

Riverside Art Center

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Let Your Creativity Flow

January 2011

There is no member's meeting in January.

Board meeting is January 19th at 7 pm

2010 Board of Directors

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The center will be closed through most of January. We will be making some repairs and painting. If you want to help we will be starting January 3rd around 6 pm and working the next Monday as well. Bring your rollers and brushes, paint pans, and tarps if you can help.

If you did not pick up your art work please come to the center Monday Jan 3rd from 6-7 pm and pick it up.

Volunteers are important to the success of Riverside.

By sharing your time and talents you make it possible to bring our programs and events to the community. Please consider volunteering to keep the gallery open during RAC's normal business hours, Thursday, Friday, & Saturday. Just a few hours once in a while will greatly relieve the few who volunteer. We would also like to have a substitute list for when life happens and our regulars just can't make it in. Contact Melanie Norman at 419-738-4432 to schedule training if you are able to volunteer.

We are beginning to remove members that do not have a current membership from the **newsletter list**. At this time they will remain on the EMAIL list even if they are not a current member.

If you do not receive a newsletter in the near future contact the Center to update your membership. We are sending out annual reminders for memberships for any member that has paid dues for the last two years, if your membership was prior to that time you might be removed from the mailing list. Contact RAC to verify if you have a current membership

Artistic Quote of the month:

It is frequently the tragedy of the great artist, as it is the great scientist, that he frightens the ordinary man. ~Loren Eisely~

Around The Bend

The **Children's Art Exhibit** opening reception will be in January 29th from 2-4 pm . Any member can bring their child or grandchild's Art in to exhibit. Drop off dates are Friday January 21st from 3-5 pm and Saturday Jan 22nd from 10 am –noon. Pick up dates are February 26th from 10am – noon and Feb 28th from 3-5 pm.

Cookies will be needed for the reception. Please call or email Pam Knoch if you can bring in some cookies. 419-738-4916 or jknoch@bright.net

Zentangle/ ATC exhibit runs from March 5th through April 2nd. A prospectus for this show will be available on the website within the next 2 weeks or can be picked up at the center. The opening for this will be March 5th from 6-9 pm

The **Brandt Family** will be exhibiting their art in May/ June. Opening reception tentatively set for April 23rd.

Featured Artist Anyone interested in having their work focused in one or both front windows of the gallery during the months of June, July and August. And again in **November and December** when our members work is in the gallery, pick up a featured artist application at RAC or our website. Fill out the app and return with a bio and pic to be considered.