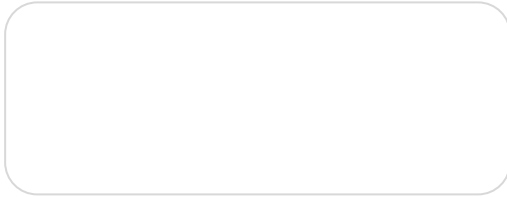




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## Sweethearts of the Arts

The Durango Arts Center will present its fourth *Sweethearts of the Arts* on Saturday, February 11. This signature fundraising event honors four special women who have invested their lives in the performing arts: Gemma Kavanagh, world class soprano; Linda Mack, director of the Durango Choral Society and professor of music at Fort Lewis College; Rochelle Mann, flutist, past conductor of the Durango Children’s Chorale and long-time chair of the music department at Fort Lewis College; Mona Wood-Patterson, director of Durango High School’s theater for over 100 productions and co-producer of *Merely Players* and *Imaginary Friends*.

This event is an appreciation party and celebration of their contributions and the positive difference they have made in our community, and it has the added benefit of strengthening the arts programs of DAC while honoring these four women for their generosity, talent and vision. Tickets are \$75 and go on sale January 11.



## From the Editor

The Durango Arts Center’s board and staff wish you the best of everything in 2012 and thank you for your generous support of your community arts center through memberships, donations and volunteering.

One of the benefits of your membership is to receive the quarterly *Artsline* newsletter in the mail. Even in this age of more and more electronic communication, we think that having a hands-on publication is still a very valid way of keeping you informed of upcoming events and for recognizing and thanking our supporters. We’ve changed it a bit, and we hope you like the new format and the color.

We encourage you to hang on to your copy of *Artsline* as a handy reference. Additionally, check the website where you will find more information and updates. If you haven’t already, enter your e-mail address in the appropriate place on the website so that we can send you the monthly Constant Contact e-mails. You will also continue to receive postcard announcements in the mail.

## DAC, Terry Swan Nominated for Honors

The Durango Arts Center and Terry Swan, DAC’s board president, are among the finalists nominated for awards presented by the Durango Chamber of Commerce to recognize the achievements of outstanding businesses and individual members of the community.

DAC is one of the three finalists for the Spirit of Durango award, which is presented by the Durango Diplomats, and Swan is one of the three finalists for the Bill Mashaw Volunteer of the Year honor. The winners will be announced at the Chamber’s annual awards event, “Durango Rocks,” on January 19 in the Community Concert Hall at Fort Lewis College.



## Register Now for *Textiles Today* Workshops

Registration deadline is March 1 for these workshops in conjunction with the *Textiles Today: Redefining the Medium* exhibit coming to the Durango Arts Center in April. See page 4 for details.

## Director's Notes

"Be always at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let each New Year find you a better person." –Benjamin Franklin

As I bid adieu to the year 2011 I'm happy to report that the Durango Arts Center is doing well. If you are a member, donor or volunteer I hope you will take time to savor how important you are to ensuring the Durango Arts Center remains a vital organization, because it's the many people who come to DAC who keep me motivated to raise money.

According to our best calculations, we had over 30,000 visitors through DAC in 2011. This included art gallery visits, attendance at theater events, education classes, school children's field trips, docent tours and seminars, FOAL workshops, New Face Productions' TOP event, the Autumn Arts Festival and Showcase of the Arts, events of non-profit organizations we support and just people who view DAC as a major public facility and walk in our doors and ask "What's there to do in Durango?" That's a lot of visitors for one full-time employee and eleven part-time employees, and the root of our success in welcoming our guests rests with the many dedicated volunteers who help us keep the doors open.

I am most grateful for the people who have supported me in my efforts as executive director. My most humble gratitude goes to the board of directors, especially to president Terry Swan for his devotion to DAC. To the staff, Jeannie Berger, Gayle Burrows, Sandra Butler, Jonas Grushkin, Julie Madden, Jesse McGuire, Elizabeth Mitchell, Diane Panelli, Mary Puller, Elizabeth Salkind and Liz Silverstein, I find it hard to adequately express my sincere appreciation for their passion and hard work. They are absolutely wonderful people to have on staff, and their efforts have made such a positive difference for DAC.

For 2012 we look forward to new challenges, new goals, new optimism, new approaches and yet we promise to look to all those who have supported and devoted themselves to the Durango Arts Center in past years and thank them for their guidance and support. Happy New Year to you, and here's to the Durango Arts Center's continuing to make sure the arts thrive in our region!

