



Proximity

Regional Discoveries

July 25 - October 4

This exhibit showcases artists working in the southern Maryland region—Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's, Prince Georges, and Anne Arundel counties. Artists were asked to explore the theme, proximity, in an artwork created for the show. What does it mean to be an artist living and working in an area with changing tides, seasons, populations and rapid growth? Where do artists find sources of inspiration in this area? Many of the pieces are inspired by the southern Maryland landscape—the land, the waterways, the architecture, and the sweeping changes the area has seen. Some artists are new residents to this area, some have lived their entire lives here. The artwork in this show reflects their attachments to the landscape and lifestyle this region offers.

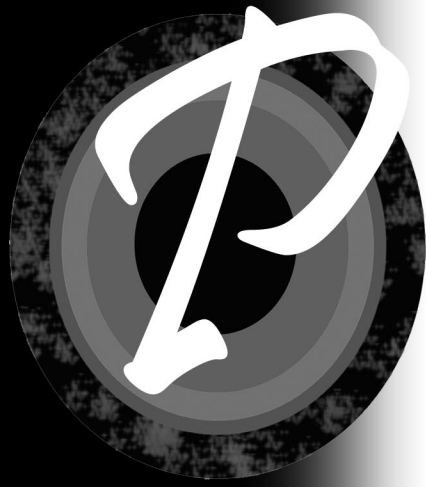
Exhibition Artists

Christina Allen
Brenda Belfield
Denise Breitburg
Ann Crain
Candy Cummings
Scott Galczynski
Abbey Griffin
Sarah Houde
Lorrain Humphreys
Gary Jameson
Joan Koss-Chioino
Kennedi Milan
Rex Miller
Megan Richard
M. Jane Rowe

Ed Rupard
Colleen Sabo
John A. Schaffner
J. Luray Schaffner
Clarence Schumaker
Suzanne Shelden
Nancy S. Shippen
Leitha Stone
Sylvia Stone
Pat Barry Troiani
Karen P. Vaughn
Peggy Walters
Victoria Wenderlich
Carl Wood
Gerry Wood

Paula Amt, Juror

Exhibit Concept by Nimi Little



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Exhibit Activities

Proximity Map

Visitors are invited to mark their hometown on the interactive map, highlighting how far they have traveled to visit Annmarie Garden. Design and decorate a sticker to mark your home on the map.

Collaborative Journals

Visit the three podiums throughout the show to contribute your thoughts, memories, and opinions to our collaborative journals. Ponder the art, consider the questions located in each journal, and write a message inside. Take time to enjoy the reflections of others as well. Each journal has a different theme-- be sure to visit them all!

Relax and Research

Take a break in the sitting area and read the artists' statements and biographies, or learn about local themes and topics through a selection of artful books.

Please do not touch the art.