



# Pittsford Art Group

NEWSLETTER - January 2023

## A Message from the President

January a time to look forward and think about our futures in Art! Is there a course you want to take or are you waiting for summer to just get outside and paint in the sweet breezes?

Summer is a ways off and the harsh times of wind and cold are upon us! We spend more days indoors, a great time to take advantage of our free time to express your *inner you* and paint!

March is just around a few corners and our juried show this year (our only juried show) is at Barnes and Noble. Paula Fahy is our chair with Mike Kamish as co-chair.

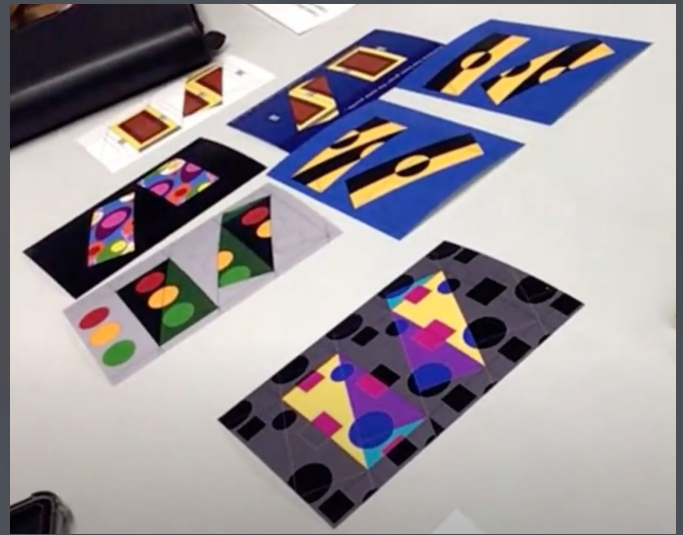
We will be giving out ribbons and certificates for this juried show, so get your brush in hand and get painting!

**Margie Mitchell**



## January 2023 Guest Artist - Barb Savage

Barb talked to the members about her love of Tessellations - an arrangement of shapes closely fitted together, especially of polygons in a repeated pattern without gaps or overlapping. Barb works out the designs on the computer and then prints them out photographically and then creates collages with the photographs. She has painstakingly determined the exact angles to take a square and break it into any number of subsquares that can be replicated to neighboring squares. And, when she fills each fractional subsquare a different color and then replicates these squares across her canvas, she has created her artwork!



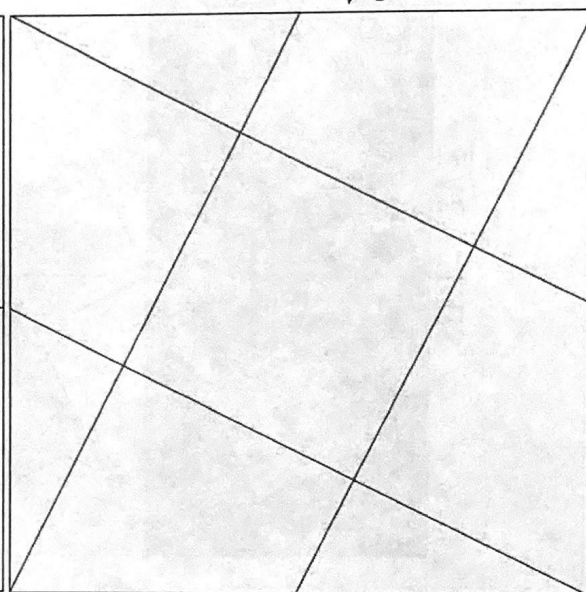
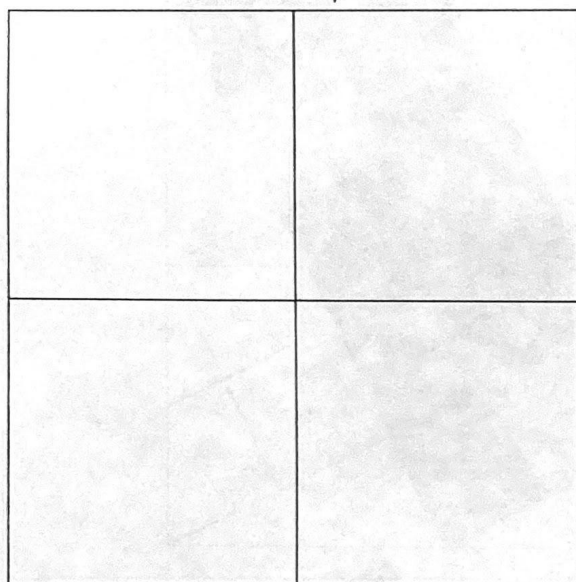


