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The Kiosk - April 2011

A newsletter about Peninsula Art Academy
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1600 West Mill Street, PO Box 171, Peninsula, Ohio 44264
www.peninsulaartacademy.com
A 501c (3) non-profit organization promoting the advancement of the arts, by providing educational services in Northeast Ohio.

View our website for classes and workshops. Visit our gallery of original artwork by regional artists, award winning custom picture framing, working artists studios, and the Fiber C.A.F.E. (center for alternative fiber experience).

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We're on FACEBOOK! Join our group here!

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News:

Member Acknowledgments: The Peninsula Art Academy would like welcome new and renewing members Pamela Burda, Barbe Beaty, Bob Zuccarelli and Gwen Waight and Family.

Now open on Wednesdays, and open late till eight on on Wednesday or Thursdays – check the schedule to see when we have classes – we are volunteer run – join us! Anyone knowledgeable with **QuickBooks** and have some time to donate? We need a few lessons. LOL Also looking for **Board Members** and a **new computer**.
NEW! ArtforKids, Summer Camp At PAA - the dates are starting to appear on our calendar pages and also
NEW! Floral Design workshops!

We're on TV!! Kristi Capel and David Moss from Fox8 news tour Peninsula. Ohio. Kristi, learned weaving and glassblowing, at PAA **Thanks Fox8TV!!** The entire program will be shown on TV, Friday April 1 at 10 am. Here's a link for glass, hopefully a weaving link – soon! Glassblowing at PeninsulaArt on Fox8TV
and, remember to vote for PAA on Fox8 Hot List http://ctvr.us/peninsulaart

PAA Travel Show: **where have you been?**

April 2 thru May 8, 2011. Or.. where do you wish you could go? Entries include location works, Plein Aire and virtual travels, in all media. **NEW!** Saturday April 30, 2011, 1pm – Painting demo with **Stephanie Sibits**.
Show at right, St Augustine Charm, $250, N Lanzi.

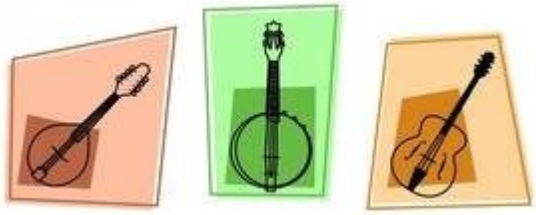
Crooked River Fiber Fling
4-Day Fiber Arts Event in Peninsula, Ohio
Aug 4-7th 2011

Save the date, call to artists and volunteers!
A weekend of fiber-related activities held throughout the Village of Peninsula, August 4-7, 2011.
more info… Crooked River Fiber Fling 2011 flyer or Crooked River Fiber Fling Vendor Registration Form

Monthly Events:

PAA BookClub - Meet monthly, and select books with a theme related to art or craft? We have one group starting Friday mornings at 11 (time is flexible), on the first and third week - are you available at this time? And another group would like an evening, wine and cheese type of event – please help spread the word! Could you be the host/co-host, or do you know someone who could? Sign up PAA BookClub email

FolkNite, April 10, 2011, usually meets the second Sunday of every month, 7:00 – 10:00 PM for a casual acoustic open jam with Greg Canda. We'll have the computer and projector hooked up again so we can all be playing the same music (and singing the same lyrics). If you have something to share, bring it on a USB drive.



Join the list for FolkNite email Or, "just stop in" and share, bring your own food and drinks and enjoy the jam.

BluesNite - Open Jam at PAA – **April 23, 2011, meets** every fourth Saturday from 7ish -11pm (or later!) Walk-ins welcome, no charge. An informal open jam for all levels of musicians interested in playing and learning the blues. Bring your equipment (electric and/or acoustic instruments: guitars, harps, bass, etc) and join in, or sit back, bring your own food and drink, or something to share it you like, browse the gallery exhibits and enjoy the music. In collaboration with local musicians Matt Lerner, Stewart Lenox, and their friends from www.openmicmusic.org

Fiber Café meeting: 10 am, **April 30, 2011**, meets every forth (or fifth?) Saturday. If you would like to share your current project or technique, or are looking for some help with what you are working on, please join us! There are many exciting plans in the works, so please come and share your fiber skills with other fiber arts enthusiasts. Plans for the Crooked River Fiber Fling continue to progress. We have a wonderful line-up of classes with outstanding instructors, enrollment for PAA/Fiber CAFÉ members will begin April 15th, non-members May 15th - follow us at www.fibercafe.org or view *Crooked River Fiber Fling 2011 flyer*

Workshops and Classes:

NEW! If you know the class you want to sign-up for Register on-line here
NEW! We have Pay Pal – just let me know if you prefer Pay Pal, not all classes are set up.

