistler St., E. Stroudsburg, 7PM. 570-424-7540 or www.eastburgalliance.com

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**Theater**

**SHAWNEE PLAYHOUSE**, River Rd, Shawnee-on-Delaware. Reservations: 570-421-5093 or www.theshawneeplayhouse.com

*Bye Bye Birdie* – July 2, 6, 7, 9 at 2PM; July 1, 8 at 8PM.

*101 Dalmatians* – Kids – July 1, 6, 13, 20, 28, 29, Aug 4, 11, 12, 18, 25, 26, Sep 2 at 11AM.

July 7, 14, 21, 28, Aug 18, Sep 1 at 7PM. (July 21 with STARS campers.)

**Annie Jr.** – July 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22, 27, August 3, 5, 10, 17, 19, 24 at 7PM. July 28, August 4, 11, 25 at 7PM.

**Kettle Creek EEC**

*What’s in the Pond?*, Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm, 347 Quiet Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 10AM – Noon. 570-629-3060 or www.mccoervation.org

**Antoine Dutot Museum & Gallery**

Opening Reception, Tricia Lowrey Lippert, 24 Main St., Delaware Water Gap, 7-9PM. 570-476-4240 or www.dutotmuseum.com

**Monroe Farmers Market**

Produce, Plants, Baked Goods, Dairy & More, Courthouse Square, Stroudsburg, 8AM-Noon. (917) 716-6489 or monroefarmersmarket.com

*13th Annual Festival of Wood*

Gray Towers National Historic Site, 122 Old Owego Tpk, Milford, 10AM – 4PM. 570-296-9630 or www.graytowers.org

**Kettle Creek EEC**

Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle, 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 1-3PM. 570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

**Kettle Creek Gallery**

Art Opening, Terry Kloiber, "Expressions of Nature." 8050 Running Valley Road, Stroudsburg, 10AM. 570-629-3060 or www.mccoervation.org

**Silversnakes Alivel**, 8050 Running Valley Road, Stroudsburg, 10AM. 570-629-3060 or www.mccoervation.org

**Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm**

Heritage Craft Day, 347 Quiet Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 10AM – 4PM. 570-992-6161 or www.quietvalley.org

**Kettle Creek Gallery**


**Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC)**

Bridge the Gap: Pond Paddle, 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 1-3PM. 570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

**Trinity Centennial Band**

Community Band Concert, Pleasant Valley Manor, 4227 Manor Dr., Stroudsburg. 2:30PM. trincidentband@aol.com

**ARTSPACE Gallery**

Artists’ Reception, 3rd Annual Photography Exhibition, 18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg, 5-7PM. 570-476-4460 or www.poconoarts.org

**Pocono Environmental Ed Center (PEEC)**

Nature at Night, 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry, 7-30:9-30PM. 570-828-2319 or www.peec.org

**Kinderd Spirits Arts Program (PPA Grantee)**

Classical Music Celebration, Milford Theater, 114 E. Catharine St, Milford, 7:30PM. 570-409-1269 or www.kinderdsprits.org

**Anita Shapolsky Art Gallery**

*An Non-Objective Couple,* Sonia Guchtoff & James Kelly (thru July); New York Exhibition Hours – Thurs – Sat Noon-3PM, 514 Lackawanna Ave., Scranton. 570-969-1040 or artsforart.org

**Findings Jewelry & Art Gallery**

Gold, Silver, & Gemstone Creations of Jeweler & Owner Daniel Varipapa. Gallery Hours: Mon-Fri, 10:30AM-5PM; Sat, 11:30AM-3:30PM. 39 N. Seventh St., Courthouse Square, Stroudsburg. 570-426-1888

