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1 ERICA GAMMIE

Title "Majestic Monarch"

Monarch Butterflies are beautiful & I love to see them in my garden! So elegant in movement and stylish with their strongly colored wings in orange & black. With patience, I have been lucky to snap photos of nature and have been using the images to make people smile on cards, t-shirts, prints and other gifts. I also have focused my energy on garden design and planting with butterflies and bees in mind - bright & bold colors. Need a garden overhaul? Need planters created? Give me a call and let's get your place BLOOMING! Contact me, Erica Gammie via natureofthings715@gmail.com or 715-612-2313.

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5 LINDA KASPER

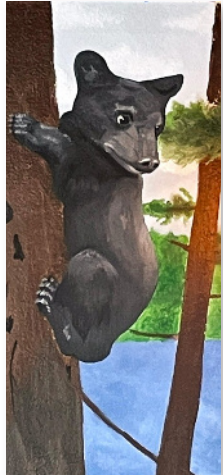
Title "Springtime"

I was looking for ways to spend my time when I retired. I took up oil painting through Nicolet College. I paint for my own satisfaction and relaxation. It is quite a soothing hobby.

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2 ASHLEY HOPKINS

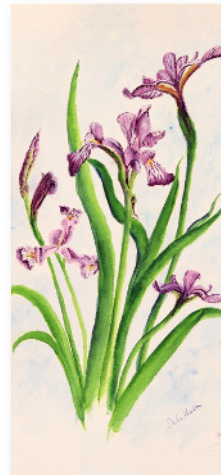
Title "Just a Bear"

This special bear is a hidden northwoods treasure located on a wall mural at Wild's Granary in Boulder Junction. This was drawn and painted by a Northland Pines High School student.

Sponsor: **Windows in the Woods**

715-337-5179

Facebook: Windows in the Woods



6 DEBRA KESSLER

Title "Wild Irises on the Lake"

Blue Flag Iris grouping. Inspired by wild irises along the lakeshore in June.

Sponsor: **Conover Gardens**

4844 Torch Lake Road, Conover, 715-891-2475

Facebook: Conover Gardens Fresh from the Vine



3 CHRIS KAMPS

Title "Just Blending In"

This was a little bear that decided our bird feeders and suet looked mighty tasty. My hand clapping did nothing to deter it, but when my husband stepped off the deck, the bear got scared and ran across the backyard. It ran behind a decorative chair and popped up from behind it!!! I keep my camera handy and was very lucky to capture this shot.

Sponsor: **WRJO 94.5 FM**

909 N. Railroad St., 715-479-4451

wrjo.com



7 NANCY SCHULLER

Title "Bee Kind - Save Our Bees"

In retirement, as a Master Gardener, I love taking photos of flowers and their pollinators. It is always a beautiful reminder of our dependence on them in nature. Thank you for taking care of our bees and butterflies!

Sponsor: **IncredibleBank**

141 S. Willow St., 715-477-6206

incrediblebank.com



4 AL GEIGER

Title "Eagle Eyer"

This majestic stained glass piece was created in Memory of Janie Geiger by her husband Al. The original piece was donated to the library where Janie loved to volunteer. You can view the piece in the quiet conference room at the Walter E. Olson Memorial Library.

Sponsor: **Jeremy Oberlander - Redman Realty Group**

310 W. Pine St., 715-891-5992

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8 RICK CHESTER

Title "Evening in the Northwoods"

Night scene of a creek. Includes momma wolf catching up to impatient pup.

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107 & 100 E. Wall St., 715-337-2277

hookedandtagged.com



9 ELLAMAE D'APRIX

Title "Bass Fishing"

Painting for all those that love fishing. Enjoy and catch a big one. Reference was my grandson's fish.

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715-479-3090

burkettrealty.com



10 JEANNE MAANUM

Title "Trout"

Jeanne specializes in decorative ceramic art tiles. Over the years, she has created many designs depicting the Northwoods, such as wildlife, wildflowers, native song birds, etc. Each bisque tile is individually hand-glazed, then fired to a temperature of over 1800 degrees. This creates a bright colorful, and extremely durable product suitable for many applications in or outdoors.

