



Folly Beach Arts & Crafts Guild November, 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 Nov. 1st

Membership

Our membership year goes from August through May. New membership applications will be accepted beginning in August of 2011 through December 31, 2011. Membership fees are \$35.00 for the year and must be renewed annually.

Associate dues (those who do not set up for shows) are \$20.00 and must be renewed annually. Checks should be made out to: Folly Beach Art Guild and mailed to P.O. Box 723, Folly Beach, SC 29439.

Newsletter Input

Please send any information you would like to include in the newsletter to:
kerryhupp@bellsouth.net.

The 2011 Festival of the Arts - What a Great Weekend it Was!

We had fabulous weather and a great turn out for this year's Festival of the Arts. Congratulations to all of the contest winners! I did not have the name of each winning piece, so please forgive me if for not mentioning the title of your piece below.

Fine Art: 1st Place - Elizabeth McCarthy, 2nd Place - Shelia Thompson, 3rd Place - Pat Hiott Mason

Fine Art Aqua media on paper:

1st Place - Deborah King, 2nd Place - Deborah King

Fine Art Drawing Media-pastel: 1st Place: Barbara Brice

Textiles: 1st Place - Ramona Small

Pottery: 1st Place - Wilma Cantey, 2nd Place - Cris Sumpter

Mixed Media 3D: 1st Place - Pat Kopt, 2nd Place - Don Ward
3rd Place - Gary Cline

Jewelry: 1st Place - Linda Kirk, 2nd Place - Jim Nicklaus

Photography: 1st Place -John Nickerson, 2nd Place - Joanna Bionddolillo
3rd Place - Joanna Bionddolillo

Wood Working: 1st Place - Paul Kaplowitz, 2nd Place - Anna Ruggiero

Glass: 1st Place: Michelle Blank

Mayors Purchase Award: Elizabeth McCarthy

Karen Stringer Award: Andie Weathers

Best in Show: Andie Weathers

Peoples Choice Award: Wilma Cantey

Other News:

North Charleston Arts Festival Participation Opportunities: Applications for Artists (Music, Dance, Theatre, Visual Arts, Photography, Crafts, Media Arts, and Literature) to perform, present, exhibit, lecture, etc. in the 2012 North Charleston Arts Festival, May 4-12, will be available on November 1, 2011. Download the application from the Cultural Arts section at www.northcharleston.org or call the Cultural Arts Department at 843-740-5854 to request a print copy. Deadline for submission of application: January 4, 2012

2011 - 2012 Calendar of Events

Blessing of the Vines - Irvin House Vineyards - Wadmalaw Island - Saturday November 12, 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Set up starts at 11:00. Booth fee is \$10.00 and will be collected once vendors are set up. The Guild has been allotted 25 spaces as of 9/29/11. We will assign spaces as a first come first serve basis from the sign up sheet. All of those who have signed up 26 and up will be put on the waiting list for now.

Folly Beach Christmas Parade - Folly River Park - Saturday, December 10th. Show hours are 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Set up starts at 8:00 am. No parking on Center Street to allow for the parade to come through.

Dates / Info to Come: Please note these on your calendar

More information on the events below will be available at a later date.

Folly Gras Parade - February - confirmed date to come from City Hall

Tides of March - March 17 -18 - Dates are confirmed, show info to come

Sea and Sand Festival - March 24th - Date is confirmed, show info to come

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 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.
- Beginning in January 2012, show sign ups will be done via application. Please be sure to pick up one at the next meeting for anyshows on the calendar for 2012. Applicaitons will also be available on our