**Galleries & Museums**

**PoconoArts Public Galleries**

All exhibits run through July 2017

**Better Homes & Gardens – Wilkins & Associates**

Courtney Torres, Photography 7164 Route 209, Stroudsburg

**Eastern Monroe Public Library**

Winners of the PoconoArts Members’ Exhibition

North Ninth St., Stroudsburg

**Monroe County Bar Association**

913 Main St., Stroudsburg

**Office of State Sen. Mario Scavello**

Joyce Everitt, Oils 31 Pocono Blvd., Mt. Pocono

**Pocono Record**

Eric Goins, Photography 302 Plaza Court. Suite A, E. Stroudsburg

**Vinny D’s Deli**

Jen Bissu, Acrylics 31 Pocono Blvd., Rt. 611, East Stroudsburg

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**GALLERY at Liztech**

Gallery Hours: Tues-Sat 10AM-6PM, 95 Crystal St. East Stroudsburg. 570-424-3177 or www.liztech.com

**Grey Towers National Historic Site**

Daily Guided Tours Thurs-Mon. hourly 11AM-4PM. Special Tours of All 3 Floors on Sat & Sun. 4PM. Grounds are open Tue, Wed. 122 Old Owego Turnpike, Milford. 570-296-9630 or www.greytowers.org

**Hazelton Arl Art League**

225 E. Broad St., Hazelton. Gallery hours, Saturday and Sunday. 11AM-5PM. 570-454-0092 or hazletonartleague@outlook.com

**Kettle Creek Art Gallery**

No Exhibit in July. Gallery Hours: Mon-Fri 8AM-4:30PM, Sat 9AM-1PM, 8050 Running Valley Road, Bartonville. 570-629-3061 or www.mccoervation.org

**Madelon Powers Gallery**

During Summers – Gallery Hours: Weds & Thurs: 11AM-7PM. Mon., Tues. & Fri.: 11AM-4PM. Fine & Performing Arts Center. 570-422-3482 x1 or euaarts@esu.edu

**Marywood University (PPA Grantee)**

Mahady Gallery Hours: Mon, Thurs, Fri 9AM-6PM; Tues, Wed, 9AM-8PM; Sat, Sun, 1-4PM. Shields Center for Visual Arts, 2300 Adams Avenue, Scranton. 570-348-6278 or www.marywood.edu/galleries

**Miller’s Fine Arts Gallery**

Features Contemporary Stone Sculptures from East Africa and other African Artifacts. Gallery Hours: Saturdays 12-6PM and Sundays by appointment only. 402 Brushy Mountain Rd., East Stroudsburg. 612-573-6594 or 914-588-6843 or cravells-miller.fineartamerica.com
Local Galleries & Museums

**Misericordia University (PPA Grantee)**
Ani Art Academies: Capturing Realism 2017 (thru Sept 30), Pauly Friedman Art Gallery, Verve Vertu Art Studio (June 5–15), Gallery Hours: Tues-Thurs 10AM – 8PM, Fri 10AM-5PM; Sat & Sun 1-5PM. 301 Lake St., Dallas. 570-674-6250 dposatk@misericordia.edu or www.misericordia.edu

**Monroe County Historical Association**
"All Snug in Their Beds," Quilts & Quilting Artifacts from the Collection. Gallery Hours: Tues-Fri, 10AM-4PM, First & Third Saturdays, 10AM-4PM. One-hour Guided Tours: 11AM & 2PM daily. 900 Main St, Stroudsburg. 570-421-7703 or www.monroehistorical.org

**Northampton Community College Monroe Campus – Dunnin Art Gallery**
3rd Annual Pocono Art Collage. Gallery Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8AM-9PM. 201 Keystone Hall, 2411 Route 715, Tannersville. (570) 369-1938 or mconnell@northampton.edu

**Pocono Mountains Art Group West End Community Rotational Art Gallery**
ESSA, Rt. 209, Brodheadsville, Royale Mills; ESSA, Gilbert Weis Market, Charlene Taylor; Homestead Veterinary Center, Darleen Hyde; James & Rae Insurance, Joan Sayer; Gen II Jewellery, Nancy Embich; Gilbert Podiatry Associates, Linda Bush; Bangor Podiatry, Gary Embich; Lucy Flinn Insurance, MaryAnn Schwartz; Blue Ridge Vineyard, Linda Kreckel. 570-992-7007 or brushwork36@gmail.com

