



## We're off to a Great Start!

Welcome Fellow Artists –

Our attendance at the September meeting, 22 members, was the most we've seen in awhile. We have a record 25 paid members so far, too, with several new members!

Our web site, [www.bvaa.org](http://www.bvaa.org), has gone through a major revamping thanks to the efforts of Ria Hills. Our online member gallery is now a reality, so if you haven't submitted your work to be included, now's the time to do it. Part of our web site is an exclusive "members only" section for special announcements and other events, etc.

There are lots of exhibit opportunities coming up, too, both through efforts of Martha Wetzel and the BV Chamber of Commerce and area businesses in conjunction with the BVAA. We greatly appreciate those who have come forward so far to take on responsibilities and projects that they hold dear and have contributed so much to revitalizing the BVAA. We encourage members as well to attend one of our BVAA Board Meetings to submit any additional ideas to help build visibility and momentum further for our association.

The membership deadline for the 2004-2005 year will soon be upon us, so if you haven't paid, please do it today and take advantage of the perks of being a BVAA member. We are including another membership application form, and we strongly urge those of you who have not joined as of yet to complete this form and pay your dues via mail as soon as possible so that we will be able to hand out a comprehensive member directory to you at the November meeting (this will help those of you who wish to network and get together for plein air outings or carpooling to meetings).

I am proud to be a part of this and look forward to seeing you at the next meeting! Enjoy the newsletter and hope to see you at the next meeting. Art is ALIVE!

Sincerely –

Lori Grady

BVAA Vice President

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### Bulletin Board

#### ◆ Watercolor Painting Demonstration

**Date:** Monday, Nov. 15th

**Time:** 7 – 9 pm

**Location:**

Congregational Church  
Community Hall  
Court Street (behind the  
commons at the  
intersection of Rte. 16 and  
122) - Uxbridge, MA

**Bob Jorgensen**, of Ashland MA, will demonstrate a coastal landscape or wildlife painting in watercolors. A longtime commercial artist and high school art teacher, Bob is a signature member of the New England, North East, and Rhode Island Watercolor Societies. Winner of numerous awards, Bob is best known for his intimate wildlife paintings which are shown and collected throughout the US and Canada. He has been published in *Wildlife Art* magazine, and is listed in "Who's Who in American Art". He is an artist member and officer at several art organizations including the Allied Artists of America, Hudson Valley Art Association, American Art Professional League, Academic Artists, Audubon Artists, and both the North Shore and Concord Art Associations.

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## BVAA 2004 – 2005 Calendar

**Nov 15** - CLUB MEETING

**Bob Jorgensen** Watercolor Demonstration.

**Dec 13** – BOARD MEETING at 7 pm at the Papa Gino's in Uxbridge (Victory Plaza) for a Pizza Board Meeting. Members are welcome.

**JAN 16** - CLUB MEETING AT 2 PM

Arts and Entertainment Lawyer **David Spatt** Presentation – Artist licensing and copyright - how to protect your work and rights, and how to maximize your earnings from your work through smart licensing, and more.

**Feb 21** - BOARD MEETING at 7 pm at the Papa Gino's in Uxbridge (Victory Plaza) for a Pizza Board Meeting. Members are welcome.

**March 21** - CLUB MEETING

Speaker/Demonstrator TBA.

**April 15-17** - 47th Annual BVAA Art Show & Sale at the Community Hall on the Uxbridge Commons, Uxbridge, MA.

**April 18** – BOARD MEETING at 7 pm at the Papa Gino's in Uxbridge (Victory Plaza) for a Pizza Board Meeting. Members are welcome.

**May 16** - CLUB MEETING

ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS,  
Speaker/Demonstrator TBA.

**June 18** - Art in the Garden 2005 at Tapestry Gardens on Rivulet Street in Uxbridge, MA.

### Final Notice for BVAA Membership Dues

*Don't be left out.* Please mail your check of \$25 by December 31st to the BVAA, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Attention: Carol Lipsett

## BVAA News and Opportunities

Congratulations to several of our members for receiving awards in this year's Franklin Art Association Fall Show held on October 30th. Awards include **Ray Andreotti** - Best in Show for his watercolor painting, **Rick Cardoza** - 1<sup>st</sup> Place in Pastels and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Drawing, **Karen Pendleton** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Drawing and Honorable Mention in Photography, and **Ria Hills** - Honorable Mention in Pastels.

**Artisans Day at the Bernat Mill Complex.** Saturday, Dec. 11th. Featuring works of all media for sale. BVAA are encouraged to participate and setup a table or bin of their work free of charge. For more information, contact Joel Delorey at The Millworks Gallery/Visiting Artists Studios at the Bernat Mill complex - 19 Depot Street Uxbridge MA. 508 278-0553.

**BVAA Members Show at the Millworks Gallery and Visiting Artists Studios!** Show will run from Dec.20th -Jan.10<sup>th</sup>. Opening Reception to be held on the 20th from 6-9pm. Each BVAA member can submit up to 3 pieces by Dec. 10th. Open to both 3D and 2D works no bigger than 30"x30". 2D pieces need ready to hang with wire. Include personal info on the back of work -name, phone, title, price etc. A 20% fee will be taken on all pieces sold in support of the Uxbridge Public Schools through the Gallery. For more information, contact Joel Delorey at The Millworks Gallery/Visiting Artists Studios at the Bernat Mill complex - 19 Depot Street Uxbridge MA. 508 278-0553.

### *Help us to keep our member better informed.*

We welcome any news of your activities and artistic accomplishments plus any information you'd like to pass along to your fellow artists about upcoming exhibition opportunities, workshops, and events, etc. Please contact the Editor: Rick Cardoza, [REDACTED]