



NEWSLETTER

Blackstone Valley Art Association

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MEETING

The next meeting of the BVAA will be held on Monday, March 19, 1990 at the Uxbridge Grange Hall on Blackstone Street in Uxbridge. President E. Rothene Hiscock will call the meeting to order promptly at 7:30 P.M.

GUEST, MARGARET CASSIDY, SCULPTRESS

Our Guest for the evening will be Margaret Cassidy, Sculptress. Margaret, a native of Uxbridge, graduated from Framingham State College and holds a Masters Degree from the University of Massachusetts in Amherst. She did graduate work in Art at Smith College, and received a 3 year Fellowship to study in Florence, Italy as an assistant to renowned Sculptor, Antonio Berti. A member of Rockport and North Shore Art Associations, among others, she has taught art at the College Level, and maintains studios in New York and Rockport with her husband, John Manship. Her sculptures are on display at numerous churches, museums, and locally at St. Mary's Cemetery in Uxbridge.

SPRING FESTIVAL

The dates for the Annual Spring Festival are April 15 through April 20, and the exhibit will be held again this year at the Blackstone-Millville Regional Junior-Senior High School on Lincoln Street, Blackstone, MA. Sign-up sheets will be circulated at the meeting for Hosts/Hostesses, Demonstrators, and Refreshments. Members who have students, who wish to enter the student exhibit should contact Jeanne Gould for the forms. The adult forms are enclosed and should be returned promptly along with your entry fee. The deadline will be honored and anyone not returning their forms by the cut-off date will not be allowed to exhibit.

OF NEWS

One of our newest members Lavonne Suwalski has become a member of the Copley Society in Boston. Lavonne had a solo exhibit at the Clark University in Worcester in May. Had a solo exhibit in the Framingham Public Library the first two weeks in January and had some paintings in the Opening Exhibit in the Gilman Room at the Holliston Public Library in November. Lavonne is Art Instructor in the Holliston Public Schools. Congratulations for all the good work, Lavonne. We are glad to have you with us.

INVITATION

Angelina Wood is inviting the members of the Blackstone Valley Art Association to attend a reception celebrating the formal opening of the new Woodshed Art Gallery, Sunday April 1, 1990 from 12 noon until 5 p.m. Hosted by BVAA member Angelina Wood, the reception takes place at the 1243 Pond Street location of the Woodshed frame shop in Franklin. Refreshments will be served and music is planned. Members should know that future programs for the new gallery include the exhibition of works by various invited members of the BVAA.

The Art Festival is funded in part by the Massachusetts Arts Lottery, as administered by the Blackstone, Uxbridge, and Millville Arts Lottery councils.

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