Charge your class fees over the phone! View class details and print your registration forms www.peninsulaartacademy.com or 330-657-2248, or info@peninsulaartacademy.com

Visual Journaling with Kathleen Martin - email Saturday **April 2**, 2011, from 2-5 pm. This workshop will show how to integrate journaling and creative visual techniques to get anyone started towards a more fulfilling visual journaling practice. We'll do writing and art making exercises learning to mix imagery with traditional journaling. $35 or $31 for PAA members. This class is for everyone. No writing or art experience necessary. Registration Form

Soft Pastel Landscape Painting with Margaret Uribe, instructor, phone (330) 867-9267, email This 8 day class will be held on Mondays and Tuesdays for 4 weeks. **April 4th thru April 26th 2011**, from 2pm to 5pm. Soft pastels are a rich pure pigment that incorporates both drawing and painting simultaneously. There will be a demonstration painting done on day one with individual attention and instruction the rest of the days, including basic techniques on underpainting, simplified composition, focal points, and using color value for aerial perspective. Bring your favorite landscape photos that inspire you. www.margareturibe.com Download a supply list HERE**.** $225.00, or $200.00 for PAA members. Registration Form

NEW! Intro to painting, with Nicki Lanzi, Watercolor or Acrylic for beginners planning to take the still life series that starts next week! Wed **April 6,** 6:30 –9pm. 440-526-1614 or email for more info $30 or $27.00 for PAA Members. Register on-line here Bring your painting supplies supply list.

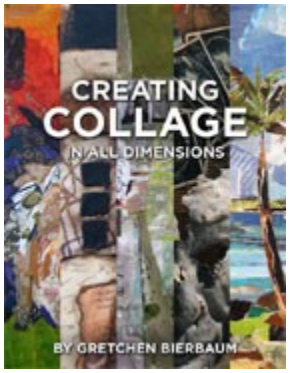
Fused Glass Jewelry with Marianne Hite – Mondays, **April 4 and 11, 2011**, from 6pm-8pm, meets twice. Check our website for additional dates. Contact Marianne 330-414-0385 to select. Glass fusing is the melting together of different pieces of glass that are compatible with each other. Learn to make hanging pendants and/or earrings. We will cover glass cutting, compatibility of glasses, and briefly touch on the firing process. The glass will be fired overnight, then cold worked the following class, and fired again if needed. $55 or $45 for PAA members. Registration Form

Glass Fusing 1 with Marianne Hite, Thursdays, 6pm-9pm, meets four times, **April 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2011**. This class is a beginner's introduction to glass fusing: the melting together of different pieces of glass that are compatible with each other. Make small dishes and tiles. We'll cover glass cutting, compatibility of glasses, and the firing processes. Tools & basic materials supplied; glass must be purchased from the instructor for $40.00 - $100.00 or more depending on the size of each project. Call to select dates 330-414-0385 email $145 or $135 for PAA members, plus cost of glass. Registration Form

NEW! Broken Dishes Mosaic Workshop with Patty Sly, instructor, **Weekday mornings, to be scheduled,** from 10am to 1pm. Call for dates or check the website www.peninsulaartacademy.com
Let's think Spring!!! Come with your broken and well-loved mugs, cups, saucers, and plates. Any pottery that you have been saving because you just can't part with it, yet it has too many cracks and chips to use. We will cut or smash them to re-use and recycle into a new piece of art. You will need to bring your choice of an unglazed flower pot or sanded piece of wood; picture frame, mirror frame or serving tray. The instructor will provide cement and grout and a great time! Come and be inspired to re-think throwing away your favorite plates and mugs. $40 or $36 for PAA members Registration Form

