

Hello Members and Art Appreciators! - revised 8-30-2019

We value your input and presence, whether it is to exhibit, exchange ideas or observe and appreciate the work of others. We welcome all who are interested in being a part of this inspiring effort to support and encourage local artists in their creative endeavors in all levels and media.

The following information alerts you to upcoming opportunities to lend a hand for a simple task or exhibit a piece of your work.

Volunteers are urgently needed- every little bit counts. Tasks are simple and varied. See list at end of this for details.

Please respond ASAP to Linda Jensen; lindalenore@centurylink.net, if you are interested in volunteering a helping hand, become an exhibitor or any questions about upcoming events:

COMING UP SOON !!

Rotating Seasonal Exhibit at Burnsville City Hall- well received and viewed by Burnsville city patrons. Art is hung in city hall offices and meeting spaces for the season. Creatives and **All Media Call for Art Exhibit** opportunity. Size limit is 24" x 24", 2-D work only, ready to hang- no saw tooth hangers. Art provided with artist name, title, media and price if for sale. BVAS reserves the right to reject pieces due to content or space limitations. See artists contract agreement on website for clarification. Please observe times for drop off and pick up of art.

Below are drop off and pick up times for the Burnsville City Hall Rotating Exhibit. Please do not plan to drop off or pick up art at any other time as the conference rooms are often occupied. City Hall employees are not agents to facilitate our members' pick up and drop off outside of this posting. Please make arrangements if you cannot complete the task yourself.

- Summer Pick up / Fall Exhibit Drop off: [August 30, 2019, 12 - 4:30 pm](#)
- Fall Pick up / Winter Exhibit Drop off: [November 19, 2019, 12 - 4:30 pm](#)
- Winter Pick up / Spring Exhibit Drop off: [February 25, 2020, 12-4:30 pm](#)

- Spring Pick up / Summer Exhibit Drop off: [May 19, 2020](#), 12 - 4:30 pm.

COMING SOON! JOIN THE FUN - be part of the Fire Muster celebration!

- **Fire Muster** artist demo opportunity Sept. 5 at Ames Center Plaza. Artists may present artwork with a demonstration of their work process, such as plein air painting, using photos as references or ?

Also note upcoming **BVAS BOARD meetings!** All are welcome to our engaging planning sessions; meet artists in your community and offer input if you like.

- **BVAS hosts Lise Anderson Demo Sept. 17** in conference room of **Burnsville library, 5:15-7:45**. Lise Anderson will present on using social media to promote and define your brand.
- **October 1** - Burnsville City Hall-6:30-8 p.m. Board agenda, no presenter at this time.
- **November 5** -Burnsville City Hall from 6:30-8 p.m. Board agenda
- **December 3** - Burnsville City Hall from 6:30-8 p.m. Board Agenda

UPCOMING EVENTS to Look forward to!

Get involved, we need your help!

- May: Art Fête 2020! see volunteer list below
- September 2020: Fairview Ridges Hospital in Burnsville for the month

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

These vary depending on the event. Consider what your strengths and abilities are, what you enjoy. We are open to all interested and can likely find a task you will enjoy. Please don't be shy! Just a few ideas:

- contacting sponsors
- help set up food for receptions
- welcome visitors/pass out flyers at events
- be present at drop-off and pick-up times for artists- needed at each exhibit event
- proof read publications

- help design publications and promotional materials
- set up for events, i.e. tables, chairs, signs, misc.
- contact potential judges and presenters
- be a presenter!
- any suggestions?