Sponsor: **Trappers Fireplace Gallery**

6 W. Wall St., 715-337-2307

TrappersFireplaceGallery.com



11 ANDREA FENNER

Title "Autumn Flyway"

Andy Fenner's art studio, Swallow Haven, stands overlooking a trout stream in Lincoln County. The location abounds with natural beauty outside and lovely pastel paintings of nature and animals inside. Her creations are in many galleries statewide. She teaches pastel classes throughout Northern WI and in her studio. Swallow Haven is open by appointment. Andy does commission work as well. She is a member of the Northwoods Art Tour and the Lakeland Art League.

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12 AVERY MARGELOFSKY

Title "#EagleRiverRocks"

Avery is a second grader that loves to do arts and crafts. She loves to incorporate what she learns in school into her art so she painted some rocks one day. The top rock includes the sun, moon and precipitation that she learned during her science studies. The middle rock is just colorful fireworks and the third shows inclusiveness that she learned as a virtue. She encourages you to find hidden rocks while you travel and post pictures to the #EagleRiverRocks facebook group.

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211 S. Railroad St. & 117 E. Wall St.

715-337-2161

thehikerbox.com



13 AMELIA LINDGREN

Title "Beautiful American River"

I created this beautiful river using colored pencils, glitter gel pens, and watercolor pencils. An elegant scene, including Eagle River's bright fall colors, a fishing pole to represent our amazing fishing, and finally a river to represent Eagle River, colored like the American Flag to show our pride in being American.

Sponsor: **Rustic Allure**

103 E. Wall St., 715-337-2339

Facebook: EJsRusticAllure



14 JUDY MILLER

Title "Early Arrival"

How exciting it was to see a male cardinal show up at our bird feeder for a couple of days. As far north as we are, we don't have a large number of cardinals to enjoy. Having the opportunity to capture their striking appearance is one of my favorite subjects.

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15 MICHAEL JAMES

Title "Beloved Woman Nanyehi"

Nanyehi is the Cherokee name for Nancy and its translation is: "she who walks among the spirits" or "one who goes about". She was a "Beloved Woman" and honored, political leader of the Cherokee in the 1700's. She advocated for peaceful coexistence with European Americans and, late in life, spoke out for Cherokee retention of tribal hunting lands. Learn more about Michael James and his work by following his Instagram page @MichaelJamesArt

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16 SHARON REILLY

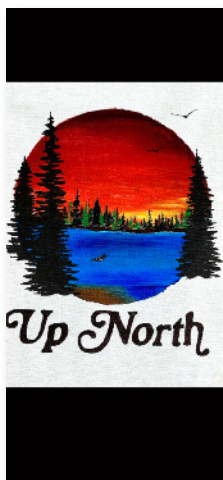
Title "Peak Colors"

The Blue Jay stands out during the fall against the backdrop of fall colors. This particular painting was a class demonstration only the primary colors (blue, red & yellow) were used along with sumi (ink).

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1011 Suite B E. Wall St., 715-479-1794

bankpeoples.com



17 MEGAN RAYMOND

Title "Up North"

Northwoods sunset scene, depicting the many marshes, bogs, and lakes in our area. It wouldn't be an "Up North" painting without a loon!

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5230 Hwy. 70 E., 715-337-2472
shootershop.com/northwoods-shooters-shop

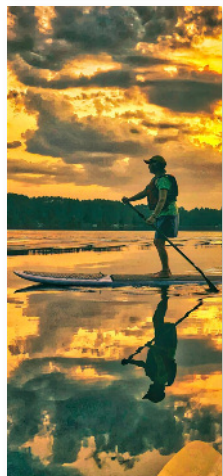


21 BARBARA A. RICE

Title "Cardinals"

Cardinals on pine branches.

Sponsor: **David Mroczynski Agency Inc. – American Family Insurance**
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amfam.com



18 STERLING STRATHE

Title "Evening Color"

Photo of sundown reflections.

