

# Colorspots

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Newsletter of the Calvert Artists' Guild



CALVERT ARTISTS' GUILD  
P. O. Box 602  
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*The newsletter is published every other month. The next scheduled newsletter is due in April. Please submit items to the newsletter editor by March 15. If you are participating in a show, have won an award, or have any other information to share, please send it to [baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net](mailto:baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net) and we'll include it in the newsletter. Thanks!*

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*The Calvert Artists' Guild is affiliated with the Arts Council of Calvert County (ACCC)*

## Prez Notes

Hi again Everyone!

We had a pretty good beginning to the year. Membership renewal is commencing apace and we are getting new members as well. The Tie-Dye Workshop in January was a blast! We had six participants in the workshop and everyone took home multiple shirts, each as unique and colorful as the personality that created them. For those of you that have not seen the results, you can find them on the CAG Facebook page. If you are a member of Facebook stop by the CAG page and check them out. For those of you not on Facebook, please check out a few photos of the shirts in the Workshop article later in this Newsletter.



In February we had a good turn out for a great meeting at our new Asbury-Solomons location. The upcoming show was discussed as well as the Student Art Award, which is being chaired most capably by Kay Simpkins. The meeting was followed by an informative presentation by Gerry Wood on composition and design. Thanks to everyone that brought the goodies! So in closing, if you haven't renewed your membership, please renew now!

Your Prez,  
Lonnie

## JANUARY WORKSHOP

# The Rocking Tie-Dye Review

On January 21, 2013 there was a rocking workshop held at the Mount Hope Community Center in Sunderland, MD with the main act being Mike and Virginia Richardson of "Yes, Virginia Creations"! Virginia started the show with a bouncy rendition of "Tie-Dye Spiral" and finished with a rousing "Tie-Dye a Heart". Several other hopping numbers were thrown in between, such as the well-received "Polka Dots All Over" blues and the more sedate "Tie-Dye a Peace Sign" Tie-Dye Polka!

Following Virginia's performance Mike took center stage with his Amazing Technicolor Dye Bin and started slinging dyes on to the shirts with wild abandon! Bottles were flying in and out of the storage bins while Mike played the color wheel like the seasoned pro that he is. The dye flowed and the colors bloomed as we watched and learned from the Master!

With the main acts complete, the audience was compelled to join in and then there was a spirited free-for-all jam session where we all proceeded to let our creativity flow just as fast as the dye. Hearts, Peace Signs, Stripes, and rocking free form designs were the result. Everyone left the show with several self-made mementos of the show. The next day was followed by lots of rinsing and washing at the homes of the audience members. The results were one of the most colorful in Calvert Artists' Guild history! Dye On!!!





MARCH 9-10, 2013

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# MARCH SPRING SHOW

Our Spring Show will be held at Asbury-Solomons Auditorium, Solomons. We will set up on Friday, March 8th and take down on Sunday, March 10th. This is our second show at Asbury-Solomons Auditorium. The June 2012 show was very successful and we found this to be an advantageous facility. Set up will be on Friday, March 8th at 4:00 -7:00 p.m. and take down will be on Sunday, March 10 at 5:00 p.m. All CAG artists are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to exhibit and sell their art. This facility offers more space than the Annmarie Garden Gallery. There is NO COMMISSION charged to the artists. We will be able to use multiple screens and many tables. Spacing is grandiose!

We would like to see fiber work, jewelry, sculpture, glass, batik, weaving, ceramics, as well as paintings. Exhibiting artists are asked to sign up to sit the gallery for a two-hour shift on Saturday or Sunday. Artwork must be delivered at the Asbury-Solomons Auditorium on Friday March 8th, 2013, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., unless other arrangements are made in advance.

If you have any questions contact Lonnie Harkins; 410-326-7199; [baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net](mailto:baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net) or Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, [gbwood2@verizon.net](mailto:gbwood2@verizon.net).

**We hope this will be a very successful show!**

## FEBRUARY MEETING

**February 9, 2013- SATURDAY**  
**Asbury-Solomons Clubhouse, Solomons, Md.**

Our February Meeting and Program was held: Asbury-Solomons Clubhouse, Solomons, Md.. The March show and other 2013 events were discussed. After



the general meeting, a program was presented by Gerry Wood, who showed us how she begins a painting--"7 Steps to a Painting", "Rule of Thirds", and "Composition and Design" along with examples and presentations.

## NEXT MEETING

**April 20, 2013-SATURDAY**  
**Asbury-Solomons Clubhouse, Solomons, Md.**

Meeting & Art Award Program: Asbury-Solomons Auditorium, Solomons, Md., 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., located at 11700 Asbury Circle. The May show and other 2013 events will be discussed. The High School Student Art Award entries will be judged. Many Thanks go to Kay Simkins for coordinating the program this year. Bring goodies to go with coffee. Coffee will be furnished. Hope to see you there!

Contact persons; Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199, [baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net](mailto:baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net); Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, [gbwood2@verizon.net](mailto:gbwood2@verizon.net).

# Basic Drawing Workshop

**Caught My Eye** is offering a four week drawing workshop for beginners. Classes will be conducted once a week on Wednesdays, March 13, 20, 27 and April 3, 2013.

There are two sessions to choose from: 10 a.m. – noon  
OR 1 – 3 p.m. Each session is limited to 6 students.  
Enrollment is secured when payment is received.

