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points of  
interest:

- □ Swamp Gas
- □ Derek Brueckner
- □ Annual Artists Retreat
- □ 2010 Juried Art Show

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# Newsletter

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## Upcoming Events....

### You won't want to miss Swamp Gas



Swamp Gas is a Neepawa, Manitoba based band formed in 2003. They play acoustic folk, Irish, and East Coast music. Their playlist consists of toe tapping traditional tunes, old familiar sing-a-long favorites, and contemporary numbers full of lively energy.



Tired of playing in their own basements and living rooms to various household pets, they decided to go public in 2003. Although their live shows lack

the harmonies provided by Lorne's dog singing along to the harmonica, they invite audience participation to round out their sound

**Tickets on sale June 1st**



**Tickets \$20.00**  
or **\$25.00 at the door**  
**Show time at 7:30 p.m.**

**Performing in two locations**  
**Oak Point**  
**Community Park**  
**Aug 20, 2010**  
**and**  
**Moosehorn**  
**Community Hall**  
**Aug 21, 2010**

*Tickets for both venues can be purchased at the following locations:*

**Rawluk's Grocery**, Gypsumville  
**Perfect Image**, St. Martin  
**The Source**, Ashern  
**Havakeen**, Eriksdale  
**Sears**, Lundar  
**Ida Marie's Flowers**, Fisher Branch  
**Hwy 6 Hotel**, Oak Point  
**Castle Building Centre**, St. Laurent  
**Interlake Depanneau**, St. Laurent  
**Gratton's General Store**, St. Laurent  
**Dianne Appleyard**, 646-2681 or 739-8001 (Oak Point)

*Or from Any IOAA member:*

### Visual Arts Workshop this May

Inland Oceans Arts Alliance and the Gypsumville Art Club have joined forces and are offering a Visual Arts Workshop "Portraits and People"

**"Portraits and People"**

**Derek Brueckner**  
**10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.**  
**May 29-30, 2010**

**Cost: \$65 for both days**

Derek Brueckner, a Manitoba Artist who has an extensive resume in teaching and providing workshops on the human form. Derek will provide instruction on creating portraits as well as drawing people.

The Artists can expect to develop skills in drawing portraits, and the human form. Participants can use a variety of materials, pencils, charcoal, pastels, acrylic paint, creating a collage, etc. Ultimately if the participant has a preferences for working with certain materials Derek will usually lets them use what they want. Derek stated "Overall I anticipate working with people individually and offering advice assistance regarding realism (representational drawing and painting skills) and or ideas in terms of abstraction and or more conceptual ideas and approaches to art making."

**To pre-register, please contact, Brenda at 659-2606, Audrey after 5 p.m. at 659-5271, Muriel at 659-5811, or obtain a form from our websites.**

<http://inlandoceansarts.t35.com>

## IOAA Ladies Artists Retreat September 9-13, 2010

We will again be hosting an Artists Retreat at Big Rock Camp and Campground. This year we are planning a 4 day event. The instructor will be Graham Clark from Inwood Manitoba. **Cost is \$335.00** and includes accommodation, instructor fees, and all your meals. Come relax, meet new friends, and enjoy the experience of plein air painting.



Our brochures, and applications form are available on the website or by contacting contact Brenda 659-2606 or Audrey after 5 at 659-5271.

### Committee Members

*Audrey Lute  
Chair/Treasurer*

*Brenda Duseigne  
Secretary*

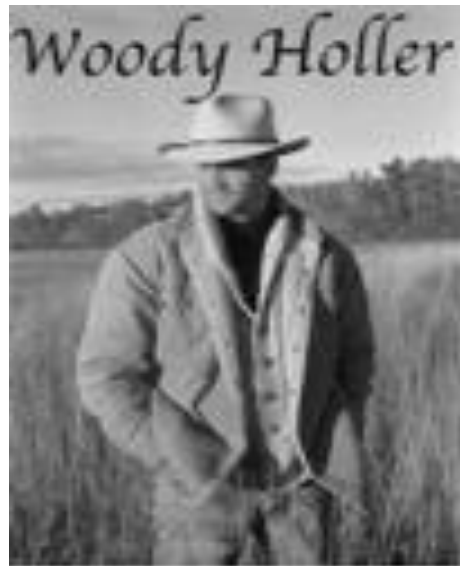
*Debbie Falk*

*Muriel Alexander*

*Mari Stagg*

*Thank you for enhancing our Committee and supporting the arts in our Communities.*

*Your input and ideas are so important to our growth!*



The IOAA is proud to introduce **Woody Holler**. He will be appearing this October in two of our communities.

**October 2, 2010—Fisher Branch**

**October 3, 2010—Gypsumville**

Look for more information in our Summer and Fall Newsletters, and visit our website for the latest information.

Inland Oceans Arts Alliance is proud to announce  
COMING SOON TO ASHERN, MANITOBA  
**LEGENDS OF THE FALL**  
The Number One Tribute Show

Mark your calendar  
**October 23, 2010**



## Patsy Klyne

The IOAA would like to thank **Patsy Klyne** for all her hard work, time and dedication she gave this organization in the past two years. Patsy has elected to step down from the Committee to pursue other interests. However, we are delighted that she will still be involved as a Community Volunteer and look forward to working with her on local projects. Good luck in all your future endeavours.. You are missed...

