

DANVILLE Art League

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

Color Splash parties



January's Color Splash party will be "A Quiet Winter." It is shown above. The instructor will be **Bonnie Bodensteiner**.

This party will be held on Thursday, January 26, from 6 to 8:30 p.m.

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

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.



December's Color Splash party is full, but if you would like to do a truck painting, you're in luck!

February's Color Splash will feature a truck like the one shown above, but will have a year-around theme.

The instructor will be **Carol Garver** for this acrylic painting.

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

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

Holiday closings

The Art League will be closed Thursday, December 22nd through Tuesday, January 3rd.

We will reopen Wednesday, January 4th from 9 a.m. until noon.

We will then resume our schedule of being open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.



Weather closings

In the event that Danville District 118 cancels school because of the weather, the Art League will also be closed. Safety comes first!

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 May, July and September. Meetings in November, January and March are held every second Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

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 2023. 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, \$50/yr patron, \$40/yr family, \$35 yr/individual or \$10/yr student (with ID). Thank you!!!

Volunteering

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

Alcohol inks workshop



Bonnie Bodensteiner will instruct an Alcohol Ink workshop on Saturday, February 11 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Danville Art League.

We will have a pot luck lunch. Meat will be provided. Please bring something to share.

The workshop includes the use of alcohol inks on many different non-porous surfaces. Participants will need to bring a mask (rubbing alcohol used), tight fitting rubber gloves and an apron. The class is limited to 12 participants.

Class fee is \$50 for members and \$55 for non-members.



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.

Classes are held on Tuesday from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Cost is \$60 for eight weeks and all supplies are provided.

Felt workshop



Teresa Campbell will be the instructor for a felt workshop on Saturday, January 28 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Teresa has been a needle felting artist since her first project in 2007. It's one of many art mediums she enjoys.

Needle felting is the art of binding wool fibers to create new shapes and textures. In her class you'll learn the origin of "felt," differences in fibers, needles to use and other types of felting. You'll make a heart shaped felted Valentine that you can decorate to your liking.

Kits with all supplies are provided. Class size is limited to 15 students.

Cost is \$30, plus a \$10 kit fee - which is yours to keep.



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 P.O. Box 772.

Area Exhibitions

Cinema Gallery
120 W. Main
Urbana, Illinois
(217) 367-3711

— coming soon

A show of vintage paintings and studio furniture from local estates featuring work by: George Foster, Frank Gallo, Tom Skaggs, Bonnie Switzer and Louise Woodroffe

Krannert Art Museum

500 East Peabody
Champaign, Illinois

Well-designed Beauty: Trade, Technology, and Decorative Arts

— thru May 13, 2023

Pattern and Process

— Feb. 2 thru December 22, 2023

Link Art Gallery

132 S. Central Ave.
Paris, Illinois

(217) 466-8130

Family: Works by the Glosser Family

— thru December 30

Giertz Gallery

at Parkland College
2400 W. Bradley Ave.
Champaign, Illinois

(217) 351-2485

In Blackest Shade, In Darkest Light

— thru February 18, 2023

Private Domain: Paintings by Virginia Derryberry

— Feb. 27 thru March 28, 2023

Swope Art Museum

25 South 7th Street
Terre Haute, IN 47807

(812) 238-1676

78th Annual Wabash Valley exhibition

— thru January 8, 2023

Tarble Art Center

9th Street at Cleveland Ave.
Charleston, Illinois

(217) 581-2787

To Bear the Mark of Time

— thru January 28, 2023

Children's classes



Children's winter classes will begin soon. The kids love doing the art projects and all art supplies are provided.

To register, phone the Art League and give your name, your child's name and age and your phone number.

Classes will begin Wednesday, January 11 at 4:00 p.m. and will run for 8 weeks, until March 1.

Cost for the 8 weeks is \$50.

Thank you members!

We want to thank our members for continuing to support the Art League. Memberships are the backbone of the Art League, and without all of you, we would not be able to carry out the many programs that we offer.

After many years, we have to raise our Danville Art League membership fees by \$10. Our utility costs have gone up along with other things. The cost is as follows:

Student \$10 (same)

Individual \$35

Family \$40

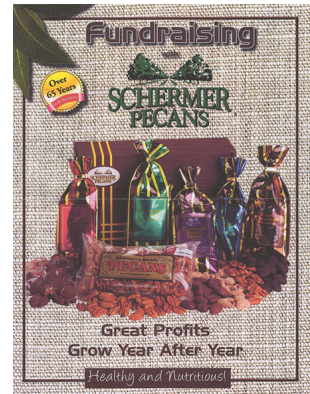
Patron \$50

Supporting Patron (\$55 minimum)

Now for the good news. If you pay your membership fees before January 1, 2023, you can pay the old fees and they are good for the year 2023. After January 1, 2023, the new fees go into effect.

Thank you for your continued support.

Schermer pecans



The Art League is selling Schermer pecans again this year.

We offer mammoth halves, medium pieces, milk chocolate covered, dark chocolate covered, cinnamon glazed and pecan clusters for sale.

All pecans will also be available at the indoor farmers market at First Presbyterian Church (corner of Franklin and North Street) on Saturday, December 3 and February 4, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The following retail friends are also offering our pecans for sale: Beltone Hearing, Catlin Library, Cottage Coiffures, Creative Designs, Custom Care Cleaners, Dwight Alan Salon and Threads of Time.

New members 2022

The Art League has welcomed the following new members this year: **Mary Ann Bates, Ken and Brenda Bell, Jean Bowen, Joshua Brown, Sandy Calhoun, Sherry Cannon, Mary Chambers, Sue Colby, Susan Crane, Zepher Crosby, Linda Curtis, Josh Duffy, Amanda Gaugler, Valorie Hess, Paul and Brianna Hubbard, Jill Palmer, Virginia Pruitt, Mari Alice Reveal, Benjamin Sheehan, Michael Steely, Sylvia Switzer, Mary Wernick, Melanie Long Wrensch and Mary Yates.**

Current gallery exhibit



The Paul Brumaghim gallery currently features a “Starving Artist Sale.” The sale will run through January. This sale features lots of original artwork created by our members. Oil, acrylic and watercolor paintings, drawings, photographs, jewelry, gift cards, leaf castings and many art prints are some of the many works available. There’s lots to see and many great gift ideas!

The Art League Board will be hosting an Open House for members and the public on Saturday, December 3 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

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Gallery exhibit for February



The Paul Brumaghim will feature work from upcoming artists from our local high school and middle school students. This exhibit will also include the student’s work from the Art League children’s classes.

An Open House will be held on Saturday, February 18 from 1 to 3 p.m.

The Pottery Club



The Pottery Club meets several times a month and always on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of every month, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

If you are an Art League member the class cost is \$5.00 per session and \$7.00 for non-member. We have all the supplies you will need including clay, tools and glazes which you can purchase as you need it. **Jim Sheehan** and **Sue Moudy** are your instructors.