INSTRUCTOR: Pat Troiani  
CONTACT INFO: 410-394-3457  
lewpatasbury@gmail.com  
COST: \$60 for the entire session  
(supplies not included)  
SUPPLIES: Tablet of sketch paper, pencils, and eraser

Sign up at the Caught My Eye store in the Maryland Antiques Center located at 26005 Point Lookout Rd Leonardtown, MD 20650.

*Absolutely no refunds once the classes begin.  
No makeup classes will be offered except if classes are cancelled due to inclement weather.*



## Tricks of the Trade

### How To Make BLACK

There are many complimentary colors when mixed together can create a BLACK. Remember, colors are always reflective and black directly from the tube can be too intense or dull. So you can create a CHROMATIC BLACK which is an illusion of black by mixing reds and greens or blues and reds.



**Some examples are:**

Alizarin Crimson  
with Thalo Green

Ultramarine Blue  
with Burnt Sienna

Burnt Umber  
with Ultramarine Blue

**Please send any of YOUR  
“tricks of the trade”  
and comments to Gee**

[geartlimo@comcast.net](mailto:geartlimo@comcast.net)

# 2013 Calendar of Events

## Mark Your Calendar!

### **MARCH 9-10, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY AND SUNDAY**

Asbury-Solomons Auditorium Show, Solomons, MD.,  
10 am-5 pm.

Contact persons: Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199,  
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Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.net

### **APRIL 20, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY**

CAG meeting and High School Art Award judging program;

10 a.m., Asbury-Solomons Auditorium, Solomons, MD.,

Contact: Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199

### **MAY 11-12, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY AND SUNDAY**

Asbury-Solomons Auditorium Awards Show, Solomons,  
MD., 10 am-5 pm,

Contact persons: Lonnie Harkins,  
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### **JUNE 15-16, 2013,**

#### **SATURDAY AND SUNDAY**

Asbury-Solomons Auditorium Show, 10 am-5 p.m.,  
Solomons, MD. .

Contact: Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199,  
baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net;  
Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.net;

### **JULY 20, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY**

**Watercolor on Yupo Workshop**, Instructor: Pat Troiani,  
Mt. Hope Comm. Ctr., Sunderland, Md., 10:00am-3:00 pm;  
Contact: Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199, baronvonsmoogle@  
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### **AUGUST 18, 2013**

#### **SUNDAY**

**Annual Potluck Meeting and Program**, Asbury-Solomons  
Clubhouse, Solomons, Md., 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Bring a  
potluck dish.

**Program:** "Chinoiserie"-metallic powder & lacquer  
tole painting technique demo by Kay Simkins; Contact  
persons: Barbara Fetterhoff, 410-394-3365; fetterhoff.  
barbara@comcast.net; Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199,  
baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net;

### **SEPTEMBER 21, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY**

**Paint-Out Day**, Location: TBA. 10:00-2:00,

Contact persons: Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199,  
baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net;  
Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.net

### **OCTOBER 12-13, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

**Annual P.R.A.D. (Patuxent River Appreciation Days)**  
**Show**, Solomons, MD., 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. daily,  
Contacts: Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.  
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### **NOVEMBER 2, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY**

**TBD Workshop**, Mt. Hope Comm. Ctr., Sunderland, MD.,  
9 am-2 pm;

Contact persons: Lonnie Harkins,  
410-326-7199, baronvonsmoogle@netscape.net; or  
Gerry Wood, 301-863-9663, gbwood2@verizon.net

### **DECEMBER 14, 2013**

#### **SATURDAY**

**Annual Meeting & Program**, Asbury-Solomons Clubhouse;  
Solomons, MD., 10a.m.- 12 p.m.,

Contact persons: Lonnie Harkins, 410-326-7199,  
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# It's Time for 2013 Dues!

Time to renew your membership with the Calvert Artist's Guild for 2013. The dues calendar year is Jan. 1 – Dec. 31 which means its time to get your membership current! There will be a \$5 late fee for those paying after January 31, 2013. This deadline helps to get the dues submitted in a timely manner. Many thanks!

## CALVERT ARTISTS' GUILD, INC. DUES STATEMENT

Please return this portion of the form with your dues check by January 31, 2013. After Jan. 31st there is a \$5.00 late fee!

\_\_\_\_\_  
NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS

\_\_\_\_\_  
CITY

\_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL/WEBSITE

- I am an artist/artisan interested in (specify medium)
- I am interested in the arts in general
- I am interested in helping with Guild activities (areas of interest)

Please check your membership category

Individual: \$30 \_\_\_\_\_ Family \$40 \_\_\_\_\_ Youth (>18) \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Make Checks Payable to: Calvert Artists' Guild, Inc.  
Mail to: P.O. Box 602, Prince Frederick, MD 20678  
Thank You!

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KEEP THIS PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS

Date Paid: \_\_\_\_\_

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Check # \_\_\_\_\_

This is your receipt for your records and membership card to keep.  
Please detach at dotted line.  
Thank you!

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## Welcome New Members

**Kate Dinnel**  
Port Republic, MD

**Ann & Richard (Dick) Preston,**  
Hollywood, MD

**Robert Driggers**  
Great Mills, MD

**Pamela Saalbach**  
California, MD



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