Due to the rapidly changing conditions of the COVID-19 emergency, our schedule may change. The safety of our members, staff and visitors is our first priority. Please check back for details.

2020 prospectus at a glance . . .

**Studio & Front Gallery Showrooms All season long!**

**Exhibition 1**
May 9 - May 23 • Artist Members & New Artist Members - Non-Juried **CANCELED**

**Associate Members Show 1**
May 9 - May 23 • Assoc. Members - Non-Juried **CANCELED**

**Susan Drennan Solo Show**
May 27 - June 13 Gordon Grant Room **To Be Rescheduled**

**Jim Murphy Solo Show**
May 27 - June 13 Hallway Gallery **To Be Rescheduled**

**Exhibition 2**
May 30 - June 13 • Artist Members - Juried **CANCELED**

**Exhibition 3**
June 20 - July 18 • Artist Members - Juried

**Annual Fine Art Auction**
July 18 **CANCELED**

**Exhibition 4**
July 25 - August 22 • Artist Members - Juried

**Associate Members Show 2**
July 25 - August 22 • Assoc. Members - Non-Juried

**Annual Meeting**
August 16 (3 - 5 pm)

**Susan Hedman Solo Show**
August 26 - September 10 Gordon Grant Room

**Eileen Patton Oliver Solo Show**
August 26 - September 10 Hallway Gallery

**Exhibition 5**
August 29 - September 26 • Artist Members - Juried

**Andrew Menna Retrospective**
September 13 - September 28 Gordon Grant Room

**Mary Ellen Brown Solo Show**
September 13 - September 28 Hallway Gallery

and so it goes . . .
September 30 - October 24 • Artist & Associate Members

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**2020 jury . . .**

**Exhibition Jury**
Dale Sherman Blodget
Jim Daly
Shelly Eager
Bonnie Gray
Susan Guest-McPhail
Marion Hall
Nella Lush
Carmela Martin
David Neill
Tim Neill
Kathy Staab
Ron Straka
Christine Whalen-Waller
Heidi Caswell Zander

**New Member Jury**
Steve Lush
Judythe Meagher
Judy Metcalfe
Leigh Slingluff
Peter Tysver
Charles Shurcliff
Andrea van Gestel

**Alternates:**
Joan Bediz
Karl Frank
Anita Johnson
Dolores Reid

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Exhibition 1 CANCELED
***Works are being accepted for posting on our website. Please see page 4 of this prospectus for instructions.
May 9 - May 23 ~ Artist Members & New Artist Members - Non-Juried (Submit one work)
Reception - There will be no reception for this exhibition.
Receiving May 1, 2 & 3 - Pick-up May 24 & 25

Exhibition 2 CANCELED
May 30 - June 13 ~ Artist Members - Juried
Reception Sunday, May 31 (2 - 4pm)
Receiving May 24 & 25 - Pick-up June 14 & 15

Awards
Vermont Community Foundation
Alden Bryan Memorial Award and Medal $1,000
Traditional Landscape in Oil
Marguerite Phillips Neuhauser Shafer Memorial Award $500
Representational Oil Painting of/from East Gloucester, Rocky Neck, the Working Waterfront or The Fort
BankGloucester Award $500
Paul Strisik Memorial Award $350
Excellence in Traditional Landscape or Sea Related Subject
Harold Rotenberg Memorial Award $200
For Innovation in Painting
Lazare Barth Memorial Award $100
For New Artist Member
Cheap Joe’s Art Stuff $150
Gift Certificate
Blick Art Materials Award $100
Gift Certificate
Guerilla Painter Award Certificate $80
For Artist Member Working in Plein Air Tradition
Art Supplies Wholesale $50
Gift Certificate
Popular Award $50
Showroom Gallery Honorable Mention

Exhibition 3 Small Works
June 20 - July 18 ~ Artist Members - Juried
Reception Sunday, July 5 (2 - 4pm)
Receiving June 14 & 15 - Pick-up July 19 & 20