Sheri Rochford Figgs, Executive Director

## A Note from the Board President

Happy New Year, DAC members! Your overwhelming support last year means our books are in the black, and we begin 2012 with a comfortable cash reserve. Topping my list of 2011 DAC highlights is a membership roster of over 800 families, individuals and businesses, a 25% increase. Next, the DAC theater successfully ran *Greater Tuna* all summer and in September inaugurated the 10-Minute Play Festival featuring winners in its 2011 international contest. The older professional work and the brand-new experimental works well represent the spectrum of theater valued by the arts center.

With the support of New Face Productions, DAC hired a new exhibits director, Mary Puller, who brings impressive expertise to our gallery and gift shop. The *Winter Solstice Market* broke DAC records for sales and profits. In May our Kentucky Derby event at the Rochester Hotel was a winner and is set to recur. Finally, on the heels of a terrific Autumn Arts Festival, a national exhibit, *Seuss on the Loose*, curated by Durango artist Mary Ellen Long, entertained and educated over 700 students. DAC's docents led this new generation to appreciate the wild characters and rhyming verses of Dr. Seuss.

And these are only highlights! The next twelve months offer an equally impressive menu including an international textile show exhibiting over nineteen world-class artists. January means it is also time to update the Durango Arts Center's vision, mission and strategic plan, and you can help. Please let me hear your ideas about the future of our arts center. Call me at (970) 247-1995 or write me at [tjswan01@yahoo.com](mailto:tjswan01@yahoo.com) and help make DAC's 2012 both brilliant and representative of Durango.

Terry Swan, DAC Board President

## Thanks to Elizabeth Salkind

We extend our appreciation to Elizabeth Salkind, DAC's development director, who leaves the staff at the end of 2011. During her tenure, she developed the business level membership, inaugurated the *Diesels and Easels* event, wrote grants, secured exhibits sponsorships and made many strides in marketing for the Durango Arts Center. Elizabeth will be taking the position of operations director of Housing Solutions, another local non-profit, and she will also continue to work with DAC on a contract basis.

## Meet the Staff

Meet Julie Madden, the accountant at the Durango Arts Center. Julie has been on DAC's staff since July of 2010 and is responsible for all of its finances. She says she enjoys interacting with the people at the center whether they are staff, artists, board members or teachers. You'll find her upstairs in the administrative office on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.



# Exhibits

## In the Barbara Conrad Gallery

### *Abstract Views*

January 5-28

Opening reception: Friday, January 6, 5-7 p.m.

Film series: Wednesdays, January 11, 18 & 25, 5:30 p.m.

Curated by Nancy Harris and Joan Levine Russell, this exhibit presents the works of twenty-nine local artists who utilize a variety of media to explore the many facets of abstract art.



*"Parade of Homes" by MariKay Shellman*

### *Sweethearts of the Arts*

February 11-25

Artwork by Mary Ellen Long and Stanton Englehart and from the Ballantine Family collection, all past Sweethearts of the Arts

### *Four Corners Commission*

March 1-31

Reception and awards presentation: Friday, March 2, 5-7 p.m.

Annual juried exhibit with works depicting the life, landscape, culture and heritage of the Four Corners region. Entry forms will be available on the website, at the reception desk or by writing puller@durangoarts.org.



*Untitled torn paper collage by Stanton Englehart*

## *F.O.A.L.* Friends of the Art Library

### Exhibits

#### *Confined*

January-February

Opening reception: Friday, January 6, 5-7 p.m.

Mixed media works by Andrea Martens who investigates the issues of open space and confinement



*Andrea Martens*

#### *Flow*

March-April

Opening reception: Friday, March 2, 5-7 p.m.

A series of artist books and an installation of birds made from colorful plastic bags by Joyce Majiski



*Joyce Majiski*

### Workshop

"Thinking Backwards: Relief Printing and Monoprint Techniques" with Joyce Majiski, March 10 and 11. For information and to sign up, call Mary Ellen Long at 259-4363.

The Art Library, located upstairs at the Durango Arts Center, is open during regular DAC hours and opening receptions. Come peruse the fine collection of art books and periodicals and view the current exhibit. Check-out privileges are for DAC members only. Donations of art books and magazines are always welcome. For library information, call librarian Pegi Peterson at 385-8461 or exhibits chairperson Jane Steele at 259-5305.

## More Art at DAC

When you come to the Durango Arts Center, be sure to visit Plein, the gallery shop at DAC and the Fifth Corner Photo Gallery. At Plein, you will find folk art from around the world as well as the works of local and regional artists. The Fifth Corner offers spectacular photography of the Four Corners region by Kathy Myrick and Linda Pampinella.

