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The Kiosk - April 2012
A newsletter about Peninsula Art Academy
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A 501c (3) non-profit organization promoting the advancement of the arts, by providing educational services in Northeast Ohio.

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News:

Member Acknowledgments: Peninsula Art Academy would like welcome new and renewing members Donna Hessel, Bobby Stone, Elizabeth Danish, Bob Pozarski, Laurel Winters, Ellyn Schneier, and Gail Holgate
Are you a member? Join PAA Today! click on-line form for membership.

the project and the draft,
at PAA thru May 5, 2012. This show will focus on the different paths artists take on the way to a completed artwork, by showing both the original draft and the completed project. Insight into the creative process will be explained with signage written by the artists themselves.

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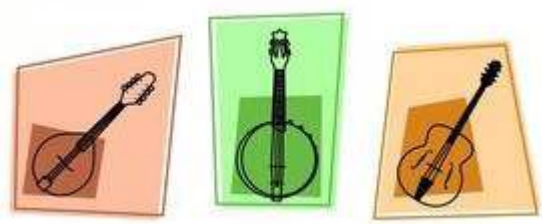
The **Ohio Plein Air Society** will be meeting at PAA on **April 21, 2012** to paintout in the CVNP!! The CVNP is one of 6 sites around Ohio designated for their 10-year anniversary show. You are invited to join in the fun - paintout with us! Gather in front of PAA at 9am, meet back at PAA at 2:30 for a critique. Parking is behind Elements Gallery. For details http://www.ohiopleinairsociety.com/program.htm **Please RSVP** to Doreen at stjohn_dj at hotmail.com or phone 330.904.4162. *En plein air* (French pronunciation: [ɑ̃ plɛn‿ɛʁ]) is a French expression which means "in the open air", and is particularly used to describe the act of painting outdoors-
call to artists - *The River*, an exhibition of original works by artists working in all media, including two- and three-dimensional works, highlighting the role the Cuyahoga River plays in their everyday lives. Show and sale runs May 19 – June 23, Opening Sat May 19, with a meet the artists reception from 5-7pm. As a part of the **Friends of the Crooked River 22nd Annual RiverDay 2012**: a celebration of the benefits of a "free-flowing" Cuyahoga River. RiverDay aims to raise awareness among everyday citizens concerning the importance of the role the Cuyahoga plays in their everyday lives and to highlight the need to continue the improvement of the quality of our River. RiverDay events also include cleanups, habitat restoration, canoe paddles and hikes that feature the numerous recreational, cultural and historic natural resources of our American Heritage River. For more info www.cuyahogariver.net

Monthly Events:



FolkNite, April 15, 2012 – a week later this month! 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 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 here email Or, "just stop in" and share, bring your own food and drinks and enjoy the jam.

BluesNite – Open Jam at PAA – **April 28, 2012,** 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, Bob Zuccerelli and their friends from www.openmicmusic.org Join our email list for updates bluesnite@peninsulaartacademy.com

Fiber C.A.F.E., **April 28, 2012** meets every forth (or fifth) Saturday. If you would like to share your current project or technique, or are looking for some advise with what you are working on, please join us! www.fibercafe.org **NEW!** Meetings at 3:30 on Tuesdays at PAA - anyone interested in working on the next fiber fling in 2013 is welcome to attend. **call to artists** – Library show is July 28 thru August 24, 2012.

Workshops and Classes:

NEW! If you know the class you want to sign-up for Register on-line here
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

Glass Fusing 1 with Marianne Hite, Wednesdays, 6pm-9pm, meets four times starting **April 11**, 2012. 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 or to see her work www.hiteofglass.com $145 or $135 for PAA members, plus cost of glass. Registration Form

Oil Painting Workshops with Allen Rodgers will be held the first (or second) Sat of each month, next is **April 7, 2012**, from 10 am till 3pm. The class will paint a still life setup or receive help on a work in progress. Workshops may include a painting demo, or paint plein air if weather permits. Students will need to bring their own easel, canvas, paints, brushes, paper towels, brush cleaner, etc. $80 per month, $75 for PAA Members Registration Form To read his bio and artist statement, visit his website www.allenrodgers.com