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348 W. Pine St. & 221 S. First St., 715-891-1284
eoenetwork.com



22 MARGE HANSELMAN

Title "Baby, It's Cold Outside!"

Painting is the best thing to do in winter!

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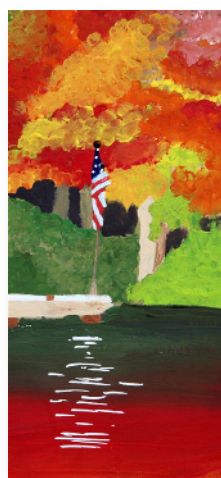


19 PAULA DUEWELL

Title "Hmmm"

Hummingbirds were my inspiration for this colorful abstract floral. I combined a bright, loose watercolor background with collaged hummingbirds dancing through all the colors. This was a really FUN piece to make. I hope you enjoy it.

Sponsor: **Dr. John's Dog & Cat Repair**
1100 US-45 S., 715-337-2700
drjohnsdogandcatrepair.com



23 PAISLEY LOGAN

Title "Golden Cruise"

River cruises show the beauty of nature. This painting was inspired by a photo taken by my father. As a family, we enjoy boating on the Eagle River Chain. I created this acrylic painting by using dotting and blending techniques. I am a middle school student at Northland Pines. I enjoy the aspects of arts, crafts, and creating.

Sponsor: **Escape North LLC – Vacation Rental Cottages**
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Facebook: EscapeNorthLLC

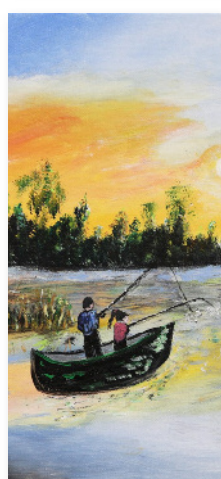


20 ROBIN HARRISON

Title "The Scream"

Eagle in full call!

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Facebook: LegacyFloors

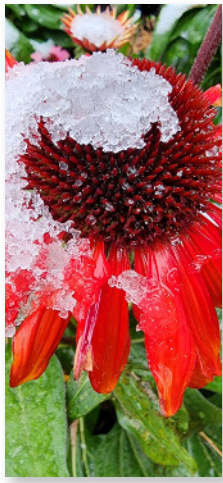


24 PATRICIA L. MERKEL

Title "Fishing at Dusk"

There is no such thing as a bad day when you're fishing. The beauty around you, the calm of the water, the tug of a fish on your line, making memories with your best friend.

Sponsor: **JJ's House of Dogs**
418 Wall St., 715-477-1949
houseofdogsdiner.com



25 AMY HARTWIG

Title "Snowy Coneflower"

I received a BFA from the University of WI-Stevens Point in 1993. My emphasis was in painting and drawing. I also minored in photography. For the past 28 years I've been raising my 4 children & my camera has been my media of choice. I went from a 35mm to digital format. Technology has allowed me to capture untouched artistic compositions in my garden & in the landscapes around me. Lately, I've been turning my photos into paintings & creating colorful stained glass works of art on old wooden windows. I look forward to working in my new studio space called "Happy Campers Studio & Gardens" coming this fall.

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eaglefuelcells.com



26 COURTNEY RICHARDSON

Title "Swingin'"

This image is of my son Cole swinging from a rope swing in the northwoods. Our family has been coming to Eagle River since the 1980's. Our most cherished memories are times spent on the chain. This piece represents the freedom & relaxation that we all feel while in the beautiful town of Eagle River.

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27 LAURIE KOPP

Title "Pretties in Pink"

This painting "Pretties in Pink" is a lovely summery feeling painting of coneflowers. This was a new technique of mixed media which included acrylic paint outlined coneflowers and watercolors painted in wet-on-wet. The flower's watercolors bled out nicely into the background which makes them "glow."

