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April 27, 5:00 PM



Eleventh Annual
Art Speaks

2024 Juried Exhibition
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Juror & Judge: Joe Gyurcsak

Joe Gyurcsak is a professional fine artist who paints a broad range of subject matter, including interiors, still lifes, figures, and landscapes. He has a keen sense for capturing the essence of his subject matter with a bold and candid approach. Joe exhibits in galleries across the country and his award-winning paintings are collected nationwide.



In describing his work, Joe says, "My paintings express a sense of light, atmosphere, and mood. They transcend the techniques that were employed to create them and breathe the very light and atmosphere they were painted in. I like to capture the fleeting moments of life, the sublime manifestations of light and color, their aesthetic influences on the subject."

Since 1998, Joe has been the Resident Artist/Brand Manager for Blick/Utrecht Art Supplies. He has authored many painting articles and is an art materials expert. Joe also travels extensively conducting lectures, painting demonstrations, and workshops throughout the United States. In addition to serving as this year's juror and judge, The Bay School is fortunate to have Joe teach various painting workshops on occasion.

Joe apprenticed at the Johnson Atelier Sculpture Foundation, and studied at Kean University and Parsons School of Design. Ultimately, he earned a BFA from the New York School of Visual Arts. His current gallery representation includes Artful Deposit in Bordentown, New Jersey; Edward Montgomery Gallery in Carmel, California; Hagan Fine Art Gallery in Charleston, South Carolina; and Troika Gallery of Fine Art in Easton, Maryland.

2024 Art Speaks Exhibition Awards

Best in Show (\$1500)

Honoring the Life and Work of Wendy Wells

Given by Friends of The Bay School

Two-Dimensional

First Place (\$750)

The Dorothy Gould Abare Award

Given by Eric and Patty Rosenberg

Second Place (\$500)

The Martha Anne King Award

Remembering Martha Anne King

Given by Friends and Family of Martha Anne King

Third Place (\$300)

In Memory of Linda Walker

Given by Robert Walker

Three-Dimensional

First Place (\$750)

The Chris McCann Award

Given by Josephine B. Thorpe

Second Place (\$500)

The Gene White and Diane Driscoll Award

Given by Lisa and Jay White

Third Place (\$300)

In Memory of Claire Jones

Given by Mary Callis Pope

Awards of Support

Students' Choice Award for 2D (\$250)

In Honor of Mathews Teachers

Given by Tom and Marti Bowen

Students' Choice Award for 3D (\$250)

In Honor of Our Children

Given by Mac and Gay Butler

RAL Art Center Award (\$250)

Selected by Sharon Stone, Executive Director

Given by RAL Art Center

Richmond Clayworks Award (\$250)

For Ceramic Excellence

Given by Clayworks of Richmond

Patron's Award (\$250)

In Memory of Mary C. Rowe

Given by Bill and Roxanna Andersen

Founder's Award (\$250)

Continuing the Legacy

Given by Patrick Finn and Wendy Wells-Finn

Awards of Merit (\$50 Each)

Mary Ann and David Carr

Rita and Page Cutter

Pam and Jeff Doss

Ruth and Tim Morgan

Stephanie Ruff

2024 Art Speaks Juried Exhibition



Silas Baker
Inner Turmoil
Spray Paint & Texture Medium - 37 x 37 - \$2,053



Clark Ball
Seabreeze
Digital Collage - 20 x 20 - \$200



Coakley Brown
On the Hard
Oil - 12 x 16 - \$1,350



Coakley Brown
Sea Farms, Inc.
Oil - 8 x 16 - \$1,180



Hunter Banks
Red Oak in Marsh at Bayside Landing
Oil - 14.25 x 11.25 - \$500



Jack Banks
Painkatank Storms
Acrylic - 5 x 6.25 - \$480



Andrew Bryant
Looking Down Onto the Street
Manipulated Photography - 18 x 24 - \$300



