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Art for Your Sweetheart: Art Show & Silent Auction at Pickering Manor

The Pickering Manor Auxiliary hosts an art show to benefit residents!

NEWTOWN, PA – Join us for an unforgettable evening at Pickering Manor’s *Art for Your Sweetheart* Art Show and Silent Auction on February 6 from 5-7 PM! The event will take place at the Clubhouse at the Manor (Pickering Manor), located at 226 N. Lincoln Avenue, Newtown, PA. Hosted by the Pickering Manor Auxiliary, this event will showcase a stunning collection of artwork by local artists, including pieces available for auction and purchase. Admission is \$20 at the door and includes light refreshments, wine, and gourmet cheese—a perfect pairing for an evening of art and community support.

The majority of artists featured in the show are members of the Artists of Yardley (AOY) Art Center, a nonprofit organization offering a wide range of art classes for children and adults. These artists meet every Monday for Open Studio sessions at the historic Janney House on Patterson Farm. In addition to classes, AOY presents numerous art exhibitions throughout the year, including its popular holiday fine craft show. Recognized as a leading art center in the area, AOY is committed to fostering creativity and supporting the local arts community. For more information, visit www.aoyarts.org.

The exhibit at Pickering Manor will showcase works by:

- **Arlene Freed:** A Bucks County artist specializing in landscapes, figure work, and portraiture, capturing both animals and people with vivid detail.
- **Connie Dierks:** Working in oil and watercolor, Connie’s art explores her fascination with color, reflection, light, and shadow.
- **Craig Hackett:** A self-taught Newtown-based landscape painter, Craig is known for his bold watercolor and acrylic works, often depicting historic homes and the scenic beauty of Bucks County.
- **Jeanne Chesterton:** An award-winning still life artist, Jeanne is known for her realistic and meticulously crafted compositions.
- **Pat Proniewski:** A contemporary realist painter, Pat’s work has received awards regionally, nationally, and internationally.
- **Renee Egan:** An award-winning artist and founding member of the AOY Art Center in Yardley, PA, Renee creates romantic impressions through dynamic lighting, color, and texture.

In addition to the silent auction, the artists will have additional works available for purchase. This event presents a unique opportunity to acquire beautiful, one-of-a-kind pieces while supporting the residents of Pickering Manor.

Don't miss out on this delightful evening—come support local artists, enjoy fine art, and share in the festive atmosphere. For more information, visit www.pickeringmanor.org and click on *Community and Events*.

ARTISTS OF YARDLEY (AOY)

AOY is a nonprofit organization and premier art center in the area serving as a vibrant cultural hub for local artists and art lovers. Located at 949 Mirror Lake Road, Yardley, PA 19067, it offers a variety of art classes and hosts exhibitions throughout the year. For more information, please contact Bette Sovinee, Executive Director, at 215-493-1205 or visit www.aoyarts.org.

PICKERING MANOR AUXILIARY

Founded in 1963, the same year Pickering Manor opened its doors, the Pickering Manor Auxiliary is dedicated to enhancing the lives of our residents. As a vital part of Pickering Manor, the Auxiliary provides essential support to the nonprofit organization, helping to fund programs and services that improve daily life for those in care. Volunteers know how rewarding it is to contribute to this mission, and the Auxiliary's efforts remain a cornerstone of Pickering Manor's commitment to compassionate, community-driven care. For more information, email info@pickeringmanor.org.

PICKERING MANOR

Pickering Manor is a nonprofit Life Plan Community/CCRC in historic Newtown, Bucks County, PA, offering compassionate care for over 60 years. Recently renovated and expanded, this 5-star rated community combines modern amenities with personalized care in a close-knit, welcoming environment. Pickering provides a full continuum of care, including Independent Living, Personal Care, Memory Care, Rehabilitation, and Skilled Nursing. Dedicated to enriching the lives of its residents with exceptional care and compassion, Pickering Manor continues to set the standard for quality care. Learn more at www.pickeringmanor.org.



Local Artists and Pickering Manor Auxiliary Board President, Jane Mahler, Meet to Kick Off Art Show Planning. Pictured (L-R): Pat Proniewski, Jeanne Chesterton, Jane Mahler, Connie Dierks, Renee Egan, Arlene Freed. Missing: Craig Hackett.



A sneak peek at the stunning artwork that will be featured at Pickering Manor Auxiliary's Art for Your Sweetheart Art Show & Silent Auction. Meet the talented artists in person and join us on February 6 to experience the full display and support Pickering Manor.