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stitchitstore.com & vintage-garden-studio.com



28 JEN ALWARD

Title "Heal Our Land"

The inspiration behind this piece is what created our country and what binds it together... the lives of many were laid down to fight for and protect freedom... the prayers of many continue to light the way to healing with hope, wisdom, and peace. The writing in the red stripes are names of some of Wisconsin's fallen soldiers from every war. In the shaded red stripes are the numbers of Wisconsin's casualties of war. The writing in the white stripes includes: the lyric's from Michael Card's song "Heal Our Land," the verse that it's based on, 2 Chronicles 7:14, and my prayer for the healing of our land.

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acehardware.com



29 ADDELYN INEICHEN

Title "Sunset Over the Seaside"

My name is Addelyn. I am 13 years old. I like lighthouses and water, so when my Nana taught me to watercolor, I started painting a lot of different ocean scenes. For my most recent watercolor painting, I painted a lighthouse in the distance with an orange sunset background. I am hoping to learn more about painting and looking forward to taking art classes with my Nana Joyce.

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8738 Richardson Plat Rd., Minocqua
715-409-0106, willows-spa.com



30 ELLYANA INEICHEN

Title "Bird in a Small Tree"

My name is Ellyana. I am 10 years old and will be in 5th grade next year. My Nana Joyce taught me how to paint and I am really enjoying it! Whenever we go to her house she helps me learn new techniques. I painted this picture of a bird when I was at my Grandma's house on a piece of wood my Grandpa gave me. My mom keeps it up for everyone to see in the house.

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715-542-3223
eliasonrealty.com



31 KEVIN SCHAARS

Title "No. 52"

A serene day at the side of the lake, calm weather with still water across from deep woods.

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eagleriverwi.gov



32 MARY SHEPARD

Title "Moon Dancers"

I started watercolor painting after I retired. My first lessons were in Texas where we wintered. Birds and flowers are my favorite subjects. The Northwoods provides an abundance of beauty to paint.

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872 Hwy. 45 S, 715-479-9470
express-construction.com



33 EILEEN SPLITT

Title "Yellow Warbler"

Colored pencil drawing on paper. Yellow warbler perched above water.

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118 Spruce St., 715-480-4800
choicetel.net



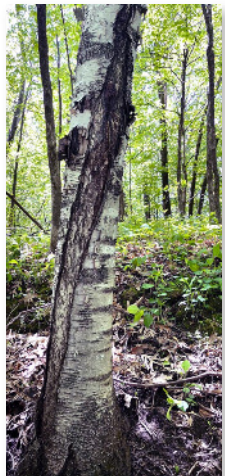
34 NANCY VER KUILEN

Title "Canoe Paddles"

Watercolor and ink were used in creating these unique decorative canoe paddles. Nancy enjoys creativity using various art forms and mediums, especially painting using watercolor, inks or acrylic.

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622 E. Wall St., 715-479-6631
Facebook: WalkAboutPaddleAndApparel



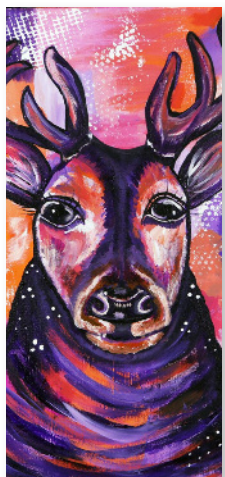
35 ANJELIKA VOLD-TANK

Title "Slash"

These birch trees battle their war scars while being out in the wild with all the other birch trees. They stood out because of their battle scars from nature and its surroundings. They have been through a long lifetime of battles. Just remember to "Enjoy life to the fullest like this little tree does."

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republicservices.com



36 CATHERINE CALVETTI

Title "Trust the Journey"

Catherine is a mixed media artist inspired by nature. She graduated from Northland Pines High School, earned her Associate of Arts degree from Nicolet Technical College and a Bachelor of Science degree from UW-Superior. This vibrant colorful stag was created by layering acrylic paint on canvas.

Sponsor: **Dollar Lake Retreat**

608-577-5350
taketothelake.com



37 STERLING STRATHE

Title "Circle of Friends"

This is a 3-D photo from Pond Hockey.

