



### The President's Corner



#### Happy Holidays Everyone!

We are always put in a festive spirit when all of our friends gather for our annual potluck dinner...Not only are our members talented artistically, but they are skilled in fine food! Thank you to all of you for helping to make our dinner delicious! To those of you who helped with set up and will help with take down, you are valued! Our hosting committee again has done a superior job in presentation.

We are delighted to have Bryan Hughes, Assistant Vice President of Business Development for Huntingdon Valley Bank, speak to us tonight. The bank has been very supportive of our bank shows. We thank Peter Petraglia, artist and photographer for rescheduling with us to be tonight's speaker.

Next month, we start in our new meeting place for the new year! We have maps tonight for each of you, and you will be reminded before the January meeting about the location (We don't want to lose anyone!)

This will be a great start for growth for our club. Your assignment to help our league expand (we have a nice, new bigger facility) is to each try to bring a friend, or at least to tell one person about our group this month!

We are asking the membership for ideas on several items:

- 1.....Ideas for trips
- 2.....Ideas for ways to "get our name out there"
- 3.....Ideas for venues to show our work

You may talk or email any board member with your input.....You all have ideas or connections that are important to BMAL.

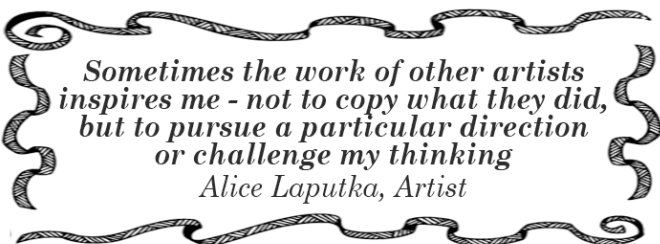
Just to tell you, I have had several new members comment on how friendly everyone is in our group.....I couldn't agree more!

Let's all have wonderful holidays and a  
**Happy, Healthy New Year.**

Dawn Park

### New Year ..... New Place

The **January** meeting will be held at our new location:  
The VFW building at **645 Louis Dr., Warminster**



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### BMAL Art Shows

#### •Horsham Township Library

*Tear down: Fri., Dec. 28 at 10AM*

#### •Huntingdon Valley Bank

*Tear down: Thur., Jan. 3 at 9AM*

#### •Fulton Bank

Street Rd. & Rt. 232, Southampton

*Set up: Mon., Jan. 7 at 9AM*

Bring 3 paintings to be hung, space allowing.

Nine paintings for the rotating show were chosen to hang at the **Huntingdon Valley Bank**, main office. Val Miller, Irene Mueller, Fern Miano, Lynne Whitsel, Bart Dunlap, Linda Grafius, Gail Cohen, Ellen Hall and Dawn Park will have their paintings displayed until April 4, 2013.



### Congratulations

Lois Wursta sold a painting at the bank in Jamison.

### Still Time to See Two Great Shows

#### Horsham Library Show



36  
paintings  
and  
jewelry  
are in  
the show



**Bart Dunlap** has a one man show with 22 paintings at the **Rydal Park Retirement Community.**

1515 The Fairway, Jenkintown

Going south on York Road towards Jenkintown, pass Abington Hospital...turn left at Barnes & Nobel.

Park is on the left just past Whole Foods

The show runs from **Dec. 7 to Jan. 31**

#### January Speaker. . . .

**Zach Bird** will be our speaker next month.

Please contact **Lynne Whitsel** with any information for the newsletter. Deadline is the Wednesday before the meeting.

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