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# Allegany Arts Newsletter

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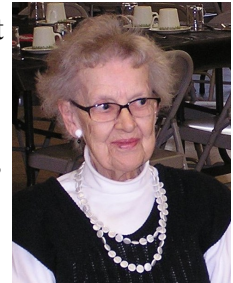
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this Allegany Arts Association Quarterly Newsletter,  
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classes & public cultural events in Allegany County, NY  
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With much gratitude for her many years of dedicated service to our mission to expand local access to the arts, The Allegany Arts Association sends Happy Retirement wishes to Joanne Allen. An active member of the AAA board, Joanne has been the Board Secretary and Newsletter Editor, coordinated local creative events & performances, and organized the Annual Poetry Slam and Annual Spaghetti Dinner Fund-raiser while she encouraged numerous artists working in a variety of assorted genres to pursue their creative goals. Setting the stage for future generations, Joanne has been a leader in keeping the arts accessible to all members of our community.

We have been truly blessed to create, learn, work with, and know her.



**Did you know? Active for over 30 years; the Allegany Arts Association and the Allegany Artisans have always been TWO organizations doing different types of awesome local creative work. This free newsletter is prepared by the Allegany Arts Association to expand access to the arts.**



**ARTS ADVOCATES  
WE NEED YOU!**

**The Allegany Arts Association Board is currently seeking new and current members to fill paid and volunteer positions working in service of the AAA mission to expand local access to the arts. Details inside.**

**Summer Arts Festival 2019** Activities shared free programs for local youth at Angelica Ink, The Fountain Arts Center, the Bolivar, Fillmore, Richburg, and Whitesville Libraries, and SheilaLynnK Art Studio in Wellsville. Our dedicated hosts and instructors continue to make these quality creative experiences available to local youth. Thank You! Join our team of instructors. Contact Molly at [mwpikell@gmail.com](mailto:mwpikell@gmail.com) or call 585-466-6210 or 585-268-5710

This and other AAA Programming and services are made possible by a grant from the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of Governor Andrew Cuomo and the NYS Legislature, administered by the Tri-County Arts Council, and by donations from local organizations and residents like you.

**It's free to join the AAA email list & the [Allegany County, NY Creators Directory](#)**

Contact: [sheila@sheilalynnkart.com](mailto:sheila@sheilalynnkart.com)

Subject: Creators Directory Info Request  
And/or Add me to the AAA email list

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## **ALLEGANY ARTS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

Submit your ads, artsy news & events to  
[sheila@sheilalynnkart.com](mailto:sheila@sheilalynnkart.com)

**By November 14th for publication  
In our Winter 2019-2020 Newsletter**

## AAA Service Positions Available for Our Members

Secretary (Unpaid Volunteer, Complimentary membership)

Attends monthly board meetings, records meeting minutes, prepares board meeting agenda based on minutes from prior meeting, distributes minutes and agenda via email to fellow board members

Newsletter Editor (\$250 per publication, annual limit \$1000) Seeks, receives and edits content about Allegany County cultural and creative events and activities for publication in Allegany Arts Association Newsletter printed and distributed quarterly. Coordinates print order with local printer.

Grant Writer Unpaid Volunteer, Complimentary membership) Compiles program data and information in accordance with respective grant guidelines, writes narrative for grants which support AAA programming, submits grant applications for timely board review and submission to the grantor/funding agency

Youth Activities Director (\$25 per hour, annual limit \$550) Coordinates free art classes for the children of Allegany County. Contacts libraries & instructors to set up classes, makes flyers to advertise classes, collects data about class participation, provides data for grant writing.

Fundraiser (Unpaid Volunteer, Complimentary membership) Coordinates fundraising concepts with AAA Board Members and Manages volunteers, publicity, and participation for fundraising events & activities in the local community to benefit AAA programming.

Instructors (\$25 per hour) Provides instructional art activities for local youth and adults in a public space. A class-outline approved by the AAA Youth Activities Director, intended age range of students, and number of students if class size needs to be limited should be provided. Classes could include drawing, painting, printing, writing, poetry, book arts, collage, music, movement, and so much more.

**Information & Service Applications are  
available from any AAA Board Member  
APPLICATION DEADLINE Oct. 1, 2019**

## David A. Howe Library Programs

**Friday 9/6 at 7pm Mike Randall as Mark Twain**  
Popular WKBW weatherman Mike Randall portrays famous writer Mark Twain.