Jennifer Carpenter
Me As a Tree
Colored Pencil - 20 x 10 - \$750



Joan Bevelaqua
Two
Oil - 38 x 48 - \$2,000



Catherine Bond
Fairy Path
Bead Embroidery - 8 x 8 - \$220



Jessica Clampet
Change Bringer
Mixed Paints & Copper Leaf - 36 x 36 - \$550



Jessica Clampet
Time Walker
Acrylic & Oil Paint with Gold Leaf - 22 x 22 - \$350



Barbara Brennan
Beaver Moon and Jupiter Over the Potomac
Photography - 19.5 x 25.5 - \$250



Hannah Brinckley
Rooftop Bar
Digital Photography - 14 x 11 - \$125



Terry Cox-Joseph
Sea Turtle Universe
Acrylic - 24 x 18 - \$395



Alicia Daily
Blues Fountain
Stoneware Ceramic - 17 x 17 x 8 - \$275

2024 Art Speaks Juried Exhibition



Lisa Devore
Paradise
Oil Pastel on Paper - 20.5 x 20.5 - \$400



Carolyn Dudley
Snowy Creek
Oil - 12 x 16 - \$500



Holland Etheridge
Chicken Dinner
Watercolor - 28 x 36 - \$3,700



Jan Finn-Duffy
Daisy, Daisy
Watercolor - 9 x 12 - \$420



James Dylan
Illuminator
Acrylic - 24 x 40 - NFS



James Dylan
Robert Plant
Pencil - 9 x 13.5 - NFS



Jordan Flower
Garnett's
Acrylic - 12 x 9 - \$700



Kay Franz
Oval Textured Vessel
Ceramic - 8 x 11 x 11 - \$395



Lyle Eesley
Bear Foot'en in Svalbard
Photography - 16 x 29 - \$350



Lyle Eesley
Fly Fishing
Photography - 16 x 29 - \$295



Kay Franz
Small Textured Vessel
Ceramic - 8.5 x 8 x 8 - \$275



Kamryn Fyock
Sunset at the Cologne Cathedral
Digital Photography - 11 x 14 - \$150



Lyle Eesley
Morning Mist on Lake Wörther (Austria)
Photography - 20 x 28 - \$295



Mary Ellis
Breakthrough After Storm
Acrylic - 34 x 34 - \$1,000



Bernadette Goudelock
Echoes of an Ancient Tree
Photography - 18 x 12 - \$350



Martha Hayes
Cedar Waxwing
Ceramic - 7 x 5 x 4 - \$350

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Martha Hayes
Prismatic Sunrise
Horsehair Raku Ceramic - 6.75 x 5 x 10 - \$165



Lee Hazelgrove
Gathering Bowl
Saggar-Fired Stoneware - 12 x 22 x 14 - \$375



James Warwick Jones
Bianka
Acrylic - 24 x 20 - \$2,500



James Warwick Jones
Shirley
Acrylic - 20 x 16 - \$2,000



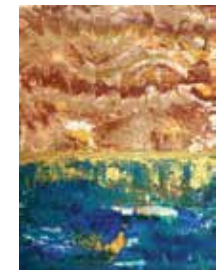
Sue Henshaw
Sea Dreams
Stoneware Ceramic - 17 x 7 x 7 - \$500



Mary Huennekens
Café Beans
Quilted Cotton - 20 x 20 - \$225



James Warwick Jones
St. James Church, Avebury, England
Acrylic - 14 x 11 - \$2,000



Elizabeth Joseph
Peaceful Terra
Oil - 10 x 8 - NFS



Mary Huennekens
Tropical II
Quilted Cotton - 12 x 12 - \$125



Petya Ivanova
A Moment to Hold
Oil on Canvas - 12 x 36 - \$1,950



Jo Kennedy
Ode to Santa Fe
Mixed Media Painting - 24 x 24 - \$750



John Latell
Jesus and Justinian
Dyed Cork, Wood, Steel - 18 x 13 - \$450



Petya Ivanova
We Shall Meet in the Place Where There Is No Darkness
Oil on Canvas - 30 x 48 - \$4,880