A square whose side is the sq. root of 4 contains 4 squares.  
A square whose side is the sq. root of 5 contains 5 squares.

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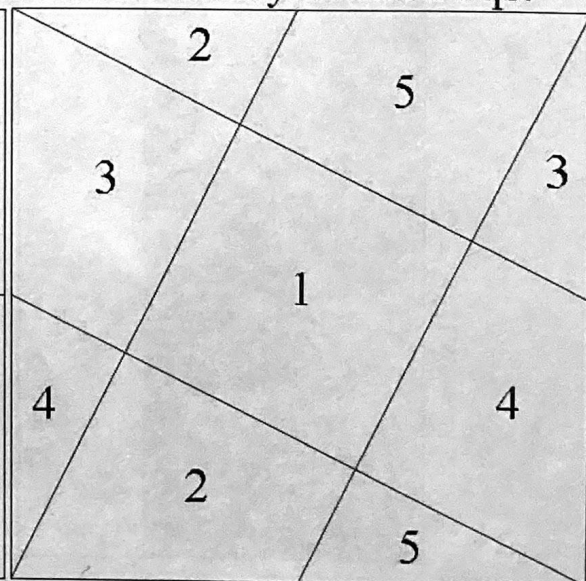
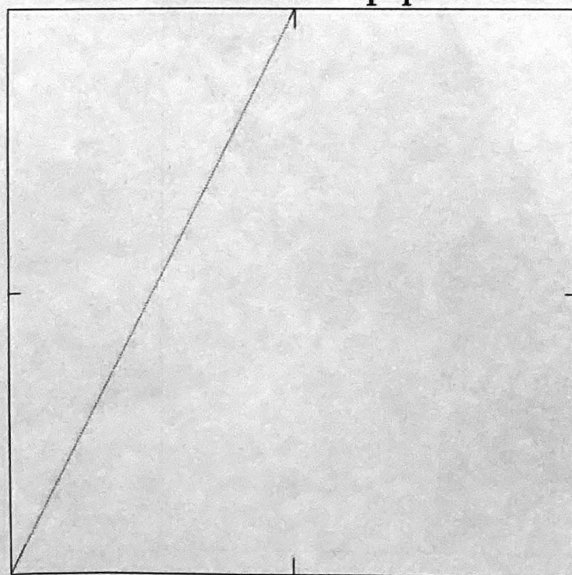
SIDE =  $\sqrt{4}$

SIDE =  $\sqrt{5}$



Draw the 4 lines needed  
to make the 5 sq. puzzle.

