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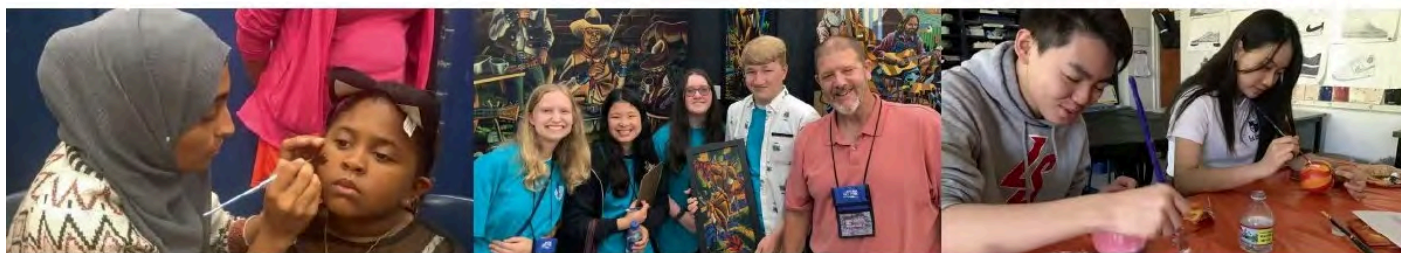


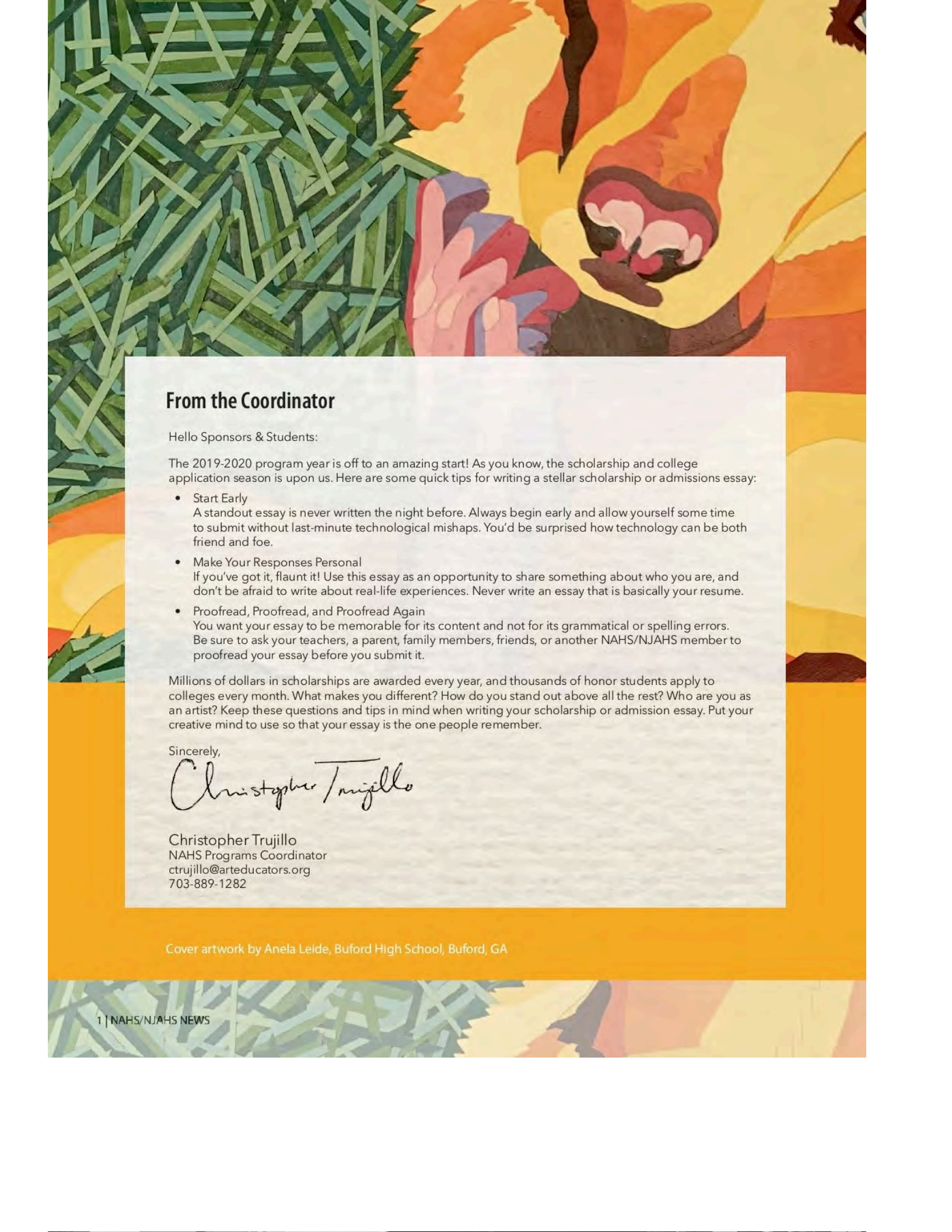
2019 NAHS/NJAHS Juried Exhibition

Our annual Juried Exhibition at the
NAEA Studio & Gallery

396 Outstanding Student Artworks

A showcase of artwork created by
the talented members of NAHS





From the Coordinator

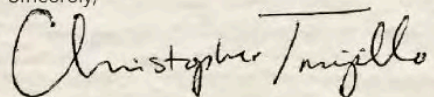
Hello Sponsors & Students:

The 2019-2020 program year is off to an amazing start! As you know, the scholarship and college application season is upon us. Here are some quick tips for writing a stellar scholarship or admissions essay:

- **Start Early**
A standout essay is never written the night before. Always begin early and allow yourself some time to submit without last-minute technological mishaps. You'd be surprised how technology can be both friend and foe.
- **Make Your Responses Personal**
If you've got it, flaunt it! Use this essay as an opportunity to share something about who you are, and don't be afraid to write about real-life experiences. Never write an essay that is basically your resume.
- **Proofread, Proofread, and Proofread Again**
You want your essay to be memorable for its content and not for its grammatical or spelling errors. Be sure to ask your teachers, a parent, family members, friends, or another NAHS/NJAHS member to proofread your essay before you submit it.

Millions of dollars in scholarships are awarded every year, and thousands of honor students apply to colleges every month. What makes you different? How do you stand out above all the rest? Who are you as an artist? Keep these questions and tips in mind when writing your scholarship or admission essay. Put your creative mind to use so that your essay is the one people remember.

Sincerely,



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Isabella Donatucci, Nonnewaug High School, Woodbury, CT



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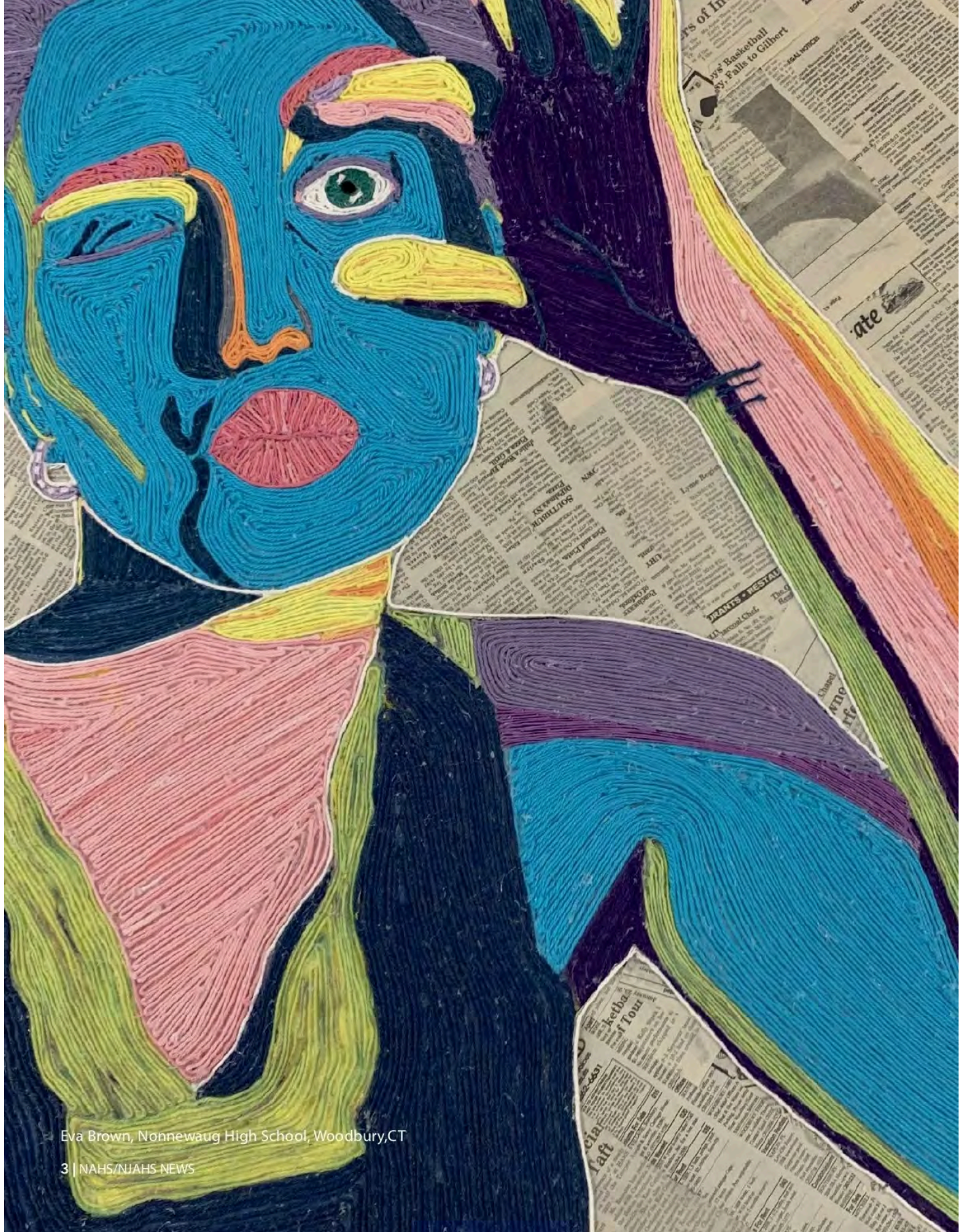
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Deadlines for submitting material for *NAHS News*: November 1 for the Winter issue and March 1 for the Spring issue. Please contact NAHS@arteducators.org for more information.



Eva Brown, Nonnewaug High School, Woodbury, CT



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DATES TO REMEMBER

JANUARY 31

Is your chapter registered this school year?

MARCH 31

Deadline to submit a resource order using a school purchase order (PO). For complete instructions on using a PO to place a resource order, download the PO Guidelines at www.arteducators.org/nahs/forms

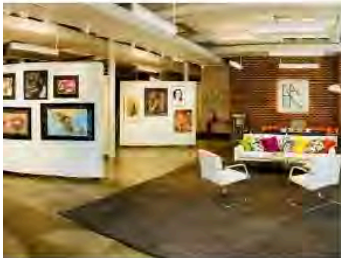
APRIL 15

Place your resource order. Please allow 4 weeks for processing and shipment of all NAHS/NJAHS orders.

JUNE 30

All chapter memberships expire regardless of the date you registered your chapter. Register early in the school year to get the most out of your chapter membership!

2019 NAHS/NJAHS Exhibition



The 2019 NAHS/NJAHS Juried Exhibition once again showcased the creative talent of members of the National Art Honor Society (NAHS) and the National Junior Art Honor Society (NJAHS).

NAEA received 908 submissions in a variety of mediums. Through the expertise of representatives from eight member schools of the Association of Independent Colleges of Art and Design (AICAD), more than 63 works were juried in to the gallery exhibition and an additional 74 works were selected for recognition in the Virtual Gallery. The exhibition was on display at the NAEA Studio & Gallery from January 28 through April 12, 2019.

These dedicated student artists represented 40 schools and demonstrate their passion

and creativity while advocating for the value of Visual Arts Education in the 21st century. NAEA was honored to promote the talents of these young artists through this exhibition.

The NAHS/NJAHS Juried Exhibition is held annually at the NAEA Studio & Gallery and is yet another valuable member benefit for student members.

Through the process of submitting works for consideration, students gain valuable experience in self-assessment of their work, development of a portfolio, understanding the process of being part of a juried exhibition and gaining national recognition for their artistic endeavors.

CONGRATULATIONS to the following students who participated in the 2019 NAHS/NJAHS Juried Exhibition!