**Sordoni Art Gallery at Wilkes University**
Gallery Hours: Tuesdays-Sunday: Noon-4:30PM; Closed Monday & University Holidays, 150 S. River St., Wilkes Barre. 570-408-3365 or http://www.wilkes.edu/arts/sordoni-art-gallery/

**Trinity Episcopal Church**
Lake Swiftwater Benefit Show, "Lake Reflections" by Penny Ross (thru Aug 27), 137 Trinity Hill Rd, Mt. Pocono. 570-839-9376 or mcconservation.org. Submissions are due August 29th. For more information, please contact Trinity Episcopal Church, 570-625-1782 or mconnell@northampton.edu

**Turrell Art Studios**
- Custom Framing & Art Gallery
  4 North Sixth Street, Stroudsburg. (570) 476-7666 or framing@turrellartstudios.com

**University of Scranton, The Hope Horn Gallery**
PPA Grantee Gallery Hours: Sunday – Friday, Noon-4PM. Wednesdays, 6-8PM. Hyland Hall, 4th Floor, Linden St at Jefferson Ave., Scranton. 570-941-4214 or http://www.scranton.edu/academics/hope-horn-gallery/index.shtml

**PoconoArts/On Going**
Class Instructors - PoconoArts is always seeking qualified instructors to teach in its studio program. If you are interested in teaching, or know of someone who is, please contact our Studio Coordinator, Carolin Hetherington at 570-476-4460 or e-mail carolyn@poconoarts.org. The Council is interested in providing instruction in a variety of disciplines, levels and age groups.

PoconoArts is also seeking individuals who are interested in modeling for figure/portrait drawing & painting classes. Interested persons should call PoconoArts, 570-476-4460, or e-mail carolyn@poconoarts.org

**VISUAL ARTS**

Plein Air at the West End Fair — the first 20 artists to register will be accepted to participate in this new venture at the West End Fair. Paintings to be considered must be created entirely on site at the West End Fair between Sunday, August 20, noon-9PM, and Monday, August 21, Noon-5PM. Paintings must be of something on the fairgrounds that the artist is looking at — i.e. Rides, buildings, animals, concerts, etc. Media may include oils, acrylics, watercolors and pastels. Judging will be Monday, August 21. First Place Award is $200. $300 in additional prizes. Registration Fee: $25. Rules & Registration forms are available at PoconoArts. Information: pboger@ptd.net Registration Deadline: July 18.

**MONROE COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT’S ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER** - 3rd Annual Amateur Photo Contest — MCCD is looking for photos that showcase Monroe County’s finest Natural Resources! You can earn a spot in both our art gallery and our 2018 MCCD calendar! Submissions are due September 29th. For official rules and to submit a photo, please visit www.mconervation.org/mccd-photo-contest. Information: 570-629-3061 or mccd@mcconervation.org.

**Pocono Living Magazine**
2017 Photo contest, Your photos could be seen by more than 26,000 readers. The contest is open to amateur photographers only. Entered photos must be recent (since 2012) and be of a scene or subject found in the Pocono Mountains only. Categories are: Wildlife; Children and/or Pets; Historic Structures; Waterfalls, Rivers and Lakes; Landscapes. Contestants may submit up to a total of 15 photographs in each category. Contest closes August 1st. Winners published in October/November 2017 issue of Pocono Living Magazine and www.PoconoMagazines.com website. Enter electronic files (300 dpi, jpg or tiff files) by email to pmagsps@ptd.net. Information: 570-476-4460 or www.poconolivingmagazine.com. Registration deadline: June 10. Judge: Robyn Paul, Wyoming Art Association, email rum@yahoo.com.

**PERFORMING ARTS**

**Shawnee Playhouse:** Readers needed for cold readings of submissions to Shawnee Original Playwright Series. Works of various lengths by local authors will be read aloud in front of a panel of judges. From there, the pieces will be voted upon by the audience. Performances are scheduled for August 7-10th at 7PM. Winning plays will be produced in 2018. Interested volunteer actors should contact the theater at request@theshawneeplayhouse.com

**The Kathy Kroll Dance & Paper Theater!** is seeking new dancers, teens and adults, both male and female. This non-profit community dance company is open to all levels. The Junior Company is also seeking new dancers, boys and girls, 9-12 years old. Rehearsals are on Tuesday evenings. Information: 570-424-5285 or www.kathykrolldanceandpapertheater.org

**Trinity Centennial Band** Interested musicians are invited to come to rehearsals with their instrument and a music stand. Rehearsals: Monday, 7PM, 2 or 3 times a month, Community Room, Stroud Township Building, North 5th St, Stroudsburg. Contact tristartband@aol.com or martasgig@aol.com for the spring/summer schedule.