Digital Camera Basics with Kurt Shaffer, www kurtshaffer.com Saturday **April 14, 2012,** 10 am - 12 noon. Contact the instructor to sign up or select other dates **216-310-3359**. 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

Glassblowing II w/Bob Pozarski - Glassblowing II is for advanced students, who have had at least two beginning classes, to strengthen their skills. Projects will be selected by the instructor and the student based on the experience level of each individual student. Registration required. Contact the instructor to select dates at 330-836-6758, or **email** before paying. Saturday 10am - 3pm, Sunday 12 - 5pm. **Saturday April 14, or Sunday, April 29.** May dates are Sunday, May 6, or Saturday May 26. All classes; 5 hours; limited to four students; $110 each student, $90 PAA members. Class time will be divided between explanations on the use of all glass blowing equipment, demonstrations, and hands-on instruction, while emphasizing safe studio habits. registration form

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. www.caroladams.net During the 3 weeks, we will make several small dishes and bowls. Next class starts **April 17, 2012.** Tuesday nite from 7-9:30 for 3 weeks, 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

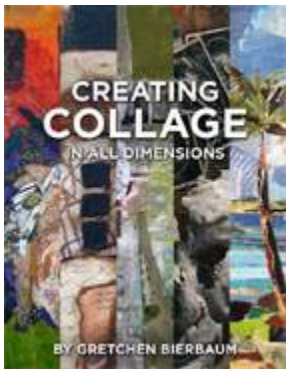
Fused Glass Jewelry with Marianne Hite – Wednesdays **April 18 and 25**, 2012, from 6pm-8pm, meets twice. Contact Marianne 330-414-0385 to choose from additional dates. www.hiteofglass.com Glass fusing is the melting together of different pieces of glass that are compatible with each other. Learn to 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. 330-657-2248 Registration Form

Drawing Classes with Diane Keske Talmadge Have you always wished you could draw? Thursdays, from 2-4pm starting **April 19, 2012** for 6 weeks, with one make-up day if needed. Basic drawing: value study, shading, and

perspective. Work at your own level, with individual instruction. Beginners and Intermediate, students will need to bring an inexpensive drawing tablet, aprox 16x20, assorted drawing pencils, charcoal and erasers. Contact the instructor 330-576-6836 **www.dktalmadgefinearts.com** $90, or $81 for PAA members. Max 5 students - lots of personal attention and lots of fun too. Open to teens and adults. **Registration Form**

You too can paint, with Diane Keske Talmadge, Thurs 6:00 till 8:30pm, starts **April 19, 2012**. A painting class for beginners and intermediate levels; and new or returning students. 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, $90, or $81 for PAA Members. Lots of personal attention for each painter, and lots of fun too. Open to teens and adults. 330-576-6836 or Bring your supplies - supply list and Registration Form **www.dktalmadgefinearts.com**

NEW! Collage Techniques with Gretchen Bierbaum, Friday **April 20, 2012**, 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. $50 or $45 for PAA



and National Collage Society Members. **www.nationalcollage.com**
Registration Form

Beginning Watercolor with Nicki Lanzi, Saturday, **April 21, 2012**, from 10am - 3pm. And again on **April 28, 2012**. Join Nicki Lanzi's "no stress" beginning watercolor class and give yourself a treat! Learn techniques such as negative painting, glazing and more. This easygoing class includes information on brushes, paints, papers and composition. You'll begin with very basic landscapes, seascapes and still life paintings, and practice different techniques in all of them. Any level painter is welcome. www.nickilanzi.com $50 or $45 for PAA Members Registration Form

NEW! Fused Glass Flower Pendant with Marianne Hite, *Mothers Day Idea!* Saturday **April 21**, **2012,** 10:30am-1pm Create your own unique flower pendant from hand pulled glass petals provided. Make one for a gift and one for yourself. These are fired overnight and can picked up or shipped. Bring a friend or child age 8 and up. No experience necessary. $45, or $40, for PAA members and $15.00 material fee. **Registration Form**

