

DANVILLE *Art League*

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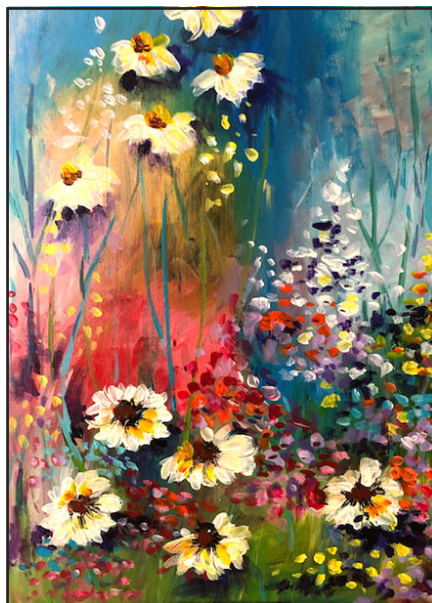


**A part of the Danville
community since 1938.**

Color Splash parties

The Danville Art League will be offering a “buddy system” for the Color Splash parties during the months of June, July and August.

Bring a friend or relative that has never been to one of our Color Splash parties, and your party is free! You just pay for your friend or relative’s party.

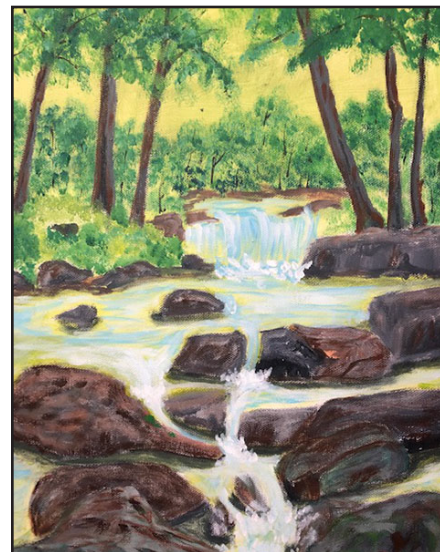


June’s Color Splash will be the very colorful floral painting shown above. The instructor will be **Carol Garver**.

This party will be held Thursday, June 23 from 6 to 8:30 p.m.

Cost for each person for this Color Splash party is \$30.

The painting for our Color Splash party on August 25th will be announced at a later date. Check your email and our website for all the details.



July’s Color Splash painting will be the landscape shown above.

The instructor will be **Marsha Russell**. This party will be held Thursday, July 28 from 6 to 8:30 p.m.

Cost for each person for this Color Splash party is also \$30.

Fundraiser at Danville Gardens



The fundraiser we had at Danville Gardens on April 25 was a great success!

Danville Gardens generously donated \$1,519.94 from their sales that day to the Art League.

We would like to thank everyone who came out and helped both us and Danville Gardens.

Newsletter

To submit information for the Art League newsletter, call **Sabrina Donnelly** at 443-4657. Information may also be emailed to donnelly.sabrina@gmail.com or mailed to 15415 Lee Rd., Danville, IL 61834

Meetings

Business meetings are open to all members. The meetings are held every second Thursday at 6 p.m. in January, March, May, July, September and November.

Studio Open

Open studio is for all DAL members free of charge. This is a time to work on your personal projects (this does not cover pottery studio). Hours are: Wednesday and Saturday mornings 9 a.m.-12 p.m., other times by appointment.

Scholarships

The Danville Art League will have scholarship applications available for student and adult classes offered in 2022. Call the Art League if you wish to have an application mailed to you.

Dues Reminder

If you haven't renewed your membership, fill out the Annual Contributing Membership form on the back of your newsletter and mail back with your remittance. Please consider joining as a patron or supporting patron level when you send in your membership dues. Dues are: \$55 min. for supporting patron, \$40/yr patron, \$30/yr family, \$25 yr/individual or \$10/yr student (with ID). Thank you!!!

Volunteering

The Art League welcomes members who are looking to volunteer. We have many opportunities. Please call for more information.

Golden workshops



Sandy Bacon will be returning to the Art League for two Golden Workshops. The free workshop is Friday, June 3 from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. This is a chance to receive Golden samples and meet Sandy Bacon.

Saturday's workshop will be June 4 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (with lunch and supplies provided). Cost is \$50. During this workshop Sandy will show us how to use a variety of Golden products. Everyone will explore the art materials producing fun works of art.

Register by phoning the Art League and giving your name and phone number. Golden requires that we have at least 15 people on Friday night in order for Sandy to join us. It is worth coming just to get the free samples! This workshop is for beginners as well as experienced artists.

Sandy Bacon is a versatile artist now residing in Lake Bluff, near Chicago. She paints in acrylics, watercolor and oils. She works on canvas, paints stage sets for the Citadel theater, paints murals, and works on sculptural installations. She shows widely, including at Stola Contemporary Gallery in Chicago. She has won numerous public art commissions (Chicago Sculpture International), and is in many corporate collections.

She holds an MFA from Maryland Institute Graduate School of Painting.

The Pottery Club



Have you always wanted to learn how to make beautiful pottery, but were just too busy or not sure how to get started? Well, now is your chance!