**Theater Studio** - A Confidence Theater (PPA Grantee) second floor, The School of Visual and Performing Arts, 554 Main Street, Stroudsburg, Volunteers, artists, and interns are needed to help with props, scenery, costumes and crew for the 8th Annual Free Summer Workshop. Performance date is August 27th. Information: 570-408-3365 or www.fobsp.org.

**COMMUNITY**

**Meals on Wheels** is looking for drivers to deliver meals to seniors and shut-ins. Volunteers can work as little as one day per month, 10AM-1PM. For further information, call the Meals on Wheels office at 424-8794. This is a great community service that can truly make a difference in someone’s life.

**School of Visual & Performing Arts** - 554 Main St, Stroudsburg. rents studios for dance, theater and art by the hour for ongoing classes, master classes, workshops and rehearsals. There is a box theater and gallery for shows. There are 5 studios, 2 w/marley floors and w/ pianos, 3 w/wood floors. Contact Kathy Kroll, 570-424-5285 or www.schoolofvisualandperformingarts.org

**St. Luke’s Monroe Campus** - 100 St. Luke’s Lane, (off of 611), Stroudsburg. Affordable Healthy Eating – The Older Adult Meal offers adults 65 and over a daily dinner meal (7 days a week, 4-6PM). Meals are prepared fresh daily and provide diners with healthy food choices at a special price of $3.99 per meal. Each dinner meal includes an entrée, salad, side, vegetable, dessert and 12 oz. Drink. Info: 1-866-785-8537 or slhm.org/mnroe.

**Welcome New Members**
Santa Bannon, Bethlehem
Maureen Cunningham, Stroudsburg
Debra Dick, Sugarloaf PA
Jeffrey Green, Bangor
Roy Hubbard, East Stroudsburg
Mitzi Kielar, Wayne County Creative Arts Council, Honesdale
Aleksy Myagkov, Brooklyn, NY
Bernard Mangiaracina, Honesdale
Darice & Matt Pauselius, East Stroudsburg
Total Members – 498
OnGoing Classes

Oil Painting

Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm
July 6, 13, 20, 27, August 10, 17, 24, 31
This ongoing workshop focuses on the individual, helping them to develop their own personal style and technique working with the oil medium. Learn how to develop your painting by understanding drawing and composition, light and shadow, color, preparation of materials and the application of paint. Working at your own pace, you pick the subject while the instructor guides you through the painting process.

Instructor: John McAllister is a graduate of York Academy of Arts and works as a freelance artist and videographer.

Tuition: Member $75/Non-Member $85: Senior Member $65/Non-Member $75

Materials List

Intermediate Watercolor

Sundays 1-4pm
July 9, 16, 23, 30, August 6, 13, 20, 27
Come join us in this ongoing watercolor journey and discover the flexibility of this wonderful medium. We will cover composition, form, shapes and definitely color!! Students can work from photos that they have taken or utilize the still life that will be set up during each workshop. A very free approach will be explored where your creativity takes wing. JOIN THE JOURNEY!

Instructor: Iraina Caramelli graduated from the Parsons School of Design in NYC. She also studied fine and graphic arts at Pratt Institute. She works in a variety of mediums including mixed media, acrylics, watercolor, pen and ink and pastels. Iraina is listed in the Who’s Who of American Women.

Tuition: Member $100/Non-Member $110: Senior Member $90/Non-Member $100

Materials List

July Classes

Basic Acrylic Painting

4 weeks, July 5, 12, 19, 26, Wednesday, 12 Noon-3pm
Come and explore this very versatile medium. This workshop is for the beginner as well as those with more experience with acrylics. The techniques of this medium, incorporating composition, building a painting, color values and much more will be explored. Students should bring photographs they have taken to be utilized as subject matter. Come enjoy this journey and have a great time painting!