Chris Jeanguenat
The Story of Winter
Chalk Paint & Acrylics - 36 x 49 - \$4,500



Sue Maida
Tangled
Photography - 34 x 26 - \$200



Katherine Maloney
Bharal Sheep Censer
Ceramic - 7.75 x 7.25 x 4.5 - \$680

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Colette Mann
The Big One
Mixed Media Mosaic - 16.5 x 21 - \$1,250



Lindsay Manzlak
Honeymoon Breakfast
Oil on Canvas - 20 x 20 - \$2,000



Leslie Messersmith
Maine Coast Teapot
Stoneware Ceramic - 7.5 x 9 x 7.5 - \$325



Cheryl Mihills
Take Flight
Punchneedle Embroidery - 8 x 10 - \$3,800



Lindsay Manzlak
Vada's Camellia
Oil on Canvas - 20 x 20 - NFS



Brent Marshall
Woven Glass Form
Glass - 5 x 24 x 12 - \$4,000



Gregory Millsagle
Wish You Were?
Watercolor - 15 x 22 - \$2,300



Shalina Mitchell
Davila
Oil - 48 x 60 - \$7,000



Linda Marshall
The Artist
Oil on Board - 35 x 26 - \$1,200



Linda Marshall
Into the Garden
Oil on Board - 32 x 24 - \$800



Kathryn Murray
Reflected Misty Sunrise
Photography - 24 x 16 - \$290



Sally Nelson
The Bay As I See It
Oil on Cradled Wood Panel - 16 x 16 - \$1,000



Judith Mays
Best-Day-Ever!
Oil on Canvas Panel - 14 x 11 - NFS



Sandra McClelland-Lewin
Crowned Cranes
Acrylic & Metallic Gold Paint - 24 x 24 - \$650



Kathleen Noffsinger
River Marsh Egrets
Oil & Cold Wax on Board - 11.25 x 11.25 - \$850



Nathan Pope
East From Johnville
Pastel - 9 x 12 - \$350

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Nancy Pritchett-Gustafson
Blue Paisley Swirl
Acrylic on Board - 14 x 11 - NFS



Elaine Quick
Virginia Morning Fog #1
Oil on Wood Panel - 13 x 13 - \$495



Robert Swiger
Not Flesh Not Bone
Digital Art - 43 x 24 - \$750



Brenda Sylvia
Montana Morning
Acrylic - 24 x 30 - \$2,200



Susan Rosen
Night Music
Acrylic - 24 x 24 - \$800



Peggy Shifflett
Yellow Octo
Ceramic - 9 x 14 x 7 - \$125



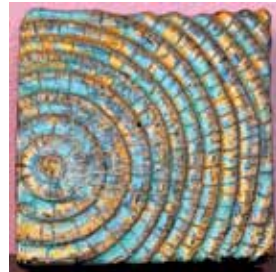
Brenda Sylvia
The Tidelands
Acrylic - 24 x 30 - \$2,200



Eddie Thiel
The Ground and The Fury
Oil on Canvas - 24 x 18 - \$400



Sheila Simons
Waiting My Turn
Graphite Pencil - 18 x 12 - NFS



Nicole Smith
#2
Paint over Shou Sugi Ban Technique - 4 x 4 x 1.5 - \$50



Bonnie Thomas
Path to Cognole
Acrylic - 20 x 16 - NFS



Kelli Thompson
Dainty Bee
Photography - 16 x 24 - \$150



Ray Stubblebine
Moonrise in Joshua Tree National Park
Photography - 12 x 16 - \$325