## Featured Artists

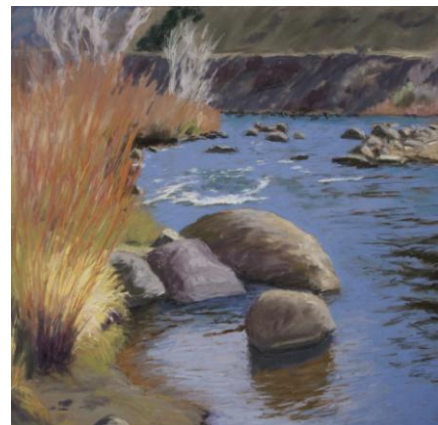
DAC is pleased to announce it will be featuring an artist of the month, whose work will be displayed in the reception office as well as on the website. Artists, who must be current DAC members, can apply to exhibit by submitting three digital images along with biographical information to [jeannie@durangoarts.org](mailto:jeannie@durangoarts.org).



January – Sharona Brown



February – Bethany Bachman



March – Sonya Johnson

## At the TOP!

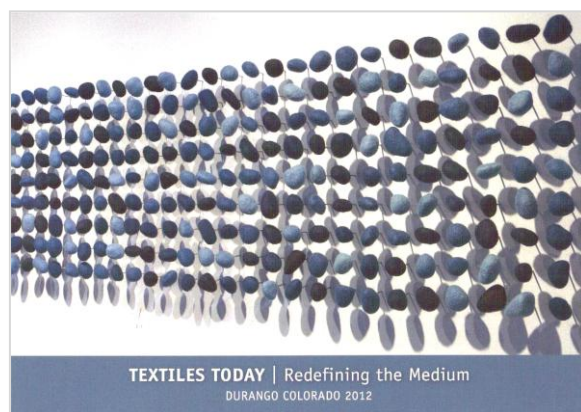
Once again, TOP exceeded expectations with a rousing fun-filled evening at the Durango Arts Center on September 23. Attendees were welcomed with a delicious array of tapas artistically prepared by Durangourmet and drinks that included pear TOP-tinis, specially created by Diane Panelli. In the gallery, guests viewed the silent auction fashions and a wonderful array of photography by Photo Divine sisters, Kyla and Wesley. The fashion show in the theater was hosted by emcee Erik Andersson, and the live auction was masterfully orchestrated by Calvin and Pat Story. The hits of the evening were the fashions created by local and out-of-state artists who began with a simple t-shirt or t-shirt fabric to create unique items of apparel which included a recycled, embellished jacket by Barbara Belanger, a multi-textural necklace by Kelly Horrigan of New York City and a tunic made of hand-knit strips of dyed t-shirt fabric by Susan Rogers. The enthusiasm of the audience resulted in nearly \$7000 in auction sales that were shared equally between the artists and DAC.



Model Dolores Overton wears a necklace by Carol Salomon.  
(Photo by Photo Divine)

## Textiles Today Workshops

As part of the upcoming exhibit, *Textiles Today: Redefining the Medium*, three workshops will be held by internationally renowned artists Wendy Huhn, Liz Axford, and Lisa Klakulak. Wendy Huhn has been creating mixed-media textile art for over 25 years and is the recipient of numerous awards and grants including the Oregon Arts Commission, Quilts Japan Award and the Duchess Award from the Maude Kerns Art Center. She will hold a technique-based workshop, **“Acrylics and Textiles” (May 4-6)**, covering the use of acrylic paints on fabric. Liz Axford’s work has been included in many juried shows including *Quilt National* and *Fiberarts International* and was chosen to be one of five inaugural Visiting Artists at the Houston Center for Contemporary Craft. In **“Shibori, By Gum” (May 18-20)**, Lisa will explore the scouring process and the use of Procion MX dyes to color fabric. Lisa Klakulak was a NICHE award finalist and has received the Award of Excellence from the American Craft Council Show. She will conduct an intensive four-day workshop, **“The Versatility of Handmade Partial Felts: Patterning, Imagery, Surface Texture and Sculpting Form” (May 24-27)**, in which participants will make their own partially felted sheets of fleece and shape them into works of art. **Registration closes March 1.** Workshops are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Register early, as space is limited. Additional information and a registration form you can download are available at [www.durangoarts.org](http://www.durangoarts.org).



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# Education

## Classes & Workshops

Art classes for all ages are offered through DAC's Education Program. All classes are held in the Education Studio upstairs at DAC. Go to the website, where you can find more details about classes. Registration forms are available on the website, or you can pick up one at the reception desk. For information, call Sandra Butler at 259-2606 or write [sandra@durangoarts.org](mailto:sandra@durangoarts.org). Classes offered this winter are as follows:

### CONTINUING CLASSES

Portrait Group for adults and teens, Wednesdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Figure Drawing for adults, Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Open Studio, Fridays, 3-5 p.m. beginning January 12

### FOR THE KIDS

Tween Drawing for ages 9-11, Tuesdays, January 10-February 14, 4-5:30 p.m.

