

Main  
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# ART CENTER

## SPRING 2018

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Visual Art Education, Accessible Art,  
Exhibitions & Special Events,  
Gallery & Facility Rentals

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**SUMMER ART CAMP,  
PRE-TEEN & TEEN STUDIOS 2018**

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# GALLERY RENTALS

## HOST YOUR EVENT IN MAIN LINE ART CENTER'S GALLERIES!

*Receptions • Cocktail Parties • Mitzvahs • Showers • Intimate Weddings • Business Events*

With its mix of historical charm and contemporary flair, abundant natural light, and ever-changing backdrop of fine art, our galleries are a unique venue for your next special event. The Art Center is handicapped accessible and features 2 bathrooms, a full kitchen, and ample free parking. In warm weather, the Sensory Garden is a magical space for ceremonies or garden parties. Enhance your experience with a gallery talk or customized art workshop designed especially for your guests.

## MEETING SPACES

*Sales Presentations • Lectures • Board Meetings • Company Retreats*

The conference room is ideal for your next business meeting or presentation, comfortably accommodating 8-10 people. For larger meetings, presentations, and lectures, the Art Center's spacious main gallery, with audio-visual capabilities, will have you thinking outside of the box while surrounded by inspiring works of art!

## BUILD YOUR OWN CREATIVE EXPERIENCE

*Team Building • Girl's Night • Special Groups*

Let us design the perfect artistic experience for your group! Working alongside a professional artist, you'll create memories and masterpieces. You can work with our staff to create a truly customized event that you and your guests will remember long after you've left.

## CAPACITY

Cocktail reception using all galleries: 175  
Seated banquet using main gallery: 50  
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Auditorium style meeting in main gallery: 75  
Studios: 12-15 per studio

**FOR PRICING, TO SCHEDULE A TOUR, OR TO BOOK YOUR EVENT** please contact Allison Rossi, Development Assistant, at 610.525.0272, ext. 112.



# SUPPORT MLAC

## ACCESSIBLE ART SPOTLIGHT: PENNSYLVANIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

For 54 years, Main Line Art Center's Accessible Art Programs have provided unique educational experiences at little to no cost to individuals with physical and cognitive disabilities. The Accessible Art Programs take place at Main Line Art Center and within partnering non-profit organizations throughout Greater Philadelphia, such as Pennsylvania School for the Deaf. Since 2015, Main Line Art Center has collaborated with Pennsylvania School for the Deaf to provide all-day workshops for students of all ages. During each workshop, approximately 35 elementary, middle, and high school students work together to produce large-scale artwork that is publicly displayed throughout the community. Recently, students worked together to create a finger-knitted yarn installation that was displayed in Main Line Art Center's Sensory Garden through the summer of 2017.

Look for artwork created by participants in Main Line Art Center's Accessible Art Program on display this spring at our annual Accessible Art Exhibitions at the Center and within community partner locations, such as Ludington and Marple Libraries.



Funding is needed for Accessible Art Programs so that we can continue to provide these programs for little to no cost to participants as well as to provide tuition assistance to students facing financial hardship.

**Please visit  
[www.mainlineart.org](http://www.mainlineart.org)  
to make a donation  
today!**

### JOIN + SUPPORT

### WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

#### LEGACY SOCIETY

Creating a charitable legacy is an impactful act that costs nothing in your lifetime and ensures the progress and long-term success of Main Line Art Center for future generations. Please consider Main Line Art Center in your will. When you notify us about your bequest or intention for another type of planned gift, you become a member of our Legacy Society. In acknowledgement of your commitment to our vision of Art for Everyone, you will be invited to a special society only event and, should you choose, you will be recognized in Main Line Art Center communications.

#### DO YOU PAY PA BUSINESS TAX?

If so, your business can help children from lower-income households participate in Main Line Art Center's classes.

Main Line Art Center is an approved Educational Improvement Organization, which means you can reduce your company's PA tax liability by receiving tax credits for your donation to Main Line Art Center's programs for children.

For more information, please visit [www.newpa.com/eitc](http://www.newpa.com/eitc)

# EVENTS + EXHIBITIONS



Image: Mask Shops © James Abbott 2015

## PROFESSIONAL ARTIST MEMBERS EXHIBITION

January 12, 2017 – February 15, 2018

Main Line Art Center is proud to present the work of a selection of Professional Artist Members in our award-winning galleries. The juried exhibition features painters, photographers, sculptors, and mixed media artists from the Greater Philadelphia area.

## ART SUPPLY SWAP

Friday, March 2, 12:30-3:30 pm

Join Main Line Art Center this spring for an art supply swap! Bring the tools and supplies that have been collecting dust in your studio and leave with new and inspiring supplies to create your next masterpiece. All supplies that are not selected during the swap will be donated to a worthy charity.

## LOWER MERION INTERSCHOOL COUNCIL ART SHOW

February 24 – March 4

We are proud to open our galleries to the talented students of Lower Merion for their annual art exhibition.

## WHAT IS & WHAT IF: 14TH ANNUAL BETSY MEYER MEMORIAL EXHIBITION

March 12 – April 15

Opening Reception & Artist Talks:

Friday, March 16, 5:30-8 pm

Curated by Chelsea Markowitz,

Curator of Exhibitions

The 14th annual Betsy Meyer Memorial Exhibition features the 2018 Meyer Family Award for Contemporary Art recipients James B. Abbott (Photography | Ardmore, PA), Gregory Brellochs (Drawing | Philadelphia, PA), and Samantha Holmes (Mosaic, Sculpture & Installation | Bronx, New York).