**Thursday 9/19 at 7pm Roger Pettengill – Singer/Songwriter show** Roger Pettengill brings local songwriters to the stage to perform their original pieces.

**Monday 9/23- Friday 9/27**

**Allegany County History Week**

The Monday Club Room, Local History Room, and Exhibition Room of the library house history displays open for the public to view. Each night at 7pm features a speaker in the Nancy Howe Auditorium.

**Thursday 10/17 at 7pm Nate & Kate**

Ithaca's favorite folk duo deliver a mix of heartfelt modern folk songs, humor, and juggling that add up to a completely unique and dynamic show fit for old, young, and all in between.

**Friday 11/8 at 7pm Judy Cook – Ghosts!**

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**Saturday 11/16 at 10am-2pm Joy of Trains –**

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**Free ADULT Craft Classes ~Monday Club Room**

**3:30 pm Sep 18** Burlap DIY Pumpkins

**Oct 23** UpCycle Wine Bottle Scarecrows

**Nov 27** Bedazzled Mini Gourds

**Call in or Sign Up at the Front Desk**

### **BOOK CLUB**

**Sep 3rd at 3:30pm. *Asunder*** By: Chloe Aridjis  
(Part of the *Around the World* book club being held at the Creative Arts Center)

**Oct 1st at 3:30pm. *Like Water for Chocolate*** By: Laura Esquivel

(Part of the *Around the World* book club being held at the Creative Arts Center)

**Oct 31st at 3:30pm. *World War Z*** By: Max Brooks  
(Special Halloween book club)

**Contact or stop in the library to sign up and reserve your copy of the books! (585) 593-3410**

### About US

**The Allegany Arts Association**, a non-profit (501c3) founded in 1982, promotes participation in the arts by all residents of Allegany County, NY. Supported by individual and corporate members and a NYS Council on the Arts Decentralization Grants Program with support from Gov. Andrew Cuomo & the NYS Legislature, as administered by the Tri-County Arts Council; we provide arts programming and a variety of arts experiences for all ages.

**The Allegany Arts Newsletter** is published quarterly. We welcome news releases and photos about cultural activities in the county. (Note: Any views reported are not necessarily those of the AAA Board.)

**The next deadline is** November 14, 2019 for the Dec., Jan., Feb. issue. For small ads, Advertising sponsors pay only \$25 per quarterly ad or \$75/year.

We work together with the Allegany County Libraries, Allegany Artisans, the Wellsville Art Association, The Fountain Arts Center, The Wellsville Creative Arts Center, The Belfast Organization for Artists, and many others to expand access to the arts to all persons in Allegany County, NY.

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### The 4th Annual Allegany County History Awareness Week September 23-29, 2019

Evening presentations at the Nancy Howe Auditorium of the David A. Howe Library at 7 PM.

- ◇ Monday 9/23 – Allegany County Historian Craig Braack
- ◇ Tuesday 9/24 – Local Railroad Historian Bill Bart
- ◇ Wednesday 9/25 – Jane Oakes on Early Women Physicians
- ◇ Thursday 9/26 – Jim Ball on Early Surveyors in our County
- ◇ Friday 9/27 – Brendan Heaney on early surveyor Moses Van Campen

Open Monday - Friday 9-7 for exhibitions of People, Places and Collectables from Allegany County.

County schools will be touring between 9-2 daily.

Docents will be available to answer questions.

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Event closes Sunday, Sept. 29 at Cuba, NY Palmer Opera House with several first-person presentations of local and national personalities.

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July-October, Village Bandstand

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October 19th & 20th

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Preview in select studios

Friday, October 18th, 5 to 8 pm

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## 2019 Southern Tier Biennial A Regional Survey of Contemporary Art

Opening Reception

Sept. 21 @ 3 PM

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28 artists from 9 counties  
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## **Calendar of Events for Sep., Oct., Nov., 2019**

### **RECURRING EVENTS**

**1st Monday: Wellsville Garden Club**, 7 pm, Grace United, N. Main St., Wellsville. Open to all. Call Linda Fanton 593-5683.

**Every Tuesday:** 7pm Genesee Valley Chorus rehearsal at Grace United Church, N. Main, Wellsville. All singers welcome! Call Sharlet Fuller, 593-3173

**1st Wednesday 6:30pm Allegany Arts Association Monthly Board Meeting** Monday Club Room, David A. Howe Library. Open to the public.

**1st Wed., TRGH Wellsville Historical Society** (every other month) Trinity Lutheran, N. Main St. Wellsville. All welcome, free!