NAHS

Ali Arasin | Milton, GA
Elisa Arce | Elgin, IL
Amara Asrawi | Addison, TX
Kaitlyn Bates | Atlanta, GA
Ruth Beinhacker | Armonk, NY
Joseph Benson | Jackson, NJ
Mason Burrow | Texarkana, TX
Chloe Carpenter | Texarkana, TX
Sharon Chong | Suwanee, GA
Taylor Chupp | Jacksonville, FL
Madi Cole | Asheville, NC
Kayla Cooks | Texarkana, TX
Cara Court | Texarkana, TX
Evan Day | West Allis, WI
Jessica Duff | Suwanee, GA
Natalie Emerson | Roanoke, VA
Saul Epstein | Ankeny, IA
Christopher Fiscal | Katy, TX

Savannah Flores | Dallas, TX
Taylor Grimm | Texarkana, TX
Caitlin Guttu | Mentor, OH
Sarah Harvey | Statesboro, GA
Julia Hawley | Lake Orion, MI
Sam Henn | Milton, GA
Summar Hill | Norcross, GA
Glenn Jameson | Woodbury, CT
Katherine Kao | Chandler, AZ
Sharina Kuo | Cherry Hill, NJ
Matthew Laun | Corbin, KY
Lawson Lee | Texarkana, TX
Rebecca Lee | Medfield, MA
Kai Marceaux | Columbus, GA
Molly Nerici | Mentor, OH
Catherine Palmer | West Lafayette, IN
Elenor Post | Dallas, TX
Cleo Reavey | Cary, NC

Madison Ritenburgh | Lake Orion, MI
Bryde Roache | Texarkana, TX
Carleigh Scates | Texarkana, TX
Ivana Strauss | Mentor, OH
Jack Tarka | Hebron, CT
Makayla Thomas | Corbin, KY
Ana-Gabriella Thomidis | West Palm Beach, FL
Pia Trautwein | Prosper, TX
Lillie Tritt | Jacksonville, FL
Brodie Van Wagenen | Statesboro, GA
Griffin Weaver | Milton, GA
Hailey Whitten | Texarkana, TX
Laura Wu | Plant City, FL
Siwen Zhang | Palm Desert, CA
Kaitlyn Zhang | Chandler, AZ
Andrea Zheng | Norcross, GA

NJAHS

Vivian Ahem | Brunswick, OH
Shannon Faircloth | Warrenton, VA
Alena Kozul | Winter Haven, FL
Carolyn Liu | Stony Brook, NY
Alexandria Ojeda | San Antonio, TX
Chi Pham | Winter Haven, FL
Dominic Porter | Hazel Park, MI
Mallika Sunder | Tucson, AZ
Liliana Tovar | San Antonio, TX
Lila Vasquez | Hamilton, GA
Andrew Zhao | Warrenton, VA

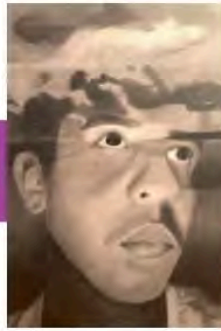
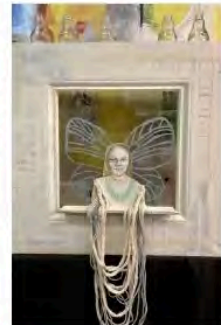
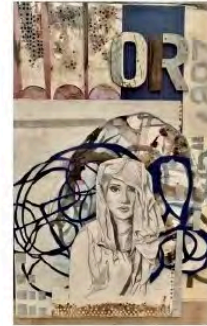
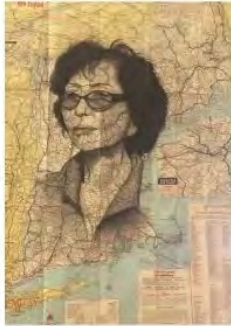
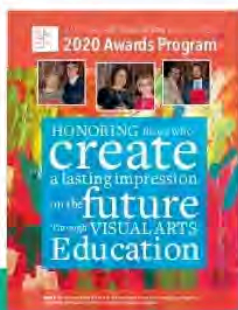


EXHIBIT HIGHLIGHTS



Row 1: Alexandria Ojeda, Young Women's Leadership Academy, San Antonio, TX; Christopher Fiscal, George Bush High School, Katy, TX;
 Row 2: Katherine Kao, Hamilton High School, Chandler, AZ; Jack Tarka, RHAM High School, Hebron, CT; Carleigh Scates, Pleasant Grove High School, Texarkana, TX; Mason Burrow, Pleasant Grove High School, Texarkana, TX;
 Row 3: Elisa Arce, Larkin High School, Elgin, IL; Lila Vasquez, Harris County Carver Middle School, Hamilton, GA; Pia Trautwein, Prosper High School, Prosper, TX; Hailey Whitten, Pleasant Grove High School, Texarkana;
 Row 4: Andrea Zheng, Greater Atlanta Christian School, Norcross, GA; Sarah Harvey, Statesboro High School, Statesboro, GA; Ruth Beinhacker, Byram Hills High School, Armonk, NY;



NAHS & NJAHS Awards

CHARLES M. ROBERTSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Established to honor the memory of Charles M. Robertson for his many years of service to NAEA and the Pratt Institute, this 4-year partial scholarship to the Pratt School of Art & Design in Brooklyn, New York, recognizes brilliance in student art achievement and artistic involvement at the high school level.

ELIGIBILITY

This award is open to all NAHS high school seniors who are members of an active chapter with a 3.0 GPA in all subjects. To keep the scholarship, students are required to major in Art Education and maintain a 3.0 GPA.

DEADLINE

Applications must be delivered digitally or postmarked no later than December 15.

SUBMIT

A completed Pratt application form; a letter of nomination listing student's name, chapter number, school, school address, and telephone number; high school transcript; a one-page typed listing of the student's artistic and extracurricular achievements in both school and community; five digital samples (if submitting via e-mail) representing a variety of the student's original art work or on disk (if submitting via hard copy); and a listing of titles and media used.

RISEING STARS SECONDARY RECOGNITION PROGRAM

This program was created to promote art education as a career by recognizing 50 talented, active NAHS Members.

Recognition as a "Rising Star" will be given at the NAEA National Convention* along with a 4-year complimentary NAEA student membership (with proof of college enrollment and the pursuit of study in art education); and a 1-year, first-year professional membership (with proof of employment).

ELIGIBILITY

High school students in their junior or senior years interested in becoming art educators are eligible for this program. Nominees must be either in their junior or senior year at the time of both the nomination and the award presentation.

SUBMIT

A cover sheet containing nominee's name, home address, telephone number, email address, school name, school address, school telephone, NAHS Sponsor's name, and chapter number; three letters of recommendation (one by an art educator, two from teachers and/or administrators); an official high school transcript; a student personal statement regarding art education goals; five digital samples of the nominee's artwork (on disk if submitting via hard copy); and a list denoting artwork titles and media used. All work must be original and not copied from other sources.

**Recipients of this award are not required to attend the Convention.*



Grace Williams, James Clemens High School, Madison, AL

OUTSTANDING NAHS SPONSOR AWARD

This award recognizes the dedication of an NAEA member who sponsors an outstanding NAHS Chapter.

ELIGIBILITY

Sponsors of active NAHS Student Chapters.

DEADLINE

Applications must be delivered digitally or postmarked no later than October 1.

SUBMIT

Online nomination and vita information, cover letter of nomination, two additional letters supporting the nomination, a one-page typed summary of NAHS activities, and a photo of the nominee are required.

OUTSTANDING NJAHS SPONSOR AWARD

This award recognizes the dedication of an NAEA member who sponsors an outstanding NJAHS Chapter.

ELIGIBILITY

Sponsors of active NJAHS Student Chapters are eligible to receive this award.

DEADLINE

Applications must be delivered digitally or postmarked no later than October 1.

SUBMIT

Online nomination and vita information, cover letter of nomination, two additional letters supporting the nomination, a one-page typed summary of NJAHS activities, and a photo of the nominee are required.



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Submission Guidelines

All NAHS and NJAHS chapters are encouraged to submit a report and images for publication in NAHS News. Submission is easy—and completely digital! To see the online submission form and find out more, [click here](#).

CHAPTER REPORT

Shout it from the rooftops! Tell the world what your chapter has been up to (just be sure to keep it under 400 words). Highlight student achievements, community service initiatives, chapter successes, field trips, projects, and everything else your chapter is doing.

CHAPTER PHOTOS

Get creative! Choose up to two photos to be published along with your chapter report. Remember, chapter photos represent your chapter members and activities. The possibilities are endless! Photos could include chapter meetings, group photos, field trips, fundraisers, induction ceremonies, special accomplishments, or other successes achieved by NAHS or NJAHS students and sponsors.

STUDENT ARTWORK

If you've got it, flaunt it! Select up to five images of student artwork to be published in the artwork gallery section. Student artwork images should depict artwork only (sorry, that means images containing persons or items other than artwork cannot be published in the artwork gallery section).

Please Note: NAEA staff recognizes the time and energy that sponsors and students dedicate to NAHS News submissions and does their best to represent all chapters that submit reports, photos, and artwork according to space and availability. NAEA reserves the right to use NAHS News submissions in NAEA/NAHS publications and promotions. By submitting artwork, articles, and chapter photographs, you give NAEA permission to publish this media nationally.

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SCHOLARSHIPS TO NAHS MEMBERS

National Art Honor Society Member Scholarship
National Art Honor Society Special Recognition Scholarship
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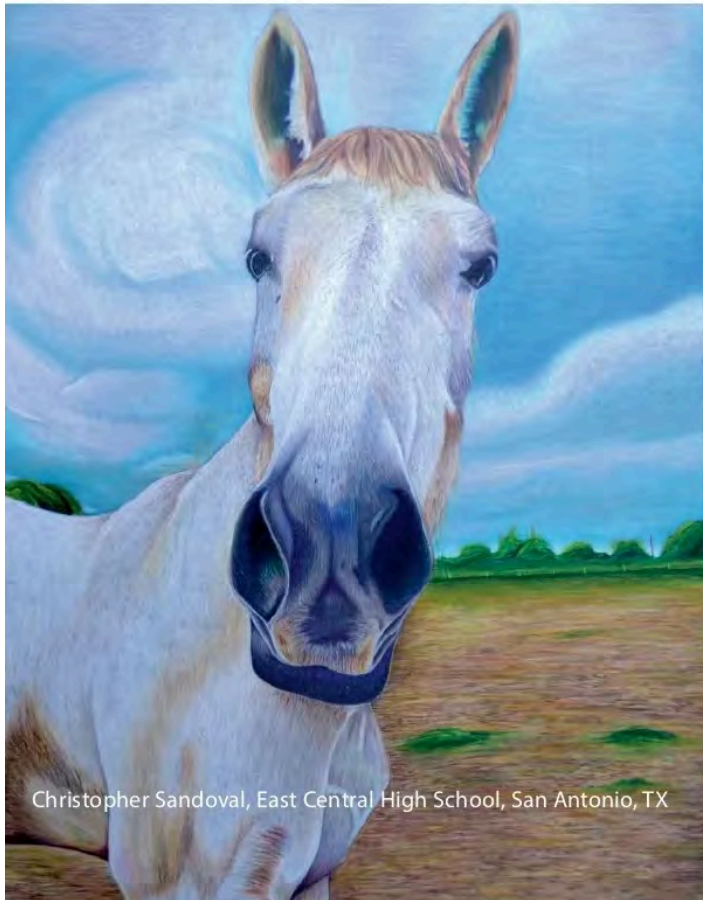
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Christopher Sandoval, East Central High School, San Antonio, TX



Audrey Liu, Enloe Magnet High School, Raleigh, NC

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SCHOLARSHIP Opportunities

THE ART INSTITUTES

High school seniors graduating in 2020 who also belong to the National Art Honor Society may apply for The Art Institutes National Art Honor Society Scholarship. Tuition scholarships for first-, second-, and third-place awards may be applied at The Art Institutes school of recipient's choice.

Scholarship Awards:

First place: \$20,000 tuition scholarship
Second place: \$10,000 tuition scholarship
Third place: \$5,000 tuition scholarship

For complete information, visit
www.artinstitutes.edu/scholarships

COLLEGE FOR CREATIVE STUDIES

National Art Honor Society members whose work is selected for national exhibit in their senior year and have been accepted to CCS are eligible to receive an \$8,000 CCS/NAHS scholarship (\$2,000 per year). This scholarship is granted in addition to merit based scholarship or other financial awards.