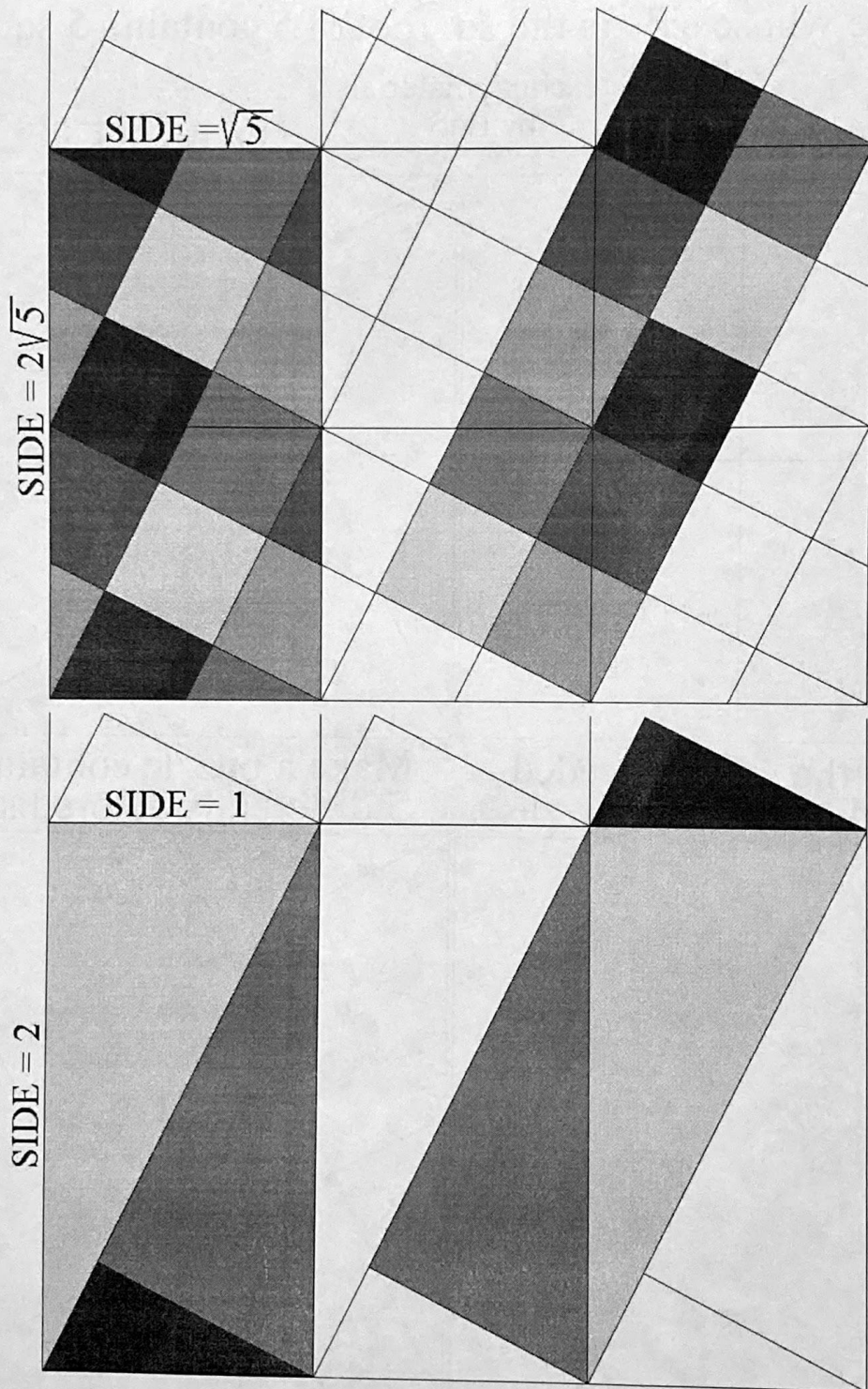
Make a puzzle containing  
5 differently colored sqs.



