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CCAA's First Paint Party was a Big Sucess! Painters and Diners Help Support Scholarships

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On January 9, 2017, 16 artists participated in our first Paint Party to raise awareness



and funds for the CCAA Arts Scholarship Program. The theme was chosen by each artist, based on their own inspirational or motivational quote. Lorina Harris with ArtSmart Studio led the project and offered helpful guidance to the painters, who varied in age from young teens through adult. A wide variety of ideas and designs were depicted in acrylic paints with wonderful results!

With the percentage from Boston's dinner receipts, general donations from the restaurant's patrons and the Paint Party participants, a total of \$770 was added to the Scholarship Fund.



Thanks go out to our paint partners, to our friends

and family who joined us for dinner, and to Boston's Restaurant in Waldorf for making the evening an enjoyable and successful event!





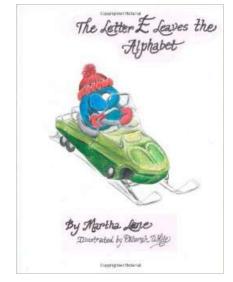








CEAA News



Auditions on March 7 and 8, 7:00 pm for *The Letter E Leaves the Alphabet* Play to be Presented at the Watermelon Festival and ArtsFest 2017

The Charles County Arts Alliance, in co-operation with the Life Journeys Writers Guild and Old Waldorf School Foundation, is sponsoring the production of a play adapted from the children's book, *The Letter E Leaves the Alphabet*. Written by Martha Lane, local Charles County author, the book tells the story of the letter E who runs away from home because he can't be the first letter in the alphabet. E has "one whole night and one whole day" to change his mind and return to the alphabet. If he does not make his decision in time, "every E in every word will fly away like a bird."

The story's themes are endless, teaching through the letter E's adventure, the fun of understanding vowels and consonants and rules for the road of life. These rules range from understanding how to deal with anger, family birth order, not being listened to, getting help in the right place with the right person, the desire and need to be first, forgiveness and loyalty, and, most importantly, it is the knowledge that every man, woman and child is an irreplaceable treasure with a wonderful mission and purpose no one else can accomplish.

Auditions will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, March 7and 8, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at the Old Waldorf School, 3074 Crain Highway, Waldorf, MD 20601. Please be prepared to recite any nursery rhyme from memory. Main rehearsals will be held every Wednesday from March 15 to May 24, 7:00 to 9:00 pm, at Old Waldorf School.

Roles are open, except for the Narrator and the Mother. The director and producer is Robert K. Rausch

Casting for the following roles:

The Letters E, A, B, C, and D (for ages 13 to 21 years)

The Father (age 40+ years)

The Letter Maker (age 40+ years)

Also needed: Stage Manager, Projection Technician and at least one stage hand

The play will be entered into the Watermelon Festival's competition to be held on Friday and Saturday, June 3 and 4, 2017, at St. Mary's College; and also at ArtsFest, to be held on Saturday, June 10, at the La Plata Town Hall. Other performances may be scheduled at a later date.

Please contact the CCAA Office for more information and if you plan to audition. Phone: 301-392-5900, or email: info @charlescountyarts.org.

Thank you!

CCAA News



Arts Alliance is Now Accepting Nominations for 2017 - 2019 Board of Directors

The Charles County Arts Alliance (CCAA) wants you! Deadline to Apply is March 15, 2017

Elections will be Held on Saturday, May 13, 2017

If you are a leader and want to help promote the arts in our county, nominate yourself to serve on the CCAA Board of Directors! CCAA is now accepting self-nominations for the 3 Officers and 9 Directors. The 3 Officers are President, Vice President, and Secretary/Treasurer; all Board positions are volunteer.

Information for Nominations:

- Self-nominations must be submitted by March 15, 2017.
- All nominees must be CCAA current members as of January 1, 2017.
- Please submit a typed brief written statement indicating:
 - 1) why you are interested in serving on the CCAA Board;
 - 2) what specific contribution(s) you wish to make;
 - 3) your qualifications.
- Send the written statement (not to exceed one page) to: info@charlescountyarts.org, with the subject line to read: Nomination for CCAA Board of Directors.