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ShotskisBar.com



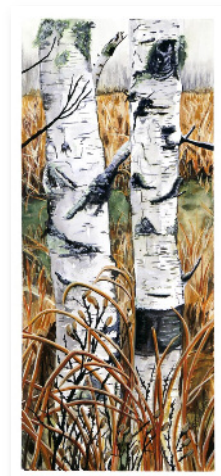
38 PAT FOX

Title "A Winter Gathering"

A crisp winter day brings everyone in the forest out for a treat. Feeding the birds is so calming and enjoyable in the northwoods.

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1030 US-45, 715-891-0568
nwportabletoilets.com



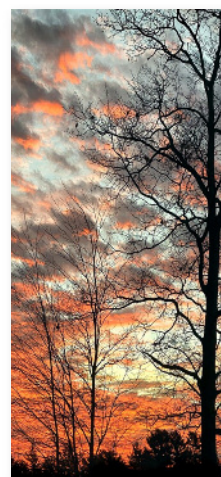
39 CAROLYN ANDREJAT

Title "The Birch Brothers"

Since living in the northwoods, I have found my passion for art. I am striving to share my creativity through watercolor, pastels and other art mediums. The watercolors I paint represent the natural world around me that gives me the inspiration to be creative. This painting, "The Birch Brothers" was inspired by 2 lone birch trees growing alongside a marsh with nothing but marsh grasses all around. For art inquiries, email Carolyn Andrejat at andrejat2@frontier.com.

Sponsor: **Eagle Waters Resort & Supper Club**

3958 Eagle Waters Rd., 715-479-4411
eaglewaters.com



40 LORI HAHN

Title "Sunrise"

I am fortunate to live on Voyaguer Lake of the Eagle River Chain of Lakes to wake up with a view of the sunrise. The clouds and bare tree limbs provided an artist's twist on this otherwise ordinary spectacular view. Being an artist and photographer I am inspired by the Northwoods' beauty—sometimes as big as a sunrise and sometimes as small as a Monarch.

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1215 Wall St., 715-479-0059
creativekitchenandbathstudio.com

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👉 EagleRiverRevitalization.org/artscape

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Art submission and sponsorship forms can be found on the website.

For more information on how to submit artwork or sponsor a banner for the 2024 Artscape Banner Campaign, please go the website or email karen@eagleriverrevitalization.org.



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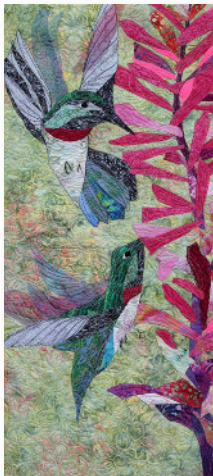
Title "One Sweet Chick"

I loved the texture of this baby chick's feet. That's what drew me to paint her. I added the flower on top to make me smile.

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47 WENDY AHNEN

Title "Fushia Love"

Fiber art pieced, applique and machine quiltine made from screenshots of a hummingbird video.

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46 DREW MARGELOFSKY

Title "Nighttime Hockey Ice"

Drew is a fifth grader who loves sports and art. He loves to play hockey and many nights when he gets home from practice he will go out on the frozen lake and skate. He painted this picture with the vision of adding his favorite hockey players on the ice at night to symbolize the dedication and drive that players have for the love of the sport.

Sponsor: Wisconsin Windigo

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wisconsinjuniorhockey.com



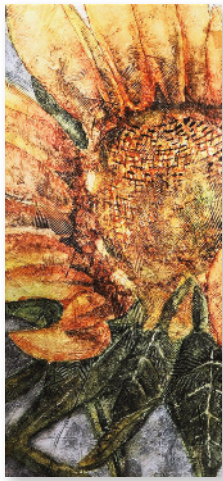
48 JOYCE Y. NELSON

Title "White Flower & Chickadee"

Watercolor - White flower with chickadee tucked near!

