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**Artist Alley** 

August 12, 2014

# Welcome

Welcome to *Artist Alley*, Washington County Arts Council's electronic newsletter. We hope this publication will engage you with the arts in your community.

WCAC welcomes your ideas and support as it continues to take the lead in bringing together the community's art organizations to strengthen our region's arts culture.

For artist information, arts events, calls for art and more visit WCAC's web page... <a href="https://www.washingtoncountyarts.com">www.washingtoncountyarts.com</a>



Julie Maynard: Territory

August 1 - August 26, 2014





Opening Reception
Friday, Aug 1, 2014, 5pm - 7pm

# Julie Maynard: Territory

Exhibit continues through August 26, 2014.

## Exhibition hours are:

Tuesdays through Fridays, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturdays 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The gallery is closed on Sundays and Mondays.



Guitarist and singer Jeff Kercheval (right) was joined by percussionist Michael Frevert for the August 1st "Sounds of the Square" performance.





Ony Maybe "plays primiteive music primitively, making it look significantly more difficult than it is. Ony's voice is not that of reason." August 8th "Sounds of the Square" performance.

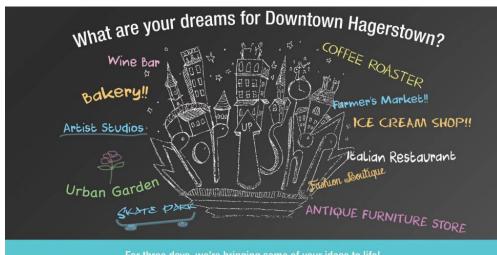
WCAC welcomes Washington County Public School New Educators at the Michael G Callas Memorial New Educators Reception 2014 North Hagerstown High School Monday, August 11, 2014





Maryland Symphony Orchestra welcomes
Michael "Mike" Harp as its new Patron Services
Manager. Most recently, Mike was a credit
services specialist with Citi in Hagerstown and
has served as a substitute teacher in
Washington County. Formerly the Director of
Admissions at Penn State Mont Alto and with
degrees in Theater and English, he has a
passion for education and an extensive
background in social media, database
management, and IT troubleshooting.





For three days, we're bringing some of your ideas to life!

Come downtown to enjoy and support our first Pop-Up Shop Event

August 22nd, 23rd and 24th

Friday, August 22 4 P.M. - 9 P.M. Saturday, August 23 12 P.M. - 8 P.M. Sunday, August 24 12 P.M. - 6 P.M.

Farmers and Artisan Market
Saturday, August 23 12 P.M. - 4 P.M.
Sunday, August 24 12 P.M. - 4 P.M.

www.downtownmovement.org

BRING BACK THE **HEART** 

**The Downtown Movement** invites artists to join the first Pop-Up event on August 22-24, 2014 for the first Downtown Movement en plein air opportunity. This is an occasion to demonstrate, network and exhibit.

Artists' hours are Saturday, August 23, 2014 from 12 noon until 4 PM and Sunday, August 24, from noon until 4 PM.

In case of inclement weather arrangements will be made to house the artists indoors.



Artists should RSVP and coordinate their

hours of participation with

Lesley Whalley at <a href="https://www.lesley.ukmln.com">lwhallo1@aol.com</a>. Deadline to apply is August 17, 2014.

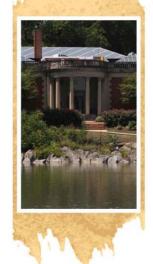
Sidewalk Artist Suzee White returns to Wind Down-Downtown Hagerstown, August 22, 2014!











# BUILD COMMUNITY...

Bring Public Art to the Most Beautiful City Park in America! Become Part of this Special Project!

The City of Hagerstown is partnering with the Maryland State Arts Council, Washington County Arts Council, Washington County Museum of Fine Arts, the Valley Art Association and the Barbara Ingram School for the Arts to bring public sculpture to our community. Local sculptor, Paul Rhymer, has been hired to create a bronze sculpture for placement in the lake at Hagerstown's City Park. The sculpture will be life size and be located just off shore in the lake to ensure maximum visibility from the lake walkway system. The sculpture is called "The Fishing Lesson."