Felted Friends, with Heather Quinones, otigmia@gmail.com Art for Homeschoolers, Tuesday, **April 5th or Thursday April 7th** from 9am- 12noon. Art for Kids; Saturday, **April 23rd** from 1pm - 4pm. Using just water, soap, cords, and fiber we will be creating a slew of felted friends for homeschoolers to incorporate into their imaginative play. Whether it's a fairy or a goblin to be created come and join Heather Quinones for this fun filled workshop. Can't make a Homeschool date? Check out the Saturday ArtforKids classes, $20ea, PAA member $18ea. Registration Form **ages 6-11**

Collage Techniques with Gretchen Bierbaum, Saturday and Sunday **April 9 and 10, 2011**, 10am to 3pm. Based on her new book - "Creating Collage in All Dimensions - Techniques to Alter and Transfer Images", the National Collage Society's new techniques e-book, representing 20 selected instructors from the Signature Members of the collage society. Well-behaved children are invited to sign up with a parent. $100 or $90 for PAA and National Collage Society Members. www.nationalcollage.com 330-657-2248 or email Registration Form



Still Life Series, Watercolor or Acrylic, with Nicki Lanzi, In this class, we will learn how to successfully choose subjects for a composition, and set up a still life. We'll discuss background options, painting style and many tricks of the trade I have learned! Let's spring into Spring, with exciting still life paintings! A 16x20 canvas or a quarter sheet of watercolor paper will be large enough. Drawing skills needed; beginner painters welcome! Wednesday nights, **April 13, 20 and 27, 2011** from 6:30 –9pm. Bring your painting supplies supply list **,** 440-526-1614 or email for more info $90 or $80.00 for PAA Members. Registration Form

NEW! New to painting, or need a refresher - **Intro to painting**, with Nicki Lanzi, Watercolor or Acrylic for beginners planning to take the still life series next week! Wed **April 6,** 6:30 –9pm. $30 or $27.00 for PAA Members. Bring your painting supplies supply list **,** 440-526-1614 or email Register on-line here

NEW! Stained Glass class with Marianne Hite – coming soon! Join the list here stainedglassemail

Captured Crystals Bracelet, Chain Maille with Francine Jablonski, instructor email Wednesday, **April 13, 2011**, from 6p.m. until 8p.m. pm. This workshop will instruct the proper technique to open and close jump rings and demonstrate ring by ring and crystal by crystal how to construct a 7"-8-1/2" bracelet. Students will use aluminum jump rings and Czech crystals supplied by PAA for this workshop. Instructor will provide pliers to borrow or purchase for $6.00/pr. $40.00 or 36.00 for PAA members. Registration Form

Rag Rug Basics with Heather Quinones, Thursday **April 14,** 11am – 3pm. $50, $45 for PAA members. Want another use for those old t-shirts? This class will teach you how to make coasters and runners using braiding and tying techniques used to make rag rugs. You will be able to take these techniques and create a larger rug at home. All materials are included in the cost. Students are welcome to bring their own t-shirts to use during class. Please contact Heather Quinones with any questions. email 330-657-2248 Registration Form

You too can paint, level 2, with Diane Keske Talmadge, Thursdays from 6:30 till 9pm - start time is flexible - **April 14 thru May 19, 2011**. Oil painting series for Advanced Beginners who have taken one of our previous classes or have oil painting experience. We will be painting a variety of subject matter, including still life, room interiors, and landscape, based on class preference. Regular oils or water mixable oil paints are acceptable. Learn to "see" differently to paint the affects of light on the subject to make your painting come to life. Painting series for 6 weeks plus one make-up class if needed. $120, or $110 for PAA Members. Maximum 5 students - lots of personal attention for each painter, and lots of fun too. Open to teens and adults. Contact the instructor 330-576-6836. supply list and Registration Form

Glass Fusing One-day Primer with Marianne Hite, 10am till 2:30pm, Saturday, **April 16 or 30, 2011**. Contact the instructor to select date. Glass fusing is the melting together of different pieces of glass. $75 or $70 for PAA members, plus cost of materials used. Registration required. Learn the basics of glass fusing in a short one-day course to get your feet wet; make small dishes or tiles. We'll cover glass cutting, compatibility of glasses, and firing processes. Contact Marianne 330-414-0385 to select dates. Registration Form