Robert Swiger
Fractured
Digital Art - 37 x 28 - \$900



Kelli Thompson
Manifest Decay
Photography - 24 x 16 - \$150



Kelli Thompson
Misty-Eyed
Photography - 16 x 24 - \$150

2024 Art Speaks Juried Exhibition



Karen E. Thuermer
Camellias, Witch Hazel & Cats Tails
Oil - 8 x 10 - \$1,100



Nancy Walsh
Three Bales of Hay
Mixed Media - 18 x 14 - \$350



Jo You
Ginkgo Biloba
Digital Art - 12 x 9 - \$55



Robert Voigt
Levitation
Wood - 22 x 11 x 4 - \$250



Katie Witowski
Drop the Rock
Oil - 19 x 23 - \$400

Participating Artists and Locations

Silas Baker	Hampton	John Latell	Weems
Clark Ball	Richmond	Sue Maida	Williamsburg
Hunter Banks	Wake	Katherine Maloney	Shacklefords
Jack Banks	Wake	Collette Mann	Chesapeake
Joan Bevelaqua	Williamsburg	Lindsay Manzlak	Newport News
Catherine Bond	Williamsburg	Brent Marshall	Irvington
Barbara Brennan	Arlington	Linda Marshall	Irvington
Hannah Brinckley	Virginia Beach	Judith Mays	Williamsburg
Coakley Brown	Henrico	Sandra McClelland-Lewin	Dumfries
Andrew Bryant	Richmond	Leslie Messersmith	Mechanicsville
Jennifer Carpenter	Christiansburg	Cheryl Mihills	Irvington
Jessica Clampet	Portsmouth	Gregory Millslagle	Toano
Terry Cox-Joseph	Newport News	Shalina Mitchell	Portsmouth
Alicia Daily	Locust Hill	Kathryn Murray	Warsaw
Lisa Devore	Fairfax	Sally Nelson	Richmond
Carolyn Dudley	Gloucester	Kathleen Noffsinger	Hartfield
James Dylan	Gloucester	Nathan Pope	Dunnsville
Lyle Eesley	Hampton	Nancy Pritchett-Gustafson	Mathews
Mary Ellis	Wicomico Church	Elaine Quick	Toano
Holland Etheridge	Hampton	Susan Rosen	Staunton
Jan Finn-Duffy	Mathews	Peggy Shifflett	Mechanicsville
Jordan Flower	Mechanicsville	Sheila Simons	Newport News
Kay Franz	Richmond	Nicole Smith	Newport News
Kamryn Fyock	Bristow	Ray Stubblebine	Mathews
Bernadette Goude-lock	Richmond	Robert Swiger	Hampton
Martha Hayes	Hallieford	Brenda Sylvia	Reedville
Lee Hazelgrove	Richmond	Eddie Thiel	Mathews
Sue Henshaw	Mathews	Bonnie Thomas	Hartfield
Mary Huennekens	Saluda	Kelli Thompson	Mathews
Petya Ivanova	Virginia Beach	Karen E. Thuermer	Williamsburg
Chris Jeanguenat	Suffolk	Robert Voigt	Lanexa
James Warwick Jones	Williamsburg	Nancy Walsh	McLean
Elizabeth Joseph	Fredericksburg	Katie Witowski	Mathews
Jo Kennedy	Richmond	Jo You	Mathews