Glassblowing 101 with Bob Pozarski - One-day paperweight and beginning glass blowing class, Saturdays from 10am - 3pm, Sundays from 12 - 5pm. April dates are **Sunday April 22**. May dates are Saturday May 5. 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, **you must call the instructor to schedule** before you sign up at 330-836-6758. Registration required. Special dates may be arranged. All classes; one day, 5 hours; limited to four students; $110 ($90 PAA members). **registration form** or 330-657-2248. Glassblowing is not offered during the warmer months.

Stained Glass Classes, Copper Foiling I with Marianne Hite. Next sessions starts **April 23, 2012**. Monday Nites from 6pm-8:30pm. Meets four times. Make a small panel in copper foil technique in this beginning class in stained glass. Learn glass cutting, grinding, soldering and the secrets of good design. Plan you first panel to be 12" x 12" or smaller for this introductory session, so all projects can be completed within the 4 weeks. You will need some tools and supplies for this class: Glass, glasscutter, copper foil, fid, nails, solder, flux, zinc. The basic kit can be ordered in advance, minimum class 4, max 6. $145.00, $135.00 for PAA members, plus cost of glass and kit. Other dates available**. Registration Form** 330-414-0385.

NEW! ArtforKids, Fused Glass Bugs with Marianne Hite**,** Sat **April 28, 2012**, from 10:30 - 1pm. Discuss how interesting bugs

are and why they are important. Look at photos of different bugs and decide which ones would work best for the glass. Design a beautiful glass bug with legs of metal fired into the glass. Allow 1-2 weeks to pickup, or we can mail it to you for an additional $5.00. Parents! Take this class with your child and make your own bug, go shopping in Peninsula or take a walk in the beautiful CVNP. Minimum class size 6, maximum 10. $45, or $40, for PAA members. Ages 8 and up. **Registration Form**

NEW! Wet Felted Bags and More with Heather Quiñones instructor, otigmia at gmail.com **Sunday April 29, 2012**, from 4 - 7pm. 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! Mosaic 101 with Eileen Gross and **Honoré bits of tiles**, Saturday **May 12**, 2011 and again on June 9th. from 10am - 3pm. Class open to teens and adults, with no prior experience needed. Here's your chance to learn the basics of making a simple garden mosaic by adding glass or other found objects to a small concrete blank. Basic skills of design, glass cutting and fitting, then gluing in place, will be taught. A demo of how to grout and seal for outdoor use will be given. Please no opened toe shoes. Cost of course covers supplies used. Cost $60.00, $50.00 for PAA members. Registration Form

NEW! Painting on Glassware with Diane Talmadge, Sat., **May 19,** 10 - 4 pm. Learn all of the needed tricks of how to paint on a round object, and the special painted to use. $50.00 or $45.00 for PAA members and a materials fee of $5 payable to the instructor on the day of the workshop. Bring a pair of plain wine glasses to paint. Contact the instructor 330-576-6836
www.dktalmadgefinearts.com Register on-line here

Spinning Classes with Cris Welch - 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 at 330-848-1979, or crispins314 at yahoo.com register here

Beginning Weaving with Carol Adams - **Thursday nite from 7-9:30,** 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 www.caroladams.net or email **or** registration form

Weaving without a loom with Carol Adams, Thursday 7-9:30. 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 a frame loom *at a materials fee $15.00*. $30.00, or $28.00 per session for PAA members, contact Carol www.caroladams.net 330-657-2681 email or 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 or www.caroladams.net 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. Register on-line here

Art for Kids – Summer day camps at PAA

NEW! Afternoon ArtforKids, Summer Art Camp, Cycles **and Circles**, with Carol Adams, **June 18 - 22, 2012**, from 1-4 pm, One week class with Carol Adams, Ages 6 and up. Take a guided nature walk to learn about cyclical events and circular patterns found in the natural world. We'll consider cycles of life and the water cycle, seasonal cycles to inspire new artistic creations. Many artistic techniques are made in circles - spool knitting to make a long scarf, coiling baskets from magazine paper, drawing and painting designs on tee-shirts and much more! Camp is open to 6 to 11 year olds. $145 or $135 for PAA Members. You must have a PAA Art for Kids medical release form on file. Register on-line here