Requirements to be on the Board of Directors:

- Attend monthly Board Meetings (12/year).
- Attend Board Retreats (2/year for full-day meeting), and participate in CCAA-sponsored cultural and membership events throughout the year.
- Serve on an active "hands-on" Board, including as a Chair and/or Committee Member.
- Serve in a volunteer capacity; Board positions are not compensated.
- Become a CCAA Member at the Silver Circle Level or higher by July 1, 2017.

What can you expect after you self-nominate?

- 1. The CCAA will accept all self-nominations via email at info@charlescountyarts.org through the deadline of Wednesday, March 15, 2017.
- 2. All nominations will be considered and those nominees being accepted will be notified and will be expected to attend the CCAA Annual Membership Meeting on Saturday, May 13, 2017, at the Waldorf West Library, 10405 O'Donnell Place, Waldorf, MD.
- 3. Nominations will not be accepted from the floor at this meeting.

Thank you for your consideration!



"Meet the Artists" Reception Honors the Artists in the Winter Art Show at Waldorf West Exhibit Runs Through April 8, 2017





On Saturday, February 4, 2017, the Charles County Arts Alliance held a public reception to recognize all the artists in the current show at Waldorf West. The exhibit displays 63 works of art by 31 artists, including 9 sculptures by Dr. Theresa Alo. This is the 17th art show the Alliance has sponsored at Waldorf West since the Library opened in 2012, and the first show to include 3-dimensional art.



The theme was open to the artists and features works by: Free Akins, Theresa Alo, Cynthia Ruth Bailey, Cindi Barnhart, Mary Blumberg, Benjamin Butler, Suzanne Cassidy, William Cassidy, Sang Jin Choi, Dorothy Crown, Andy Dixon, Cecelia Dunay, Penelope Gold, Sally Goldsmith, Roxana Gonzales, Deborah Harkins, Lonnie Harkins, Chez Jackson,



Gordon Johnson, Alie Badarah Koroma, Ursula Lawrence, Addison N. Likins, Susannah Lynch, Ivette Marcucci, Constance Moore, Nia Olabesi, Nancy Owens, Dianne Shisler, Ernest Sinnes, Joseph Wimberly and David Zippi.

The works are available for purchase; the Library has the contact information for interest buyers. The library is located at 10405 O'Donnell Place, Waldorf. The Library hours are: Monday - Thursday, 9:00 am - 8:00 pm; Friday, 1:00 - 5:00 pm; and Saturday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm.



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At Last!

Three-Dimensional Art is Now On Display at Waldorf West Library by Gale Kladitis, CCAA Vice President and Gallery Committee Chair



Amy Jones, left, and Ashley Teagle admire the display in the new art cabinet.

Thanks to Robert Rausch, President of the Charles County Arts Alliance, and Janet Salazar, Executive Director of the Charles County Public Library, the Waldorf West Library now has a cabinet to display three-dimensional art. This has been a long endeavor and was executed by Ashley Teagle, Manager of the Waldorf West Library, and Amy Jones, Charles County Arts Alliance Board of Directors member.

There are few avenues in Charles County to display three-dimensional art by our local artists. It is hoped this will be the beginning of other partnerships stepping forward with additional areas for threedimensional art exhibits.



Dr. Theresa Alo's clay sculptures are

currently on display through April 8, 2017, in the Waldorf West Library's

cabinet. Please drop by and view this awesome collection. The Library is located at 10405 O'Donnell Place, Waldorf, MD.

If you wish to be considered for display of your **three-dimensional** art in the spring Waldorf West Library show, please see the requirements listed below:

Artwork entries must be submitted electronically as digital images (jpegs) attached to an email sent to waldorfwestgallery@gmail.com. Please reference "Waldorf West Spring Show" in the subject line.

The email must include:

- Artist's name
- Artist's mailing address
- Artist's email address
- Artist's phone number
- Artist's biography (half-page max, in MS-Word)
- Artist's headshot (jpeg)
- Title of artwork
- Medium/materials used
- Size/dimensions
- Year created
- Price, if applicable

Go to http://video.mpt.tv/video/2365947917/ to watch the Maryland Public Television video featuring more of Dr. Alo's works in the Artworks show.

For more information, contact the CCAA Office at 301-392-5900, or info@charlescountyarts.org.







Arts Alliance "Call for Artists" for the Spring Art Show at Waldorf West Library



Deadline to Submit: February 17, 2017 Theme is "Artists Choice"

The Charles County Arts Alliance is now accepting submissions for the Spring Art Show, a multi-media public exhibit, to be held at the Waldorf West Library, 10405 O'Donnell Place, Waldorf, MD, from April 10 to July 8, 2017. The Library consists of four separate gallery spaces on two floors.