Contact: Amy Armand, Director of Recruitment at aarmand@collegeforcreativestudies.edu or 313.664.7426

For more information about the scholarship application requirements and deadlines, please visit
collegeforcreativestudies.edu/admissions/undergraduateadmissions

COLUMBUS COLLEGE OF ART & DESIGN

CCAD offers scholarships to National Art Honor Society certificate holders who submit copies of their certificates to the college.

Scholarship Awards:

Certificate holders are eligible for \$4,000 tuition scholarships (\$1,000 per year for 4 years). National Art Honor Society-related scholarships are coordinated with other financial aid awards.

For more information and deadlines, visit
www.ccad.edu/admissions/financial-aid-and-tuition-info/ccad-scholarships

Contact:

Admissions Office,
Columbus College of Art & Design,
60 Cleveland Avenue,
Columbus, OH 43215

877-997-2223 | 614-222-3261
admissions@ccad.edu

FASHION INSTITUTE OF DESIGN & MERCHANDISING

National Art Honor Society Member Scholarship (High school Juniors and Seniors)

The National Art Honor Society (NAHS) was established to recognize high school students for their dedication to the arts. Students with active NAHS membership are eligible to receive a \$1,500 scholarship. Renewable for up to 4 years with 3.0 GPA at FIDM and consecutive attendance. Students must also maintain 12 units quarterly to qualify for scholarship renewal. Students may qualify for more than one scholarship but not to exceed the cost of tuition, books, and supplies.

National Art Honor Society Special Recognition Scholarship (High school Juniors and Seniors)

Students who have their work shown in a NAHS juried exhibition may receive an additional one-time \$1,500 scholarship. Non-Renewable.

For more information about the scholarship application requirements and deadlines, please visit: fidm.edu/en/admissions/financial+aid/scholarships/scholarships+high+school+applicants/

MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART

You must be accepted for admission to MICA in order to receive a scholarship/award.

Scholarship Awards:

Fifty \$4,000 to \$8,000 merit-based scholarships allocated over 4 years are awarded each year to high school seniors who are members of the National Art Honor Society.

More information and an application are available at www.mica.edu

Contact:

Scholarship Coordinator,
Maryland Institute College of Art,
Office of Undergraduate Admission,
1300 Mount Royal Avenue,
Baltimore, MD 21217-4191

410-225-2222

admission@mica.org

SCHOLASTIC ART & WRITING AWARDS

The Scholastic Art & Writing Program has provided students and teachers in secondary schools an annual assessment of their creative work since 1923. Students in grades 7-12 are eligible to submit entries. An entry form must accompany all submissions.

Scholarship Awards:

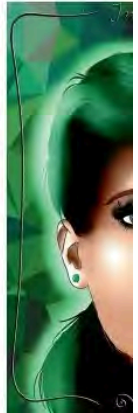
More than 600 awards are presented annually on the national level. Winners may receive cash awards, scholarships, certificates, and exhibition opportunities. Special Portfolio Awards and scholarship nominations are open to graduating high school students who plan to attend college.

For further information on how to enter, deadlines, and entry forms, please visit www.scholastic.com/artandwriting

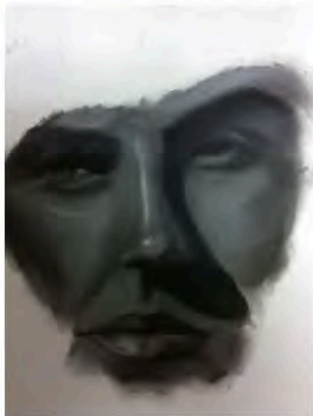
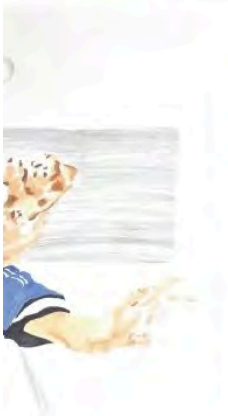
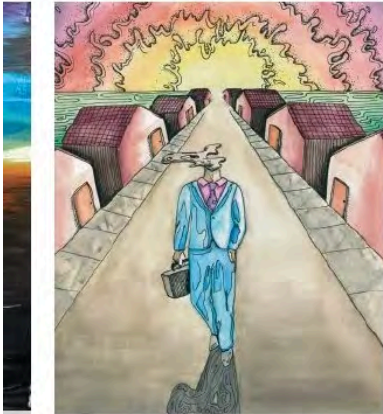
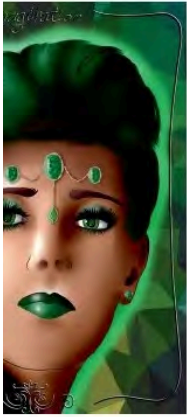
Kaitline Cooke, Hilton Head Island High School, Hilton Head, SC