NEW! Afternoon ArtforKids, Summer Art Camp, Fiber Arts Camp, with Carol Adams, **June 25-29, 2012**, from 1-4pm, One week class, Ages 6 and up. We've put together a week to explore the world of fiber with Carol Adams. Campers will learn basic felting, learn the colorful hippy craze of tye-dye, and weave on a loom. Explore the colors and resist techniques of batik, and dyeing with kool-ade, Make a mural/collage (hand painted and dyed) then add the wax and watch the crackle begin, make a quilted pillow! $145 or $135 for PAA Members. You must have a PAA Art for Kids medical release form on file. Register on-line here

NEW! Afternoon ArtforKids, Summer Art Camp, Art History Camp, with Carol Adams, **July 2-6, 2012**, from 1-4pm, One week, Ages 6 and up. Paint like Picasso, make art like Matisse; learn about art from the Masters in the books in our library, make projects to show what you learned. Many techniques will be demonstrated and taught by Carol Adams. Learn to blend colors to create a beautiful painting. Make sculpture, learn fiber arts! $145 or $135 for PAA Members. (Ask about signing up for 4 days if you have plans for the 4th of July.) You must have a PAA Art for Kids medical release form on file. Register on-line here

NEW! ArtforTeens - July 6, 13, 20 and 27, 2-5pm, **Friday Teen Open Studios, with Shannon Casey**. Specifically geared to teens, 13 and older, these summer workshops are a great way for teens to explore new techniques and mediums and to meet like-minded young artists – all in a relaxed setting in the Cuyahoga Valley. Weekly sessions will meet on four Fridays in July from 2-5pm. Enroll in all four open studios or choose the ones that fit your student's interests or schedule. Cost for all four workshops is $120, $110 for PAA members; individual cost per workshop is $30. Price includes materials. Here's what we'll cover: July 6 - Drawing the figure. July 13 – Painting a still life in oil. July 20 – Assemblage and collage. July 27 – Creating portraits. www.shannoncaseystudio.com You must have a PAA Art for Kids medical release form Register on-line here

NEW! Summer Day Camp - **July 9th-13th, 2012** & and again on **August 6th-10th**, 2012 from 9am –12 noon

Earth Echoes, with Barbe Beaty, Ages 6 and up. An exciting week of Steel Creations Inspired by Nature! Join precious metals artisan, Barbe Beaty as we explore the outdoors and celebrate our connection with nature as we create eco-friendly steel 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. The students will be using their own custom sketches, using scratch board (of thick styrofoam) so the designs that they make will be one of a kind originals :)! $145 or $135 for PAA Members. You must have a PAA Art for Kids medical release form on file. Register on-line here

Art News From Our Members:

help keep this list current – let me know of any needed deletions

I suggest everyone run the scan Belarc Advisor to make sure their computer is up to date, the latest scams are from fed ex, yet not really from fed ex – do not open these!

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

Free and Easy way to raise funds for Peninsula Art Academy- this is going to be the easiest thing we've ever asked you to do! Join us on www.**GoodSearch.com** every time you shop online or search the internet, a donation will be made to PAA. 500 supporters completing 5 searches/day @ .01 a click 365 days/year will bring in $9,125.00. Get started by clicking "Become a Supporter" button on our page **here** and log in often!

Artists of Rubber City is looking for entries for its 22nd Annual Juried Show that will run April 27 through June 2. All media will be accepted with a maximum of two entries. The Juror is Mark Schatz, sculptor, Assistant Professor and Foundations Coordinator at Kent State University. For more information and guidelines visit www.artistsofrubbercity.org or call Artists of Rubber City at 330-825-2308.