## ACCESSIBLE ART EXHIBITIONS

Main Line Art Center (Welcome Gallery and 2nd Floor): April 3 – June 4

Ludington Library: April 1 – June 4

Marple Library: April 1 – May 28

We are proud to feature the inspiring work created by participants in Main Line Art Center's Accessible Art programs for children, teens, and adults with disabilities and underserved youth. For over 53 years, these programs have transformed thousands of lives, positioning the Art Center as a resource for individuals of all abilities in our community.

## SPRING EXHIBITION

April 29 – June 2

Art In Action Kick-off Celebration:

Saturday, April 28, 6:30-9 pm

The reimagined spring exhibition is a curated, community-based exhibit that will feature the work of a select group of artists. Each artist individually represents a single facet of our community, and together they embody our vision of art for everyone. The opening celebration on Saturday, April 28th, will be the kick-off to our scholarship drive, *Art in Action*, a crowdfunding campaign that will help us to increase the number of need-based scholarships we grant each year.

## SENSORY GARDEN PARTY

Saturday, June 2, 1-4 pm

Join us in the Sensory Garden as we celebrate the close of the Spring Exhibition and Accessible Art Exhibitions. During the party, the Art Center acknowledges students from local public and private schools who have been nominated by their art teachers to receive awards for artistic potential and excellence.

## ARTIST OPPORTUNITIES

Apply via [mainlineart.slideroom.com](http://mainlineart.slideroom.com)

• Spring Fever Craft Market: Deadline 3/13

• Welcome Gallery Exhibitions:  
- Andrea Snyder: 2/14-3/25



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# ART STAR

## ANDREA G. SNYDER

The first time Andrea G. Snyder taught an art class at Main Line Art Center, Gerald Ford was in the oval office, flared-leg floral jumpsuits were all the rage, and the first VHS tapes were introduced to the American public. Although much has changed since then, Andrea's commitment and enthusiasm for the Art Center remains the same. "Since 1975 when I was a high school art teacher in the Philadelphia school system, and I taught an evening crafts class at MLAC, it reminded me of my alma mater-Tyler School of Art -in its intimate and friendly environment."

Andrea's smiling face and exuberant voice have greeted students of all ages and skill levels in a variety of classes throughout the years and she continues to learn just as much from her students, as they do from her. "In teaching mixed media collage, printmaking, and paper surface design, I not only love seeing my students grow, but I find them educating me," she said.

She is a member of the Programming & Planning Committee and The Print, Paper, and Book Arts department and is involved in the Art Swap and many other volunteer opportunities that help to further the mission of the Center. Andrea's relationship with the Art Center has been a mutually beneficial one as the center has provided her with a community of warm & like-minded students and staff, and many long lasting friendships. Through her many experiences with Main Line Art Center, Andrea has seen how dedicated the staff, board of directors, and her fellow teachers are in enhancing the experience of all who want to be a part of the Main Line Art Center community.

You can register for one of Andrea's classes this Spring, which include:

**Mixed Media & Monotypes:  
Transfer Painting, Papers,  
and Textures with a Press**

Andrea G. Snyder  
8 Tuesdays | 4/3-5/22  
9:30 am-12:30 pm

**Image Transfer For Artists**

Andrea G. Snyder  
Saturday & Sunday,  
4/21 & 4/22  
10 am-3:30 pm

# SESSION CALENDAR

## FEBRUARY

- 6 Spring Session registration begins
- 14 Welcome Gallery Exhibition: Andrea Snyder | through 3/25
- 15 ARTZ Philly: For People with Dementia & Caregivers 11 am-12 pm
- 19 Art Center closed
- 24 Lower Merion Interschool Council Art Show | through 3/4

## MARCH

- 2 Art Supply Swap
- 12 *Betsy Meyer Memorial Exhibition* opens | through 4/15
- 13 Spring Fever Craft Market application deadline
- 16 Opening Reception for *Betsy Meyer Memorial Exhibition*, 5:30-8 pm
- 20 Early Registration for Spring Session ends
- 30 No classes
- 31 No classes

## APRIL

- 1 Art Center closed
- 3 Accessible Art Exhibitions open | through 6/4
- 2 Spring Session begins
- 10 Registration for Summer Adult Session begins
- 28 Spring Exhibition Opening & *Art In Action* Crowdfunding Campaign Kick-Off Celebration
- 29 Spring Exhibition opens | through 6/2

## MAY

- 5 Spring Fever Craft Market 10 am-5 pm
- 8 Lecture: Crafting Your Artist Bio
- 15 Lecture: Digital Artist in Residence Jenny Drumgoole - "The Truth Hurts: Comedy as Social Critique in video Performance Art"
- 26-28 Art Center closed

## JUNE

- 2 Sensory Garden Party 1-4 pm
- 3 Spring Session ends
- 6 Early Registration for Summer Adult Session ends
- 11 Summer Art Camp and Pre-Teen Studios begin
- 18 Summer Teen Studios begin
- 18 Summer Adult Session begins

