

# Newsletter April 2012

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## UNIONTOWN ART CLUB'S 85<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY



It is almost here, I am sure Anne, Becky and Patty will be happy. Sounds like all is proceeding well, I am sure it will be a great party. The guest list has been growing as we get closer.

### UAC MEETING NOTICE

**April 17<sup>th</sup> Meeting 6:00 p.m. Call to order 6:30 p.m.**

This month meeting will be at the Uniontown Library 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY ARTIST OF THE MONTH

Leonardo da Vinci      April 15, 1453

**"I have been impressed with the urgency of doing. Knowing is not enough; we must apply. Being willing is not enough; we must do."**

I chose [Leonardo da Vinci](#) for this month's artist because he speaks to the the "doing" and not merely the "thinking" of life.

Also, if you haven't already visited the awesome Leonardo da Vinci: Machines in Motion exhibit in California University's new Convocation Center, do try to get there as it features his inventions built in materials only available in his time. This is a "not to miss" exhibit now through May 6. Admission is FREE.



**The Last Supper 1498**

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## **President's Message**

This year spring is just a little extra special for the Uniontown Art Club. Rounding out our exciting membership and community spring activities schedule is the 85th Birthday Celebration on April 20 chaired by Ann Cehula, Patty Clutter-Thorpe and Beck Keck, the annual spring exhibit from May 19-June 3, and the Business After Hours on May 23 at Touchstone chaired by Mary Len. Additionally, in late spring or early summer we're planning a field trip dinner-tour of the art collection at Nemaquin Woodlands Resort.

My sincere gratitude is extended to those who have already worked hard toward building the success of these activities. I must also stress the need for increased volunteerism among all of our members toward the final success of these activities. Please sign up at both of the next two meetings, April 17 and May 15, for the various calls for your participation.

There's certain accomplishment in group work and satisfaction in that work done well. Let us continue in a positive direction so we can continue the great legacy of the Uniontown Art Club.

One more thing...make art. My art mentor Sue Allerdice Neff told me many years ago, "set aside at least one hour a day for the making of art". I find that it usually becomes more than a mere 60 minutes. On those days that seem uninspiring, start with simple doodles that grow into elaborate designs, gesso panels or make art in response to a story (reminiscent of the elementary school experience of drawing a picture of the teacher read story?) Open your creative door and step in.

See you at the April 17 meeting!

Beverly

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## News and Future Events

Legend: **UAC Function** Others

### Events coming up over the next several months

#### April

**Currently till May 6<sup>th</sup>** Leonardo da Vinci: Machines in Motion exhibit in California University's new Convocation Center.

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>** Meeting, Uniontown Library, second floor 6:00p.m. call to order 6:30p.m.

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup>** 85<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party Celebration at the Uniontown Country Club.

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup>** Laural Highlands arts show.

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>** Photo Shoot at 59 S. Gallatin Ave. 5-9 p.m.

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>** Post Mark Entry Deadline.

#### May

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup>** Acceptance/rejection cards sent from Juror.

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup>** Reception from 5-8p.m. and Award Ceremony at 7:00p.m.

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 20<sup>th</sup>** is the National Pike craft show at scenery hill.

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup>** Please show our support by attending the (Fayette Chamber of Commerce) Business after Hours function, this will be in conjunction with our Spring Show at Touchstone. The Uniontown Art Club is co-sponsor along with Touchstone; we would like to thank Mary Len Hajduk for doing an excellent job of organizing this event.

#### June

The Board of Directors have voted on a June field trip. The By-Laws state that a June field trip is to be planned. This year's trip will be to Nemaocolin Woodlands for an art tour by the curator. A reasonably priced dinner is being planned at this time. Details to follow later.

#### July

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup>** Arts at the Lardin House will be held again this year on July 14<sup>th</sup>. Individual members are welcome to rent their own tent space.

#### August

Thursday evening closeline sale. Details to follow.

#### Sept.

Plans are being formulated to have a creative workshop to support our Holiday show and sale. Details to follow.

#### December

The Holiday Show will be hosted at the Avenue this year.

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## **New Membership Application Form**

Attached or Enclosed is an application form to be used for new members or existing members that would like to rejoin our club. The form is self explanatory and is in three parts. Please print a copy to pass out when needed.



Today it looks like this but on April 20<sup>th</sup> 2012 it will be full of artist and those that appreciate art.