Awards
Rosamond Smith Bouve Memorial Award $500
In memory of Rosamond Wilder Smith Bouve Traditional Portrait/Cityscape/Urban Scene
Charles Syvertsen Memorial Award $250
Given by Tom and Gloria Nicholas Excellence in Watercolor
Institution For Savings Award $250
Excellence in Any Medium
Howard Curtis Memorial Award $100
Excellence in Marine Painting
Guerilla Painter Award Gift Certificate $130
Artist Member Working in Plein Air Tradition
H.K. Holbein, Inc. $175 (value)
Artist Materials-Watercolors
Terry Ludwig Pastels $160
Gift Certificate for Excellence in Pastel
Cheslie D’Andrea Memorial Award $100
Excellence in Oil Painting
Art Supplies Wholesale Award $50
Gift Certificate
Popular Award $50
Showroom Gallery Honorable Mention

Annual Fundraising Auction • July 18th CANCELED
This is the major fundraising event for NSAA!
Thank you to those who so generously contributed to the success of our 2019 auction with your art, your volunteer efforts and your donations!

Call for New Artist Members . . .
September 21 Deadline for Application and Artwork • Sept. 22 Jury Convenes • Sept. 23 Pick-up of works
Application and instructions for Artist Member consideration is now available on our website by visiting:
www.nsarts.org/membership.html. Please contact the gallery if you prefer to have the information mailed to you: 978.283.1857 or arts@nsarts.org.

Please note . . . Potential new members are chosen solely on the basis of their artistic ability; the process is completely anonymous. The jury is given no information in regard to the identity or credentials of the artist applying for membership when they view artwork submissions during the jury process.
It's a great honor for NSAA artists to receive an award at one of our exhibitions. Made possible by contributions from individuals and organizations throughout the state of Massachusetts and beyond, these awards have been created to recognize the achievements of our renowned artists. Many are memorial awards honoring a family member or friend who shared a special love of the arts. Some are given for excellence in a specific medium or discipline, others are open to all media. NSAA's elected artist member jury selects the most deserving artwork and our Donors have the option to attend the awards ceremony and reception to present the award themselves or to have our NSAA President of the Board of Trustees present the award.

**Would you like to fund an award? Questions?**
Please contact the gallery arts@nsarts.org or 978.283.1857

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**Exhibition 4**
July 25 - August 22 ~ Artist Members - Juried
Reception Sunday, August 16 (1 - 3pm Annual Meeting to follow)
Receiving July 19 & 20 - Pick-up August 23 & 24

**Awards**
- Vermont Community Foundation
  - Mary Bryan Memorial Award and Medal **$1000**
    - *Excellence in Watercolor*
- Institution for Savings **$250**
  - *Excellence in Any Medium*
- Carleen Muniz Memorial Award **$250**
- Charles Movalli Memorial Gold Medal **$200**
  - *Excellence in Painting*

**Exhibition 5**
August 29 - September 26 ~ Artist Members - Juried
Reception Sunday, August 30 (2 - 4pm)
Receiving August 23 & 24 - September 27 & 28

**Awards**
- Cape Ann Savings Bank Award **$250**
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- Dominic J. Olivo Memorial Award **$200**
  - *Excellence in Any Medium*
- H.K. Holbein, Inc. **$142 (value)**
  - *Art Materials Award-Oils*
- The Artist's Family and Friends Award **$100**
  - *In Honor of Loved Ones Who Support the Artist*
- Georgianna Waterhouse Memorial Award **$100**
  - *Excellence in Painting*
- Robert Stefani Memorial Award **$100**
  - *Excellence in Any Medium*
- Gamblin Art Colors Award **$150 (value)**
  - *Merchandise Award*
- Jack Richeson & Co., Inc. **$125**
  - *Gift Certificate*
- Art Supplies Wholesale **$50**
  - *Gift Certificate*
- Popular Award **$50**
  - *Showroom Honorable Mention*
• Exhibition Policy
Work must be recent and never previously exhibited at NSAA. Original work only. Hand pulled works from etching plates are acceptable. No wet paint, digital images, prints, giclee prints, class work, copies or likenesses of another’s painting, drawing or photograph are acceptable. Two works may be submitted for juried exhibitions. One work may be submitted for non-juried exhibitions. However, the Jury has discretion and only one work may be accepted due to our large membership and number of submissions. All work is hung at the discretion of the Arts and Exhibitions Committee. To protect the integrity of our exhibitions and out of respect for the other Artist Members, no artwork shall be repositioned once it is hung or removed completely from any exhibition. Artwork accepted for exhibiting cannot exceed 56” (24” for small works show) in width including the frame. Photographs, painted over photographs or giclées will not be accepted. *Dues must be current to exhibit.*