Current members of the Charles County Arts Alliance are invited to submit a maximum of two works of 2-dimensional and/or 3-dimensional art on any subject for consideration (there is no submission fee). Nonmembers are encouraged to join and be eligible to submit their art.

Artwork entries must be submitted electronically as digital images (jpegs) attached to an email sent to waldorfwestgallery@gmail.com. Please reference "Waldorf West Spring Show" in the subject line.

The email must include:

- Artist's name
- Artist's mailing address
- Artist's email address
- Artist's phone number
- Artist's biography (half-page max, in MS-Word)
- Artist's headshot (jpeg)
- Title of artwork
- Medium/materials used
- Size/dimensions
- Year created
- Price, if applicable

Arts Alliance members who have previously shown in the gallery are invited to submit new work for consideration. Selections will be made by the Gallery Committee and the artists will be notified by mid-March. All 2-dimensional artwork must be wired and ready to hang at time of delivery.

On Saturday, April 29, 2017, a "Meet the Artists" Public Reception will be held from 2:00 to 4:00 pm, at the Waldorf West Library's Main Gallery, to honor all the artists participating in the spring show.

For more information, contact the CCAA office at 301-392-5900, or info@charlescountyarts.org.

Community Bank of the Chesapeake Waldorf Branch "Call for Artists"



Theme is "Artists Choice" Deadline to Submit: February 17, 2017

Community Bank of the Chesapeake, in partnership with the Charles County Art Alliance, is now accepting submissions for their first-quarter art show in 2017. This is a multi-media exhibit, to be held at the Main Waldorf Branch, 3035 Leonardtown Road, Waldorf, MD, from March 10, to May 26, 2017.

Current members of the Charles County Arts Alliance are invited to submit a maximum of two works of art on any subject for consideration (there is no submission fee). Nonmembers are encouraged to join and be eligible to submit their art.

Artwork entries must be submitted electronically as digital images (jpegs) attached to an email sent to waldorfwestgallery@gmail.com. Please reference "Community Bank Gallery" in the subject line.

The email must include:

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- Artist's name
- Artist's mailing address
- Artist's email address
- Artist's phone number
- Artist's biography (half-page max, in MS-Word)
- Artist's headshot (jpeg)
- Title of artwork
- Medium/materials used
- Size/dimensions
- Year created
- Price, if applicable

The artists will be notified by the beginning of March. All artwork must be wired and ready to hang when delivered to the Bank.

For more information on the gallery, please contact Gale Kladitis at gkladitis@comcast.net.



Charles County Arts Alliance and PNC Foundation Arts Scholarships Are Now Available! Deadline to Apply: March 17, 2017



Each year, the Arts Alliance offers \$1000 scholarships to one eligible graduating student from each of the high schools in Charles County. The funds are to be applied toward tuition in a 4-year college or university to advance the education of the student toward a career in the arts. In addition, the Arts Alliance has partnered with the PNC Foundation to award \$1000 scholarships to three seniors who meet certain financial requirements.

Visit the CCAA website at https://charlescountyarts.org/program/scholarships to download the applications.

For more information, contact the CCAA Office at 301-392-5900, or info@ charlescountyarts.org.

SAVE THE DATE! ArtsFest 2017 is Coming! Saturday, June 10, 11:00 am to 5:00 pm La Plata Town Hall 305 Queen Anne Street



Vendor Registration Forms will be available soon! Watch the Newsflash for more information.





Maryland Arts Day Tuesday, February 14, 2017 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

St. John's College Mellon Hall, Francis Scott Key Auditorium



60 College Avenue, Annapolis, MD

Registration: \$40 per Person February 4 - 10

Registration includes continental breakfast, lunch, parking and free shuttle to St. John's College

Join hundreds of arts advocates in Annapolis as we raise our voices in support of public funding for the arts. This year will be extra special as MCA celebrates its 40th Birthday!

Maryland Arts Day is the largest annual gathering of arts professionals in Maryland. With more than 500 participants, representing every county in the state, this state-wide arts advocacy event connects artists, educators, administrators, volunteers and trustees with lawmakers from every legislative district in Maryland.

