

Happy Thanksgiving to all!

Please note, we will be closed on Thursday, November 27th

The Fall Juried Show!

Please stop by and see the Fall Juried Show! This show will run through December 6th. With 45 artists exhibiting 104 works in all mediums, it is an exciting show!



Shown above clockwise: "Ode to Andrew Weth" Ron Lake, Honorable Mention Best in Photography, "On the Move", Melody Asbury, 2nd Place 2025, "Wiggle War", Carla Shere, Honorable Mention for Abstract

A Special Appeal!

Dear KAA Members and Supporters,

As I look over this past year at the Kent Art Association, I feel a joy and gratitude for all of the artists, art lovers, friends, volunteers, staff, the Board of Directors and the greater community who have become part of our KAA family. Each month has brought new faces into the gallery and a community spirit that is inspiring. We're working hard to plan more great shows and programs for 2026 and to meet the demands of keeping this wonderful non-profit art institution vibrant.

We have a storied history as we march towards our 103rd year in operation and care for a building that was once a part of the Kent Inn on the corner just a short walk away. In 1956, one of the KAA founders, George

Laurence Nelson, made a deal with the Gulf Oil Company to buy a section of the Kent Inn before the building was taken down and moved to its current place. Here we are 69 years later, having transformed the interior into a gallery space where artists are excited to exhibit their work.

Unfortunately, we are now faced with a growing list of repairs that comes along with owning an old and aging building. These include the need for re-roofing, gutter, and siding repairs. **We Need Everyone's Help To Cover The Costs** and are reaching out to you now as you plan your charitable donations and respectfully ask to please consider including us in your year-end giving.

Moving Forward and Very Sincerely Yours,

Joan Macfarlane

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President, KAA Board of Directors
Kent Art Association

Annual Meeting & Brunch!

Mark your Calendars for the **Annual KAA Meeting and Holiday Potluck Brunch** on Saturday, December 20th at 11:30.

Bring your favorite dish and join us!

Reminder: Members' Holiday Pop-Up Show

The set up for the show is Dec 8-10 and the show opens on the 11th.

There is no fee to exhibit in this show, but you must be a member! All work is accepted and must be priced \$400.00 or less.

Please send an email to kentartassociation@gmail.com to reserve your spot!

Links & Resources

KAA Website — www.kentart.org

Calendar — [KAA.Calendar.2025.pdf](#)

Membership Form — [2025 Membership Form](#)

Remember!

You can always find the most current information on KAA events and activities on our website at: www.kentart.org



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