

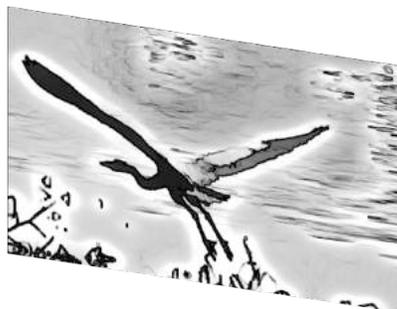


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## Silver Linings

Skies...moonlit, stormy, sunny edges...  
light on clouds creating very special  
effects - *silver linings*.

Emphasizing the hopeful, the good, even  
just the shiny side of life, this exhibition  
shows the depths of our members  
imagination and creativity.



## 2018 CALENDAR DATES OF INTEREST

*Tuesday, May 1*

**“Silver Linings” Intake/Pickup for  
Garden Gifts**

10:00a – 2:00pm

Please have all paperwork & payment ready.

*Friday, May 4*

**“Silver Linings” Opening Reception  
5:00pm to 7:00pm**

*Wednesday, May 16*

**Washer Jewelry with Edilu Nehrbas**

6:30pm – 8:30pm

Members save \$10 at Registration

*Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup>*

**Horseshoe Crab & Shorebird Festival**

10am to 4pm

MAG will have a booth. We’re looking for  
volunteers to help during the day. Contact Sue  
Dutton or Sandee Duncan



**A Different Kitchen**

Pan Asian Comfort Food

Milton’s Newest Hot Spot is  
the sponsor for our Silver  
Linings Exhibition!

You won’t want to miss this!

## 2018 Exhibition Calendar

Here are the themes and dates for the 2018 gallery exhibitions. We encourage everyone to participate. So grab anything you use to produce beautiful art and **CREATE!** Whether you are an emerging artist or a professional, don't miss your chance to display your works in our gallery! Asterisk (\*) denotes Judged Shows.

May 1 - June 5 – <i>Silver Linings</i>
June 8 - July 10 – <i>Summertime Minis</i>
July 10 - Aug. 14- <i>Fur, Fins, &amp; Feathers</i>
Aug. 14-Aug. 31- <i>Secret 8X8 Fundraiser</i>
Sept. 4 – Oct. 23 – <i>Family of Man</i>
Oct. 26 – Dec. 4 – <i>Dusk to Dawn*</i>
Dec. 8 – Jan. 1 – <i>Holly Days</i>

Please note: MAG uses a prospectus, specific to each exhibit for entries into exhibitions. We have prospectus for each show now available on the website. Framing restrictions, important dates, tagging information, entry form, and other details are covered in this document. Reminders of drop off & pick up dates are on Facebook, website, and an email blast.

## Artful Touch Schedule for 2018

(Dates/Classes are subject to change)

May 16 – Jewelry with Edilu Nehrbas  
June 20 – Acrylic Negative Painting with Kathy Fessenbecker  
July 18 - Iris Paper Folding with Sandee Duncan  
August 15 – Photo Transfer on Wood with Deny Howeth  
September 19 – Nature Inspired Acrylic/Mixed Media with Liz Miceli  
October 17- Mounting Art on Wood Blocks with Sally Reed  
November 14 – Zendoodle with Barbara Buford

Register online or by phone with Ginny Barney at 302.236.8225 or [ginnybarney2013@gmail.com](mailto:ginnybarney2013@gmail.com) or Kathy Fessenbecker at 727.421.9530 or [kfess14@gmail.com](mailto:kfess14@gmail.com). PayPal payment available at [www.MiltonArtsGuild.org](http://www.MiltonArtsGuild.org).  
Fee: MAG members \$30 in advance, for non-members & at the door members \$40.

## Member News

43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Angola by the Bay Craft Show. Saturday, July 21, 9am-3p. Call for artists. This well-attended show is set up under the trees so a tent is not necessary. Vendor fee is \$40. Call 302-549-4877 or email [abtbcraftshow@yahoo.com](mailto:abtbcraftshow@yahoo.com) for additional information. Located off of Angola Road, ½ mile east of Route 24.

Don't forget to pick up your 8x8 canvas for our annual fundraising exhibition – Secret 8x8! August 14 will creep up faster than you think! Canvases available at the gallery, just sign out. Remember entries don't need frames! You may enter up to 4 pieces.

Milton Horseshoe Crab Festival...check with Sue Dutton and Sandee Duncan for Details! We will be raffling a basket of Art Supplies to hopefully get them in the tent!