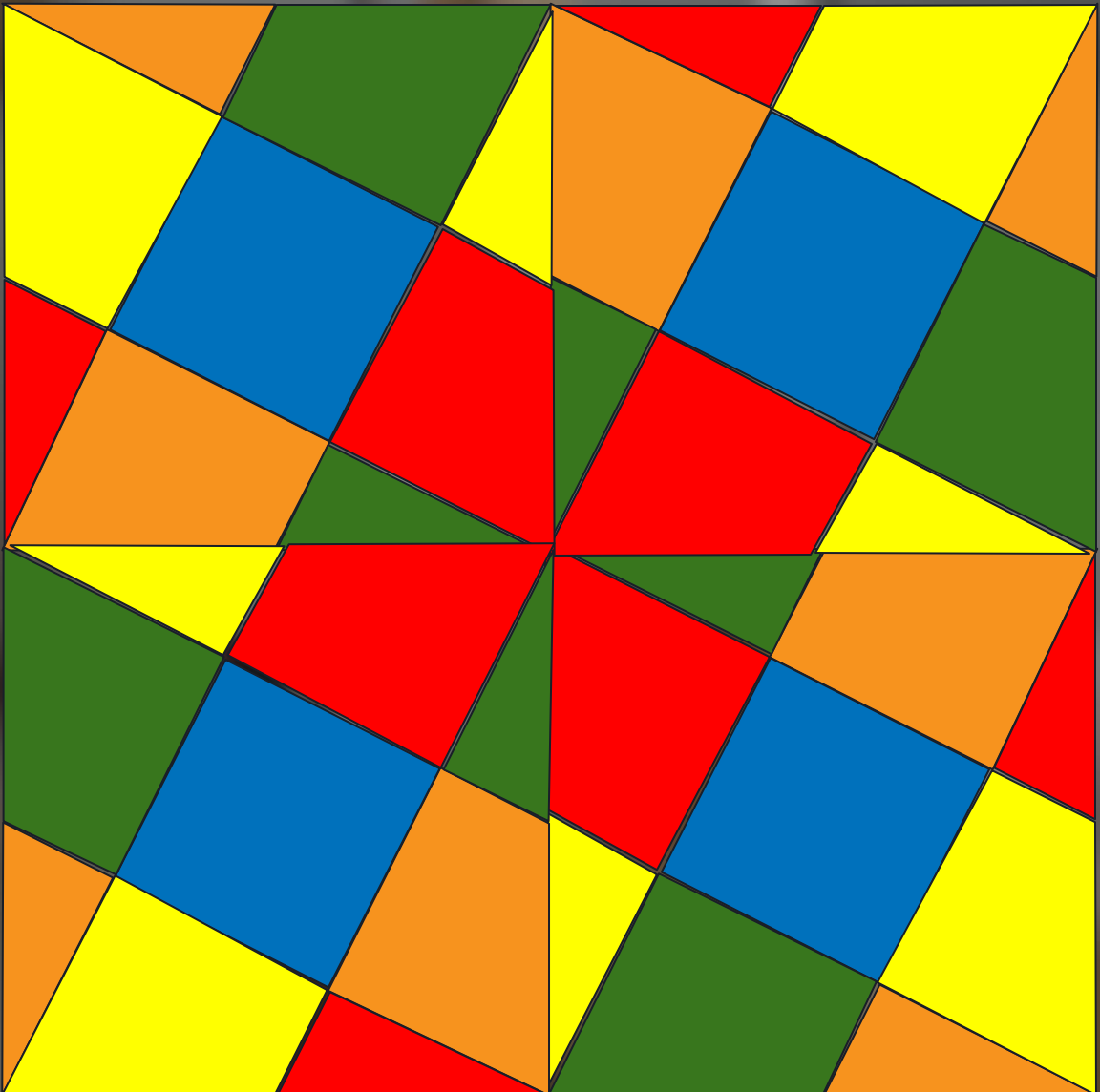
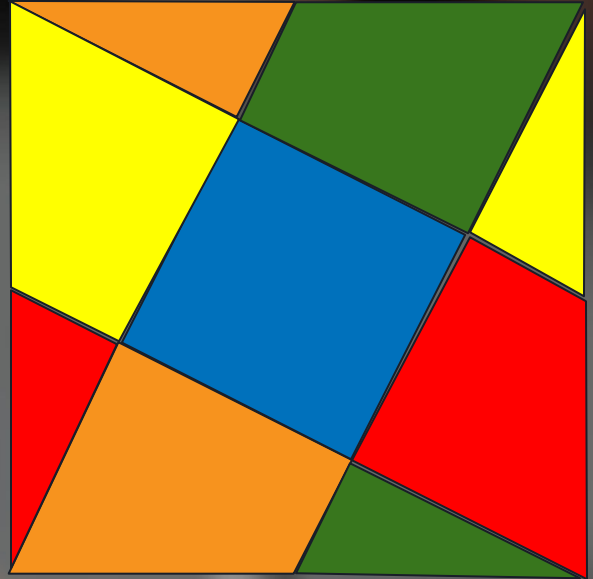
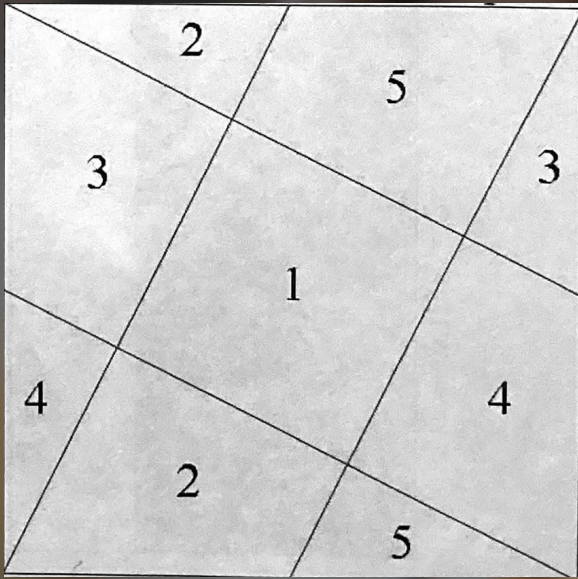