**1st Friday 7pm Bird Club**, Grace United Church.

**3rd Monday 7:30pm Baker's Bridge Historical Society**, Alfred. Station

**1st & 3rd Thursdays, 1-4 pm, \$1 Northern Allegany Quilters**, at Wesleyan Family Center, Fillmore, all skills welcome. 593-365-8856.

**1st Saturday:** Southern Tier Fiber Arts Guild, 11 -2 at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville. Call 607-587-9270 or 585-593-4799 for information. All fiber artists welcome.

**5th Thursdays: UFO DAY** 1-4 pm at Belfast Town Hall. Creators work on unfinished objects

**Monthly: Allegany Artisans Shows** at Steuben Trust Bank, Wellsville, Reception **4-6 pm, First Thursday** each month.

**Wed. & Sat, 10 to 3.** Allegany County Historical Society, Andover, NY, Free! Open to all.

### **September 2019**

**Aug 28th Grand Opening & Enrollment begins at Martelle Dance Academy** 161 North Main Street Wellsville NY 716-498-6577

[martelledanceacademy@gmail.com](mailto:martelledanceacademy@gmail.com)

**Sep 6 7pm Chamber Music Concert Series** First Presbyterian Church 212 Laurens St. Olean, NY

**Sep 7 Beginners 4wk Braiding Classes** Belfast Braiding Studio. 585-365-2507 [belfastbraids@gmail.com](mailto:belfastbraids@gmail.com)

**Sep 9 1:00** Essential Oil Workshop at Rise Above Holistic Wellness Center 161 1/2 Main Street Wellsville

**Sep 19 Allegany Area Writers 5:30** 22 W. Main St. Angelica, NY BYOB and/or snack to share & writing prompt

**Sep 21** Belfast braids teaching The Woolly Tree at the Finger Lakes Fiber Festival In Hemlock, New York

**Sep 26 5-8pm Materiality: The Miller Ceramic Art Collection** Opening Reception Alfred Ceramic Art Museum

**Sep 27 4:30-6pm** 17th Perkins Lecture Sequoia Miller Powell Campus Center, Nevins Theatre, AU

**Sep 28 & 29, Angelica Civil War Weekend**

**Sep 23-29-History Awareness Week**, Wellsville

### **Movies at David A. Howe Library**

**After School Movie:** 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at 3:30pm

**Senior Matinee:** 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday at 2pm

**Sensory Friendly Family Movie:** The 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of every other month at 4:30pm

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**For listings and show times!**

### **October & November 2019**

**Oct. 5th & 6th Allegany County Home and Sports Expo** Alfred State College WLSVCampus

**Oct. 11th 8pm "Driftwood"** live music at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center \$20 advance, \$22 at the door

**Oct. 12th** Teaching Woolly Tree at the Belfast Braiding Studio

585-365-2507 [belfastbraids@gmail.com](mailto:belfastbraids@gmail.com)

**Oct. 31st** Annual Quilt Show at Belfast Public Library HOURS M.W.Sat. 10-1, T,W,Th 3-7

**Oct. 31st** Belfast Organization for Artists UFO Day at Belfast Town Hall Free 585-365-8856

**Nov. 3rd 1pm Ellen and the Healers** live music at Pollywogg Holler, Belmont, NY

**Nov. 9th.** Teaching Indian Corn at the Belfast Braiding Studio

585-365-2507 [belfastbraids@gmail.com](mailto:belfastbraids@gmail.com)

**TBA** Rise Above Holistic Wellness Center News  
Belfast Christmas Trees in the park  
Wellsville Christmas Trees at the Library

### **October 19th & 20th**

**32nd Annual Allegany Artisans Studio Tour**  
**includes 26 Studios and 32 working artists.**

This year Juanita's Family & the Allegany Artisans introduce the Juanita Barone Dietrich Scholarship in loving memory of this talented artist and former Allegany Artisan.

*The Allegany Artisans are a group of local working craftsman and artists opening their studios to the public.* For more information please email : [AlleganyArtisans@gmail.com](mailto:AlleganyArtisans@gmail.com).

**Discover Allegany County.com**—See the Calendar of Events for the entire county. Fun for everyone!

**Active and Supportive Allegany Arts Association Members make it possible for the arts to thrive in Allegany County, NY. Thank you so much for all that you do!**

In the midst of our current transition we are making updates to our membership list.