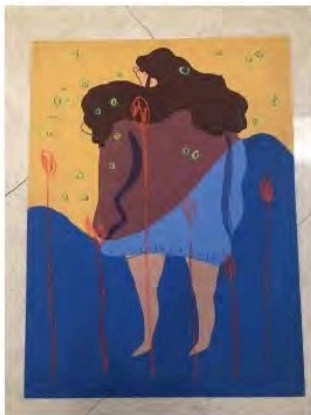
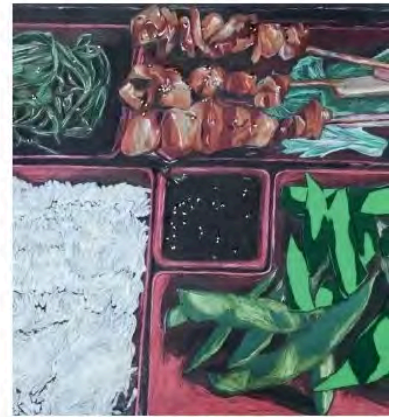
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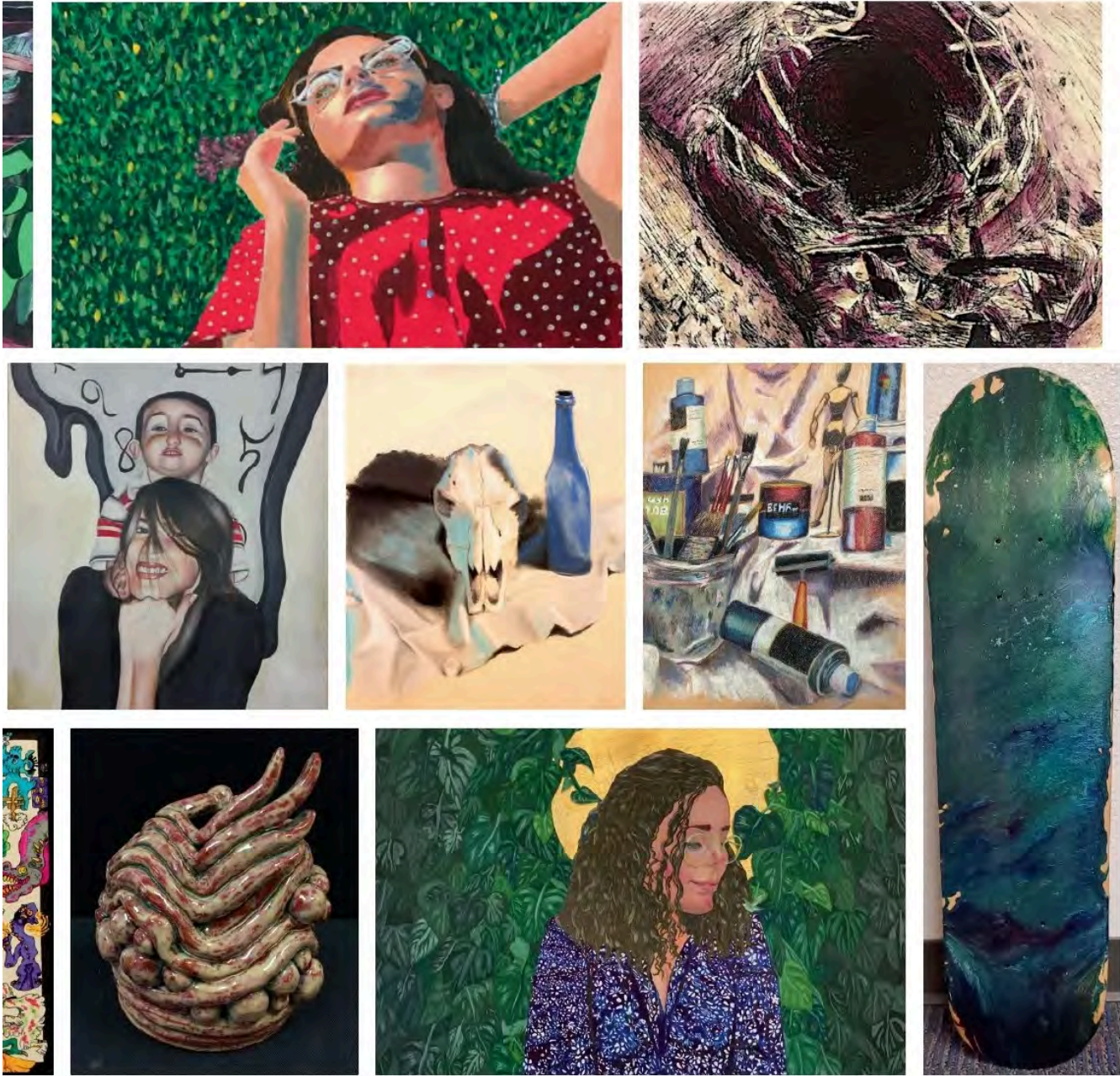
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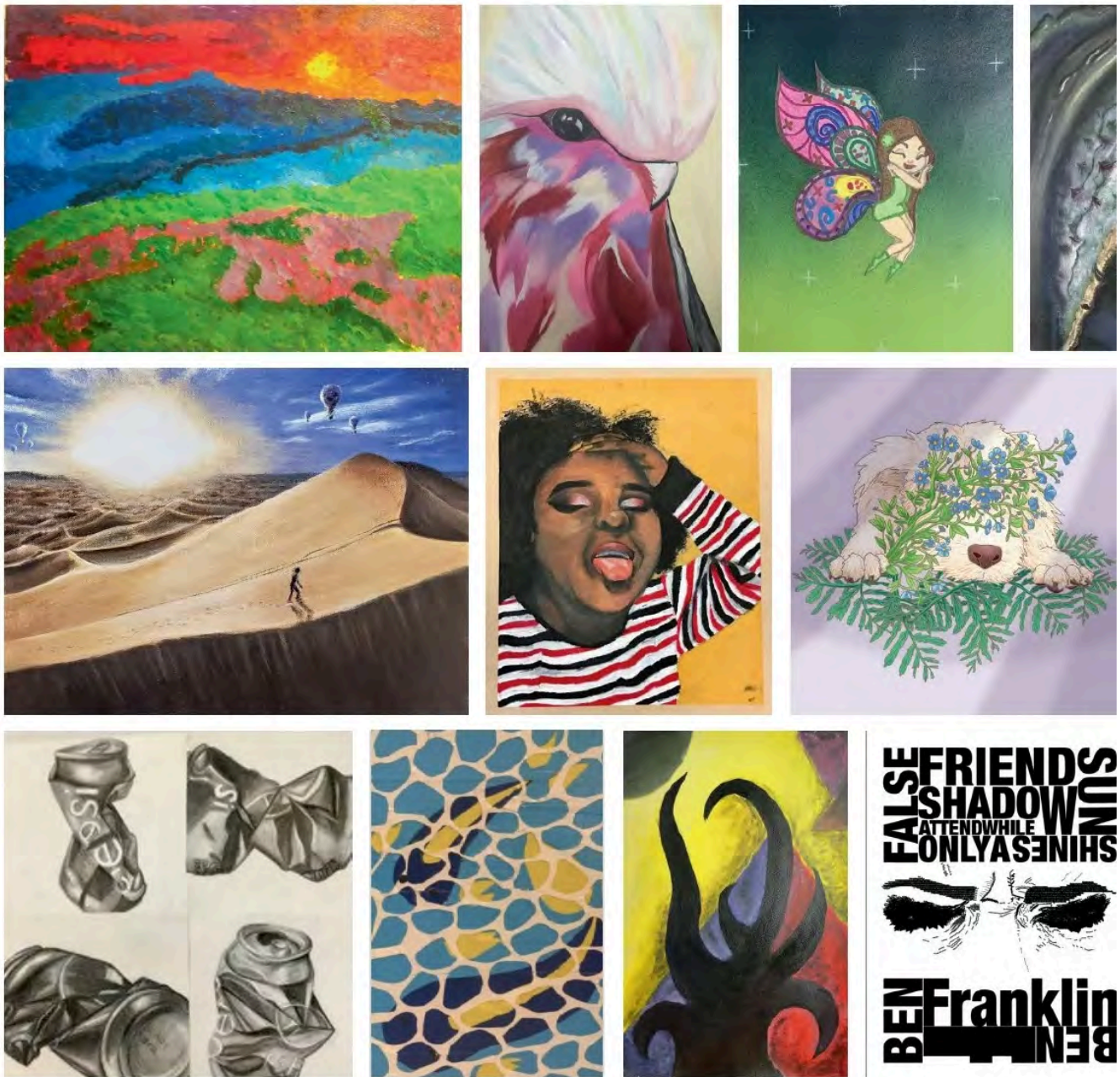
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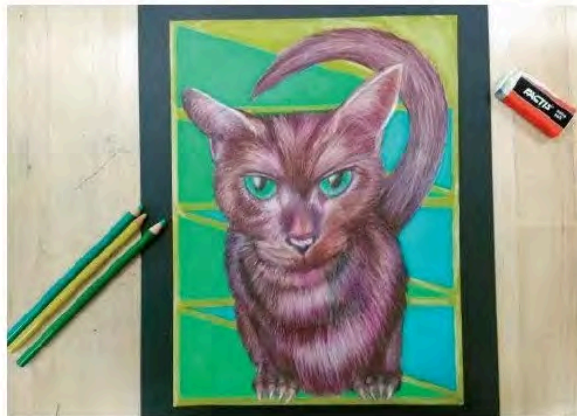
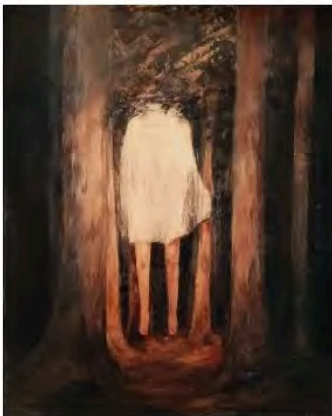
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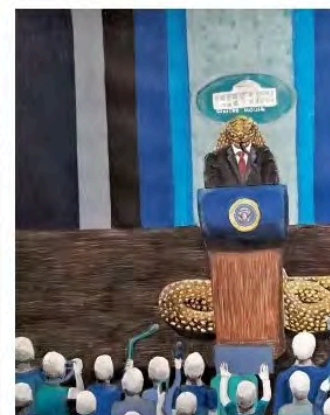
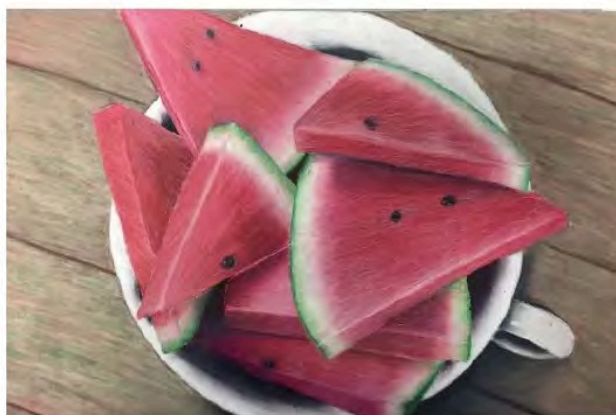
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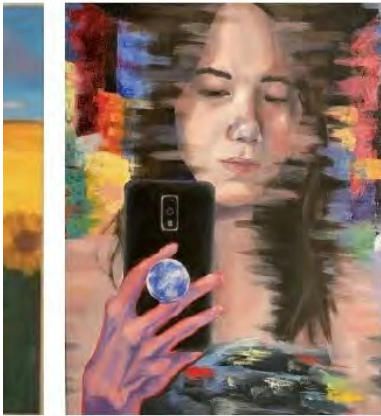
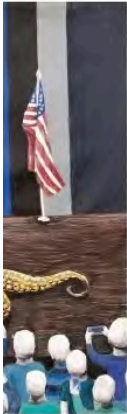
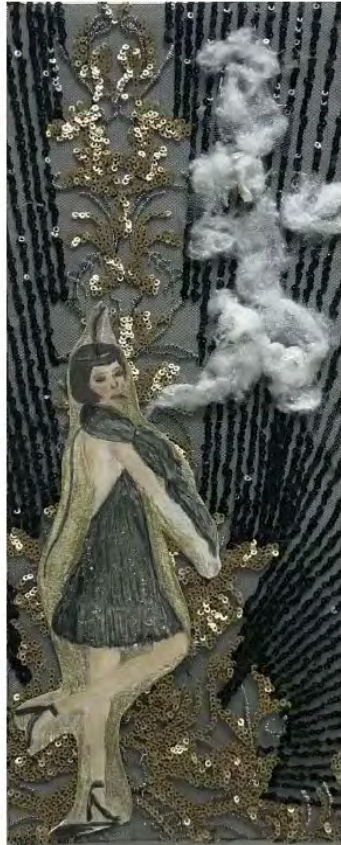
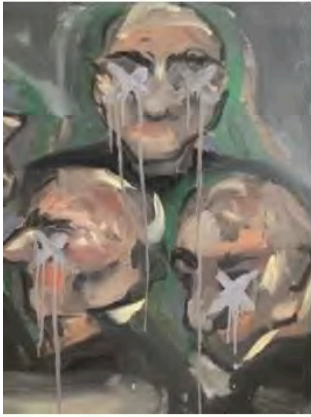
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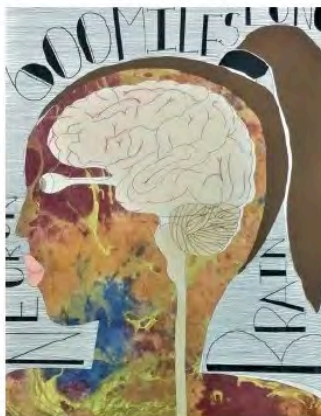
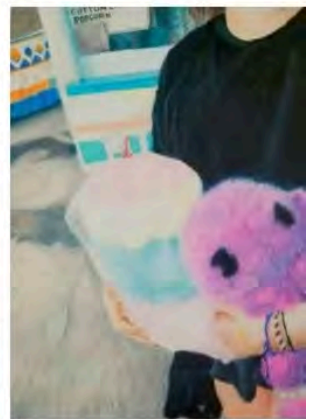
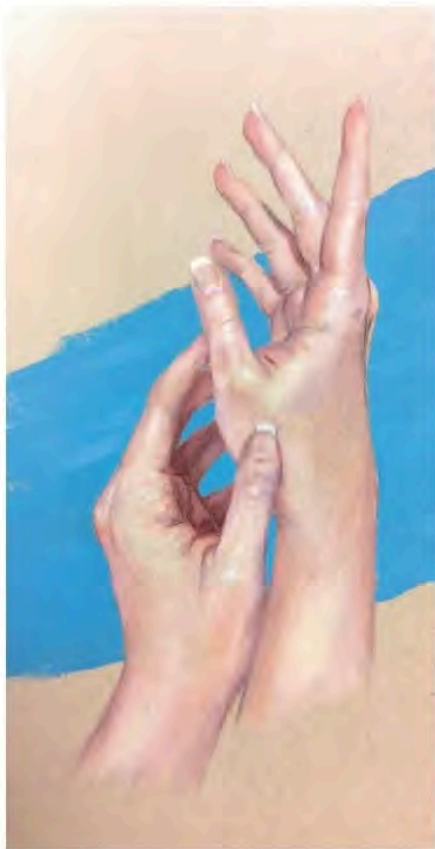
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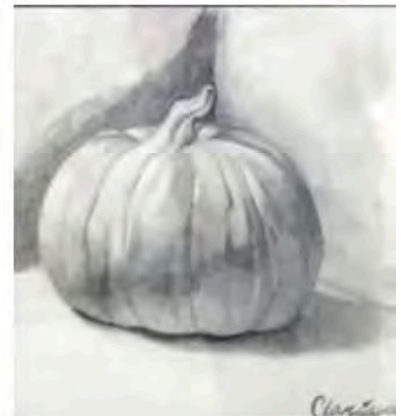
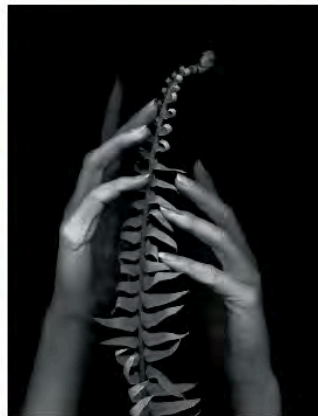
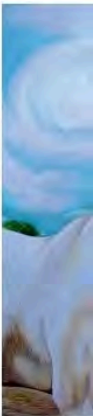
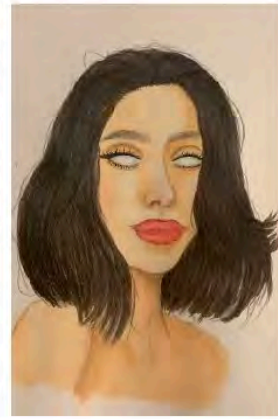