Artist Travel Book, Painting with Nicki Lanzi, Intermediate level class, Watercolor or Acrylic, **April 16**, Saturday 10-3pm. Learn how to capture your favorite scenes from your travels, with quick pen and ink sketches and light washes of color. Work from your favorite travel photos, and keep these small paintings for future painting references or refreshing your travel memories. I will give you tips for painting on site, and recording certain reference information. You can paint on small watercolor tablets if you do not have a hard cover watercolor spiral notebook. Please contact me at email $45.00, or $40.00 for PAA Members. Registration Form

NEW! **Introduction to Painting w/Elinore Korow OWS,** ASA, Thursdays, 1-4pm **April 21 thru June 9, 2011**. Learn to combine mediums and techniques, including oil paints, pastel, oil pastel and watercolor. The combinations are radiant! Work at your own pace and build your skills – from beginner to intermediate. Bring your supplies, whatever you have or there's a list if you want to learn oil pastel - download it here and some reference photos that excite you! A nationally known portrait artist and former designer for American Greetings, Elinore is a graduate of the Cleveland Institute of Art, and currently teaches this class for credit at CIA. Special price for Peninsula Art Academy students! 8-week class is $250 or $225 for PAA members. Registration Form

Wet Felted Bags and More with Heather Quiñones instructor, otigmia@gmail.com **Saturday, April 23, 2011**, from 9am – 12noon. Please register and pay for your classes one week in advance, or call for availability. Wet felting is a wonderful way to explore your creative side. This class will show you how to create a small clutch using merino fiber and some specialty fibers like corn or alpaca. To enhance your designs you will learn how to wet felt 3-d flowers, vines, leaves, etc. Come prepared to get a little wet and soapy! All materials are included in this class. $75 or $65 for PAA members. Registration Form

NEW! **A Tisket a Tasket - Hand-Carfted Grapevine Basket, Floral Design Workshop with Joanne Gabriel of Petals at Ivy Hill.** Learn how to create a basket using a grapevine wreath with loosely woven curly willow and a honeysuckle handle. The rim is enhanced with dried lemon leaf, reindeer moss, mini clay pots, and a few small silk wildflowers. All materials furnished by instructor. **Saturday, April 30, 2011 from 2-4pm**. $45, $40 for PAA members. Bring prunners, wire cutters and a glue gun. Register on-line here

NEW! **Springing into Spring - Wall or Door Accessory, Floral Design workshop with Joanne Gabriel of Petals at Ivy Hill**. Learn how to cover a cone-shaped container with natural green sheet moss. Fill it with an assortment of top quality silk Spring Flowers , Natural Pussy Willow and dried ornamental grass. Basic skills learned are multi-seasonal and your door will say "Hello Spring". All materials furnished by the instructor. **Saturday, May 7, 2011 from 2-4pm**. $40, $36 for PAA Members. Bring wire cutters, scissors and a glue gun. Register on-line here

NEW! A Pot of Summer – Arrangement of EarlySummer Blooms in "used" clay pots, Floral Design Workshop with Joanne Gabriel of Petals at Ivy Hill. Let's take a calcified six-inch pot, add a slight faux finish and fill with curly willow, realistic silk bulb flowers, bulbs and sheet moss. What a pot of pretty! All materials furnished by the instructor. **Saturday, May 14, 2011 from 2-4pm**. $42, $38 for PAA members. Bring wire cutters, scissors and glue gun. Register on-line here

Hand-sewn Journals with Heather Quiñones email Saturday, **May 21,** 2011 from 12 until 4pm.This workshop will teach you how to sew a handmade journal with 2 different stitches. Students will first learn a Japanese binding technique used to create a journal and/or a small photo album. All materials supplied, however, if you would like to bring some unusual paper to add into your journal or album cover designs please feel free to do so. $60 or $50 for PAA members Registration Form

