Meander COVID Edition

Art Auction

October 2, 3, & 4
Friday, 12 pm - Sunday, 4 pm

Participate in Meander’s first ever (and maybe only) Art Auction during the first weekend in October!

A link to the auction will be available after September 21st on our website & Facebook page

www.artsmeander.com
facebook.com/MeanderArtCrawl

Bidding will start Friday, October 2 at 12 noon and end on Sunday, October 4 at 4 pm.

All auction sales go to artist. Up to 20% of sales will be donated to local food shelves.

Check our website & facebook page for updates.

“Go to www.artsmeander.com on October 2, 3 or 4th and fill out the information to receive your free letter press printed souvenir card.”

(Limit 1 per address)

www.artsmeander.com  866.866.5432

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Meander
Upper Minnesota River

Art Auction

Oak Leaf by Neva Foster

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Meander Art Auction 2020

Be Covid safe!

- We live here & create art here
  Look us up for a private viewing throughout the year.
- No usual in-person Meander this year since this is a most unusual year.
- Some of us grew up here, and come "back home" for the Meander Art crawl.
- Check out the Meander website for Bad Andy's souvenir card & auction details
  www.artsmeander.com

Art Auction = 3 pieces per Artist. Up to 20% donated to our local food shelf centers with each winning bid.

5 counties of prairie, river valley, beautiful sunrises and sunsets, great star watching.
1. A to Z Letterpress Printing
Home of “Bad Andy” cards. Hand printed calendars, cards and block prints.
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2. Adam Preuss & Jess Gorman
Multimedia works encompassing acrylic, watercolor, ink, & photographic mediums.
Falls Cafe & Canoe
723 Prentice St
Granite Falls MN 56241
720.308.2980, jessgormanarts.com
320.321.3370, adam.preuss@yahoo.com

3. Anne Dietz & Pam Stueve
Jewelry designs with copper, brass or silver.
One-of-a-kind pieces.
The Studio
517 Studdart Ave
Graceville, MN 56240
605.695.4817, madietz@mchsi.com
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4. Meander Art Shop

5. Claire Swanson
Reed baskets, range of shapes, sizes, styles & hand-dyed colors.
Basketry by Claire
1055 125th St SE
Granite Falls, MN 56241
507.828.7207, swans@mntwireless.com
etsy.com/shop/ClaireSwanson

6. Curt Soine
Original handcarved folk art, home accessories, & watercolors.
River Bank Folk Art
530 Prentice St
Granite Falls, MN 56241
320.905.3055
csoine15@gmail.com
Facebook: River Bank Folk Art/Curt’s Decoys

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9. Dale Streblow
Rural life & landscape oil paintings, pastels, prints, & cards.
Red Barn Art
5174 Hwy 212, Granite Falls, MN 56241
320.981.0185, dalestreblow1@gmail.com

10. Doug Peterson
Acrylic paintings of trout, salmon & western Minnesota landscapes.
1439 Hwy 75
Madison, MN 56256
612.867.3427, dougppeterson@gmail.com

11. Gene & Lucy Tokheim
Scandinavian influenced pottery, traditional knives, paintings & prints.
2002 Prairie Star Award Winner
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Landscape photography of the Minnesota River Valley & beyond.
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Granite Falls
MN 56241
320.564.4596
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4. Bradley D. Hall
Watercolors & hand painted linoleum block prints.

Bradley D. Hall Studio
1000 Prentice St
Granite Falls, MN 56241
320.564.0979, www.bradleyhallgallery.com

10. Deb Connolly
Colorful watercolor, pastel, encaustic paintings. Cards & sandblasted bottles.

840 Hwy 12 SW
Danvers, MN 56231
320.567.2130
debart@outlook.com

16. J. Berndt & K. Lohse

320.752.4286
kunst2@farmerstel.net

5. Celeste Suter
Fiber art: handspun yarns, handknits, hand-dyed accessories, mixed fiber art.

104 S 3rd St
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320.841.1261, celestialdesignsfa@gmail.com

11. Don Sherman
Handmade paper art from local and traditional plant fiber.

BorderWaters Studio
221 2nd St SE
Ortonville, MN 56278
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Handmade one-of-a-kind sterling silver jewelry.

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6. Cheryl LeClair Sommer
Representational visual art in oils & soft pastels.

Golden Rooster Gallery & LeClair Sommer Studio
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651.263.6848, leclair sommer.com

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www.johngorge larson.com

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19. John G. White
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33166 770th Ave
Ortonville, MN 56278
320.894.4843, jsjawhite@yahoo.com

20. Kathleen Marihart
Mixed media, collage, acrylic & ink on yupo paper.

The Smallest Art
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118 2nd St NW
Ortonville, MN 56278
320.226.8213, kmarihart@frontiernet.net

21. Katia Andreeva
Watercolor artist.
3331 Buchanan St NE, Minneapolis, MN 55418
651.280.7073
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22. Kerry Kolke-Bonk

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Appleton, MN 56208
320.226.5720
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24. M E Fuller
Visual artist working in watercolor, acrylics & writer/author.
141 Summit Ave
Montevideo, MN 56265
218.839.4215, mefuller.com

29. Neva Foster
Watercolor florals, watercolor Batik on rice paper, & abstract acrylics.
435 Otto Ave
Ortonville
MN 56278
320.305.4964
neva.watercolor@gmail.com

30. Pamela Gubrud
Hand knitted accessories inspired from Scandinavian & northern European designs.
4212 153rd Ave NE,
Ham Lake, MN 55304
northstarhandknits@hotmail.com

35. Virgil Kruse
Wood carving & bentwood.
412 N 4th St
Milan, MN 56262
320.734.4725

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Just not all at the same time.
Please contact individual artists to make an appointment or visit them during their regular studio hours.
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Thank you for supporting Meander artists!

In Memoriam
“Now the gardens grow, the books are read, the friends are true and present, And now I am an explorer - of all the world & beyond.”

- Jo Pederson, artist, friend, mentor, Meander founder & chair of the artist steering committee for 14 years
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The COVID-19 pandemic changed the cover art this year. This leaf is one portion of the planned artwork for Meander which will be used in its entirety next year, 2021.

It is a nature print by Neva Foster, who has been driving from Ortonville back to her childhood home in Rochester the past 40 years. Her route is along the Minnesota River.

“The drive along the Minnesota River Valley is spectacular with all the different trees lining its shores. The brochure art reflects some of those trees. The nature prints for the brochure were made with real leaves, each leaf unique, nature at its best.”

~ Neva