The **Beachwood Branch of the Cuyahoga County Public Library** is looking for artists to display their work. It is an opportunity to sell your work and get great visibility. Submit information as a group or as a solo artist. The branch will host an opening and you can also demo your process or give a gallery talk. Due to the demand for the space, shows will feature more than one artist. For more information send an email to mreardon@cuyahogalibrary.org.

Call to artists - the 3rd Annual **May Show at Lakeland** Juried Art Exhibition: May 18 - July 20, 2012. Barbara Tannenbaum and Dana Depew 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 5 - 7. If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know. Mary Urbas 440.525.7029

Call to artists - The **Annual TANK Open Show** 2012"Election Obsession II: Capitalism vs. Democracy"July 18 – August 11, 2012Kent State University School of Art Downtown Gallery141 East Main Street, Kent, OhioThe Artists' Network of Kent (TANK) is accepting submissions for an election/democracy themed show exhibited July 18th – August 11th, 2012 at the Kent State University School of Art Downtown Gallery. Submissions may be written proposals or digital images of completed work. Entries will be judged by guest juror Droba Kant, a mixed media artist and graduate of Accademia di Belle Arti di Brera in Milan, Italy. Deadline for entries: June 1st, 2012

Akron Area Arts Alliance, Interim Executive Director, The Akron Area Arts Alliance seeks qualified applicants for a six- to twelve-month part-time position as Interim Executive Director. The 30-hour-a-week position may transition into a permanent and possibly full-time position. The paid position is slated to begin May 1, 2012. Following the retirement of AAAA's longtime director, the Interim Executive Director will guide AAAA through an inclusive member and community engagement process to determine how we should pursue our newly expanded strategic goals and further develop our role as the leading advocacy organization for arts and culture in Greater Akron. This is a vital and vibrant position. The deadline for application is April 13, 2012. www.akronareaarts.org.

Sunday June 10, 2012, **World Wide Knit in Public Day** was created in 2005 - and is the worlds largest knitter event. To find out more about WWKiP Day – please visit wwkipday.com. Better living through stitching together.

Textile Art Alliance's 9th Annual Wearable Art Fashion Show and Boutique features limited edition clothing and accessories created by regional fiber artists. All featured wearable items must be fiber or contain a fiber construction technique and must be for sale. The event will be held October 21, 2012. The deadline for applications is September 7, 2012. For more information and to request an application contact Barbara Lubinski at taafashionshow@gmail.com or via phone at 330-283-4627.

Artist applications are now available for the **7th Annual University Park Arts Fair & Food Fest, August 18, 2012** -- an arts and fine crafts event and wonderful venue for artists to showcase their work. Presented by UPA, the festival offers visitors live music and other lively entertainment, fine art and fine crafts from more than 100 local and regional artists, international food by Akron restaurants, and the opportunity to visit and appreciate the beauty of Grace Park -- an historic Akron city park. **Read More** http://universityparkartsfair.org

Art At The Akron-Canton Airport - with support from the Akron Area Arts Alliance, ArtsinStark and the GAR Foundation, will be featuring both Stark and Summit County artists in three installations per year. Each installation, curated by Michele Waalkes, will feature 3 artists from Stark County and 2 artists from Summit County. contact michele@michelewaalkes.com

Karamu House Seeking Program Director of Cultural Arts Education and Outreach: This position will be part of Karamu House senior leadership team, reporting to the Executive Director with operational responsibility for cultural arts education programs for youth and adults; outreach programs, workshops and in-house special programs. Key job skills required include administrative

management; program development; community relations and marketing. Send resume and cover letter to Ms. Annette Bailey, Human Resource Manager, re: Program Director Position 2355 East 89th Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44106.