NEW! Artforkids - Watercolor Basics, with Heather Quinones instructor, email **Art for Homeschoolers**, Tuesday May 10th/or Thursday May 12th from 9am- 12noon. Pre-registration is required by May1st. **Saturday Art for Kids**; Saturday, **May 21st** from 1pm - 4pm. Using inspiration throughout the park we will be exploring the basics of watercolors. Students will use both professional brushes, watercolor paper, and experiment with watercolor crayons/pencils in learning the basics of this wonderful art technique. Youth should be prepared to hike in the Cuyahoga Valley National Park as we look for and paint our inspiration. All materials are included in the cost of the class. $20ea, PAA member $18ea. Registration Form **ages 6-11**

NEW! ArtforKids, Earth Echoes, with Barbe Beaty, **July 11th – July 15th** 2011, and again on **August 8th – August 12th**, 2011 9am –12 noon. One week class, Ages 6 and up. An exciting week of Silver Creations Inspired by Nature! Join precious metals artisan, Barbe Beaty as we explore the outdoors, gathering pebbles, twigs, bark, seeds, and leaves for capturing impressions in fine silver! Celebrate our connection with nature as we create eco-friendly fine silver pendants, symbolically sealed with nurturing thoughts, to carry with us as we venture this journey of living. We will be blending both traditional and non-traditional techniques as we wander through the world of metalsmithing! $145 or $135 for PAA Members, Register on-line here

NEW! ArtforKids, Goblins, Gremlins, and Fairies with Heather Quinones, **July 18th – July 22nd** 2011 from 9am - 12pm. Are you curious about the wee people and their mythology? This is the week to explore goblins, gremlins, and fairies, discover if they are living in the woods around us, and how they appear throughout art history. You will create your own wee people thru felting, paper, painting, and photography. You will also build a terrarium to give those wee people a place to live at your own home. Camp is open to 6 to 11 year olds. $145 or $135 for PAA Members, Register on-line here

NEW! ArtforKids, **Green Man Week** with Heather Quinones**, July 25th – July 29th** 2011 from 9am - 12pm. We have seen him! He is out there. The green man is alive in the forest surrounding Peninsula Art Academy. This week we will locate the green man in our woods and in the art world. You will be creating your own green man masks with plaster, recycled paper, Japanese cording, painting, photography and so much more. Camp is open to 6-11 yr olds. $145 or $135 for PAA Members, Register on-line here

Ongoing Workshops and Classes:

Glassblowing with Bob Pozarski – Glassblowing classes are not offered during the warmer months and all dates are now filled except 2 spots on May 21, 2011. Add your name to the glassblowing list for news about the fall schedule! One-day paperweight and beginning glass blowing class, Saturdays from 10am - 3pm, Sundays from 12noon - 5pm. Dip molten glass from a furnace and shape it into a paperweight. Blow a bubble and shape it into a tumbler or small vase. Glass artist Bob Pozarski will walk you through the steps to beginning glassblowing. Check the website for additional dates or call the instructor at 330-836-6758. Registration required a week in advance. Special dates may be arranged. Beginning classes; one day, 5 hours; limited to four students; $100 ($80 PAA members). registration form or 330-657-2248.

Spinning Classes with Cris Welsh - Learn this ancient and relaxing craft. You can learn to make yarn suitable for knitting, crochet, weaving, embroidering - whatever your hobby or passion. Cris Welch will teach you to spin on a spindle or a wheel - your choice. This class is 2 hours, and can be scheduled at your convenience. The fee is $35, or $31 for PAA members. Contact Cris Welch at 330-848-1979, or email register here

Enameling with Carol Adams, An ancient art is fun, immediate and can be made into many things. Enameling is the melting of colored glass crystals onto metal. Carol has been enameling since 1968 and as a contemporary artist and teacher, can lead you into the enameling world to explore your ideas. During the 3 weeks, we will make several small dishes and bowls. **No Enameling class on April 9, 2011.** Other times can be arranged. 330-657-2681 or email 3 classes $145, (includes materials fee $35, class fee $110) or $130, for PAA members (materials $35, class $95). registration form