Winter Session of GOAL for girls grades 5-8, February 20-24

Fabulous Fridays for ages 5-9, 2-3:30 p.m.

### CLASSES FOR ADULTS AND TEENS

Pastel Painting the Landscape, Tuesdays, January 10-February 7, 1-4 p.m.

Beginning Block Printing, Thursdays, January 19-February 9, 6:30-8 p.m.

Intermediate Acrylic Painting, Fridays, January 20-February 17, 9 a.m.-noon

Beginning Drawing, Mondays, January 23-February 27, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Drawing Workshop, Tuesdays, January 24-February 28, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Beginning Acrylic Painting, Thursdays, January 26-March 8, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Drawing II, Mondays, March 12-April 16, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.,

Drawing Workshop, Tuesdays, March 13-May 1, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.



*Wednesday morning portrait group*

### SATURDAY WORKSHOPS FOR ADULTS AND TEENS

Mixed Media Collage with Nancy Harris, January 7, 14, 21, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Beginning Basket Weaving with Karen Aldrich, Saturday, February 4, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Handmade Cards for Valentines with Pat Senecal, Saturday, February 11, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

MONOPRINTED FABRIC AND HAND STITCHING with Ilze Aviks, January 28 and 29, a special fundraising workshop for the *Textiles Today: Redefining the Medium* exhibit. **Registration deadline is January 10.**

ART PARTIES FOR ADULTS AND KIDS. Is there a special occasion coming up? Have your next party in our bright art studio. Call Sandra for available times, themes and cost.

## DAC Docents



DAC's docents devoted many hours during the *Seuss on the Loose* exhibit, introducing children and adults to the artwork in the gallery, reading from the collection of Seuss books and helping them craft their own Seuss hats, which they proudly wore as they returned to their schools. Over 700 children from schools all around the area came to visit the show.

Appreciation is due to Mary Alinda Abernathy, Joanne Bagley, Susie Bonds, Lori Cheever, Claudia Dea, Susana Jones, Rosemary Juskevich, Caroline Lippincott, Linda MacCannell, Sandra Mapel, Sari Ross, Maggie Sauer, Florence Short, Cindy Smart, Marta Snow, Connie Voss and Steve Walker for their work throughout the year in both the gallery and in the Art in the Schools program.

The docents meet the last Monday of the month at 10 a.m. and invite anyone interested to join them. For more information, write [docents@durangoarts.org](mailto:docents@durangoarts.org).

*Docent Marta Snow, dressed in her best Seuss attire, reads from one of the Dr. Seuss books.*

# Upcoming Events

## Abstract Views Exhibit Film Series

January 11, 18 & 25, 5:30 p.m.

Documentaries about Picasso, Mitchell, Pollock and Warhol  
Admission by donation

## Durango Dot Comedy

January 14, February 25, March 10, 8 p.m. in the DAC Theater,  
\$10 at the door

## Kids' Follies

February 1 & 2, 7 p.m.

This ever-popular fun-filled family version of the Follies returns to the DAC Theater. Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$5 for seniors, students and children.

## *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change*

February 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 7:30 p.m.

February 14, 7:30 p.m. (a special Valentines' Day Showing)

February 18, 2 p.m. matinee

This second-longest running off-Broadway musical explores everything you wanted to know about the joys of dating, romance, marriage, lovers, husbands, wives and in-laws but were afraid to ask. Produced by Imaginary Friends, directed by Mona Wood-Patterson with music direction by Helen Gregory. Not recommended for children under 12

## Musically Speaking

February 15, 6 p.m.

San Juan Symphony's pre-concert talk by Maestro Arthur Post in the Barbara Conrad Gallery

## Durango Independent Film Festival

February 29–March 4

Check [www.durangofilm.org](http://www.durangofilm.org) for a schedule and information.

## *The Phantom Toll Booth*

March 17, 7 p.m.

A production by Durango Performing Arts Company

For information, go to [www.dgopac.com](http://www.dgopac.com).

## KDUR's Furniture as Art Auction

March 22, 5:30 p.m.

For information, go to [www.kdur.org](http://www.kdur.org).

## Deadlines

**January 10**—Registration deadline for "Monoprinted Fabric and Hand Stitching" workshop on January 28 and 29

**February 10**—Submissions due for the 10-Minute Play Contest

**March 1**—*Textiles Today* May workshops registration deadline

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### Fifth Corner Photo Gallery

Kathy Myrick & Linda Pampinella, (970) 382-9753

### Juggling Class

Saturdays, 1–2 p.m. Erin Stephens, instructor  
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