City Park is iconic for parents taking their children to feed the fish. The sculpture not only mirrors the teaching relationship of parent and child, but also subtly educates about the chain of life and the importance of teaching self-sufficiency.

Although a number of groups have pledged to this project, additional funding will be necessary to ensure that the project becomes a reality. Please consider making a donation today.



QUESTIONS?

For more information call 301.739.8577, ext. 116 www.hagerstownmd.org

OFFICAL UNVEILING OF THE FISHING LESSON PUBLIC ART SCULPTURE IN CITY PARK WILL OCCUR AT 11 A.M. ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, DURING THE FALL FEST AT CITY PARK.

No matter what size gift you can make, all funds will help. Please consider making a donation today.



Enjoy Restaurant Weeks during August 3—16 at one or more of the following participating restaurants! Delicious menus and prices prepared just for you.

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BAREFOOT BERNIE'S

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SCHMANKERL STUBE

SCHULA'S GRILL, & CRAB HOUSE

THAI ZAP

WOODPOINT SEAFOOD GRILLE

www.hagerstownrestaurantweeks.com



Joseph A. Marschner, Chair, English and Humanities Division; Assistant Professor, Music/Drama in the English and Humanities Division of Hagerstown Community College has been named president of the board of HUB Opera Ensemble.

Washington County Museum of Fine Arts has announced Kay Palmateer as its new Collections and Exhibitions Manager. Ms. Palmateer, who replaces Jennifer Smith has served the Washington County Museum of Fine Arts for nearly three years, currently as Collections Technical Assistant and lead staff member for the complex three-year collections inventory project, which will be completed later this month. Ms. Palmateer holds s Graduate Certificate in Museum Collections Management and Care from George Washington University, Washington, D. C.; a Bachelor of Fine Arts, summa cum laude from University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Knoxville, TN, and a Bachelor of Science in Biology from University of Oregon, Eugene, OR.



"State of the Organization"/Membership Meeting
Aug 17, 2014 at 2:00pm at The Womens Club.
Show up and show your support for the Playmakers.



www.potomacplaymakers.org



The Washington County Arts Council, Inc. invites local artists working in <a href="mailto:any medium">any medium</a> to submit their best <a href="mailto:new">new</a> work for WCAC's "Annual Community Art Show: The Best Local Art of 2014." The juried community art exhibit will run from December 5, 2014 through December 30, 2014 with an opening reception on Friday, December 5 from 5pm to 7pm.

The 2014 Jurors are R. Benjamin Jones and Chris Tischer.

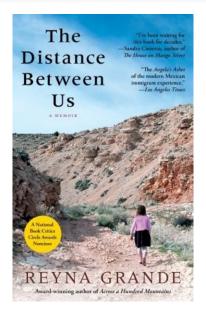
## **Guidelines and Entry Form**

For information contact Gallery Manager, Chris Brewer at gallerymanager@washingtoncountyarts.com or (301) 791-3132

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One Maryland One Book



The Maryland Humanities Council--One Maryland/One Book encourages Marylanders from across the state to read and discuss one common book to reconnect with literature and their communities. The 2014 One Maryland/One Book is "*The Distance Between Us: A Memoir*" by Reyna Grande. A timely topic, this book is a poignant memoir of life before and after entering the US from Mexico as an undocumented immigrant. Get a head start by reading this excellent account from the view of the child.

In its seventh year, **One Maryland/One Book** is designed to bring together diverse people in communities across the state through the shared experience of reading the same book. Readers are then invited to participate in book-centered discussions and other associated programs at public libraries, high schools, colleges and universities, museums, bookstores, and community and senior centers. Programs will take place each year in the fall. Watch for announcements from the **Washington County Free Library**.

# **Become a Member of the Arts Council Today!**



# Member

Your membership card identifies you as a member of the Washington County Arts Council and a patron of the arts in our community. Membership entitles you to a 10% discount on Gallery and The Gallery Shop purchases. To start enjoying the benefits of membership, just sign your name on your card.

Member Signature

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Click the link below for information on membership, classes, events and other opportunities: www.washingtoncountyarts.com/support-us/membership.html

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