• Awards
An award *may be forfeited* if the recipient or recipient’s representative is not present to receive the award at the awards ceremony.

• Pricing
Prices may not be changed once they have been listed in the Exhibition Listing. “Not for Sale” or “Price on Request” works will not be accepted.

• Commissions
A commission of 33% will be retained by NSAA for all works sold (40% for solo/small group shows). A 15% commission is requested on referrals on any sale made as a direct result of NSAA staff efforts. Sales IRS/state reporting is the sole responsibility of the member.

• Right to Reproduce Artwork
NSAA assumes the right to photograph any work accepted into an Exhibition for catalogs, website listing or other publicity purposes. Submission of artwork to NSAA shall be understood as an agreement of the artist to these conditions.

• Exhibition Labeling
Please fill out the 3-part labels and attach on back left-hand upper corner of artwork at the time of delivery. Please do not separate the sections of the labels. Labels will be available at the NSAA gallery and online www.nsarts.org/exhibitions.html.

• Miniature Showcase, Studio Showroom and Front Gallery Showroom

Acceptance of works is as space allows. Miniature Showcase: NSAA will accept two original works per artist, any medium, not exceeding 8” x 10” including frame. Studio Showroom: NSAA will accept two original works per artist, not exceeding 20” x 24” including frame. Front Gallery Showroom: Work should not exceed 56” wide and will be accepted as space allows. Shrink-Wrap: Up to four shrink-wrapped pieces will be accepted. Mediums include original watercolors, acrylics, graphics or oil on panels, size should not exceed 30” x 38” including mat. Mats must be clean. Shrink-wrapped work must be secure and carefully finished. Please use white exhibition labels for your submissions. All submissions are at the discretion of the Gallery Director.

• Cards
This category can be postcards, notecards and creative items upon approval. A limit of 12 cards for local artists, and 24 cards for our long-distance members will be accepted. Each item should be retail priced by the artist. *The Artist will receive 50% of retail price within 30 days of receipt of invoice.*

• Online Gallery  *NEW!*
Works (1) submitted to all exhibitions will be eligible for posting and available for sale online. Images must be “upload ready”. Your file must be jpeg format, 1MB or less, cropped (no frame - image only) and color corrected if necessary. Your jpeg file should be named in the following format: *ArtistName_Title_medium_size_price_framed.jpg  Unframed pieces are allowed. If it is not framed please put unframed in the file name.* Please email images to: gallery@nsarts.org. NSAA will advise on shipping and/or pick-up of works sold. Opening online May 9th.

• Biographies
All NSAA Artist Members who do not have a website should provide an updated biography, with a photo if possible. Your biographies serve as a valuable resource for both the sales staff and NSAA visitors interested in the purchase of artwork.

• Storage
Members who live out of state may store their work for the season’s exhibitions. Please contact the Gallery Director for details. Fees may apply. Works left in storage without making prior arrangements may incur a fee of $1 per day per piece.

• Shipped Paintings Accepted
Artwork may be shipped prepaid to NSAA. Arrangements for pick-up and/or return shipping and insurance is the sole responsibility of the artist.

• Liability
Every reasonable care will be exercised in the handling and storage of artworks. However, NSAA will not be responsible for loss or damage to works. Submission implies agreement with these conditions.