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shop.trigs.com



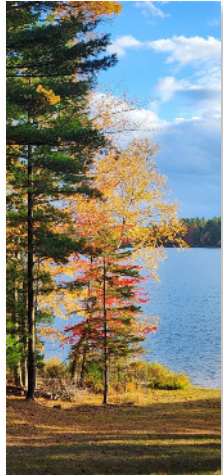
49 LAURIE KOPP

Title "Summer Sun"

This watercolor painting is done on paper covered in gessa that I texturized. The deep moody colors were then applied, giving the flowers and leaves more realism.

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3877 Hwy. 70 E, 906-284-1359
iconiketchings.com



50 AMY HARTWIG

Title "Fall by the Lake"

I received a BFA from the University of WI-Stevens Point in 1993. My emphasis was in painting and drawing. I also minored in photography. For the past 28 years I've been raising my 4 children and my camera has been my media of choice. I went from a 35mm to digital format. Technology has allowed me to capture untouched artistic compositions in my garden & in the landscapes around me. Lately, I've been turning my photos into paintings and creating colorful stained glass works of art on old wooden windows. I look forward to working in my new studio space called "Happy Campers Studio & Gardens" coming this fall.

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51 SUSAN KRIVICHI

Title "An Eye on the World"

Chalk pastel drawing of young rabbit with reflection of trees in eye. Drawn and colored freehand from photo image used with permission from photographer.

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1720 Hwy. 45 N., 715-479-7090
eaglerivervet.com



52 BRYAN MARTIN

Title "Hummingbird in Flight"

In this painting of "hummingbird in flight," Bryan captures the sublime essence of the nature of the hummingbird as he feeds on the necture of the summer flower. Bryan Martin is an avid oil and pastel painter who was born in the northwoods of Wisconsin.

Sponsor: Rachel Martin – Redman Realty Group

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53 JENNIFER RUBY-DURST

Title "Firefly Circumstance"

Enjoying camp while taking in a summer's sunset in the backwoods of northern Wisconsin.

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waldmannconstruction.com



54 JANEL WOLKE

Title "1st Class Pup"

This acrylic on canvas painting is a tribute to my first puppy. Golden Retrievers are loyal, loving and always eager to please. They are friendly & social dogs that need a lot of attention from their owners and love to be included in everything you do. Golden Retrievers need plenty of exercise and mental stimulation to keep them healthy and happy. Puppies are a life-long commitment, but the wonderful memories will last forever.

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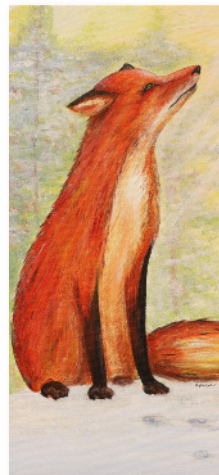
55 JEANNE BRECK

Title "America the Beautiful"

Sitting on my front porch I thought how great our country is. Looking out at our flag and the beautiful flowers, I thought this really captures the true America. Flowers and our flag on a summer day on the front porch. We are truly blessed to live in a country where FREEDOM RINGS... I am an amateur photographer who tries to capture moments of beauty. Living in St. Germain, we truly have many beautiful moments all around us every day.

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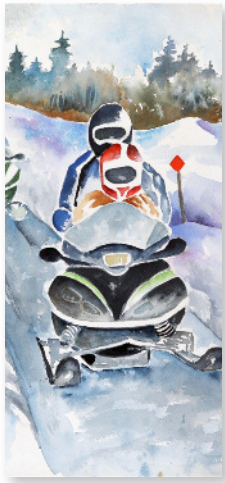
56 DIANE GUNDERSON

Title "Basking in the Winter Sun"

Though less active in the winter, this red fox is spending some time warming up in the sunshine.

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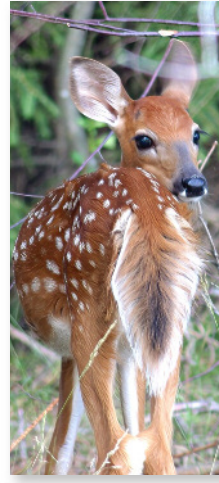


57 JANE O'BRIEN

Title "Winter Wonderland"

Eagle River is "the come to" vacationland both summer and winter and all seasons in between. A wonderful place for family fun. I enjoy painting (in watercolor and acrylic) our Northwoods.