# "3T ART PUZZLE"

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# ROTATING EXHIBIT Schedule

Venue->	Pittsford Town Hall	Friendly Home Main	Star P.T.	Presbyterian Church
# pieces->	10 to 15 medium	22	16	3 large, 7 small
Jan - Mar '23	Barbara Jablonski (TBD)	Betsy Liano	Sylvie Culbertson	Joanne Andrews
Apr - Jun'23	Samara Doumnande	Nies Welsh	Betsy Liano	Denise Johnson
Jul - Sep '23	Denise Johnson	Margie Mitchell Debi Bloom	Carol Schott Nina Varon	Shirley Zimmerkidd
Oct - Dec '23	Sarah Hyatt	Hiroko Jusko	Joanne Andrews	Paula Fahy

If you have questions about this schedule, please contact [Laura Davis](#). Remember - you can share any of these exhibit spaces with other members!

## REMINDERS

**OUR February MEMBERSHIP MEETING** is Thursday, the 2nd. Check the website for upcoming guest artists.

**GUESTS** are welcomed and encouraged to join us at our monthly meetings to hear and see what's going on and to watch our wonderful demonstrators. To help with rising costs it would be appreciated if a **\$5.00 donation** was made to the group for in-person attendance. If the guest would like to join our group then their donation will be applied to their joining fee.

**Sylvia Ball** will send **occasion appropriate cards** to members or their families. If you know of someone who is ill or a member that has passed, please contact Sylvia.



# Executive Board & Committee Members

## 2022 – 2023 Positions

### Executive Board Officers

President	Margaret Mitchell
Vice President	Betsy Liano
Treasurer	Laurie Tappel
Recording Secretary	Carolyn Dey Lobkowicz
Corresponding Secretary	Joe Sirianni

### Standing Committees

Membership	Carol Schott
Program Chair	Betsy Liano
Refreshments	Niesdri Welsh
Rotating Exhibits	Laura Davis
Sunshine	Sylvia Ball
Website Manager	Joe Sirianni
Newsletter	Joe Sirianni
Publicity	TBD

## 2022 – 2023 Season Shows

**1570 Gallery at Valley Manor:** 1570 East Ave, Rochester  
Monday, Oct. 24 through Sunday Dec. 4.  
Show Chairs: Paula Fahy and Betsy Liano  
Pick up: Sunday 12/4 @ 12 - 2pm

**Pittsford Federal Credit Union:** 20 Tobey Village Road, Pittsford  
Friday, Dec. 2 through Friday, Jan. 13 (pickup 9-12pm)  
Show Chair: Margie Mitchell  
Drop off: Friday 12/2 @ 9-12pm

**Pittsford Barnes and Noble:** Pittsford Plaza  
Friday, February 25th Postmark Deadline for registration  
Friday, March 3rd 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Art Drop Off  
6:00 to 9:00 p.m. Hang the Art  
Saturday, March 4th 9:00 a.m Judging  
Saturday, March 11th 1:00 p.m. Awards Ceremony  
Saturday, April 1st Art Pick up