



Folly Beach Arts & Crafts Guild April 2011 Newsletter

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Meetings

Meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at the Folly Beach Community Center beginning at 6:30 PM.

Next Meeting Tues April 5th

Membership

Our membership year goes from August through May. Membership fees will be \$35.00 for the year beginning in August 2010. Associate dues (those who do not set up for shows) will be \$20.00. Starting in the fall of 2011, membership will close for the year on December 31st.

Newsletter Input

Please send any information you would like to include in the newsletter to:
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or you can mail it to Kerry Hupp
c/o FBACG, P.O. Box 1278,
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Gearing up for Summer!

Tides of March Wrap up - Thanks to all who participated in this year's Tides of March Festival. We had a great turn out and fabulous weather (with the exception of the steady breeze on Sunday). Thank you Chris Weatherhead and the Actors' Theatre of SC for two days of fabulous entertainment!

Sea and Sand Update -

I hope that everyone who has signed up for Sea and Sand has been contacted by the Sea and Sand Festival organizers. If you have any questions regarding set up, booth space assignments, etc. please call Toni Reale (843) 364-1796 or Ben Bounds (843) 408-6439.

Art in the Park - April to September -

The Committee has been working hard to get some dates together for Art in the Park Saturdays over the summer. Following are the dates that have been reserved with City Hall. We will be discussing the calendar and sign up will begin during the April meeting. See page two of the newsletter for more information on dates and times.

For more information on the summer series, please contact Karen Marr klmarr@comcast.net.

Guest Speaker - Andrew Larson will be attending the April meeting to talk about his company UnkownArtGallery.com and how he can help you open the door to online sales. Don't miss it!

Nominations for Board Members - will take place during the April meeting. Please consider volunteering some of your time by throwing your hat in the ring! We always welcome fresh new faces with bright ideas.

See you all on Tuesday, April 5th!

Kerry

2011 Calendar of Events

Sea and Sand Festival - Saturday, April 16th. Booths are available at about 9:30 AM on the morning of the event. Booths must be vacated no later than 4:30 PM to allow for re-opening of Center Street. For any additional questions regarding booth rentals, contact Toni Reale (843) 364-1796 or Ben Bounds (843) 408-6439.

First Flush Festival - Saturday, May 14th. Charleston Tea Plantation, Wadmalaw Island. Show Hours and Entry fees to be announced. We have limited number of booth spaces available (last year we had 35 available). More information to come during our February meeting.

Art in the Park - Summer Saturday Series.

Reserved show dates are:

April 23rd. , May 21, June 18, July 16, August 13, September 24

Sign up sheets will be available at the April meeting

Booth cost is \$35.00 per space. 10 x 10

Booth fees must be submitted to the show organizer no later than 10 days before the event.

Please make checks payable to the Folly Beach Arts & Crafts Guild

Show time is 10:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

Set up is 8 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.

Booths will be rented on a first come first serve basis,

Booth rental is open to the community !!!!

Show Rules:

- Sign up sheets for upcoming shows are available at our monthly meetings. If you cannot make the meeting, and wish to attend a show, it is up to each individual member to notify the show organizer.
- Vendor booth spaces are available on a first come, first serve basis. The cut off for sign up to any show is the meeting before the upcoming show or when ever the 45 available spaces are taken, which ever comes first. After that, we will accept a waiting list and notify those individuals if a space become available.
- Vendors must be a member in good standing and have a current Folly Beach Business License.
- If you cannot make the show, you must give at least 24 hours notice or you will forfeit your booth space for the next show.
- Vendors must stay for the duration of the show. Those who leave early will forfeit their eligibility to participate in upcoming shows. Special circumstances can be arranged if we are notified well in advance of the event or in case of emergency.
- Spaces are assigned for each show. We try our best to rotate spaces for each show so that any one vendor is not in the same location every time. Maps with vendor locations are posted at the park and emailed to vendors at least 24 hours before the show.