Maryland Arts Day needs your participation to show strong support for the arts in Maryland and the impact they have on the economic and cultural vitality of the state.

Agenda:

- 8:15 am Registration and networking breakfast
- 9:00 am Opening remarks and greetings from elected officials
- 9:30 am Sue Hess Maryland Arts Advocate of the Year Award presentation
- 9:45 am Keynote address by John Schratwieser, Executive Director, Maryland Citizens for the Arts
- 10:15 am Budget realities and legislative talking points
- 10:45 am County delegation coordination
- 11:45 am Legislative visits
- 1:00 pm Networking lunch

Go to https://app.etapestry.com/hosted/MarylandCitizensfortheArts/OnlineRegistration.html to register.



Maryland State Arts Council Publishes the Fiscal Year 2016 Annual Report

The full report is available at http://www.msac.org/ sites/default/files/files/MSAC_AnnualReport2016_ ISSUU(1).pdf



A LETTER FROM THE CHAIR AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dear Friends,

Reflecting upon Fiscal Year (FY) 2016, it is clear that the commitment of the Maryland State Arts Council to the statewide arts infrastructure — and the countless arts organizations, artists and communities that it serves to support — is ever stronger.

We would like to acknowledge and thank our Council Members, who as dedicated volunteers work throughout the year to support the arts statewide. Special thanks to Lora Bottinelli, Executive Director of the Ward Museum of Wildfowl Art, Margaret Footner, the Executive Director of the Creative Alliance at The Patterson and Susie Farr for their outstanding contributions as Council Members whose terms have now come to an end.

Across our diverse state, the arts are a vehicle for improving lives, for enhancing senses of place and togetherness, and for equipping Maryland's communities with the tools for innovation and resilience.

Under the valuable leadership of Governor Larry Hogan and First Lady Yumi Hogan, and with the enduring dedication to the arts sector by the Maryland General Assembly, the Arts Council's general fund appropriation for FY 2016 totaled \$16.7 million. It is with much enthusiasm to report that the appropriation for FY 2017 will increase to a record level of \$17.4 million, plus another \$2 million infusion from the Special Fund for the Preservation of Cultural Arts. As Governor Hogan has noted, the arts are at work in Maryland, and the unwavering investment in our arts organizations, artists and communities continues to grow and expand.

Grounded in the Arts Council's strategic plan, Imagine Maryland, an enhanced investment in the Grants for Organizations program provides the foundation for further developing the statewide arts infrastructure through operating funds for non-profit arts organizations and programs. In FY 2016, \$11,813,481 in operating grants was awarded to 276 arts organizations and programs from the Eastern Shore to Mountain Maryland. The arts infrastructure is also bolstered through the Community Arts Development program, which supports our statewide network of 24 local arts councils that, in turn, serve to increase diversity in and access to the arts for all Maryland citizens.

We are pleased to highlight the Arts Council's continued strengthening of Maryland Traditions, a national model for state folk and traditional arts programs. Through research, grants and public programming, Maryland Traditions, and its six regional partners, has been instrumental in safeguarding and promoting Maryland's rich cultural heritage for 15 years.

This annual report is a guide to how the Arts Council ensures that the arts sector continues to thrive. Through key alliances with communities, local arts councils, artists, arts advocates, arts service organizations, schools and other non-profit and for-profit businesses, we are confident that investment in the arts builds economic and cultural viability, laying a path for vibrant and sustainable communities of all sizes as we move forward into the future.







Colvin THERESA COLVIN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Photo by James Kegley.

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Thanks CCAA Members for Your Support!

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CCAA Membership Form



The mission of the Charles County Arts Alliance is to stimulate, promote, encourage and provide recognition of the arts and the creative spirit in Charles County, MD.

100 percent tax-deductible.

Show Your Support for the Arts by Joining the CCAA!

The benefits of CCAA membership last year-round:

- CCAA Arts Insider monthly E-newsletter
- CCAA Arts Newsflash weekly E-update of arts events
- 20% off regular prices on certain items at Hot Licks Guitar Shop in Waldorf
- 10% off custom framing at Bernie's Frame Shop in La Plata
- \$1 discount for each ticket purchased for Port Tobacco Players theatrical productions
 CCAA using privileges
- CCAA voting privileges
- And most importantly, the satisfaction that comes from actively supporting the arts in Charles County!