## Final Gathering of Artists—Mentorship Project



March 14, 2010 was the final gathering of those that participated in the Mentorship Program from this area. On this day we had the pleasure of a special guest Artists Barbara Flemington, from Brandon. The group would like to thank her for coming and for her enthusiasm, encouragement and helpful input.

Each participant displayed their "bodies of work" and shared their experiences, problems, triumphs, and future plans, with each other and our Mentor.

The IOAA hopes to bring this type of mentorship to our communities again. Thank you to those that participated.

On May 17th this group met with those that participated in the Program from Neepawa, the Manitoba Arts Network Visual Arts Coordinator Tim Schouten, Shawna Dempsey, Co-Director from MAWA, Mary Reid Curator, Winnipeg Art Gallery, and Shirley Brown, Mentor. At this Meeting participants and guests view each others work, talk about the program, learn more about the sponsoring organizations. Mary Reid critiqued each of the participants work. The day ended with a tour of the Martha Street Studio.

We would like to again thank our Mentor, Shirley Brown, MAWA, the Manitoba Arts Network and supporter, Manitoba Arts Council for providing us with the unique opportunity.

## 2010 Interlake Juried Art Show

This year the Interlake Juried Art Show is being held June 18th and 19th, at the Sunova Centre, 49 Holland Road, West St. Paul. Deadline for Entries is Monday May 31, 2010 and Art Drop Off Deadline is Friday June 12th. There is a drop off point located in Eriksdale at the Lakeshore School Division Board Office 23-2nd Ave.(Ph: 204-739-2101)

For more information contact Ian Goodall-George at 204-642-6014 (e-mail [ian.goodall-george@gov.mb.ca](mailto:ian.goodall-george@gov.mb.ca)) or Damara Geddes at 204-336-0294 (e-mail [recreation@weststpaul.com](mailto:recreation@weststpaul.com)). Applications can be obtained from Audrey, telephone (659-5271 after 5:00 ) or e-mail [inlandoceansarts@yahoo.ca](mailto:inlandoceansarts@yahoo.ca).

**Next IOAA Meeting is scheduled for June 17, 2010.** Contact any Committee Member should you have questions or ideas to discuss. Input is very welcome.

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## Current IOAA Membership

### Individual:

Sandra Tochor, Dorothy Rawluk, Sharon Bittner,  
Miriam Rashleigh, Muriel Alexander, June Price

### Family:

Susan Anderson / Lyle Shabaga, Debbie / Vern Falk,  
Audrey / Joe Lute, Patsy / Merle Klyne / Phil and Shirley  
Bach, Tim / Jean Cameron

### Organization:

Big Rock Camp and Camp Ground  
Gypsumville Art Club  
Ashern Pioneer Museum  
R.M. of Eriksdale  
Interlake Reserves Tribal Council,  
Village Artists  
Rural Municipality of Fisher  
Rural Municipality of Eriksdale

### Donor:

Graymont Western Canada Inc

### Patron:

CKDM Radio in Dauphin



## Become an IOAA Member

### Yearly Membership

Individual Membership—\$10.00  
Family Membership—\$20.00  
Organization Membership—\$20.00  
Donor—\$30.00 to \$149.00  
Sponsor—\$150.00—\$499.00  
Patron—\$500.00+

### Membership Benefits

The membership will provide

- A Quarterly Newsletter
- Resources
- Exposure to Arts and Culture
- Opportunity for a free ticket to a selected event via draw
- Announcement of events in the Newsletter and on the Internet
- Names will be listed on News letter and Internet indicating degree of support.

### Membership Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_  
Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Memberships X

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| Individual   | \$10.00           | ___ |
| Family       | \$20.00           | ___ |
| Organization | \$25.00           | ___ |
| Donor        | \$30.00-\$149.00  | ___ |
| Sponsor      | \$150.00-\$499.00 | ___ |
| Patron       | \$500.00 +        | ___ |

Clip and sent with your cheque to:  
**Inland Oceans Arts Alliance, Box 68,  
St. Martin, MB R0C 2T0**

## Supports and Sponsors of the IOAA

- Radio 730 CKDM in Dauphin 
- The Interlake Spectator
- Niff D Cuts - Ashern
- Shop Easy - Eriksdale
- Havakeen Lunch and Tire - Eriksdale
- Rawluk's Grocery - Gypsumville
- Sears - Lundar
- Perfect Image - St. Martin
- Hwy 6 Hotel - Oak Point
- Interlake Depanneau - St. Laurent
- Gratton's General Store - St. Laurent
- Ida Maria's Flowers and Giftware - Fisher Branch
- The Interlake Spectator
- Perfect Image Hair Design - St. Martin
- Rural Municipality of Grahamdale
- Rural Municipality of Fisher
- Rural Municipality of Eriksdale
- Rural Municipality of Siglunes
- Rural Municipality of Coldwell
- Graymont Western Canada Inc. - Faulkner
- Lakeshore Recreation Commission
- Manitoba Arts Network
- Canadian Heritage
- Culture Heritage and Tourism