

Pittsford Art Group

APRIL 2013

President's Corner & the May Mini-Workshop

EXHIBITING AROUND TOWN

- Betsy Liano @
 The Friendly Home
- Brande Arno @
 Star Physical Therapy
- Ravi Sharma @
 The Pittsford Town
 Hall
- Carol Kenyon @ The Presbyterian Church

DATES TO REMEMBER

PAG meeting - May 2nd, 7pm

PAG Picnic—June 6th, 3:30pm-whenever

Positively Pittsford To be announced
Summer!

"Grey Hood" - Brande Arno

Mini-Workshop, Artist's Trading Cards May, 2013 meeting

Artist's Trading Cards are fun to make and an easy way to share your art. They are just a little bigger than your standard business card.

After we hold elections, we'll get started on making them. The blank trading cards will be provided by the group, you provide the inspiration.

Needed for members to bring are:

Watercolors and brushes. Gel pens, pencils, colored pencils and pens, stamps, magazine pictures, references and any small embellishments you'd like.

Trading your finished card with another artist member is optional.

We'd like to bring some of them to Positively Pittsford in June to sell.

June 6 for The Picnic!

The PAG Annual Picnic is coming up on Thursday, June 6th.

Will you be there? We hope so!

- Where? Kings Bend Park, Pittsford (see map on page 4)
- Doors open at 3:30pm
- Scholarship Presentation at 4pm



- Website presentation at 5pm
- Dinner follows presentation
- Cleanup by everyone.

Details and sign-ups to follow!

Thank you to **Lynn Wicks** for coordinating this!

Treasurer's Report on the Spring Show

As our focus begins to shift to May Elections, the June Picnic and Positively Pittsford, we would like to draw attention back to our Spring Show figures.

The table below represents Income,

Show Expenditures and our Net Loss/Gains for the 2012 and 2013 Spring Shows.

Faced with a Net Loss of \$185.98 in 2012, entry fees were raised for the 2013 Spring Show.

The number of pieces entered for both years ranged between 75-80.

The Board and Show Committee was happy to report a net gain of \$5.34 for our 2013 Show.

	2012	2012 Totals	2013	2013 Totals
INCOME				
Show Fees	\$567.00		\$654.00	
TOTAL SHOW FEES:		\$567.00		\$654.00
SHOW EXPENSES				
Judge & Critique	\$200.00		\$200.00	
Monetary Awards	\$220.00		\$150.00	
Refreshments	\$95.99		\$96.78	
Program & Gifts (Penny, etc.)	\$102.79		\$133.87	
Ribbons	\$74.20		\$68.01	
TOTAL SHOW EXPENSES		\$752.98		\$648.66
Net Loss/Gain		-\$185.98		\$5.34

Be sure to come out and vote!

May is Election Time! Paper ballots will be available at the Thursday, May 2nd

Voting Ballot for Pittsford Art Group Officers 2013-2014

Office of the President - Brande Arno & Margie Mitchell

Vice-President - Kathy Bolin

Treasurer - Kitty Lawrence

Recording Secretary - Sylvie Culbertson

Corresponding Secretary - Christine Sisak

Write in

PITTSFORD ART GROUP

Artist Spotlight—Lynn Wicks

Lynn Wickes attended The Fashion Institute of Technology and worked as a textile designer in New York City. In the late 1960's she joined Coty Award winners Will & Eileen Richardson, producing one of a kind fabrics for Halston and other fashion designers.

After moving to Rochester, she completed a Bachelor's Degree in Studio Arts and Art Therapy under the mentorship of artist Kurt Feuerherm at Empire State College.

During the early 70's she was instrumental in forming a support group for women artists, which focused on developing skills, and learning about the unique contributions of women in art history.

She participated in a number of art exhibits, taught drawing & was represented by the Hutchins Gallery. Her interest in art therapy led to a Master's in Social Work with postgraduate training in Family Therapy.

From the late 80's to 2003, her primary focus was directing several home based mental health programs in the community, teaching and maintaining a private psychotherapy practice.

In 2004, she was the recipient of Monroe County's Preventive Service Coalition's Pioneer Award for her leadership in outcome based services to families.

Ms Wickes returned to her personal artwork in 2007.

In 2008 her work was juried into The Fourth Northeast National Pastel Exhibition. In 2011, she received a Master Division Award in the Central Adirondack Art Exhibit in Old Forge, NY. Her work has been juried into Empire State's Alumni Shows, The Association of University Women's Art Forum Exhibits, Pittsford Art Group Annual Spring & Fall Shows, Steve Carpenter's Annual Student Art Show and the New York Figure Study Guild Show.

Her current work in the pastel medium explores landscapes, figurative works and portraits. She is a member of the Pittsford Art Group and New York Figure Study Guild and exhibits at various venues in the community.

"My goal is to evoke a mood and sense of place that is representative of the ways in which we are able to both capture and distort images that have personal and universal meaning". I have a strong commitment to drawing from life as a basis for mastering the skills needed to accomplish both abstract and representational work.

Members Out & About

Congratulations to Alice Gold & Kathy Bolin! Alice took home Best of Show, and Kathy secured a Juror's Award in the Rochester Art Club show at St. John Fisher College. Steven Anssael was the Show Judge.

Congratulations to **Sylvie Culbertson!** She has a painting in the Adult Student Show at the Lucy Byrne Gallery at the MAG.



Artist Trading Cards from www.linesandcolors.com blog

Welcome New PAG Members!

The Pittsford Art Group would like to extend a warm welcome to the following new Members!

David Shuttleworth Robin Tremble

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Brande Arno, *President*Margaret Mitchell, *Vice President*Kathy Bolin, *Treasurer*Sylvie Culbertson, *Secretary*Christine Sisak, *Corresponding Secretary*

Do you have news to share? Would you like to be the next Artist Spotlight?

Please email Chris @ csisak5@naz.edu

Or snail mail to: Christine Sisak 3454 Rush-Mendon Rd Honeoye Falls, NY 14472

Map to the Picnic...

Address: 170 West Jefferson Road/ Pittsford, NY 14534

http://townofpittsford.org/files/images/parks/KBP_pix.pdf



