



*The mission of Friends of Five Rivers is to support environmental education at Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, as well as to enhance the experience of visitors to Five Rivers and to promote the interests of the Center.*

**Friends of Five Rivers  
presents**

**CREATIVE NATURE EXPRESSIONS  
Monthly Artistic Exhibits**



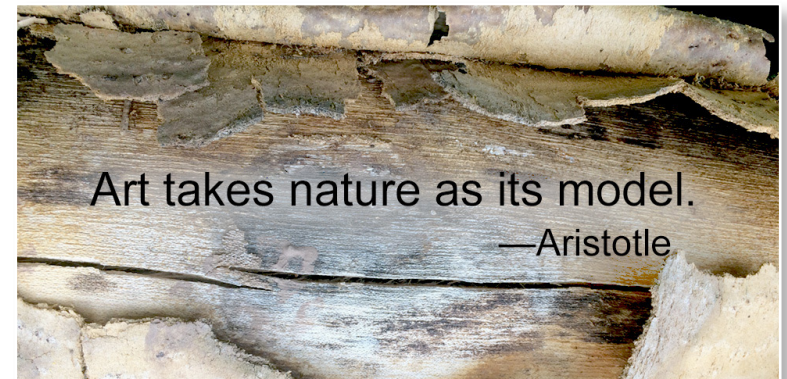
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**May through October 2022**

on display at

**Five Rivers Environmental Education Center  
56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, NY**

To honor our 50th anniversary, and to showcase the beauty of nature captured through photography, paint, wood, ceramics, and words, Friends of Five Rivers is sponsoring monthly creative exhibits. Starting in May and running through October, stop by the Visitor Center to see these Creative Nature Expressions exhibited from local artists.

All are welcome to attend monthly educational presentations to correspond with the theme (dates below). These presentations will be free-of-charge with light refreshments served.

## CREATIVE NATURE EXPRESSIONS Monthly Artistic Exhibits

### MAY

#### Nature Photography

Tuesday, May 17 at 7:00 pm - PHOTOGRAPHY TALK

Join Scott Stoner & Denise Hackert-Stoner of Naturelogues, to learn tips and techniques on how to capture outdoor images.

### JUNE

#### Quilting

Tuesday, June 14 at 7:00 pm - THE ART OF QUILTING

Barbara Quackenbush, textile artist and member of the of the Capital Region Textile Artists, will talk about a unique and interpretive way of quilting that incorporates fabric patterns, prints, and more, using both machine and hand quilting.

### JULY

#### Poetry & Mixed Media Expressions, including ceramics & woodworking

Tuesday, July 12 at 7:00 pm - NATURE POETRY EXPRESSIONS

Mimi Moriarty will teach how to use words to poetically express your feelings when in the presence of nature's healing peace.

### AUGUST

#### Mixed Media Expressions, including nature ceramics & woodworking

Tuesday, August 16 at 7:00 pm - CELEBRATE NATURE WITH ART

Noreen Powell will reveal essential building blocks for representing the beauty of nature through art.

### SEPTEMBER

#### Mixed Media & Photography

Saturday, September 17 from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm - FALL FESTIVAL

Join us on this day of Fall Festival family fun with samplings of mixed media art, quilting, and photography on display... and some even up for auction!

### OCTOBER

#### Children's Art Showcase

Saturday, October 1 at 11:00 am - OPEN HOUSE

Enjoy the creative expressions of elementary-school-aged children on display throughout the month, with the artists on hand during the Open House.

## EXHIBITOR FORM

If you wish to be an exhibitor during one of the themed months, please complete the form below and we will be in touch with further details. Only one submission per person, per category will be accepted. Due to space restrictions, please do not submit anything larger than 16x20" framed or unframed. Quilting will have different requirements.

NAME (as you wish it to appear on display): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

SUBMISSION:

- MAY - Nature Photography (drop off between April 18-23)
- JUNE - Quilting (drop off between May 23-28)
- JULY - Poetry & Mixed Media Expressions (drop off between June 20-25)
- AUGUST - Mixed Media Expressions (drop off between July 18-23)
- SEPTEMBER - Mixed Media & Photography
- OCTOBER - Children's Art Showcase (drop off between Sept 19-24)\*

\*Age if submitting for Children's Art Showcase: \_\_\_\_\_

SUBMISSION DESCRIPTION: \_\_\_\_\_

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PERMISSION TO DISPLAY AND USE IMAGES IN SOCIAL MEDIA / PUBLICITY:

Yes  No

*The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, and the Friends of Five Rivers shall not be liable for any damage to or loss of the work while on public display at the Visitor Center.*

\*I give permission for my child's artwork to be displayed during October.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(adult if minor)

**Return completed form to:**

Friends of Five Rivers  
c/o Paulette Doudoukjian  
56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, NY 12054