

HEMLOCK STUDIO GALLERY Artists' Newsletter

March 17th, 2025

New Gallery Hours for Spring and Summer 2025 Will Begin May 4th

At the beginning of May, we will begin our Spring-Summer-Fall hours, a time when folks are more likely to be out and about shopping. Now that the days are longer, we'll return to our regular gallery hours. Additionally, we will resume being open on Sunday afternoons. **Beginning May 4th** our hours will be:

Sundays

1 - 6 PM

Tuesday through Saturday

11 AM - 6 PM

The gallery work schedule will, of course, need to be revised, as some of our artists will be returning to run the gallery on Sunday afternoons.

While working in the Gallery, please help by...

- ✓ Checking wastebaskets and, if needed, emptying them in the large can in bathroom.
- ✓ Sweeping the sidewalk in front of the gallery.
- ✓ Watering plants in pots in front of gallery, if needed.
- ✓ Checking to see if the bags and tissue paper need to be restocked.

Many thanks for helping to keep our gallery looking welcoming and attractive.



Next Gallery Refresh Will be April 5th- 6th

The Gallery Committee will do a refresh of our gallery at the beginning of next month. As you are undoubtedly familiar from our two previous refreshes, this is a time when our gallery will figuratively "fluff its feathers," providing our customers and visitors with the opportunity to view your artwork from a different perspective. It's also a good time to swap out some of your pieces.

Should you have questions or wish to contact the Gallery Committee, a new email address has been established for them:

GalleryCommittee@hemlockstudiogallery.com

Please check on the potted plants out in front of the gallery...

I've got a touch of Spring Fever and realize that it's time to be aware of the plants out in front of the gallery. When it's your day to be in the gallery, please check to see if they may need water (but don't overwater!). Thanks. *Don*

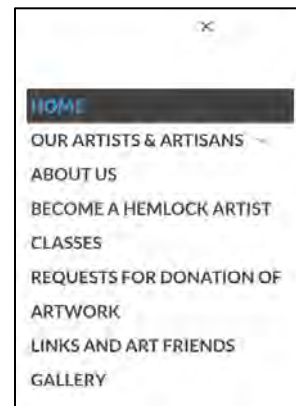
Answering Customer Inquiries

The information on this page is identical to that shared in a group email on March 2nd. It is repeated here in the event you missed or didn't have time to read the email.

Because you are already knowledgeable about our gallery, you probably don't visit our Hemlock Studio Gallery website very often. However, I have recently made some revisions, and **I am writing to encourage you to take a few minutes to see what there as this is will help you to answer questions when folks ask you at the desk:**

- When someone comes in to ask if artists will donate artwork for an auction or fundraiser, please refer them to our gallery policy on our website (it's in the menu in the upper right-hand corner).
- An artist may stop in to inquire about how they might show their work in our gallery. We have an established process and an application, and this is detailed on our website, on a page entitled "Become A Hemlock Artist." This, too, is in the menu in the upper right-hand corner...and in the menu right under the banner at the top of the page.
- Folks frequently ask about art classes. As you may recall, we are beginning to compile a list of local art classes. There is now an item in the menu ("classes"), as well as a link to this page right at the top of our homepage entitled "Art Classes."

These are the items listed in the menu at the upper right-hand corner of the homepage:



There is a link to our Hemlock Facebook page in the footer on every page of our website. Also, there is a button linking to our Facebook page in the new horizontal menu across the top of our homepage, below the banner.

I recently went around the gallery the other day and took random photographs of many of your beautiful creations as a means of providing visitors to our website with a "sneak preview" of the kinds of things they might find when visiting our gallery. I will change these periodically. **There is a link to this page from the menu in the upper right-hand corner called "gallery."**

Finally, a reminder that there is a special, hidden webpage on our website that is just for you. I call this **the "insider" page**. This is particularly helpful if you wish to contact other artists (there is an Artist Contact list), if you wish to view the newsletter(s), or perhaps print tags for your artwork. If you haven't yet looked at it, I encourage you to take a couple of minutes to check it out:

<https://hemlockstudiogallery.com/insider/>

We now have an additional menu that is directly below the banner on our homepage (I realize this is small but will give you an idea of what to look for). Click anywhere on the menu below to go to our homepage.

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