You don't have to know anything about pottery, or you can know a lot. It's all about having fun, making new friends, learning a new craft or improving on your current skills.

The pottery club usually meets on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month. The club will meet from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

You don't have to be a member of the Art League to join.

You must be at least 16 years old (no exceptions).

Cost for Art League members is \$5.00 per class or \$7.00 per class for non-members. Supplies will be available for purchase. **Sue Moudy** and **Jim Sheehan** are the instructors.

Class registration

In order for us to plan and have the needed supplies on hand, we ask that students pre-register at least 1 week before the first day of any class. Call the Art League at 217-442-9264 and give your name, address and phone number to register for classes. You may pay in person during our open hours. You may also mail checks to our address on the front of the newsletter. Please use the P.O. Box 772.

Area Exhibitions

Krannert Art Museum
500 East Peabody
Champaign, Illinois
Latina Community 'Voces'

— thru July 9

*To Know the Fire: Pueblo
Women Potters and the Shaping
of History*

— thru September 3

*Fake News & Lying Pictures:
Political Prints in the Dutch
Republic*

— August 25 thru December 17

Link Art Gallery
132 S. Central Ave.
Paris, Illinois
(217) 466-8130

*2nd Annual Painting the Prairie
Juried Exhibition*

— thru June 10

*Works by Members of River City
Art Association*

— June 17 thru July 15

Giertz Gallery
at Parkland College
2400 W. Bradley Ave.
Champaign, Illinois
(217) 351-2485

*Beneath a Summer Sky:
Watercolors by Carol Carter*

— June 6 thru July 28

Swope Art Museum
25 South 7th Street
Terre Haute, IN 47807
(812) 238-1676

Leroy Neiman's Indy 500

— thru June 20

Living with Art: King and Lamis

— thru June 27

Falling Light: John Rosenthal

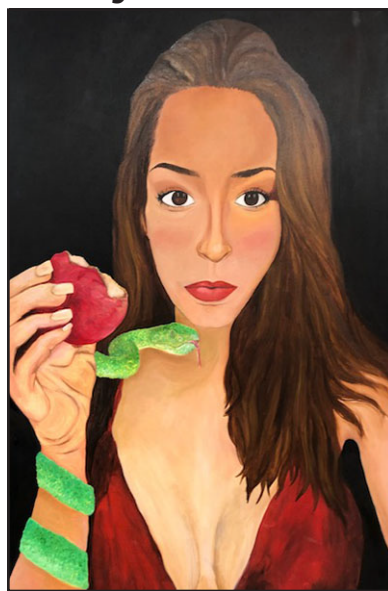
— June 3 thru July 17

Tarble Art Center
9th Street at Cleveland Ave.
Charleston, Illinois
(217) 581-2787

Art from Here

— thru June 24

Gallery exhibit



The Paul Brumaghim gallery will feature a special portrait exhibit in July and August.

All local artists are invited to bring in portraits of people or pets for the July/August Gallery Show.

Bring in your creations on Friday, July 1 from 5 to 7 p.m. A form for you to sign will be provided at that time. We will also accept pieces by appointment if you are not available on July 1st. Pick up your pieces on Saturday, July 30 during our open hours. Portraits may be in any media and they may be priced to sale.



Garage sale

Thanks to generous donations by our members and friends, the Art League had another successful garage sale!

We were able to raise \$418.25 to help with our operations.

A big thanks to everyone who donated, everyone who helped organize, clean and work the day of the sale. You make everything we do possible!

Free Saturday workshops



There will be no free Saturday workshop in June. Everyone is invited to the Golden Art Products workshop instead.

Saturday, July 2 at 9:00 a.m. (Danville time), Art League members are invited to Eleanor Wesch's Coloring Studio. Eleanor's garden and farmland will be available for plein air painting or you may wish to paint in Eleanor's studio (shown above). Bring your own lunch, your favorite art supplies and enjoy the beauty of summer country living! Please sign up at the Art League. We will email directions for anyone who needs them.

Carol will be on vacation Saturday, August 6 but she is planning something special for the September 3rd free workshop.

Watch for an email in August!

Open studio for all members



Every Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. a group of Art League artists meet to work together in the basement.

All members are invited to join us. Each artist will have a table to work from. Bring your own projects and materials. There is no cost and critiques are free.

Enter our Arts in the Park booth for Art League members

Arts in the Park is scheduled for the weekend of June 25 & 26 this year. The Art League will once again have a booth at the festival.

You may have up to five entries this year. The fee for the first entry is \$15 and \$5 for each additional entry. A discount of \$5 for the first entry will be given to participants who volunteer. We accept two and three dimensional art for the booth. Works should also be priced for sale.

Please remember that entries must be original works of art and must not have been entered in Arts in the Park previously. Please have all works wired for hanging!!! We have a size limit of 36" wide to accommodate our exhibit panels.

Awards include: Best of Show - \$100; 1st place: \$40, 2nd place: \$30 in seven categories.