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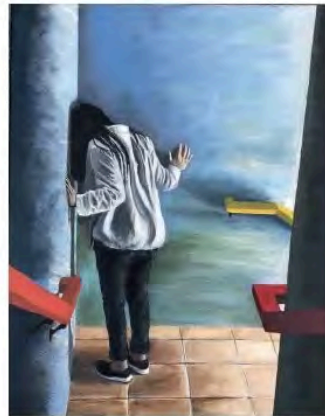
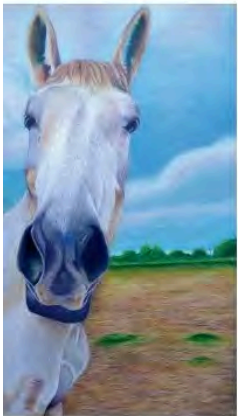
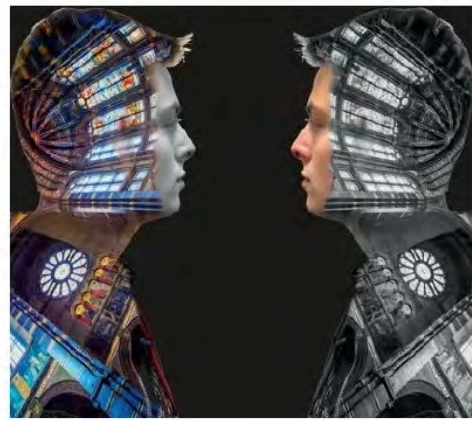
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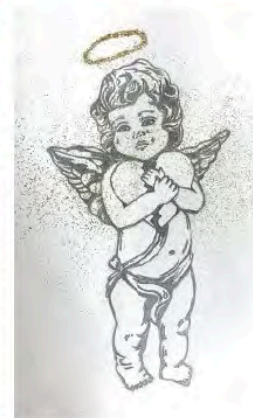
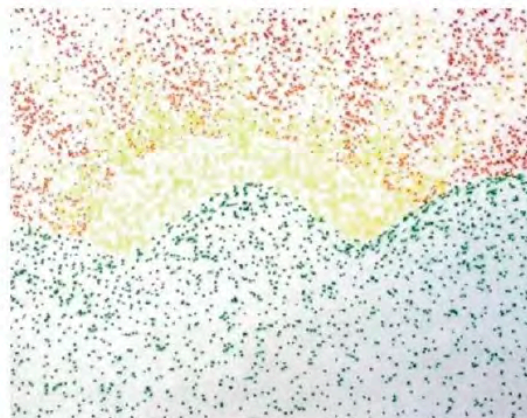
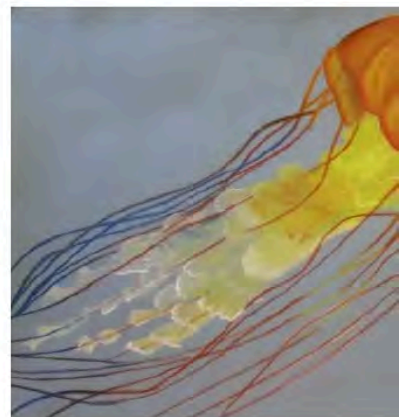
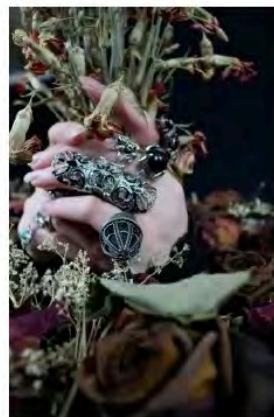
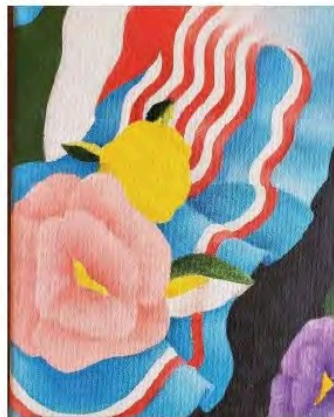
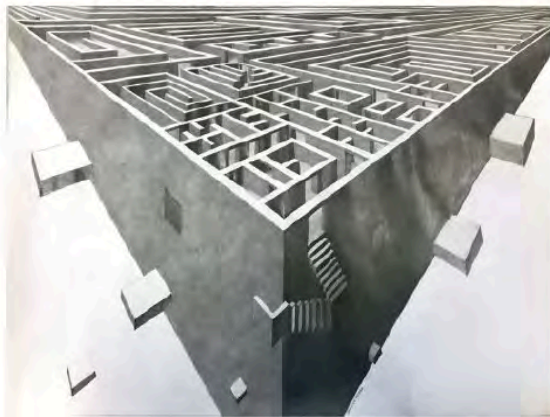
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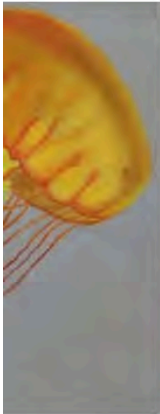
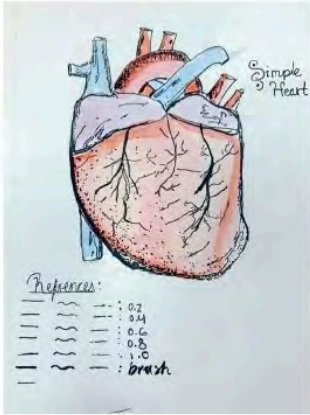
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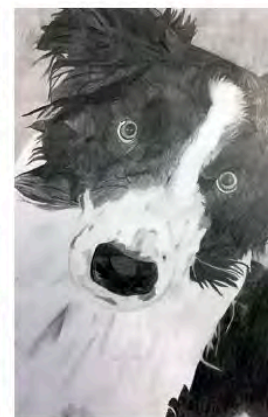
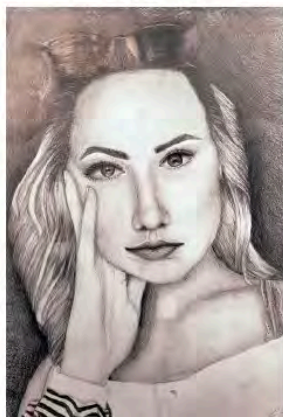
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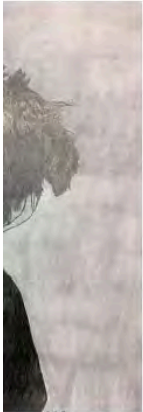
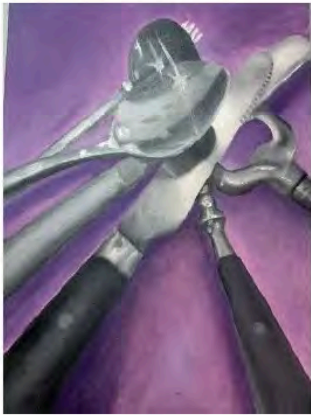
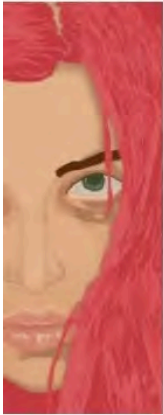
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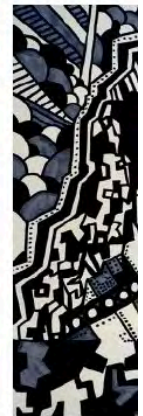
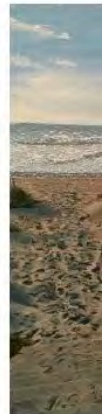
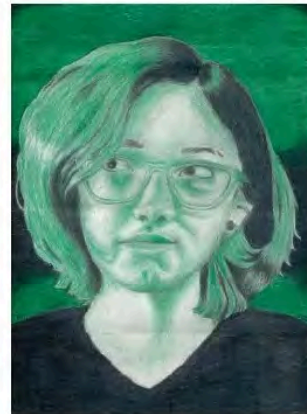
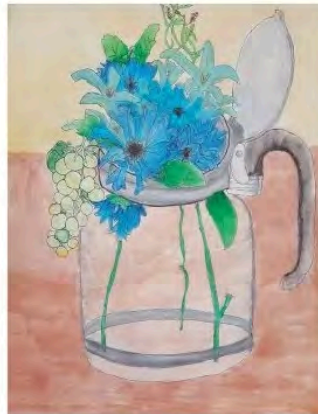
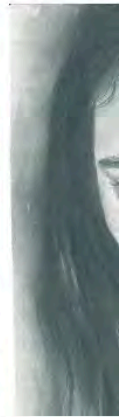