Beginning Weaving with Carol Adams: Weaving 1, on **Saturdays from 11-2**. No Weaving class on **April 9, 2011.** Or by arrangement as well! Come and learn how to calculate your warp, dress the loom, and weave a sampler, using many different types of 4-harness weaves. From there, the sky is the limit! The fee per class is $30, or $28 for PAA members. For more information, or to register, contact Carol at 330-657-2681 or email **or** registration form

Weaving without a loom with Carol Adams**, Saturdays 11-2**. No Weaving class on **April 9, 2011.** Select any 6 weeks to complete one course. Learn coiling, twining, macramé, braiding, card weaving, frame loom weaving, artistic crochet, artistic knitting, sprang, etc. These processes will teach dexterity, pattern, repetition, color, texture, shape, design, and the digital aspects of crossing one thread with one thread. Use fibers supplied and build their own frame loom *at a materials fee $15.00*. $30.00, $28.00 per session for PAA members - contact Carol at 330-657-2681 email registration form

Fiber Art Instruction on a Floor Loom: As always, we are interested in additional "private" or "group" instruction on various weaving techniques, from beginning to advanced, to fiber enthusiasts in the Northeast Ohio area. Let us know of your needs. email Looms are available for set-up in your home at no rental charge, provided that our educational services (set-up and/or instruction) are purchased at our normal rates starting at 15.00 per hour.

Digital Camera Basics with Kurt Shaffer, www kurtshaffer.com Saturdays 10 am - 12 noon. Contact the instructor for dates. Learn the basics of taking great pictures with that digital camera you have just lying around (but not sure how to use effectively). This class will help you better understand the full capabilities of your camera and how to take great photos. We will move along at a pace that suits the class. Bring your camera, its manual, note taking supplies and your imagination! register here One-day $55 or $45 for PAA Members. email

Art News From Our Members:

Thanks 91.3 the summit for mentioning our events and classes on your cool station! http://www.913thesummit.com/

CALL TO ENTRY - for the **2nd Annual May Show at Lakeland**, Juried Art Exhibition: May 19 - July 8, 2011. Douglas Max Utter and Anna Arnold are the jurors. Works will be judged from the actual pieces. Please visit www.lakelandcc.edu/gallery to download the info and entry form. Artwork drop off is May 8 & 9, 2011. Pass this info along to your fellow artists and contacts... Please and Thank You! Mary Urbas, Gallery Coordinator , Exhibition Curator, Lakeland Community College, 7700 Clocktower Drive, Kirtland, Ohio 44094, 440.525.7029

Mural in Ohio City's Market Square Park: the City of Cleveland announced an open Request for Qualifications to professional artists interested in creating a site specific mural on the eastern wall of the Bender Building. The deadline for entry is **Friday, April 1, 2011 at 5:00 p.m**

Tremont Crosswalks**:** Tremont West Development Corporation (TWDC), in partnership with Cleveland Public Art (CPA) and ParkWorks, is requesting proposals to design a stencil pattern that will be applied to the crosswalks throughout Tremont. The submission deadline is **9 a.m. on Monday, April 4, 2011**.

Lucky Park Artwork: TWDC, in partnership with CPA and ParkWorks, is requesting proposals for a permanent artwork installation. Proposals are due at **5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 22, 2011**.

CALL TO ENTRY - The Textile Art Alliance of the Cleveland Museum of Art is partnering with the Canton Museum of Art to sponsor Focus: Fiber 2011-2012, a regional juried exhibit featuring the best of contemporary textile/fiber work from an eight state region. The exhibit will be juried by internationally recognized fiber artist Dorothy

Caldwell and will be mounted at the Canton Museum of Art in Canton, Ohio. TAA will produce a color catalog to accompany the exhibit, which will run December 2, 2011 through February 26, 2012. This is a great opportunity open to all TAA members **and** to all fiber artists residing in the following states; Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia. **Entries due April 30, 2011.** To view and download : Fiber prospectus go to www.taacleveland.org, click on **Exhibitions**, then **Focus: Fiber 2011-2012**.

