The Saville Gallery

Pittsburgh Pastel Artists League

2014 Juried Exhibition

October 30, 2014 to November 21, 2014

Opening Reception Saturday, November 1, 2014 1 – 3PM

We are pleased to announce the details of the Pittsburgh Pastel Artists League Juried Exhibit at The Saville Gallery of the Allegany Arts Council in Cumberland, Maryland. This show is courtesy of Donna Housel who so graciously put us in touch with the Allegany Arts Council.

This is an absolutely beautiful exhibition space in the heart of downtown Cumberland, Maryland with an active art community. Traditional as well as abstract pieces sell, however, the area is more tuned to traditional work. The acting director said that work priced below \$2000 has a better chance of selling, although the gallery has sold work over \$5000. The artist will retain 60% of the sale with the gallery taking a 40% commission. Payment to the artist for any work sold while on display in The Saville Gallery will be made within 30 days of the conclusion of the exhibition.

This show will be juried (a requirement of The Saville Gallery) by a group of your peers with every effort made to be as inclusive as possible in representing the varying styles and subjects painted by members of the PPAL. Submissions should be of your **very best work with nothing over 5 years old.** Acceptance to this exhibition may be applied toward qualification for Signature Membership in PPAL. There is a jurying fee of \$20 that will cover the cost of transporting the paintings to and from Cumberland.

Each artist may submit up to 3 images for consideration. (PASTEL ONLY). There will be a size limit that includes the frame (due to transportation concerns). No piece should be over 42" in any direction. All images (image only) should be put on a single CD with no image over 3MB. Put your name on the CD. Images should be in JPG format (72dpi). Each image file should be marked with only the Title. Include a separate paper with Last Name, First Name, Title, Actual Image Size, Price, and Year Completed for each painting along with the artist's contact information (email address, phone number, address). All notifications will go out by the end of August.

All CDs along with a check made out to PPAL for the \$20 jurying fee should be mailed or delivered to Gail Beem, 157 York Drive, Natrona Heights, PA 15065 by no later than August 9. Phone: 724-295-9894

All artwork accepted into the show must be presented in a **professional manner**. If you use mats, they should be absolutely clean. Frames should be of **professional looking quality**. Use **wire for hanging**; absolutely **no** sawtooth or loop hangers will be accepted. The gallery reserves the right to reject any piece that does not meet these qualifications. All work should carry a tag on the back with the artist's name, the title of the painting, and the price.

More information regarding The Saville Gallery and the Allegany Arts Council may be found at: www.alleganyartscouncil.org.