



MEMBERS MARQUEE

Carroll County Arts Council Newsletter

SUMMER 2023



MEMBERS SHOW REGISTRATION

Current CCAC members are now welcome to register for our annual members exhibit, opening September 18! All styles, mediums, and experience levels are welcome in this dynamic showcase.

DEADLINE: September 1, 2023

Cost: \$5

Register online at
CarrollCountyArtsCouncil.org



FALL ADULT CLASSES

Painting 101

Sept. 21 - Oct. 19 at 5pm

A comprehensive painting course for all skill levels

Pumpkin Needle Felting Workshop

October 7 at 1pm

Learn how to needle felt your own unique pumpkin!

Selling Your Artwork

Oct. 11, 18, and 25 at 5:30pm

Three distinct virtual sessions that will teach artists practical strategies and effective tactics to successfully sell their artwork.

A NOTE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Summer Greetings from the Carroll Arts Center!

The summer is off to a great start as we welcome dozens of young Carroll Countians to both our art and theatre summer camps and our free outdoor summer movies at Carroll Community College. Films are every Tuesday at 8:30pm through August 8! Plus, we're sponsoring a second summer of free outdoor movies at Taneytown Memorial Park. Check out that film schedule on the other side of this newsletter!

In June, we wrapped up an adventurous 22/23 live season with a truly charming performance from Americana trio, The Wildwoods. This season was a rousing success, welcoming new and old patrons from over 250 unique zip codes and 7 different states. We celebrated the best of what the arts offer with unique and diverse programs presenting new and different perspectives. From hip hop and opera to sitar and rock-n-roll, there was a show to delight just about everyone. We look forward to next season when we expand our offerings with some new-to-us performers, like the Kelly Bell Band and the Maryland Ballet Theater, and some old favorites, like Teelin Irish Dance and Motown & More.

This Spring, the CCAC was very fortunate to receive some much-appreciated grant funding from the Maryland State Arts Council. These COVID recovery funds enabled us to invest in the Carroll County arts community with our first-ever Independent Artist awards to six deserving local artists who have continued to provide arts education, performance, film production, and public art, despite the challenges created by the pandemic. We also awarded two Community Accessibility Project grants that will allow local nonprofits to expand their offerings to a wider audience. Additionally, we expanded our funding of small arts organizations and individual artists through more robust mini-grant and Community Arts Development funding. We believe in our local arts community and its amazing work!

We hope to see you soon at the Carroll Arts Center. You belong here!

Art Matters!

Lynne Griffith



SCARY-TALE ENDINGS

Halloween Movie Week is back October 23 - 27

Join us for a week-long spooky season celebration! Catch a different scary movie each night of the week, ending with our annual late-night screening of *The Rocky Horror Picture Show*.

This year's slate features new and old classics like *Creature from the Black Lagoon* (1954), *The Mummy* (1999), *Alien* (1979), and *Ghostbusters* (1984)!

CALLS FOR ARTISTS

New exhibit opportunities now open for submissions

The Arts Council is accepting submissions for three upcoming gallery shows in 2024. Artists may submit up to three pieces per exhibit. Each exhibit submission cost is \$5.

Anime Exhibit - Art inspired by or based on anime, manga, or Japanese culture

Deadline: September 1, 2023

Beer Exhibit - Art inspired by beer, breweries, or the brewing process

Deadline: December 31, 2023

Clyfford Still Exhibit - Art inspired by Clyfford Still's work or abstract expressionism.

Deadline: January 31, 2024

Submit online at CarrollCountyArtsCouncil.org/exhibit-opportunities

ANNOUNCING THE 23/24 SEASON

Check out the full lineup at CarrollArtsCenter.org!



TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

TANEYTOWN FAMILY MOVIE NIGHTS

Saturdays at Taneytown Memorial Park

The Arts Council is proud to sponsor another great summer of FREE films at Taneytown Memorial Park!

FILM SCHEDULE:

July 15: **Jesus Revolution (PG-13)**

Rain Date: July 22

July 29: **Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile (PG)**

Rain Date: Aug 5

August 12: **E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial (PG)**

Rain Date: Aug 19



Check the City of Taneytown Facebook page for weather updates!

www.facebook.com/TaneytownParks

CARROLL COUNTY CLOGGERS

Fall classes start Oct. 1 at Winters Mill High School!



Learn a truly American dance form with the Carroll County Cloggers. No clogging experience necessary to join! Find out more about this unique club at CarrollCountyCloggers.com.

Email Lynn Grassi at lynngrassi@verizon.net to sign up for thier fall class!



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Barrier-Free

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Small Town Stars Theater Company

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Anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or who has a complaint should contact The Department of Citizen Services, 410.386.3600, 1.888.302.8978, MD Relay 7-1-1/1.800.735.2258 as soon as possible but no later than 72 hours before the scheduled event.