The Artist as an Entrepreneur Institute, Founded by CPAC and presented by COSE, an intensive business course designed for individuals and arts based business owners. This program covers 18 topics that impact an artist's daily operations, from creating a personal brand and marketing, to writing a business plan and accounting. The AEI course modules are programmed to build on one another, so registration for the course includes all 6 session dates, with different content each day. Wednesdays from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm, April 20, 27, May 4, 11, 18, 25. Virginia Marti College of Art and Design, 11724 Detroit Avenue, Lakewood, OH 44107, Price: $100 COSE members and affiliate members, $150 nonmembers link

CALL for ENTRIES: Artists Wanted: A Year In Review 2010 is an international, all-medium-encompassing open call for art. Their mission is to present a range of technique, style and narrative that captures the best emerging artists of the previous year. www.artandartdeadlines.com

2011 *Fresh Art* Show –From March 11 thru April 16, Summit Artspace Gallery will present *Fresh Art/Current Affairs*. www.summitartspace.org or by calling 330-376-8480.

Loom for sale – "NILUS" Leclerc jack-type folding loom, 36", and has a bench with compartments, accessories, warping board, manual, weaving instruction books, and some weaving yarn. It's very nice and in perfect working condition. More pictures are available if you would like to see them. $700 for all. Also very, very old barn beam looms, Granger Township in Medina County. 440-478-6712. Maggie King

Loom for sale – 4 harness folding floor loom w/continuous feed spool rack 440-821-8889, Photo and more info posted at PAA

Art for Kids, Birthday Party's at PAA - is a bowling party not really your thing? Have your child's party at PAA!! Choose from many projects, including fused glass, weaving, coiling, pirates and puppets! Check our website for the details here Birthday Party at PAA or contact Carolyn email to custom design your party now!

Call for Trustees: The Board of Trustees is comprised of volunteers who meet twice a month to govern the affairs of the organization. Although there is no paid compensation, you will benefit by learning about general non-profit business administration and by contributing to the arts and culture in Northeast Ohio. No previous board experience is needed, but a working knowledge of art education or general business management will be desirable. Please submit your name for consideration by return email ASAP.

Volunteers Wanted: Would you like to add some experience in running a gallery, hanging shows and hosting workshops to your resume? We need you to come gallery sit! Or, can you help us with simple office duties, either at your home or at our office? Call PAA at 330-657-2248 to arrange an interview, or stop in soon!

Call to Artists! We are growing our educational programming to include Decorative Arts and Design. The "Designer's Museum" (as the Hunker residence is now called) is available as a venue for our workshops and your meetings! Know any instructors in any of the decorative arts? Or, what would you like to learn? Woodworking, Fine Furniture: Design, Building, Repair and Restoration, Shake Boxes, Instrument Making, Carving, Upholstering, Draping, Metal Smithing, Lighting, China and Glass, Landscape and Garden Design. Let us know!

NEW! PAA has an unpaid **internship position** available for a business, art administration, or fine arts student. This person would be responsible for the basic operations and management of the PAA gallery/studio. 15-30 hours a week are required; our hours are Thur-Sun 11-5. We are able to work around your schedule, if possible. Interest in learning about running and operating a gallery (501c(3) non-profit art organization), art exhibition, some management of other volunteers, scheduling and some clerical/cashier duties as well. Looking for responsible and friendly people that want to give of their time while learning life tools and achieving experience in the art field. Please contact Carolyn Birchenall or Steve Craig at email with your resume and a brief cover letter.

We always have space for new artists in our Co-op gallery: Gallery space with only a 15% commission available at the following monthly rental fees:

5 x 10 foot space: $65 / month
3 x 4 foot space: $44 / month
1 x 3 foot space: $22 / month

40% sales commission space is available with no sublease rental fee on a juried basis.
Co-op artists must volunteer one 3-hour shift per month and be current members.
There is a 3-month minimum lease contract.

PAA Studio Artists:

Jane Pollock - Not So Plain Jane's, 330-697-1471, email janesnotplain at gmail.com
Marianne Hite - The Art of Glass, 330-414-0385, email hiteofglass at yahoo.com
Bob Pozarski - Ohio Art Glass, 330-836-6758, glassbob at hotmail.com
Ellyn Schneier - 330-836-5257, email ejschneier at sbcglobal.net
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Ohio Arts Council

Visit our website www.peninsulaartacademy.com
check out area events www.explorepeninsula.com

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