



Newnan Coweta Arts Association

March 2021 Newsletter

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President's Message

Margo Merrifield

We are starting to see some “spring-like” days, which almost makes me want to garden. Although, I know as soon as those young plants get into the ground, another cold spell will be upon us.

Thinking about future events for NCAA in these uncertain “covid” days is remarkably similar. We would love to plan for events, such as the Christmas Market, but not knowing what type of social distancing will be required makes us hesitant to do so. Most of the board members would prefer to take caution in our planning right now. Hopefully, in a few months, the situation will change.

We do have at least one outdoor event to mention (check it out below). Also, our virtual galleries have been a big hit for many of our artists. The NCAA board is excited that many of you have renewed your memberships and are supporting our scholarship goals by taking part in our virtual galleries.

Getting back to our normal operations may take a while yet. However, we will continue to have our zoom member meetings (March 18th, April 15th, May 20th, and so on). As soon as we can feel comfortable meeting in person you will be notified.

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NEWNAN - COWETA ART ASSOCIATION

Is pleased to announce our



First Virtual
Juried Art
Show
Spring

OPENING
April 1,
2021

Entry Deadline

March 5, 2021!

The online Juried Art Show competition is open to members only!

Painting . Mixed Media . Photography . Sculpture/Ceramics . Drawing/Pastels

We invite all members to submit digital images of their artwork for the first NCAA Virtual Juried Art Show. This is a unique opportunity to exhibit work in a stunning online gallery. We began these virtual exhibits, to continue what Covid threatened to stop. Since we cannot have an in-person competition right now, we are holding the JAS virtually.

**DEADLINE
COUNTDOWN
STARTS NOW!**

For information and **ENTRY FORM**, visit:

<https://www.newcaa.com/ncaa-first-virtual-gallery/>

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Visit our Facebook page at: *Newnan Coweta Art Association*

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Take a peek at a past gallery:

<https://publish.exhibbit.com/gallery/305834975/marble-gallery-42698/>

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TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP AND JOIN THIS EXCITING JURIED SHOW, CLICK HER

<https://www.newcaa.com/join-ncaa/>

The NCAA reserves the right to use all artwork accepted for the exhibitions, for publicity purposes only.

Happy Valley Studio Presents

Spring Art Show Around The Pond

April 24, 2021

9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

260 Lamar Smith Drive.
Newnan, GA 30263

ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY April 17, 2021
LOOKING FOR ARTISTS and CRAFTSMANS TO EXHIBIT
AROUND OUR POND.

\$40.00 ENTRANCE FEE

All Sales are your own (\$0 Commission).

We can accommodate up to 50 spaces (10' x 10')
for Artists, Craftsman and Food Vendors
First Come, First Served.

Contact Alicia Rainwater at 404-610-3164

You have to be set up by 9 a.m. Can set up on Friday, April 23rd.



Newnan Coweta Magazine Covers NCAA Member's and Other's Art.

Check out the March/April edition of Newnan Coweta Magazine, which features a cover story on metalsmith and NCAA member Michael Sebacher, as well as an article on Brian Colin's online art and an interesting letter from the editor titled "Art to Forget, Tech to Transform." You can read it at www.newnancowetamagazine.com.

Sharpsburg Historical Art Project Opportunity

Sharpsburg will be celebrating its 150th anniversary in December 2021. The Mayor has contacted us to see if any of our members would like to come sift through some great objects recently unearthed in the town. This is a great opportunity to use found objects in sculpture, collage, or other art forms. Please contact Margo Merrifield at margoj.merrifield@gmail.com if you are interested.

Virtual Art Gallery Going Strong!

Please visit our February Virtual Art Gallery at <https://publish.exhibit.com/gallery/305834975/marble-gallery-42698/> and remember to check back each month for a new Gallery. Don't forget this is a great opportunity for members to support our scholarship efforts and get their works out to the public during this unusual time of limited in-person shows. Please contact Beth Snipes at bsnipesatl@gmail.com for submission information.

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