These updates will be posted at [alleganyartsassociation.com](http://alleganyartsassociation.com) as they are completed. Thank you for your patience. Feel free to contact [sheila@sheilalynnkart.com](mailto:sheila@sheilalynnkart.com) if you have any questions about the status of your membership.

**CALL FOR ENTRIES Short Creative Essay Contest**

**Entry Deadline:** November 11<sup>th</sup> **Entry Fee:** \$15 non AAA members, \$5 for AAA members

**Awards:** Online publication of the written works, Recognition in the Allegany Arts Association Newsletter and **First Prize:** \$50 **Second Prize:** \$25 **Winners TBA** December 2019

**2019 Essay Contest Entry Guidelines**

**Using the first line:**

***“She wasn't happy about it, but she'd been recalled to life for a reason.”***

**In 12pt font, Write 300-500 words that tell the rest of the story.** The contest is open to local writers age 18 and over. An English Translation of the written work must be submitted with non-English entries. If selected for publication; both versions will be shown. *All essays must be your original work. Plagiarism will result in immediate disqualification.* The ownership of any submission remains the property of the writer. Entry submission constitutes the entrant's permission and consent, without compensation, for use of the written material w/author's byline in future public listings and publications of the Allegany Arts Association and its affiliated web pages. **Submit entries with your address, phone#, email, AAA membership status (i.e. current member, new member, not a member) to:** [sheila@sheilalynnkart.com](mailto:sheila@sheilalynnkart.com) **Subject:** AAA Short Essay Contest **or by mail with your check payable to:**

SheilaLynnK Art Studio, AAA Short Essay Contest , 345 South Main Street , Wellsville NY 14895

**This contest is sponsored and hosted by [sheilalynnkart.com](http://sheilalynnkart.com) in support of the AAA mission.**

**CRITERIA CONSIDERED**

- ◆ **Entries must be submitted in 12pt Times New Roman font no later than 11pm EST Nov. 11th 2019.**
- ◆ **Originality ~ clearly shows your individual perspective**
- ◆ **Conceptual Interpretation ~ includes your personal creative expansion of the required first line of the work.**
- ◆ **Inspirational Content ~ Will the readers appreciate a perspective other than their own and/or look more closely at their own experience of the human condition?**
- ◆ **Grammar/Spelling/Punctuation, Structure & Comprehension**

**ALLEGANY ARTS ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FORM**

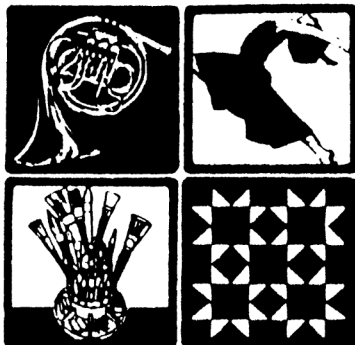
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...

Dear Member : Above your name on the address label are 4 numbers. The first two are the year your membership ends, the second two show the month it ends. For example "1909 means your subscription ends in "2019, September". Please help us save postage and send your renewal soon.

**THANK YOU** to those who have renewed or begun a membership!

Your membership helps to publish this Newsletter and funds our free Summer Arts Festival and other classes for Allegany County children. Thank you!

*"I know the world is bruised and bleeding, and though it is important not to ignore its pain, it is also critical to refuse to succumb to its malevolence. Like failure, chaos contains information that can lead to knowledge — even wisdom. Like art."*

~Toni Morrison



**Allegany Arts Association Annual Fundraiser**

First Week of December  
at the Wellsville American Legion Post 702  
Tickets coming soon! Contact an AAA Board member for more information

OPPORTUNITIES FOR CREATORS

- ♦ **Tri County Arts Council Grants** The applications and [guidelines for 2020](#) are now available! **Fiscal year 2020 grants deadline is October 2nd by 4pm.** Please email [kalyn@myartscouncil.net](mailto:kalyn@myartscouncil.net) with any questions.
- ♦ **Artists Among Us Touring Art Program** for Allegany County area artists. Contact the Fountain Arts Center, Belmont, NY
- ♦ **Blue Earth Review** is accepting poetry, fiction, and creative nonfiction for publication.
- ♦ **Parhelion Literary Magazine** is looking for fiction, flash, nonfiction, poetry, and photography for their [Halloween-themed October issue](#).
- ♦ **Driftwood Press** seeks poetry collections, novellas, and graphic novels, as well as short stories, poems, comics, and visual art for their [literary magazine](#).
- ♦ **BROWSE CALLS FOR WORK** at [Arts Services Initiative of Western NY](#)