"Art Inspired by Nature"

Art League of Germantown Exhibition at The Carnegie at Washingtonian Center Galleries

September 23, 2025 – January 5, 2026 10100 Washingtonian Blvd, Gaithersburg, MD 20878

ALOG will be exhibiting at the two gallery spaces at The Carnegie at Washingtonian Center. This will be a juried exhibit and is one of the benefits of ALOG's membership with the GPARC's Arts & Culture Alliance.

Calendar

Exhibit Dates	Tuesday, September 23 through Monday, January 5, 2026 (tentatively)
Last day of submittal	Sunday, September 14, 2025, at 5 PM (tentative)
Delivery	Monday, September 22, 2025 – 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (or by appointment with Jaree)
Installation	Monday, September 22, 2025 – 1:00 - 5:00 pm
Takedown	Tuesday, January 6, 2026 – 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (or by appointment with Jaree)

- This show has a title of "Art Inspired by Nature".
 - The theme of the artwork can be about nature, including but not limited to animals, birds, insects, marine life, sunset/sunrise, landscapes ... <u>absolutely</u> anything about the natural environment.
 - The artist will be required to provide up to two sentences (approximately 40 words or less) about how the work relates to the nature/environment theme.
- We anticipate about 25-30 pieces being selected for exhibition, depending on size. The work will be installed in both the main gallery and concierge/club level gallery spaces.
- Pieces should be a minimum of 12" on the shortest dimension and up to 60" on the longest dimension and pieces need to weigh under 50 pounds for consideration. Large scale pieces are welcome.
- This is a juried exhibit, and the artwork will be juried from the images.
 - Each artist can submit up to four images of their artwork to be considered by the jury team.
 - o Photographs of the artwork in JPG format are required.
 - The jury team will consist of two individuals from GPARC Art & Culture Alliance, with a review by the Carnegie team.
 - Artists will be notified by 5 p.m. on Friday, September 19, 2025, of artwork selected to be in exhibit.
- The artist must provide artwork details consisting of:
 - o Title
 - Medium
 - Size (Framed)
 - o Price
 - Year Created
 - The two sentences describing what inspired the artist in reference to the theme as described above.
- The artwork submitted does not have to be recently completed.
- The artist is also required to provide an MS Word file of their latest biography/artist

- statement for the Bio Book. A template will be provided.
- Any medium is welcome, if it may be installed on the wall using standard artwork hardware.
- SPECIAL Two (2) three-dimensional pieces will go on 12" x 12" pedestals.
- All pieces must be prepared for professional presentation.
 - o Frames must be clean and unmarred.
 - Pieces on canvas that are not framed must have clean or painted edges, with no staples visible.
 - o Pieces with mats and glass should be clean, unmarred, and unscratched.
 - o Fiber art pieces must have a hanging apparatus that is not visible when installed.
 - Wall art must have a taut hanging wire across the back, 1/3 to ¼ from the top.
 - Pedestal pieces should be able to sit securely on the pedestal surface and be viewable from all sides.
- All work must be delivered by Monday, September 22, 2025, at 11:30 a.m. If you cannot make it at the drop off time window listed above, please contact Jaree at jaree@artsentwine.com to drop off your artwork with her in advance.
- The show will be installed on the same day as drop-off, and we need four volunteers to help in the afternoon. Please let Jaree know if you can help.
- The show will run through Monday, January 5, 2026 with pick up on Tuesday, January 6. **We will need 2 volunteers for show takedown**. Please plan to have your work on display through the final exhibit date. If you cannot make it in the pick-up timeframe, please contact Jaree at <u>jaree@artsentwine.com</u> at least 24 hours in advance and she will take your work for safekeeping to be picked up during the week.
- There are no monetary awards for this exhibit, but it will be publicized by both The Carnegie and GPARC, in addition to ALOG.
- Artists are welcome to provide artist talk, demos or offer workshops at The Carnegie during the exhibition. For more details, please contact Jaree at jaree@artsentwine.com.
- All sales will be conducted between the artist and the buyer. The Carnegie will refer the buyer to ALOG (Yelena Skripchenko, lenaskrip@gmail.com), who will contact the artist.

Please submit all artwork details, images, description of how the artwork applies to the theme and your bio to Jaree Donnelly – <u>jaree@artsentwine.com</u>, with a "cc:" to Yelena Skripchenko – lenaskrip@gmail.com before 5 p.m. on Sunday, September 14, 2025.