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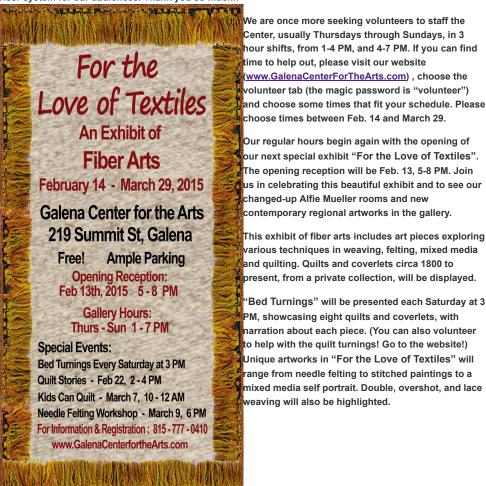
# The Galena Center for the Arts

Newsletter for February, 2015



Dear Dennis & Leslie,

A big THANK YOU! to all the folks who have donated items that we need for the Center for the Arts. Donations include a refrigerator and microwave for the kitchen, a computer and printer (we're still hooking it up!) for the office, DVD players for our video rooms, a comfy couch, and art books for our new Art lending library. We have also been blessed with generous financial donations, and are presently researching the best overhead projector for our use, security cameras, and comfortable seating with a riser system for our audiences. Thank you so much!!



Center, usually Thursdays through Sundays, in 3 hour shifts, from 1-4 PM, and 4-7 PM. If you can find time to help out, please visit our website (www.GalenaCenterForTheArts.com), choose the volunteer tab (the magic password is "volunteer") and choose some times that fit your schedule. Please choose times between Feb. 14 and March 29.

Our regular hours begin again with the opening of our next special exhibit "For the Love of Textiles". The opening reception will be Feb. 13, 5-8 PM. Join us in celebrating this beautiful exhibit and to see our changed-up Alfie Mueller rooms and new contemporary regional artworks in the gallery.

various techniques in weaving, felting, mixed media and quilting. Quilts and coverlets circa 1800 to present, from a private collection, will be displayed.

'Bed Turnings" will be presented each Saturday at 3 PM, showcasing eight quilts and coverlets, with narration about each piece. (You can also volunteer to help with the quilt turnings! Go to the website!) Unique artworks in "For the Love of Textiles" will range from needle felting to stitched paintings to a mixed media self portrait. Double, overshot, and lace



"Daybreak" a detail of a stitched paper work by Maureen Bardusk



"Drunken Finn" a detail of a three-panel double weave wall-hanging by Janet Zehr

#### **February Events Include**

"For the Love of Textiles"
Opening reception Fri. Feb. 13, 5-8 PM

"Bed Turnings" each Saturday at 3 PM



Belly Dance Class with Amanda Joy
Tues. Feb 3,10,17,24 6:15 PM



## PRESENTS:

### All Natural Medicine Cabinets



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Erin Horn will teach you how to get an all-natural medicine cabinet you can feel good about. Attend the class for free educational materials and sample some wonderful health products.

## Wednesday, February 11 @ the Galena Winter Farmers Market

#### The Galena Winter Farmers Market

219 Summit Street (The Galena Center for the Arts - Lower Level) 2nd Wednesday of each month | November -April | 4-6 www.galenawintermarket.com | www.facebook.com/galenawintermarket

#### Songwriters workshop

Thu. Feb. 19, led by Lenny Wayne Hosey and L.A.Suess 6:30 PM

An opportunity for songwriters to get together in friendship to share ideas, to tell each other our stories and experiences, and to encourage, motivate and inspire.

#### GALENA CENTER FOR THE ARTS 219 Summit St.

Presents another Audible Art show Hosted by Lenny Wayne Hosey

Roy Schroedl

Jim Mantey Jody McGill

& L.A. Suess

Sat. Feb. 21 7 to 9pm

\$5 suggested donation goes to www.galenacenterforthearts.com Audible Art Songwriters Showcase Sat. Feb. 21, 7-9 PM

Featuring Jody McGill, Roy Schroedl and Jim Mantey, hosted by L.A. Suess and Lenny Wayne Hosey.



Each quilt and every quilter tell a story expressed through pattern and fabrics. Join us for an afternoon of telling and listening to the stories of quilts. Feel free to bring a quilt that you have and tell its story. Refreshments served

#### **Looking Ahead**



"Sneak Peek" to the **Dubuque**International Film Festival to be held in

Galena Apr 21 and 22



Youth Arts Festival April 26 at Chestnut Mountain Lodge. Check out the Youth Arts Festival Facebook page for details

# Celebrate the Young at Art

See first hand the spark of creativity our local arts educators inspire and nurture in our preschool through high school students. This inclusive, non-commercial, and non-competitive setting will showcase visual arts, industrial art, drama, choral, and instrumental performances from Jo Daviess County public, private and parochial schools.

Sunday, April 26 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

#### WHERE Chestnut Mountain Resort

8700 W. Chestnut Mountain Rd. | Hanover, IL Outdoors, weather permitting. Indoors if rain.

> Event sponsors: Galena Center for the Arts Galena Art & Recreation Center

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