



June 2017

BACS scholarship winner for 2017

Kelsie Patterson is the recipient of the 2017 BACS scholarship.

Louise Banner, scholarship chair, presented the award at the Citizens Scholarship Foundation awards ceremony on May 24. President **Sylvia**



Mallory was also present to congratulate Kelsie, who will be attending Salem State University. Kudos to Kelsie and best of luck from all of us at **BACS!**

BACS dues...

Membership renewals are due. Please send \$30 for individual or \$35 for family to PO Box 604, Bedford MA 01730.



to our newest members:

Nancy Allen: wnallen@rcn.com
Jude Dehart: jude.dehart@comcast.net
Naomi Dogan: drnaomidogan@gmail.com
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Programs for 2017-2018

The board is currently planning an exciting season of programs for 2017-2018. We will have three programs devoted to demonstrations, plus three crafting workshops. Details will follow soon. . . .

CLASSES FOR FALL 2017

Once again we'll be co-sponsoring some classes and workshops in the fall. **Nan Rumpf** (watercolor) and **Valeria Lanza** (mixed media studio) will continue with their classes. Further info will follow in the August newsletter.

WEDNESDAY CRAFTING

Jane Franklin and Company have planned a great series of crafting workshops for our Wednesday afternoon get-togethers at the COA. Join the fun at 2:00! The current plans take us through mid-July:

June 7: Collage on Canvas
June 14: Experiment with Quilling
June 21: Bring Your Own Project
June 28: Card Making with **Sandi Rosenfeld**
July 5: Bring Your Own Project
July 12: Wire-Wrapped Sea Glass and More with **Dawn Warrington**
July 19: Mat Cutting and Framing Basics

Members' work on display

Congratulations to **Maria Green** and **Sylvia Mallory**, whose work appears in the current "Collections" exhibit at Grace Chapel, Lexington. The gallery is open Thursdays, 2:00-5:00 pm, and is also accessible on Sundays, during service times, and whenever the church building is open.



Kudos, too, to **Judi Babcock**, who has some of her paintings on display at the Short Stop Café on Loomis Street in town. If you are interested in exhibiting your work at the café in the future, contact Judi for details.

A shout-out as well to **Naomi Dogan**, who recently had two paintings on exhibit at the Lexington Arts and Crafts Society.

Town Center members' exhibit – a chance to show your work!

On Tuesday, June 13, BACS members will be changing the artwork exhibit in the Flint Room and in the COA's Computer Room. If you have not displayed your artwork before, this is a great opportunity to show your work to the community at large.

Dropoff time is 10 AM to noon. Art must be wired in the back and ready to hang. We can't hang art equipped with sawtooth hooks. Artwork will be on display until Nov.

Questions? Contact **Marietta Ellis**.

BEDFORD DAY RAFFLE—CAN YOU CONTRIBUTE?

We are looking for quality items and services for our Bedford Day raffles. If you can contribute a painting, a craft item, or a one-on-one lesson, we would be so grateful. You would get loads of publicity—and *love!* Contact **Sylvia Mallory** if you can contribute to this cause, which benefits our annual scholarship fund.

As usual, handmade items for the crafts tables are also welcome.

Also for Bedford Day...



We're looking for volunteers to transport tents, tables, for-sale

items, etc., on the morning of September 23. Help is also needed for setting up and taking down the tables, tents, etc. Contact **Sylvia** if you can lend a hand. We also need jewelry boxes for our crafts tables; let us know if you have any to spare.

Don't forget the Art Show



Also, think of what you might display at the annual Regional Art Show on September 22-23. This is a community art exhibition, so join with other local artists

and crafters to showcase your work and the region's collective talent. Check our website, www.bacsma.org, for the entry form and to learn about the categories for display.

Members' page on BACS website

Do you know about our members-only page on the BACS website? The password is simply "Bedford." Look there for the following handy forms, all downloadable:

- Bedford Day fair application with instructions
- BACS membership form 2017-2018
- Entry form for the 2017 Art Show
- BACS expense reimbursement form
- Form for displaying art at the Flint Room/COA Computer Room

It's summer!!

I will be at the beach! No newsletter in July. Happy summer!



-- Lisa