## DOCENT VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED!

Surround yourself with inspiring artwork! Be a Docent! Our Gallery showcases our artists' talents. Sales help keep the lights on and pay the rent, yet the Gallery can only be open when someone is at the helm. Please contact Sharon Hammesfahr at [sharonhammesfahr@gmail.com](mailto:sharonhammesfahr@gmail.com) or call at 302.270.1216 to volunteer. Manning the Docent chair is great way to spend the day from 11am – 3pm. Paint and create while meeting new people! Training is simple, commonsense a must, and help is only a call away!



MAG Artful Touch Classes are \$30 for MAG members if prepaid. For Non-members or Members who have not prepaid, the cost is \$40. Classes run approximately 2 hours. Register on the MAG website [www.miltonartsguild.org](http://www.miltonartsguild.org) and pay with PayPal or contact Ginny Barney at 302.236.8225 or [ginnybarney2013@gmail.com](mailto:ginnybarney2013@gmail.com) or Kathy Fessenbecker at 727.421.9530 or [kfess14@gmail.com](mailto:kfess14@gmail.com).

## May's Artful Touch

May 16, 2018

### Jewelry with Edilu Nehrbas

Make your own Bling! Edilu guides you through the process of making your own Washer Jewelry.

Learn how to decorate and embellish washers to make earrings, pendants, and more.

Supplies will be provided.

Everyone goes home with decorated washers. These will need to dry overnight and be finished at home.

*MAG Artful Touch classes explore new techniques & topics in a "no pressure" environment making these classes a great way to try something new. Get to know your fellow MAG members and future members in a welcoming atmosphere while learning together.*

## -NEW GALLERY PROCEDURES-

A new procedure for small works, jewelry, pottery, and any other artworks displayed in the gallery outside of exhibitions is now in place. Please double check with the docent to ensure you are filling out the form correctly. If you have questions, contact Donna Sheppard at [ggshep16@gmail.com](mailto:ggshep16@gmail.com).

## MAG Bites

### Minis make you think!

Over the past 18 months, I have been amazed at the upsurge of "Mini" shows. These exhibitions feature only small works with strict size limitations. I've personally been in 3 during 2017/18. There are many apparent reasons for the popularity. Smaller works usually mean more affordable pricing, and hopefully more sales.

Thinking "small" can be a challenge, but I've found it strangely, a little bit freeing. I concentrate more on composition and color, frankly all the elements of design to fit in that small space.

Our upcoming Exhibition - Summertime Minis - has a size restriction of 10" maximum in either direction. That means the always popular 8x10 works! Plus in this show, you are allowed 4 entries! All entries need to be properly framed and wired.

## WELCOME NEW MEMBER(S)!

RIMA DENHAM, MAUREEN DIRKS, MARY ELLEN EDGE,  
AND ANNETTE WELLER

Reminder New Members: Please request acceptance for Facebook Milton Arts Guild Members Page.



Thanks to Liz Miceli for a great demo Preview of her upcoming Artful touch at the April Member Meeting!



## “Loose Luminous, and Colorful!” - Watercolors with Marie Natale

Leave the tight, drab, laborious style behind. Create fabulous, glowing results like never before.

Paint with ease and add interest and energy to your paintings. Whether new to painting or already a watercolor enthusiast, Marie guides this journey of exploring your inner artist, showing a fearless method of using the vibrancy of color, and understanding the importance of color theory and value contrasts in your work.

Be amazed at the fresh, clean and luminous results when using color triads, proper brush techniques and the direct painting method. Marie is known for her friendly teaching style, making classes both fun and informative. Discover the joy only this wonderful painting medium provides and dispel any fears of its difficulty.

Each day will feature a new subject:

Landscapes and Buildings - Value and Contrast creating Distance

Skies, Boats, and Water Reflections

Adding People in your paintings

**Monday June 25 thru Wednesday, June 27 - 9:30am to 4pm (1 hour lunch break)**

Class size limited to 20 people. Location: Milton Fire Hall

Tuition for 3 day class \$275 for MAG Members \$300 for Non Members

Go to [www.miltonartsguild.org](http://www.miltonartsguild.org) for register and pay via paypal or

Contact Lynda Rae Gannon at 302.632.7868 or [Lyndaraeg@gmail.com](mailto:Lyndaraeg@gmail.com).

Supply lists will be sent after registration.