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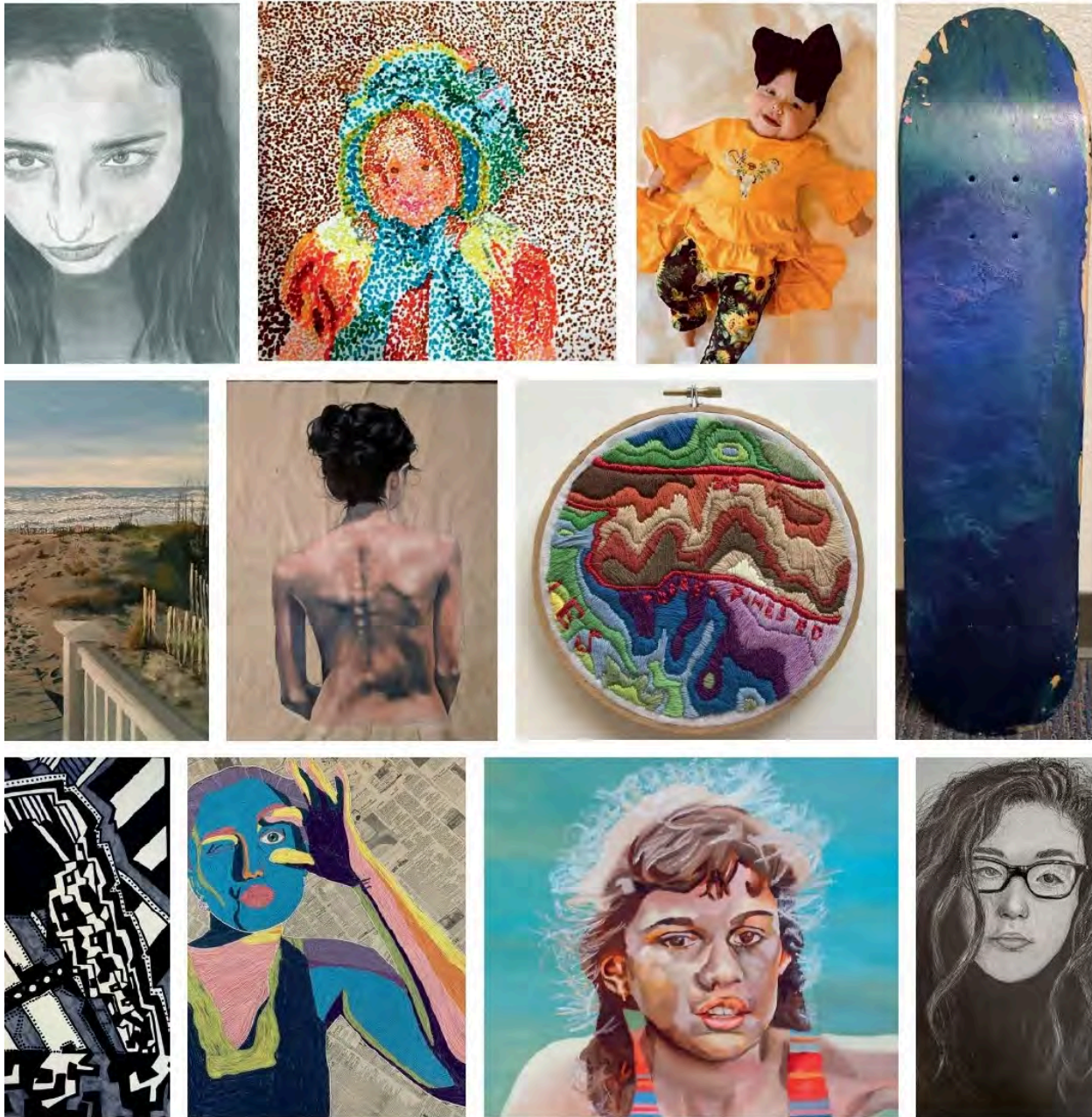
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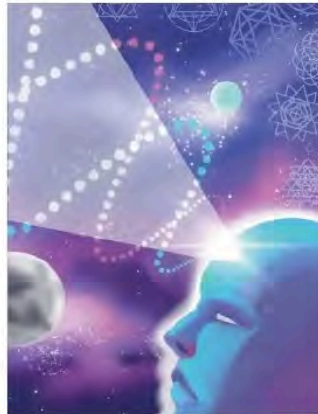
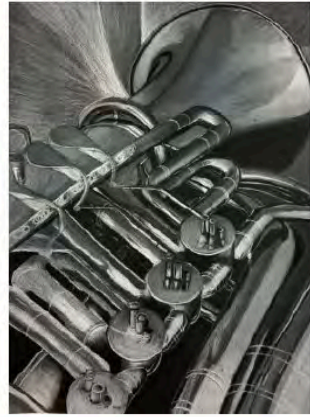
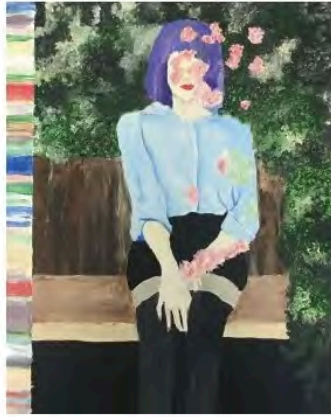
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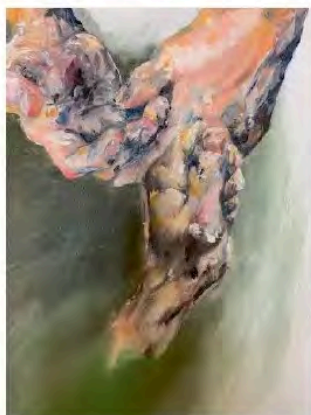
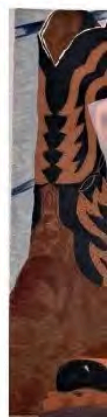
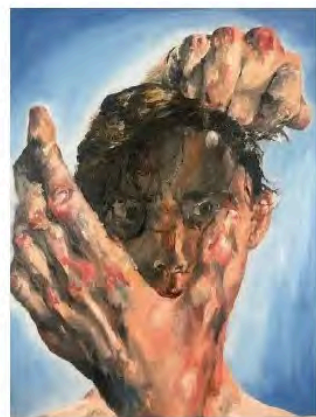
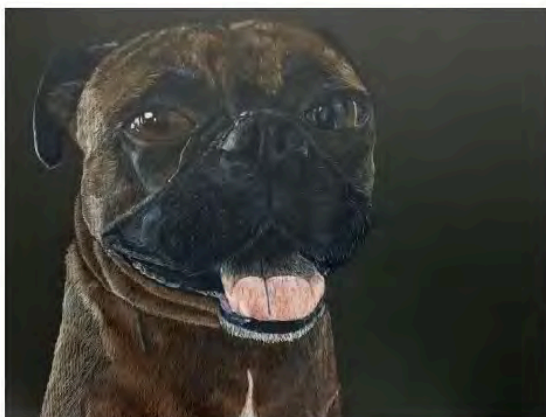
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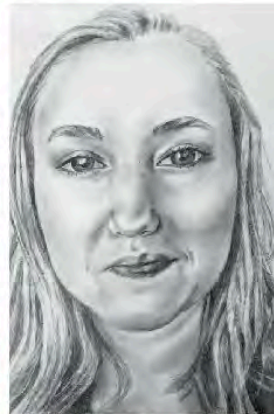
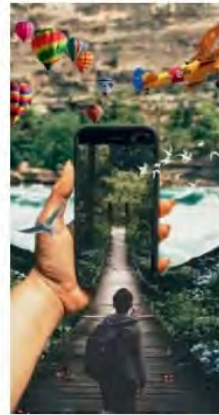
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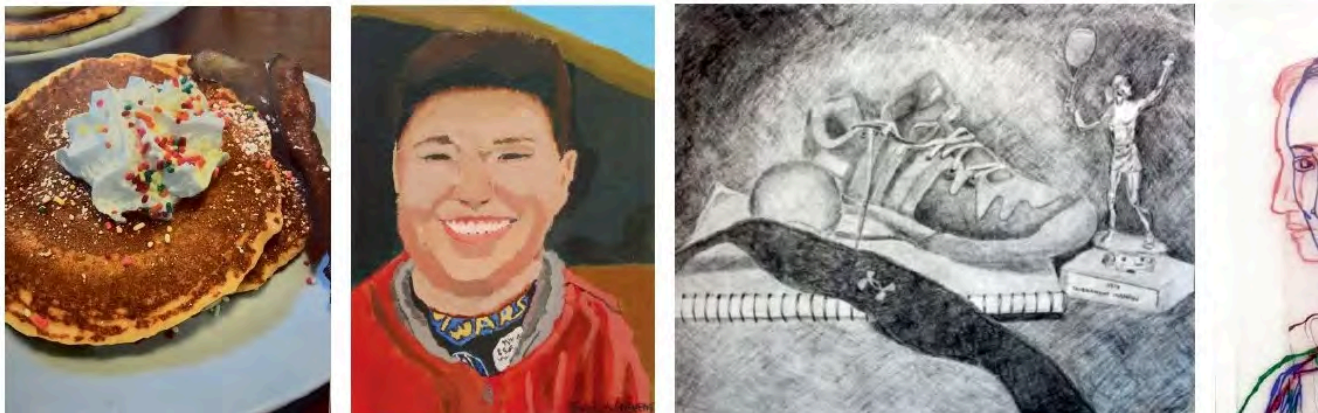
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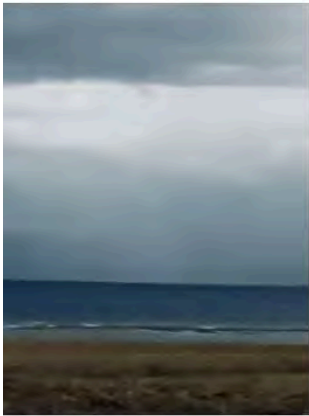
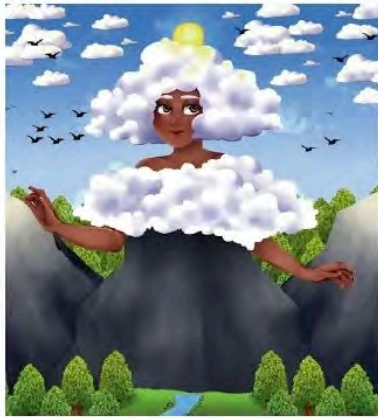
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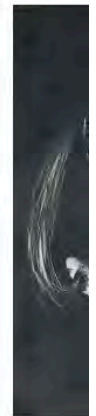
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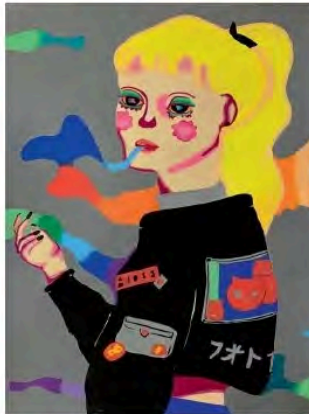
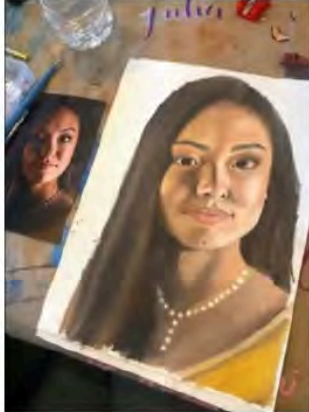
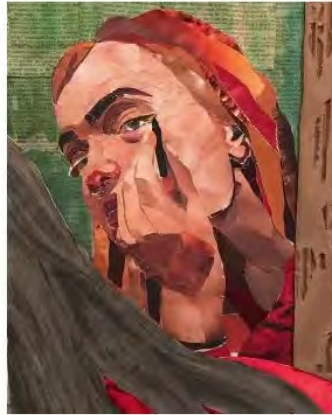
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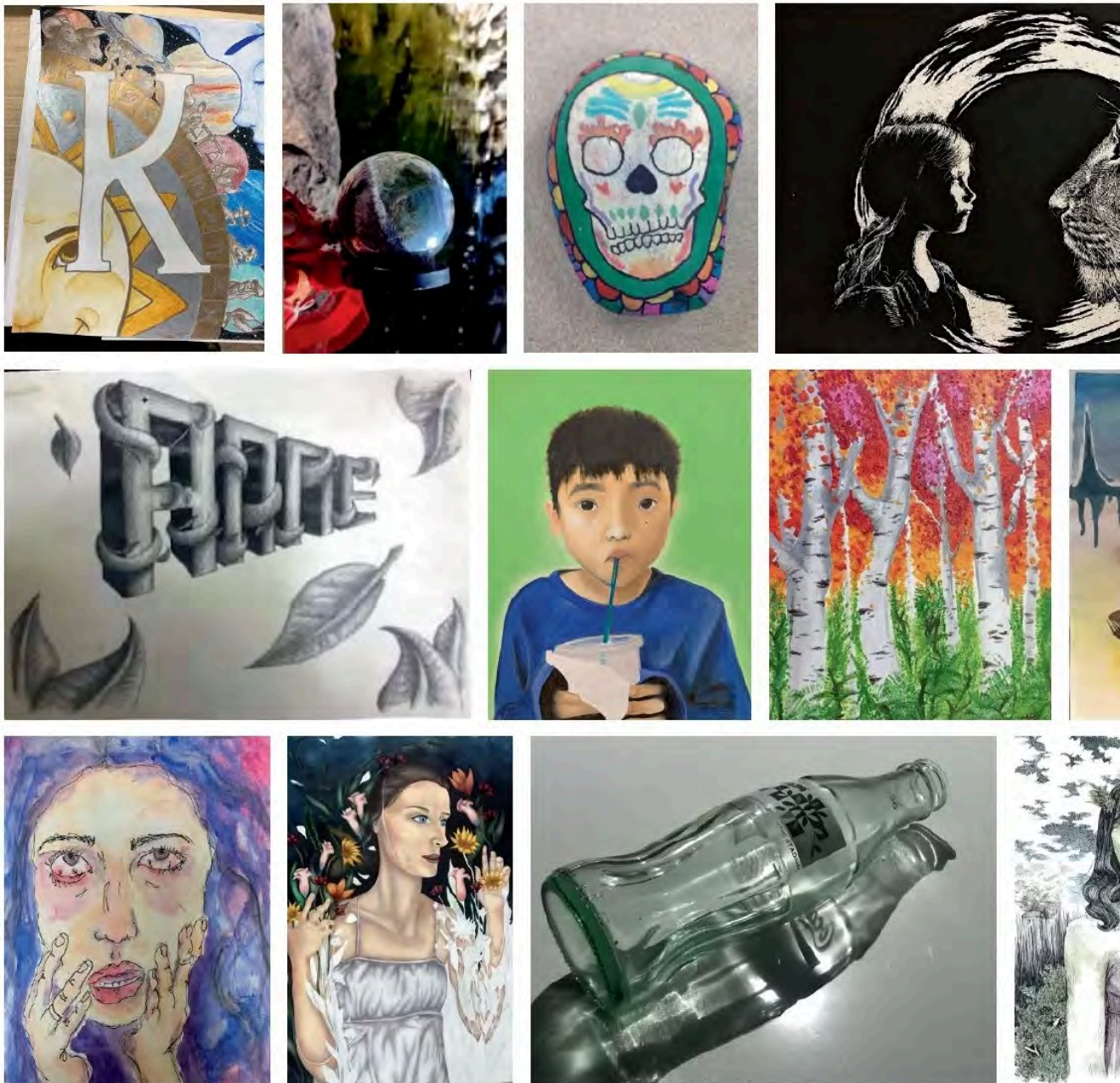