Seeking unique, high–quality products to complement and diversify existing offerings. The Countryside Farmers' Market at Howe Meadow opens on May 12 and will continue every Saturday morning from 9–12 through October 27. The Countryside Farmers' Market at Highland Square will open on May 31, and will continue every Thursday evening from 4–7pm through October 4. Applications are available on our website, www.cvcountryside.org, and will be accepted through March 23 (330) 657–2542 x 224

The Brecksville Center for the Arts is seeking to fill the position of a **part-time** Administrative Assistant (15 hrs/week). Duties include registering students for classes and workshops, maintaining financial records, assisting with special events, managing the volunteer program and interacting with the general public. Computer skills are essential. The schedule is flexible. Email or mail a cover letter and resume to: John Klassen, Executive Director, Brecksville Center for the Arts, 8997 Highland Drive, Brecksville, Ohio 44141, john@brecksvillearts.org

Wanted: Northeast Ohio Area Musicians, Cool Cleveland is putting together short videos on each of the cool neighborhoods in the region, from C-Town to Y-town, from the Football Hall of Fame to the Rock Hall, from Oberlin College to Lake Erie Wine Country, from Highland Square to the Erie Islands.
If you're a musician or a band from Northeast Ohio and would like to have your music featured in one of our cool videos, we're looking for you to help make these mini-movies relevant, energetic and enjoyable. All styles will be considered, especially uptempo. We're not sure there's a "Cleveland sound," but we're looking for it.
Small stipends and big exposure are offered, as these videos will be featured weekly in the *Cool Cleveland* e-blast, and on our site, blog and feeds. These videos will also be featured on our mobile app for your iPhone or Android, under the VIDEO tab. You'll be able to forward the videos showcasing your music to your friends via Facebook, Twitter and email. **Area musicians** who are looking to get their music heard are encouraged to contact *Cool Cleveland* today at Info@CoolCleveland.com.

Job Opening: Education Coordinator: Art House is seeking a collaborative, energetic, team player to fill the position of Education Coordinator. This is a part time position - 15 hours per week. Salary to commensurate with experience. This person will develop, coordinate, and implement visual arts programming that

includes school residencies, classes, and community outreach for a wide range of audiences. Learn more and apply. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled

2012 Revere Schools Celebration of the Arts is looking for volunteers to demonstrate all art mediums for there student art show to be held May 1-4 in the gym at RHS. We specifically need individuals for the nights of Wednesday - May 2, Thursday - May 3, and Friday - May 4, during the hours of 6:30-8:30 pm - contact "kls1650@roadrunner.com" or 330-659-4750.

Rockynol Retirement Community seeks volunteer judges. We host an annual Art Show from the Northeast Region of Leading Age, which is a group of people working toward advancement and education awareness with older adults. on West Market Street in Akron. We are looking for volunteer judges and I am hoping that perhaps someone at the Academy may consider helping out with this event. The judging will take place on Wednesday June 6. Karen Bakita, Rockynol Retirement Community, kbakita@rockynol.oprs.org 330.867.2150 ext 236

"Fresh & Springy" on exhibit March 9-April 14, 2012. Artists submitting work must be living, working or attending universities in Summit, Medina or Portage Counties. For more information or to download an application visit www.akronareaarts.org or call the Akron Area Arts Alliance at 330-376-8480.

The Made in Ohio Festival is looking forward to our 3rd year! This year's festival will be held on Saturday **September 1st** from 10am - 5pm. (Labor Day weekend) With our beautiful outdoor setting at Hale Farm & Village, the festival has been growing over the past three years. This year, we are expanding our food offerings and entertainment. Download your exhibitor application online atwww.MadeinOhioFestival.com/exhibitors.htm This is a juried show. Your product must be made in Ohio.

The **Spicy Lamb Farm** is a Cuyahoga Valley National Park Farm located in Peninsula, Ohio. Each year, we hold a ceremony called The Blessing of the Sheep, which draws quite a crowd. This year we would like to invite fiber artists and craftsmen to set up booths. The event will be on Saturday, **April 21st 12 to 4pm**.
Contact for more info 330-657-2012 www.thespicylambfarm.com

Volunteers Needed for Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad Programs, Brecksville, Ohio – The National Park Service is seeking enthusiastic volunteers interested in sharing the wonders of Cuyahoga Valley National Park (CVNP) with riders aboard the Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad (CVSR). Volunteers must be

outgoing, reliable, friendly, and have a willingness to learn. Training will be provided for these exciting volunteer opportunities.

