



New year, new art!

From Donna Slade's "Put Yourself in My Shoes" Series



"On a daily basis, we see people judging each other's opinions and behaviors. Every person has different thoughts, wishes, and dreams, different friends, and different interests.

If we are able to see the whole person without judgment of culture or situations, if we listen and have empathy, we might see each other in a different way."

Pieces from this series can currently be seen at Donna's website – donnasladeart.com

Nada Behr Publishes Book

Written and illustrated by **Nada Behr**, "We want a Dog" is a delightful picture book for young children.



Based on her own children's pleas for a pet, Behr's book will make all dog lovers laugh, giggle and enjoy the illustrations.

It's available for purchase at a number of local venues including the Bank of the Arts, Bill's Pet Shop, CAGS Gallery and the Next Chapter Book Store.

To view the **digital version** of this newsletter or place an ad, go to newbernartists.com

Eberle Wins Awards



After having five works selected for the Wayne County 41st National Art Exhibition in Goldsboro, NC, **Jill Eberle** won both Best in Show for the drawing "King Nut" and First Place for her painting "Worker Bees". The latter is a portrait of New Bern's favorite skateboard builder Scotty Bizzle.

Also, she recently had three works accepted as Finalists in the Portrait Society of Atlanta's Fall Exhibition, which is online this year.

Her work can be viewed at jilleberle.com



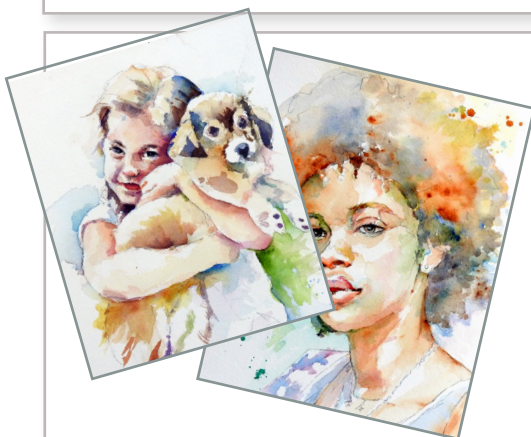
Learn to paint your favorite people

Join artist **Karen Schaaf** as she guides you through a series of steps for creating portraits in a spontaneous style using transparent watercolors. All levels are welcome!

The two-day online workshop is broken into a series of live demos, guided exercises and group critiques. Videos and a printable workbook are provided for future reference. Class size is limited, so enroll now!

Upcoming workshop dates: January 12/13 or February 16/17

karenschaaf.com



Make a Date with a Painting



Check out this piece online at Jan's website and contact her to meet the real painting in person.

JanHoppe.com

Saturday, November 6, 2021

The **New Bern Artists Studio Tour** is being planned now – save the date!

When we can once again join together, you'll be invited into the workspaces of a host of local artists to chat with them in person and see how their works are created. Or, if you are a local artist, plan to join us!

More information is at our website:
newbernartists.com

Macomber provides expert art restoration

Known for his award-winning watercolors, **Ed Macomber** is available for expert restoration services. Along with **Chris Carroll**, they restore oil paintings, watercolors, works on parchment, and religious icons, returning them to their original or better condition.

If you need a valuation or seek information on the artist of your treasure, they'll research it for you. They can restore gilded frames on artwork and mirrors.

Call to talk about your project: **252-229-5270**.

See over 30 artists at one location!



Tired of staring at the same four walls? Brighten up your home with a new piece of art!

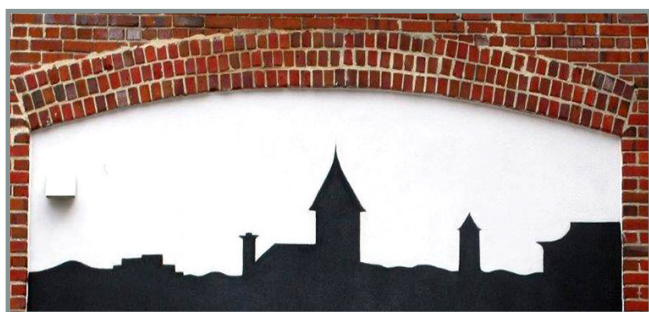
The **Community Artists Gallery & Studios** is New Bern's largest collection of local and award-winning artists and artisans.

Pottery, weaving and fabric art, jewelry, woodworking, blown glass and ceramics, watercolors, oil and acrylic paintings.

Visit the CAGS gallery in New Bern's historic district, or shop their new online store from the comfort of your home.

309 Middle Street
artpal.com/cags

Vitale and Doyle go BIG



Vicki Vitale is known for her abstracts and miniature paintings, but now she's teamed up with New Bern newcomer **Jesse Doyle** to create some wall-sized work.

They've painted two new murals in Artisan's Square, the cluster of shops behind Bella's Café, accessible from Hancock Street.

If you are interested in creating or hosting more murals in downtown New Bern, contact Vicki at 252-626-6750.