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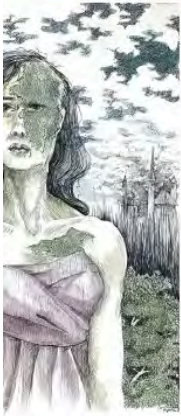
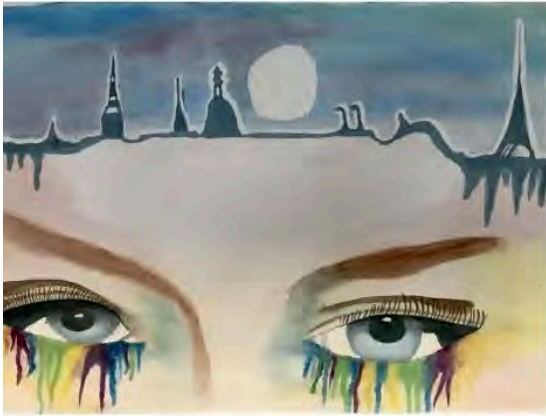
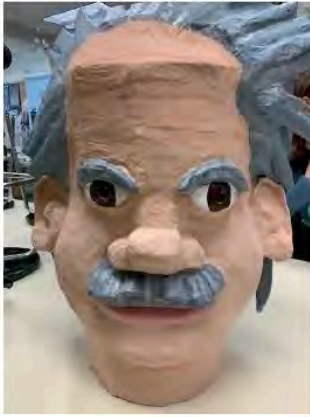
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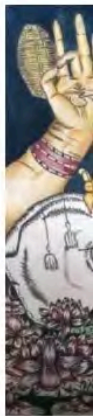
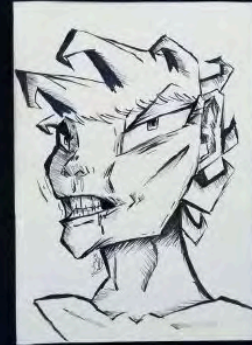
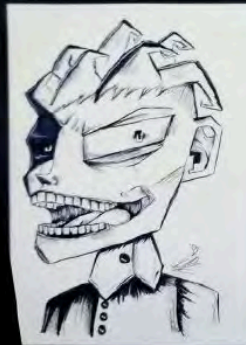
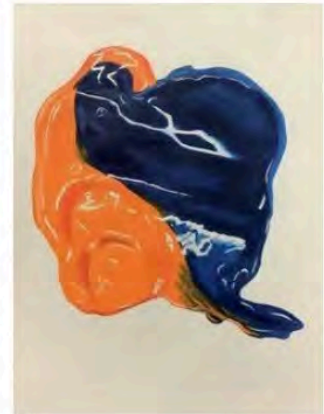
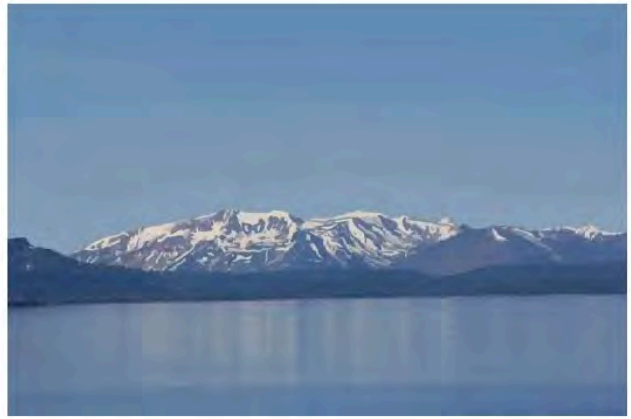
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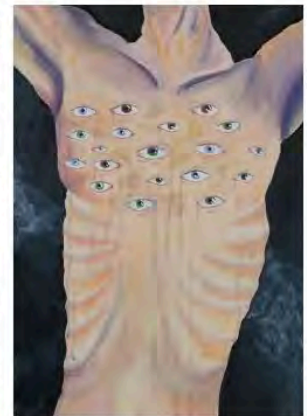
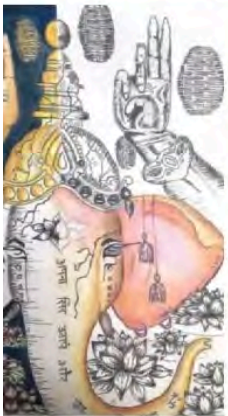
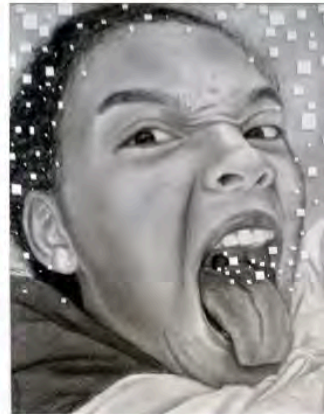
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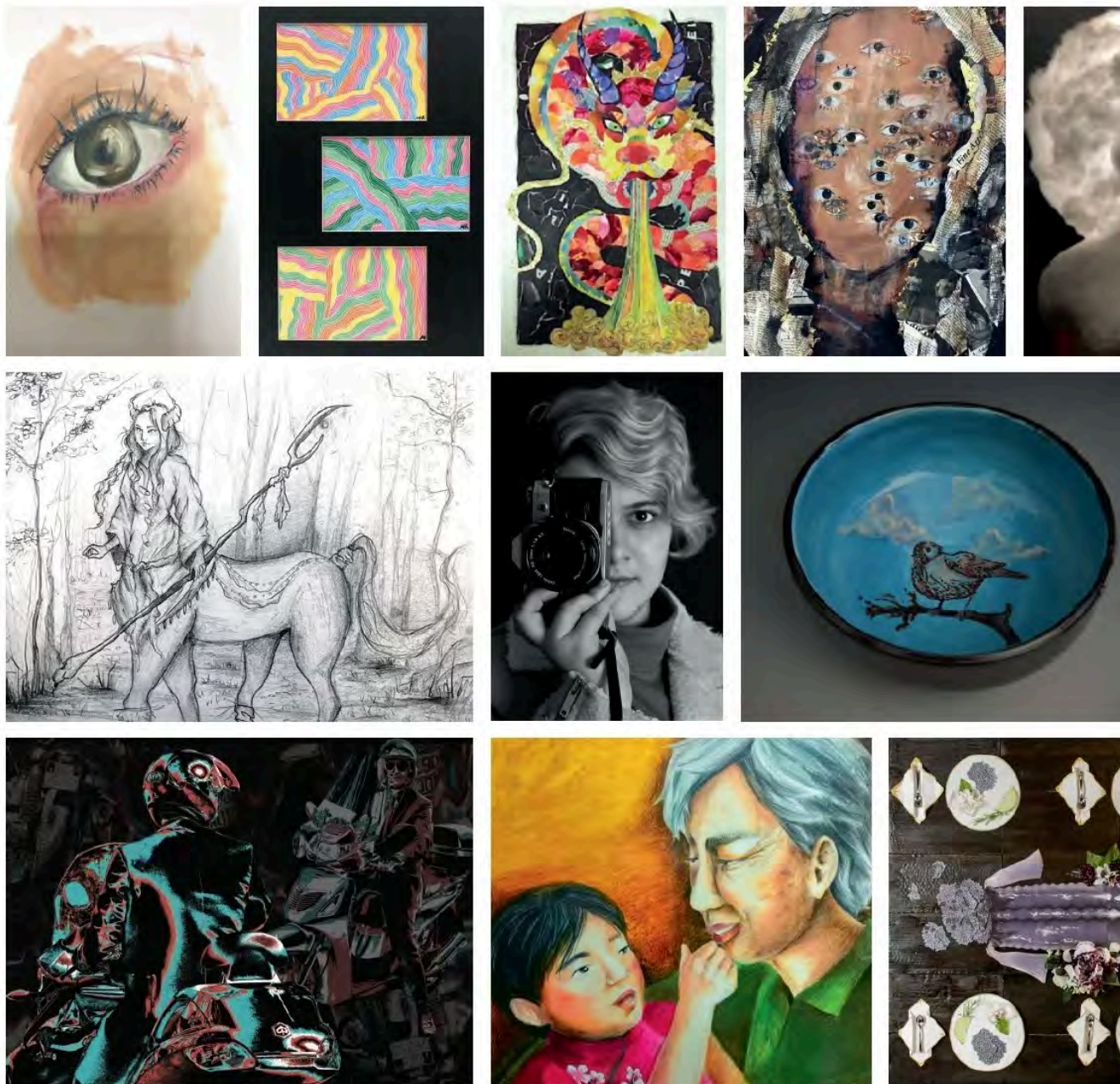
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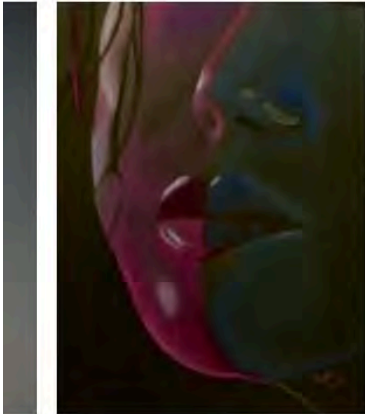
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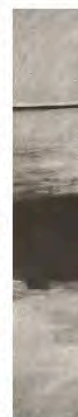
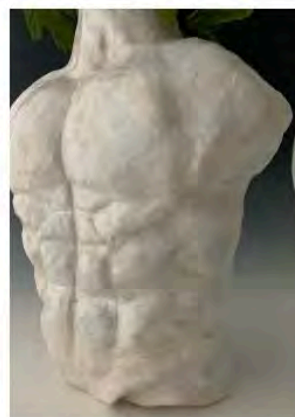
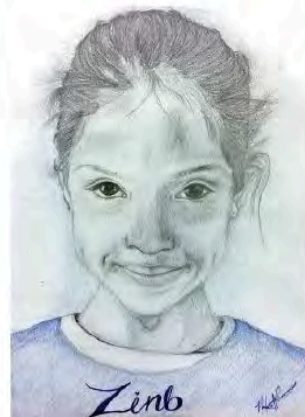
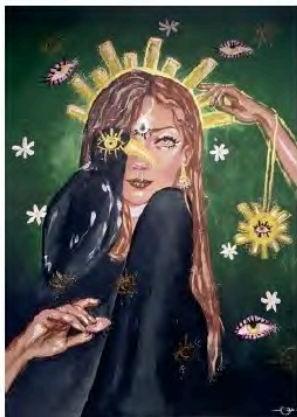
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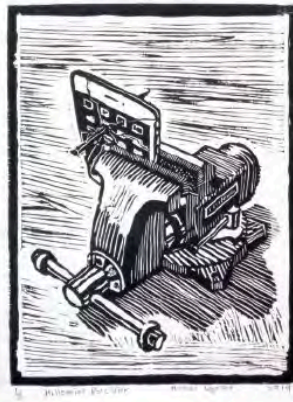
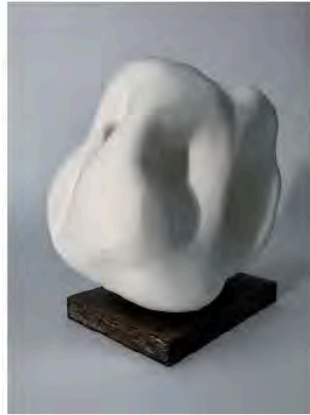
