

The 32nd Annual Student Show!

Get ready for this year's Student Show!

This year's show will highlight works from students in 8 area high schools and will open

Saturday, February 10th with an Opening Reception from 2-5. Awards will be given at 3:00. The show runs through Friday, February 23rd.

Show hours are 1-5, Thursday-Saturday and 12-4, Sunday. Special thanks to co-chairmen **Carl Chalet** and **Michael Spross** who on a yearly basis have organized this special event!

(above right: Landon Sartori's winning watercolor from a past student show)



In Remembrance: Ruth Newquist (1931-2024)



We are sad to hear of the passing of our longtime KAA member, **Ruth Newquist** in January.

Ruth was an accomplished artist working primarily with oil and watercolor and her depictions of both urban and rural life demonstrated her great talent. She was a graduate of Moore College of Art in Philadelphia and attended The Art Students League in New York City. After receiving her master's degree from SCSU, she became an art teacher at New Fairfield High School.

Her many awards included those from the KAA as well as the highest watercolor award in The Salmagundi Club Annual Membership Exhibition where she was also a board member.

Ruth's active life included her work in art education as both high school teacher and co-founder of The Society of Creative Arts of Newtown (SCAN).

A show and sale of her work is being held at **Art & Frame**, 77 Main St. Newton, Ct through February 23rd from 10-4pm. There will be a reception held on February 10th from 4-6.

(above: Ruth's watercolor, "Checking the Board")



You can always find the most current in-formation on KAA events and activities on our website at:

<http://www.kentart.org>



Thanks!

Sending our appreciation to KAA Vice-president **Brian Johnston** for his many hours of painting and maintenance throughout the month of January!

Thanks to board members **Michael Worobec** and **Charles Schmauch** for their assistance with wall prep and painting!

Calendar!

The calendar of exhibits for the 2024 year is now available.

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Calendar —
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