



Newsletter

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Manassas Art Guild June Membership Meeting

WHEN: Wednesday, June 18, 2025

WHERE: Burlap and Daisies***
Woodbine Shopping Center
13480 Dumfries Road
Manassas, VA 20112

TIME: 5:30pm – 8:00pm***

*** NOTE NEW LOCATION AND EARLIER TIME

Note from the shop owner of Burlap and Daisies: “Sadly people say they can't find it because they see the Home & Gifts and don't put those two together. (LOL) I also tell everyone we are the Little Shoppe in the Corner!”

MAG had a wonderful critique of art at our May membership meeting. Shared information on composition designs, focal point, values and other design elements.

For the June membership meeting/party, we have 18 peoples signed up for the party, should be lots of fun. This will be our last meeting until September. We are still looking for a spot to host our meetings. There will be no newsletters in July and August and we will start back in September.

The last thing on our calendars is the Bee Festival on Saturday, June 21st. We also need to swap out art at Centerfuse probably at the end of July.

Message from Laura Lavarney

Email: laura.lavarney@comcast.net.

Manassas Art Guild President



SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Wednesday June 18	5:30 pm – 8:00 pm	MAG Membership Meeting ***new location, 1st page of newsletter
Saturday, June 21	8:00 am – 2:00 pm	Bee Festival, Liberia Plantation



Congratulations to artists accepted to the Best of the Region Art Show, Michele Frantz won Honorable Mention.



Shout out!

Please email Maureen Guillot at: mcgva@aol.com with any news you would like to share. It is always inspiring to see what others are up to.



Artist of the Month June

Laura Lavarney

I have always been interested in art. While in the military, I received an Associate degree for art from Los Angeles City Community College in 1983. I went on to get a Bachelor degree in information systems and started working with computers. While raising a family, I had little time for art. I got started in art again when I took a beginner watercolor class from local Manassas artist Michele Frantz. I enjoy painting in watercolor and acrylic and like painting en plein air when I can. I joined the Manassas Art Guild and became very involved. For 13 years I have been the MAG President and prior to that I was the vice-president. I enjoy promoting the arts and working with fellow artist

Manassas City locations where MAG displays:

Jirani Coffee House - 9425 West St, Manassas, VA 20110
Ground Central Station - 9360 Main Street
Art Factory - 9419 Battle Street Open Monday – Saturday 10:00 – 5:00
The Things I Love - 9084 Center
Black Metal Mercantile - 9105 Center Street

AOTM

July: Bethany Richard

August:

September: Maureen Guillot

October:

I need volunteers for AOTM for August. Please contact Laura Lavarney
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