Instructor: Iraina Caramelli (see bio under Ongoing Watercolor)

MATERIALS LIST
Tuition: Member $100/Non-Member $110: Senior Member $90/Non-Member $100

Drawing Workshop

4 Weeks, July 11, 18, 25, Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30pm (no class 7/4)
Never taken a drawing class before? Feel rusty or simply lack confidence: This course is for you. Beginning with a simple contour, you will use line to discover a variety of shapes and forms from a still life to the human figure. The foundational and formal aspects of sketching and drawing will be demonstrated. Explore the steps in drawing from an idea to a sketch to a completed drawing.

Instructor: John McAllister is a graduate of York Academy of Arts and works as a freelance artist and videographer.

MATERIALS LIST
Tuition: Member $75/Non-Member $85: Senior Member $65/Non-Member $75

Glass Painting Workshop

One Evening, July 17, Monday 6-9pm
This workshop is for beginners to advanced students. Glass painting is for all levels of artists and this particular workshop will go through a drawing phase, a composition phase and a painting phase. Come prepared to have fun with pictures you may want to draw or come with nothing and use the patterns provided for you. You will complete a painted glass that you can take home with you at the end of the class.

Instructor: Julia Thomas earned a degree in art education from Kutztown University and a Masters Degree from ESU as a reading specialist. She currently teaches k-12 at a private school.

MATERIALS PROVIDED
Tuition: Member $30/Non-member $40: Senior Member $20/Non-member $30

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Materials List

PoconoArts Volunteer Opportunities

ARTSPACE Gallery needs Gallery Sitters on Saturdays.
GALLERY SITTERS NEEDED! SPRING HOURS - PoconoArts needs your help on Saturdays. Choose between morning or afternoon, 10AM-1PM or 1PM-4PM. Volunteers get to spend a few hours surrounded by works of art and original crafts by local artists and enjoy the Monroe Farmers’ Market on Courthouse Square. Tassy Gilbert will train you. Stop by and review the retail procedures for the Gallery Shop and ARTSPACE. Email admin@poconoarts.org for more information.

Help with coming events:
Gallery Sitters on Saturdays (10AM-1PM or 1-4PM)
Pocono State Craft Festival: August 26, 27
Please email tassy@poconoarts.org.

Next Newsletter Mailing – Thursday, July 27 at 10AM
PoconoArts Cultural Center, Email tassy@poconoarts.org

Thank You to Last Month’s Volunteers

MEMBERS EXHIBITION: We thank you all for your help. This annual event would not be possible without the following:
June Gallery Sitters: Eva Amenuvor, Doug Gilbert, Tassy Gilbert, Linda Reif, Jody Singer
Exhibition Gallery Cards: Jack Swersie
Newsletter Mailing (June 1): Nora Goodman, Alison Grey, Jane MacHale, Ruth Randone, Nancy Tully

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Leadership: The Pocono Arts Council will be the leading advocacy organization offering inspiration, direction and coordination for arts and cultural activities in the Pocono region.

Service: The PoconoArts Council will foster communication, cooperation and collaboration between the arts community and the public through funding, information services and support.

Education: The Pocono Arts Council will provide art education opportunities and nurture growth in individuals and organizations offering instruction and participation in arts and cultural activities.

Submission Deadline
If you would like to have news of an arts related event published, details must be received in the PoconoArts office by the 8th of the previous month. (Due to space limitations, PoconoArts reserves the right to edit copy.) The newsletter reaches over 1900 arts enthusiasts in the county.

Advertise your art event or business in the PoconoArts newsletter. Prices and sizes: standard business card $45 ($60 non-member), 1/4 page (3.75”x5”) $60 ($75 non-member), 1/2 page (7.5”x5”) $95 ($110 non-member). Special: pay for 5 months in advance and get the 6th month free. To reserve space call the Arts Council office at (570) 476-4460.