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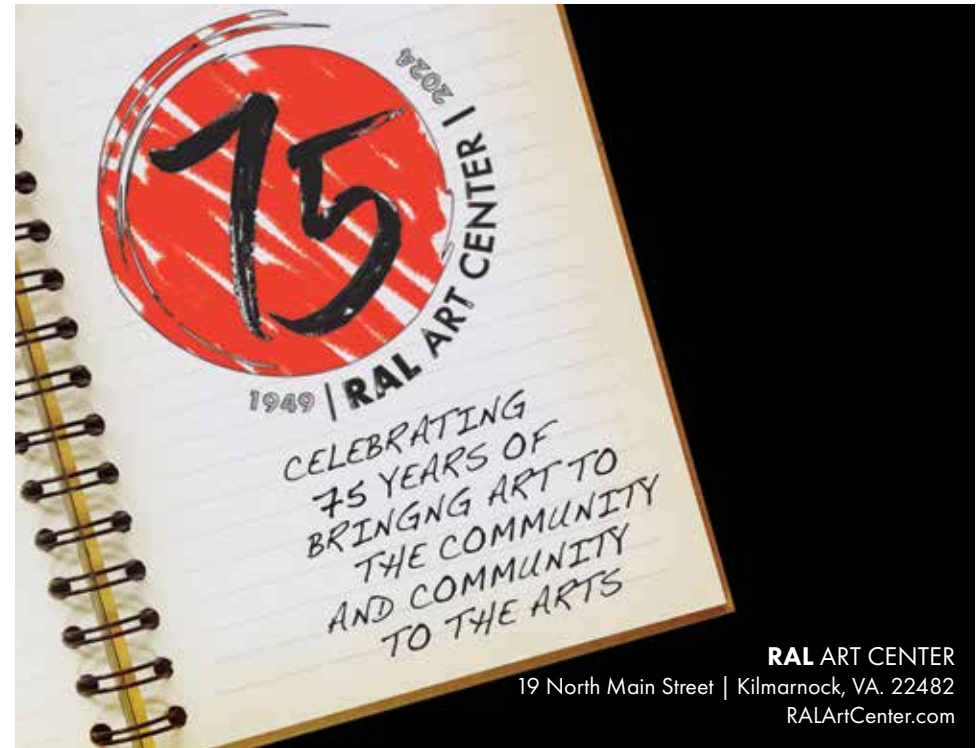
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*2024 Art Speaks Gallery
Exhibition Schedule*

Apr 27-May 27

Art Speaks Juried Exhibition
(Reception Apr 27, 5-7 pm)

May 31-Jun 24

Collaborative Creations
(Reception May 31, 5-7pm)

Jun 28-Jul 22

Summer Nights
(Reception Jun 28, 5-7 pm)

Jul 26-Aug 26

*An Artist's Journey & Student Art
Recognition Month*
(Reception Jul 26, 5-7 pm)

Aug 30-Oct 1

Time Machine
(Reception Aug 30, 5-7 pm)

Oct 4-28

Enchanted (Reception Oct 5, 4-6 pm)

Nov 1-Dec 31

Fired Up (Reception Nov 2, 4-6 pm)

2024 The Bay School Events Calendar

May 4

May Faire, Creative Open House

May 5

Faerie Tea

May 18

Tour de Chesapeake/Markets on Main
(9 am-3 pm)

Jun 1

Yard Sale

Jun 4

Mathews Paint Out (Part of the
Gloucester Arts Festival)

Jun 15

Markets on Main (9 am-3 pm)

Jul 18

Wine Tasting

Jul 20

Markets on Main (9 am-3 pm)

Aug 17

Ice Cream Bowls/Markets on Main
(9 am-3pm)

Sep 6-7

Mathews Market Days

Sep 28

The Bay School Gala & Art Auction

Nov 1

Backyard Halloween Party (5:30-9 pm)

Nov 13

Progressive Wine Dinner

Nov 13-Dec 31

Holiday Pop-Up Market

Nov 29-Dec 1, Dec 7

Made in Mathews Open Studio Tour

Dec 8

Empty Bowls

Dec 13

Holiday Night Market (5:00-8:00 pm)

Dec 14

Christmas Parade



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This overview provides descriptive information about the different sponsorships still available for 2024. Additional information regarding the costs and benefits of the various levels of sponsorships for each event are available by contacting Pam Doss at pamdoss@bayschool-arts.com or 804.725.1278.

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Faerie Tea (May 5) • Wine Tasting (Jul 18) • Progressive Wine Dinner (Nov 13)

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