

Visual Artists of Welland

Inspiring Local Artists

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Visual Artists of Welland: Tuesday, November 8, 2022

Dear VAW Members!

This Newsletter is **chock full of information**! Please read thoroughly. Any questions, please contact Deedee or Pam.



- a) Ajith Vasu
- b) Karisa Young
- c) Sid Dillon
- d) Faith A. Gardner
- e) Carole Vincelette

Here are several things for your consideration:

Hazza!

1. Next General Meeting—Sunday, November 13th at 2 pm



- •at the Gallery Shop
- •\$5.00 for the 50/50
- •please bring a chair
 - we now have

55 members!

2. Sleigh Bells Art Show and Sale!

- set up of the GRID STANDS will be THURSDAY, November
 17 at 3 p.m.-6 p.m. ART WILL BE SET UP ON FRIDAY.
- if you can spare an hour or two, would you please consider helping set up the grids in the Hart Court



- ART SET UP will be
 FRIDAY, November 18
 between 10 a.m.-12:00
 p.m.; first come, first
 served!
- please share
 Facebook posts!

3. Black Friday: Friday, November 25th—

- the VAW Board Members met online on Sunday, November 6
- it was decided to have the one-day sale at the Gallery Shop: 10% off individual items \$50.00 and over
- if you are currently showing in the Gallery Shop and want to opt out of this one-day sale, please let Deedee and Pam know—no harm, no foul!

4. The VAW Website:

- especially if you are working at the Gallery Shop—if someone asks for anything specific that is not in the Gallery Shop, please **always** direct them to the VAW website
- if you opted for the extra \$10.00 presence on the website, please understand that it only works if you submit your 10 images!!! Lol!!!
- and Dani will upload your images as quickly as she can

5. Art on the Wall: located at the downtown library in Welland

- please contact Andrea MacGregor for further information re: availability to show your art--
- j.andreamac@gmail.com
- 6. Kim Van Stygeren:
 - if you are interested in renting a closed studio in Niagara Falls, please go to:
 - https://nfexchange.ca/hub/artist-studios
- 7. VAW Christmas Party! Friday, Dec. 9 at 7 p.m.
 - the VAW Board is planning the Christmas Party and it will be a lot of fun!!!



Chippawa Park Community Centre—90 First Ave., Welland

- we're ordering pizza from Volcano Pizzeria!
- a) Hawaiian

- c) vegetarian
- b) cheese and pepperoni
- d) meat lovers
- Board Members will provide the desserts
- Christmas Trivia is back!!! --groups of max 4 people
- we will have name tags and prizes!
- come out and have some great fun!



8. Christmas Blank Ornaments: will be for sale at

the General Meeting on November 13.

9. Seniors' Art Classes—are going very well!!!

Hazzah!



- Wallack's Art Supplies and Framing (Ottawa)—10% discount
- Great Signs and Graphics (Welland)—10% on orders over \$75
- The European Pantry (Welland)—10% on art supplies

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The Visual Artists of Welland 2022 Executive Board: Officers:

Co-Presidents: Deedee Alexandre and Pam Duncan

Treasurer: Marilyn Nevills **Secretary**: Stacey Duncan **Chairs**:

Website Manager: Danielle Robbins Membership: Tracy Greening Volunteers: Tom Messina Event Planner: vacant Marketing: vacant Member at Large: Tracy Greening / Liz Bird

Stay safe, sane, healthy, and happy!

Deedee and Pam