Sponsor: RE/MAX Property Pros
888 W. Pine St., 715-480-4333
northwoodspropertypros.com



61 KURT KRUEGER

Title "Springtime Wonders"

White-tailed fawns and other young-of-the-year wildlife are a big part of spring's magic in Wisconsin's northwoods.

Sponsor: Vilas County News-Review
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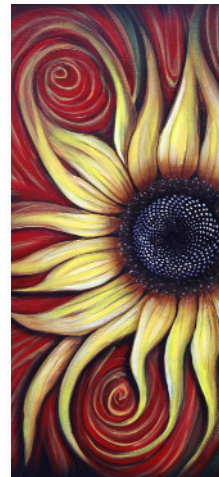


58 SUSAN IVANCEVICH

Title "Lake Moon"

Graphic style painting of the moon over the lake in early evening.

Sponsor: Kim Swisher Communications, LLC
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kimswisher.com



62 BEV KORANDA

Title "Blazing Sunflower"

Acrylic blazing sunflower painting on canvas.

Sponsor: Artarama Riverwalk Artshow & Sale



59 PAISLEY LOGAN

Title "Catch the Flag"

Our eagles are soaring through the sky to protect our one true home. This piece was created using color pencils and lots of blending. I am a middle school student at Northland Pines. I enjoy the aspects of arts, crafts, and creating.

Sponsor: Veterans Center
418 W. Pine St., 715-479-8810
Facebook: VFWpost8637



63 SUSAN KLEIN

Title "Pileated Woodpecker & Luna Moth"

This year both the Pileated Woodpecker and the Luna Moth came to visit me – however not at the same time. I am a retired art teacher (Madison) and love living up here in the northwoods since I retired. I am a member of the Lakeland Art Center, Minocqua.

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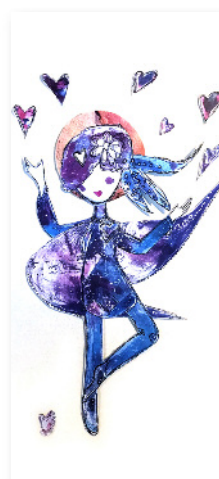


60 ALISON MESCHKE

Title "Protect Birds"

Starting with oil and knife I painted the bird, then cut him out and started building, creating the collage.

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64 KATH HICKS

Title "Beloved"

Created originally with mixed media, many various supplies, cut out, reworked to create this image in honor of a special Eagle River child that brought us together with healing hope and love. She left blessings sprinkled about to last a lifetime. #artbykathhicks is inspired daily by love, light and positive energy. Creator of #anoriginalfairiemaker #littleworksofheart #justbwearinart #artbykathhicks #littleworksofheartbykathhicks (kathhicks@icloud.com) (715-891-0810) (PO Box 33, Eagle River, WI 54521)

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65 TRACI L. BUSHA
 Title "The Blue Dragon"

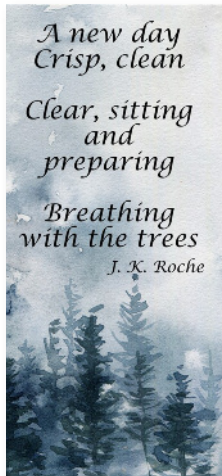
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66 MICHAEL JAMES
 Title "In the Fishbowl"

In the Fishbowl captures the essence of duality, where the vivid colors and youthful imagery invite viewers into a world of boundless exploration. Through the gaze of a young boy, donning swim goggles in a sea of azure, the painting symbolizes the act of looking both inward and outward simultaneously. The juxtaposition of floating and observing evokes a sense of serenity and curiosity, inviting us to reflect on our own experiences of introspection. Yet, within this idyllic scene lies a subtle hint of innocence lost, reminding us of the fragile nature of our perception and the fleeting moments of childhood wonder. Learn more about Michael James' work by following on Instagram: @MichaelJamesArt

