

Spring Show and Sale

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The poster features a collage of art pieces on the left side, including a yellow kayak, pink flowers, a garden scene, a blue abstract painting, a geometric abstract painting, and a colorful abstract painting. The text on the right side of the poster provides details about the event.

NEPEAN FINE ARTS LEAGUE
SPRING SHOW AND SALE

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April 24 to 26, 2015

Friday: 6pm to 9pm
Saturday: 10am to 5pm
Sunday: 10am to 4pm

Ukrainian Banquet Hall
1000 Byron Avenue

Free Admission

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Mark your calendar for the Spring Show and Sale: The show and sale runs from Friday April 24 to Sunday April 26 at the Ukrainian Banquet Hall. A digital version of the poster above was sent out recently. Please forward it to your friends and family whether you are participating in the show or not. It helps us all. And consider stopping in to support your members.

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President's Message

Soraya Silvestri, President

Hello! I can feel Spring, I think?! Soon, it will be upon us and with it comes our annual **Spring Show and Sale**. How exciting!

The Spring Show and Sale Committee, headed by Kat McClure, have been busy with all the various tasks required to put it all together. Thankfully, we had extra help this year. I would like to thank, Kat McClure, Marie Arsenault, Patrick Mason, Brian Seed, Swati Pawar, Vartika Gupta, Melody Duncan, Caroline Maria Gardiner and Alex and Vera Van Baaren, for their help with this enormous task. It is truly appreciated.

Policies and Procedures

We now have a *Policies and Procedures Manual* posted under the Members section on our web site. We have been trying to use the web site more and more to keep you informed. Minutes of our Executive Meetings are posted along with other important information. Thank you Erika Farkas for your continued support on updates.

Secretary Position

I would like to thank, Margaret Grant, who has taken on the role of Secretary. She has already contributed with many unique ideas and the minutes are always well done. Somehow she manages to take down all the important information, even though we all tend to talk too fast!

Publicity Coordinator

I am also thankful that Melody Duncan has taken on the role of Publicity Coordinator. She has helped tremendously with the Spring Show and Sale and we are all very pleased.

More Volunteers Needed

If you would like to join the team, here are the positions available now:

- Newsletter Editor (can be done at home)
- Co-Grid Coordinator
- Communications Coordinator (can be done at home)
- Nominating Committee Member (can be done at home)

Remember, you can contribute the time you want at your convenience.

Last Show at Walter Baker

Our last show at Walter Baker is coming up. Please plan to participate. Thank you to Beth Shepherd, Jane Cass, Tina Petrovics, and Margaret Grant for their hard work. The gallery is beautiful and I'm sure the last one won't disappoint.



Gallery Report

Beth Shepherd, NFAL Gallery

***Our last show at the
Walter Baker Sports
Centre will be held
March 28 to
May 30, 2015.***

In April, be sure to go see the last show at Walter Baker Centre in Barrhaven. Watch the web site for the entries in the exhibition that will be hung at the end of this month (<http://nepeanfinearts.com/permanent-gallery>).

Juried Show at the Atrium Gallery

We have received proposals from the following members (in order of receipt):

- Ray Piesina
- Vera van Baaren
- Patricia Gordon
- Kat McClure
- Sandy Woods
- Denise Guillemette
- Bernice Wills
- Audrey and Alan Bains
- Judith Rostenne
- Jessie Parker
- Robert Arnold

Jurying is underway and winners will be announced in early April. The jury comprises the Gallery Committee, Sandra Hawkins, a local artist with jurying experience, and Anna Paluch, a fourth year student in Carleton University's Art History Curatorial program.

Annual Awards Exhibition (May 22-Sept 23) and Members' Night (June 8)

The call for our first show at Ben Franklin Place has been sent out. Space is limited, so get your entries in before April 17.

Even if you don't submit an entry please come for Members' Night. If you missed this call or need more information contact Beth Shepherd, the NFAL Coordinator at nfalgallery@nepeanfinearts.com or 613 828-4104.

See the poster next page for details.



Annual Awards Exhibition
At the new NFAL Gallery
May 22-September 24, 2015

Members' Night & Awards Event

Members and guests welcome
June 8, 7-9:30 pm

101 Centreponte Drive Ottawa

Members and Guests Welcome

Composite photos with works by Christiane Boulanger: *A Taste of Summer* and Kate Cowan: *Rooftop*





Calendar

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| Penultimate Show at the Walter Baker Gallery Theme: "Baby, It's Cold Outside" | January 10 – March 28, 2015 |
| Farewell Show at the Walter Baker Gallery (Barrhaven): "April Showers Bring May flowers" | March 28 – May 30, 2015 |
| Gallery in Transition Erika Farkas | Continues to April 20, 2015 |
| Spring Show and Sale 2015 at the Ukranian Banquet Hall | April 24-26, 2015 |
| Nepean Fine Arts League Juried Exhibition Atrium Gallery | May 22 – June 24, 2015 |
| Annual Awards Exhibition NFAL Gallery at Ben Franklin Place | May 22 – September 23, 2015 |
| Members' Night Event | June 8, 2015 |
| NFAL Gallery Fall and Winter Exhibition | September 25, 2015 – January 6, 2016 |
| Fall Show and Sale at the Ukranian Banquet Hall | December 4-6, 2015 |
| NFAL Gallery Spring Exhibition | January 8 – April, 2016 (end date TBC) |





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<http://www.nepeanfinearts.com/members-area>

The user name is “nepean” and the password is “nepean.”

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NFAL's general mailbox: info@nepeanfinearts.com

NFAL Newsletter Submissions

Remember members are invited to send in their contributions early for inclusion. The deadline for the May/June NFAL Newsletter is May 4, 2015.

Please send submissions by e-mail to newsletter@nepeanfinearts.com