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Membership Categories (check one):						
	Platinum Circle - \$500	Name (exactly as you want it to appear in print):				
	Gold Circle - \$250					
	Silver Circle - \$150	Organization/Business (if applicable):				
	Arts Patron - \$125					
	Arts Sponsor - \$100					
	Arts Activist - \$75	Add	lress:			
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	Individual - \$30					
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The	CCAA is an IRS 501(c)(3) nonprofit charitable organization.		Evenes committee		Administrative/Office Work Technical/IT Support	
			Charles County Arts Alliance			
All membership dues and donations are		P.O. Box 697, White Plains, MD 20695				

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2016 2017 \square Mon, Jan 9, 4:00 - 9:30 pm Sat, Jul 9, 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm Scholarship Fundraiser and Paint Party Summer Retreat Boston's Restaurant, Waldorf Solomons Landing, Solomons \square Wed, Jan 18, 7:30 – 9:30 pm Tue, Jul 19, 6:30 - 8:30 pm **CCAA Executive Committee Meeting** 'Meet the Artist" Public Reception Pomfret, MD Charles County Commissioners Gallery |Sat, Jan 28, 9:30 am - 4:00 pm Sat, Jul 23, 2:00 – 4:00 pm **CCAA** Winter Retreat "Meet the Artists" Public Reception Solomons Landing, Solomons Waldorf West Library - Main Gallery |Sat, Feb 4, 2:00 - 4:00 pm Thu, Aug 25, 7:30 - 9:30 p, "Meet the Artists" Public Reception **CCAA Board Meeting** Waldorf West Library - Main Gallery United Way House, La Plata Wed, Feb 8, 7:30 – 9:30 pm Wed, Sep 7, 7:00 pm **CCAA Executive Committee Meeting** Mandatory CAD Grant Workshop I Pomfret, MD United Way House, La Plata Tue, Feb 14, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm Sat, Sep 10, 1:00 pm Maryland Arts Day Mandatory CAD Grant Workshop II St. John's College, Annapolis United Way House, La Plata Sat, Mar 11, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm Sat, Sep 10, 2:00 am - 4:00 pm **CCAA Board Meeting CCAA Board Meeting** United Way House, La Plata United Way House, La Plata Sat, Mar 17, Noon Wed - Sun, Sep 15 – 18 Student Scholarship Applications Due **Charles County Fair** CCAA Office Charles County Fairgrounds, La Plata Mon, Mar 20, 4:00 – 9:30 pm Sat, Sep 24, 2:00 - 4:00 pm Scholarship Fundraiser and Paint Party "Meet the Artists" Public Reception Boston's Restaurant, Waldorf Charlotte Hall Veterans Home, Charlotte Hall Sat, Mar 25, 2:00 - 4:00 pm Sat, Oct 1, 2:00 - 4:00 pm "Meet the Artists" Public Reception "Meet the Artists" Public Reception Charlotte Hall Veterans Home, Charlotte Hall Waldorf West Library - Main Gallery Sat, Apr 8, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm Thu, Oct 13, 7:30 - 9:30 pm **CCAA Board Meeting CCAA Board Meeting** United Way House, La Plata United Way House, La Plata Sat, Apr 29, Noon - 4:00 pm Fri, Oct 21, 12:00 noon **Celebrate La Plata!** FY 2017 Grant Applications Due La Plata Town Hall United Way House, La Plata Sat, Apr 29, 2:00 - 4:00 pm Sat, Oct 29, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm "Meet the Artists" Public Reception **CCAA Grant Committee Meeting** Waldorf West Library - Main Gallery United Way House, La Plata Sat, May 13, 2:00 - 4:00 pm Sat, Nov 5, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm **CCAA Annual Membership Meeting CCAA Board Meeting** TBD United Way House, La Plata Thu, Jun 8, 7:00 pm Sat, Nov 19, 6:00 - 10:00 pm **CCAA Board Meeting** CCAA Annual Grantee and Membership Gala La Plata Town Hall **Old Waldorf School** Sat, Jun 10, 11: am - 5:00 pm (Rain Date: Sun, Jun 11) Wed, Dec 7, 7:30 – 9:30 pm ArtsFest 2017 **CCAA Executive Committee Meeting** La Plata Town Hall Pomfret, MD

Note: Dates and times may be subject to change.

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Remember that everyone you meet is afraid of something, loves something, and has lost something.

~ Ħ. Jackson Brown, Jr.



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