Rail Rovers - Climb aboard CVSR and visit with passengers as they journey through CVNP. Distribute brochures, share information about the valley, and answer questions as you enjoy this historic railroad, flexible.

Student Explorer Program - Retired teachers and those who love working with children are needed to educate students about the resources of CVNP. Programs involve hands-on activities and riding the train through the national park. Volunteers must be available weekday mornings.

Canal Camp - Retired teachers and those who love working with children are needed to educate students about the resources of CVNP. Assist in the operation of a historic lock, participate in historic games, and enjoy a train ride. Volunteers must be available weekday mornings during the summer.
Contact Park Ranger Pamela Machuga at 330-657-1914 or pam_machuga@nps.gov

The 2012 Countryside Winter Farmers' Markets will be held at Old Trail School, 2315 Ira Road, Akron, Ohio 44333, on April 7 & 28, from 9am until noon.

Studio Assistant/Ceramic Artist Needed in Mantua, Ohio, Professional artist experienced painting and ceramics needed to be a studio assistant (Tracker) for our revolutionary art program that presents opportunities to assist individuals with developmental disabilities in the creation of art.
www.hattielarlham.org/creativearts.
Working 20 to 24 hours a week, the Tracker must exhibit extreme patience, knowledge and experience in ceramic arts. BFA preferred. If you are up for the most intense experience in creative expression and can bring compassion, knowledge and drive while leaving your ego at the door, please send your letter of intent and resume to: humanresources at hattielarlham.org

Call for Submissions - The Stow-Munroe Falls Public Library is installing a new artspace in the main reading room. Our goal is to foster the local arts community by providing a showcase for artists. Artists will be selected by a jury of art-professionals from Northeast Ohio. To be considered, please email jpgs of your work, 5' x 20' wall space. Mmcdonald at smfpl.org selected, artists will be given the opportunity to hang their own artwork in the reading room for up to one month. 3512 Darrow Road, Stow, Ohio 44236 (330) 688-3295 www.smfpl.org

Artists Sought for Permanent Murals on Cleveland's New Innerbelt Bridge
The Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) has partnered with Cleveland Public Art (CPA) to commission three artists to design up to nine murals to complement Cleveland's new Innerbelt Bridge, which is currently under

construction. A call for artists requesting qualifications from interested artists is being distributed nationally. To read the full call for artists, visit www.clevelandpublicart.org/artist-resources/competitions.
For sale - Passap 6000 Electronic Knitting Machine with manual and instructions. Hardly used. Spools of yarn included. $1000.00 or best offer (330) 256-3321 Heidi (photos at PAA)

Zygote is currently recruiting volunteers (interns) who would like to help out in the print shop-office for barter access to presses and facilities. Incentives like taking free classes, participating in group projects and being apart of a dynamic shop are benefits of this opportunity. We ask for 10 hours in exchange for shop access per month. We are able to work with all skill levels of people coming to the printmaking discipline. If interested, please contact: intern coordinator Elizabeth Emery at emeryspeaking at gmail.com

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

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: 36" Nilus LeClerc loom, 4 harness, 6 treadle. 36" weaving width with a 12 dent reed. Includes a warping board, lease sticks, and stick shuttles. For more info on these looms, check out this link - http://www.leclerclooms.com/Lec_Cat4.htm I don't have room for it and don't plan to need this wide a loom. $600.00, I can deliver it within a reasonable distance of Hartville. Kathy Krisher email or call Carol Adams

Loom for sale: see photos at PAA, call Diane Papay for info

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 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!

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!

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
60/40% 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 janesnotplain at gmail.com
Marianne Hite - The Art of Glass, 330-414-0385 hiteofglass at yahoo.com
Bob Pozarski - Ohio Art Glass, 330-836-6758 glassbob at hotmail.com
Ellyn Schneier - 330-836-5257 ejschneier at sbcglobal.net
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