Categories are: oil/acrylic, water-media, drawing, digital media/photography, woodcarving, mixed



The Art League's booth at Arts in the Park has been in a nice shady spot and has been very well attended.

media/other (no crafts) and sculpture/ceramics.

We will not have to set up tents this year, but, as always, we need volunteers to help set up the panels

in the tent, man the booths and take down at the end of the show.

There will be a sign-up sheet for volunteers when you bring your entries to the tents.

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ARTS IN THE PARK

Drop off entries at our tent Saturday morning 8-9 a.m.

I am entering the following works:

Category	Title	Price
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____

I will volunteer the following times (\$5 discount for volunteering):

Friday setup _____ Saturday, June 25 _____ Sunday, June 26 _____ for an hour _____ (time)

Fee is \$15 for the first entry (\$5 discount for volunteering). \$5 for each additional entry, up to 5 entries total. Size limit: 36 inches wide. A commission of 15% will gladly be accepted for any sales from the show.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____

Sharon Schmitz Regional Open Art Competition



Judge Lisa Costello, gallery director from Parkland College was the judge for our Sharon Schmitz Regional Open Art Competition this year.

We had a nice crowd for her critique and the reception on Saturday, May 7.

The following artists received awards: Oil/Acrylic: **Gail Morrison** - 1st Place, **Lori Leonard** - 2nd Place, **Michaela Gomez** - 3rd Place. Watermedia: **Carol Garver** - 1st Place, **Dorothy Fava** - 2nd Place, **Rebecca S. Schlecht** - 3rd Place. Drawing: **Sabrina Donnelly** - 1st Place, **Kolleen Asaad** - 2nd Place, **Gibson Nickle** - 3rd Place. Digital Media/Photography: **Michael Holtz** - 1st Place, **Leslie Woodrum** - 2nd Place, **Steve Smith** - 3rd Place. Mixed Media/Other: **Greg & Maridale Palmer** - 1st Place, **Sue Moudy** - 2nd Place, **Sherry Cannon** - 3rd Place. Sculpture/ Ceramics: **Jim Sheehan** - 1st Place, **Bruce Boersma** - 2nd Place, **Whitney Carpenter** - 3rd Place. Woodworking: **Curt Rush** - 1st Place, **John Sleva** - 2nd Place, **Jim Van Duyn** - 3rd Place.

Congratulations to **Bonnie Bodensteiner** for her Best of Show award.

Late Bloomers



The Late Bloomers class is for anyone interested in art. The class is especially for retired people who want to learn about and do art. This class is for you if you have always wanted to be an artist, but just didn't know how to get started. Also, questions are welcome!

The class starts on Tuesday, June 7 and goes for 8 weeks. Time is from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Cost is \$60 and all supplies are provided.

Class members from the last session say that they have had a blast learning and doing the projects!

Children's Summer activities

Art Factory – **Eileen Dunavan** will teach two mini camps this summer for children entering 1st to 6th grades. Eileen has fun and interesting art activities planned. Time and dates are below. Cost is \$50.

Art Factory One – June 20-23 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Art Factory Two – June 27-30 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

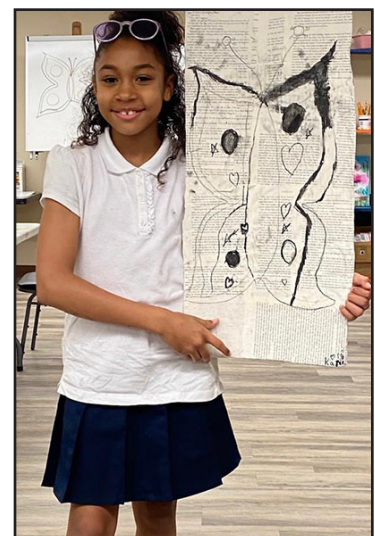
Advanced Art Class for teens – We don't want to leave out our talented teenagers in our Art League summer activities. There are many teens that have gone to our summer camps or taken art classes, and we have a class just for you this summer.

Multi-generational jewelry making class



Mothers, daughters, sons, grandmas...you are all welcome to come to the Art League and work together making beautiful jewelry. We will use acrylic skins to make necklaces and polymer clay canes to make other items. All supplies will be provided. The class is free but donations will be accepted.

This class will be held Saturday, July 16 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.



The teen class starts Monday, June 6 from 4 to 5:30 p.m. **Eileen Dunavan** will teach the eight week class for teens. Cost is \$50.

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☐ New Member

☐ Renewal

☐ Supporting Patron
(\$55.00 minimum)

☐ Patron \$40.00

☐ Family \$30.00

☐ Individual \$25.00

☐ Student \$10.00 (with ID)

Name _____

☐ Check box if a current member and all information is the same.

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____

E-mail address _____

**Make check
payable &
send to:** Danville Art League
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Annual Contributing Membership Form

Membership is January 1 - December 31.
New members who join after October 1 will have
memberships extended through the next year.

***Classes or other things I would like to
see the Art League offer:***

***We always have volunteer opportunities
available. I would be interested in:***

☐ Manning open studio time

☐ Fundraising

☐ Cleaning

☐ Other: _____

**Arts in the Park
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