From 12 years old, Marie Natale developed her artist talent, earning a Master degree in Art Education from Rowan University. A lifelong love affair with creativity and art garnered Marie a variety of achievements. Marie taught in the public school system for ten years, and won the acclaimed “Teacher of the Year Award”. Marie currently teaches watercolor privately at her home studio as well as at the Ocean City Art Center in Ocean City, NJ, Cape May, community centers, and art guilds throughout the East Coast and abroad.

Sharing knowledge of art theory and design as well as techniques in this exciting medium brings Marie full circle. She is a signature member of both NJWCS and Philadelphia WCS, Board member of NJWCS, published in Splash 17, and won numerous awards. Marie says her goal in life is using her talents to make the world a brighter place and sharing the joy art brings into her life.

**THERE ARE STILL SLOTS AVAILABLE FOR THIS WORKSHOP, BUT REGISTER SOON, IT’S FILLING UP FAST!**

**PLEASE NOTE: BARBARA BUFORD’S COLLAGE WORKSHOP HAS BEEN CANCELLED. WE WILL SHARE RESCHEDULING WHEN FINALIZED.**



## NEW FRAMED CANVAS SALE

**Floater Frames with unfinished edge with a linen canvas included at a bargain price. All instructions and hardware included. Available at the Gallery while supplies last!**

**24 X 24** (RETAIL \$45.00)

**MAG PRICE: \$30.00**

**20 X 20** (RETAIL \$35.00)

**MAG PRICE: \$21.00**

**10 X 14** (RETAIL \$20.00)

**MAG PRICE: \$15.00**

**6 X 8** (RETAIL \$15.00)

**MAG PRICE: \$12.00**

**Liz Miceli's generosity is allowing MAG to keep some of the profit from these sales. So you get a deal, MAG gets a windfall, and the world will get beautiful artwork because of her efforts! Next time you see Liz, give her a big thank you!**

## MAG Board of Directors

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*Please check the website for board member contact information*

*[www.miltonartsguild.org](http://www.miltonartsguild.org)*



# A Watercolor Workshop with Sean Callahan



## 3 Days of Discovery

Wed. September 12 thru Fri. September 14

9:30am to 4pm

(1 hour lunch break)

MAG Gallery, 310 Walnut Street, Milton, DE

Day 1 - Fins - Blue Crabs

Day 2 - Feathers - Kingfisher

Day 3 - Night Skies

Fee - \$325 MAG Member \$345 Non Member



Sean Callahan is an award-winning watercolor artist who also works in acrylic. He is the owner/operator of Dog Tired Studio in Key West, FL ([dogtiredstudio.net](http://dogtiredstudio.net)). A watercolor teacher for over 25 years, Sean conducts a very hands on, intimate class. "My goal as a teacher is for you find your own style and voice. Teaching what I know is sheer pleasure for me. I thoroughly enjoy it and get as much as I give," says Sean. This is Sean's 3<sup>rd</sup> workshop in the area. Don't miss your chance to learn from this exciting teacher! Class size is limited. Register today at [www.miltonartsguild.org](http://www.miltonartsguild.org).

## ARE YOU ON THE MAG Website GALLERY PAGE?

The MAG Website's Gallery Page is one of the many benefits of MAG. Your artwork and bio is on a public website where you can be seen. Many societies and guilds charge for member artwork and bios to be included on their websites, but MAG is FREE. We still have a long list of members without a bio and examples of artwork. If you are not listed on the Gallery page, send your bio & a .jpeg of your artwork to me at [Rpoore40@aol.com](mailto:Rpoore40@aol.com) or to Sue Dutton, at [docdutton@gmail.com](mailto:docdutton@gmail.com). Our Website page shows the caliber of our members, promotes you as an artist, and could result in sales for you. Please write your bio, attach JPEGs of your artwork, and send them to any board member. Need help? Contact a board member. We want EVERY member listed and promoted, but it all starts with you.

Please make a point to visit [www.miltonartsguild.org](http://www.miltonartsguild.org) to get started.

We have two (2) Facebook pages - a public page and a member's page. For the member page you must request inclusion. Information may vary on these pages, so please check both when surfing the net. Please "like" us on both...more Likes more Views! Plus feel free to "share" with your friends!

Register with Delaware Division of the Arts to join their Artist's Roster. Go to <https://arts.delaware.gov>, find the heading "artist" on the upper right corner of the Delaware Artist Roster home page, and click on "Register" to create an application for a new listing or "Log In" to edit existing listings.



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