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67 JUDITH "J.K." ROCHE
 Title "Sit"

The poem describes a moment when we step into our local forests and absorb, relationally, the interaction between ourselves and our environment. The trees release oxygen and we release carbon dioxide which the other needs to be refreshed and to sustain life. We all understand intuitively that often times there is more than what meets the eye. This haiku is sharing that very human quality of feeling nuances while being in the Northwoods. It is a great thing and while this poem is a nod to meditation, walking the trails or sitting outdoors with the fresh and fragrant conifers is one of the reasons we are all drawn to this beautiful area.

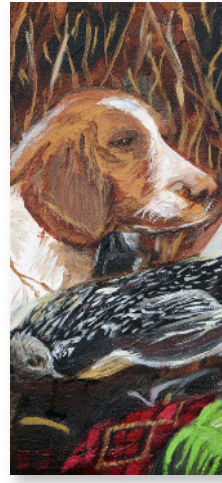
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68 NADEAN STAHL
 Title "Mr. Pileated"

I often see and hear Pileateds around my home – always drilling for carpenter ants and other insects. I enjoy living in the northwoods, gardening, and using watercolor for painting.

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69 PATRICIA KILEY
 Title "Baron Von Fritz"

This is a photograph from a 1989 LL Bean Fall Catalog – one of a collage of photos. I saved this hoping one day I would get back to painting and because the "Britt" looked exactly like our "Fritz" who was an excellent grouse hunter at the time.

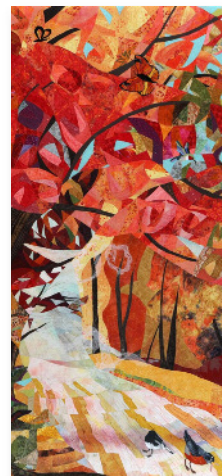
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70 SUSAN CHESTER
 Title "Happy Puppy"

Portrait of my daughter's dog.

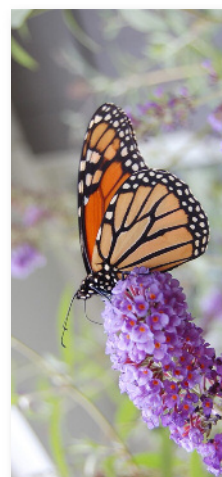
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71 CRANBERRY COUNTRY QUILTERS COLLECTIVE
 Title "Backroads"

Art quilt designed and quilted by Wendy Ahnen, made by Beth Moore, Kelly Court, Mary Mader, Cindy Eggers, Cheryl Breitensteldt, Sharon Anderson, Kate Freucl, & Wendy Ahnen to improvisation and alternative quilt techniques. This quilt can be sold for \$1,700 to raise funds for Kids Sewing "Bootcamp."

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72 MELODY ZELLNER
 Title "Nectar Time"

Monarch Butterflies are remarkable for their fragile strength. Their amazing fall journey is an inspiration in determination and perseverance for all of us.

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73 NANCY VER KUILEN

Title "Rainbow Rebel"

Watercolor and ink were used to "capture" this prize catch! Nancy enjoys creativity using many art forms and mediums, especially painting using watercolor, inks or acrylic.

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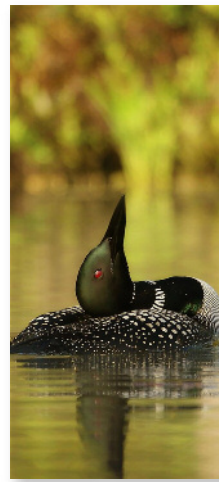
74 AUDREY J. WILDE

Title "Sunburst"

I made prints of my sunflower oil painting and used a couple of those prints for this sunflower mixed media. Used a Wisconsin road map and textured papers for my background. I love how sunflower blooms follow the sun.

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75 JENNIFER RUBY-DURST

Title "Loon Yoga"

A common loon in the middle of its preening routine.

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