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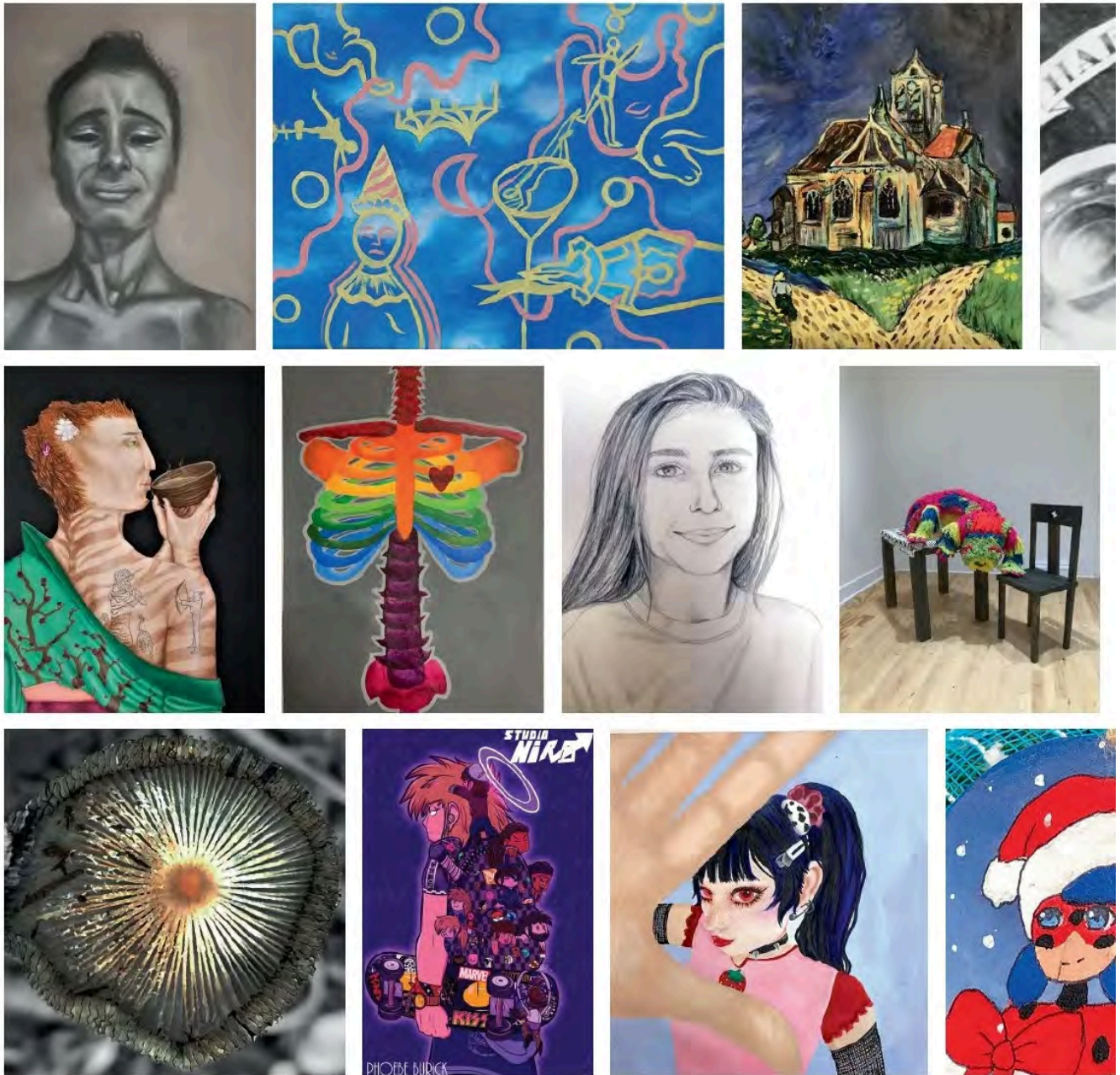
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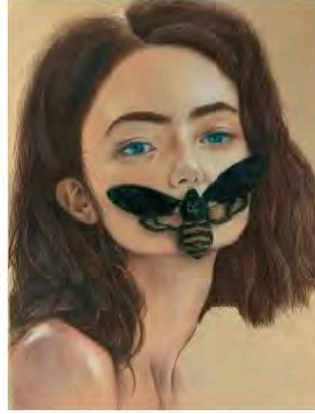
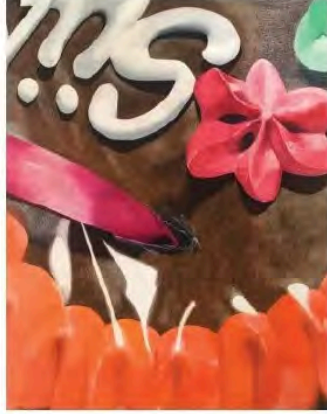
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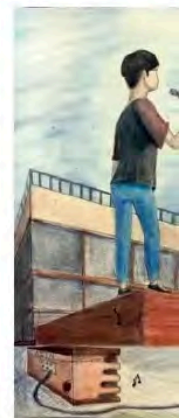
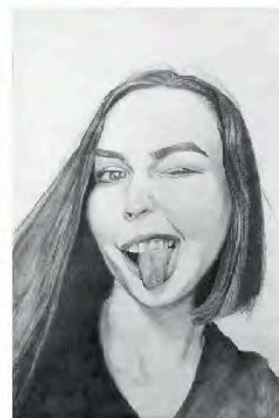
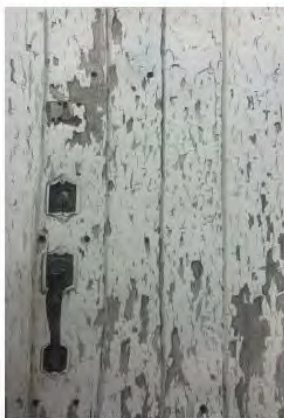
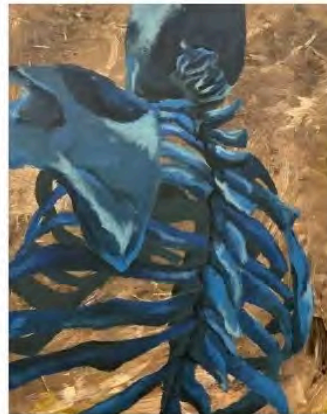
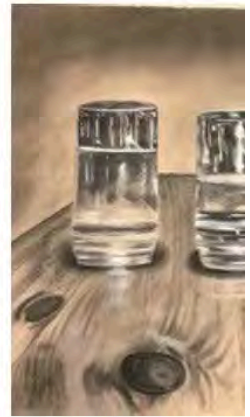
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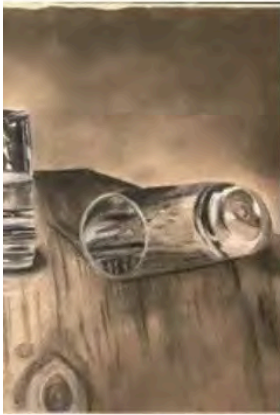
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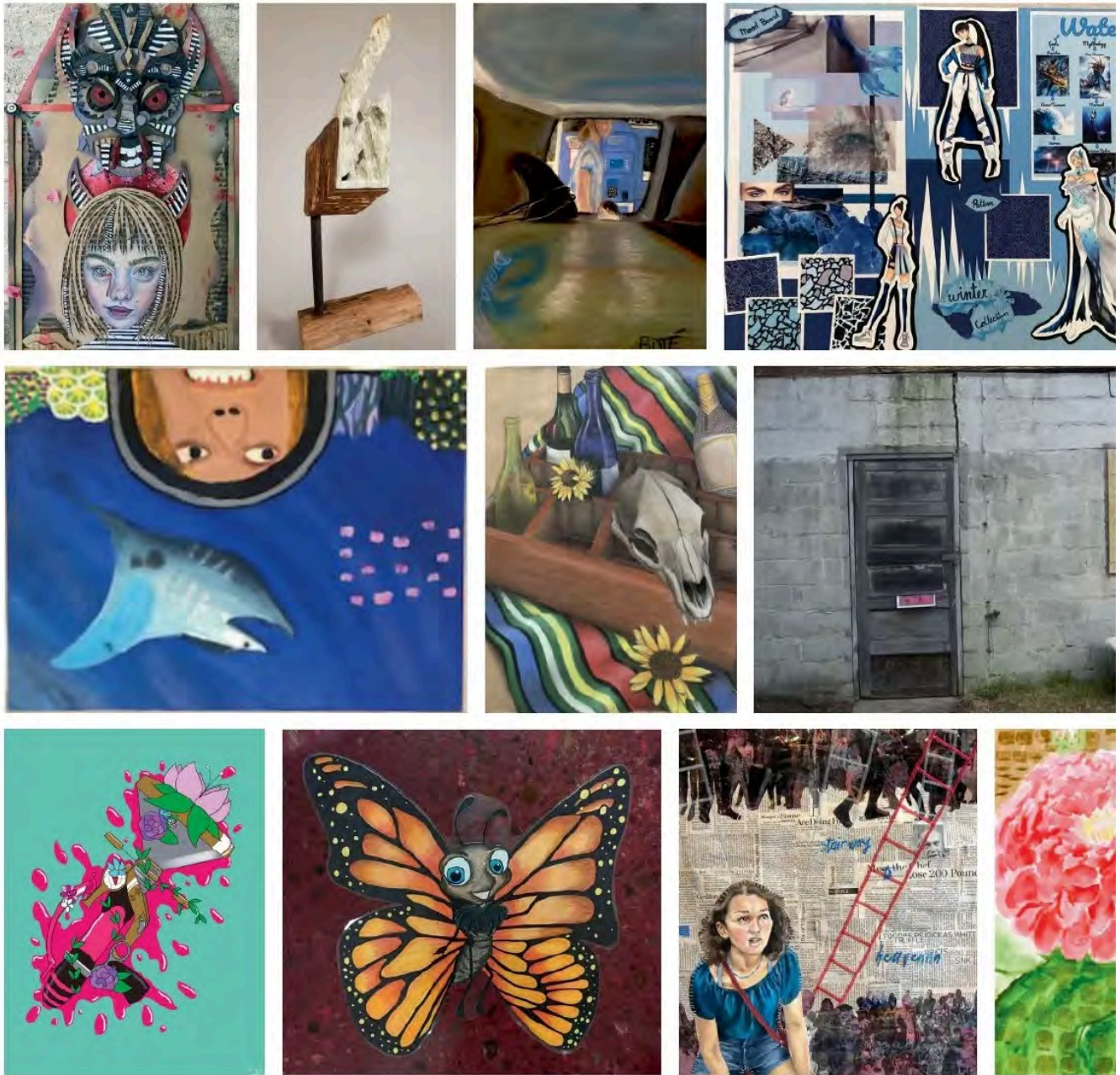
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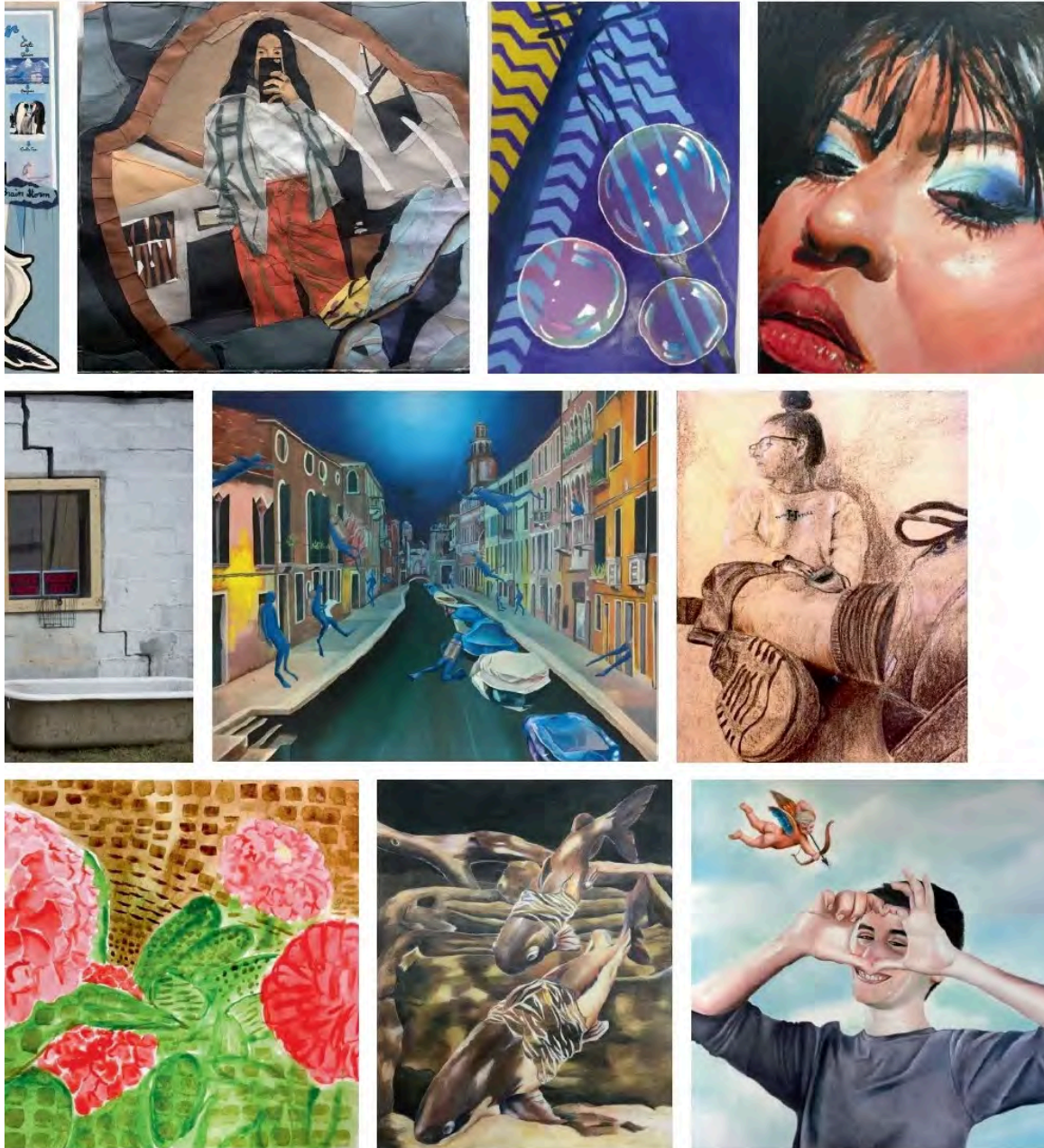
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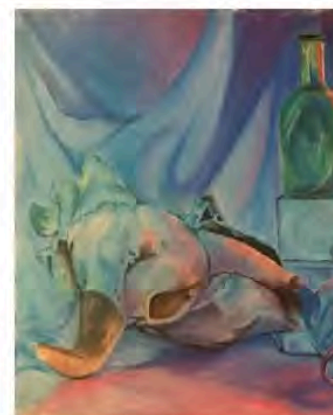
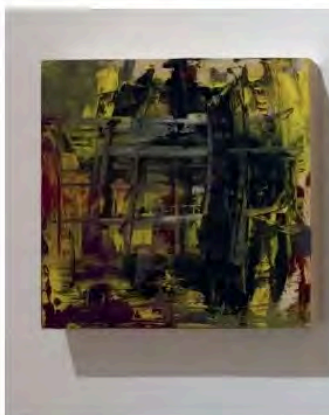
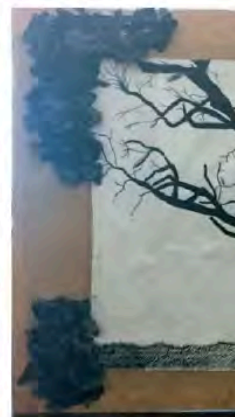
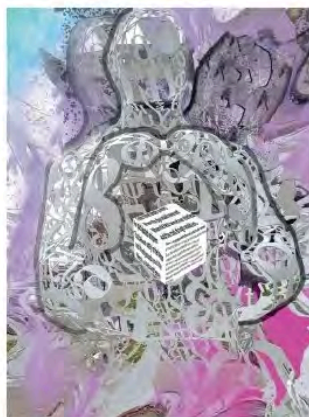
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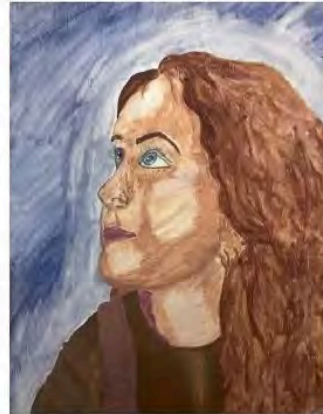
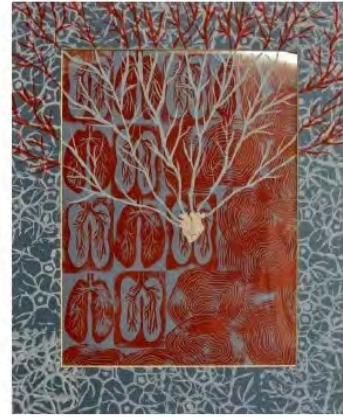
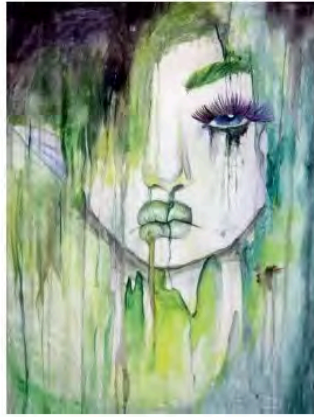
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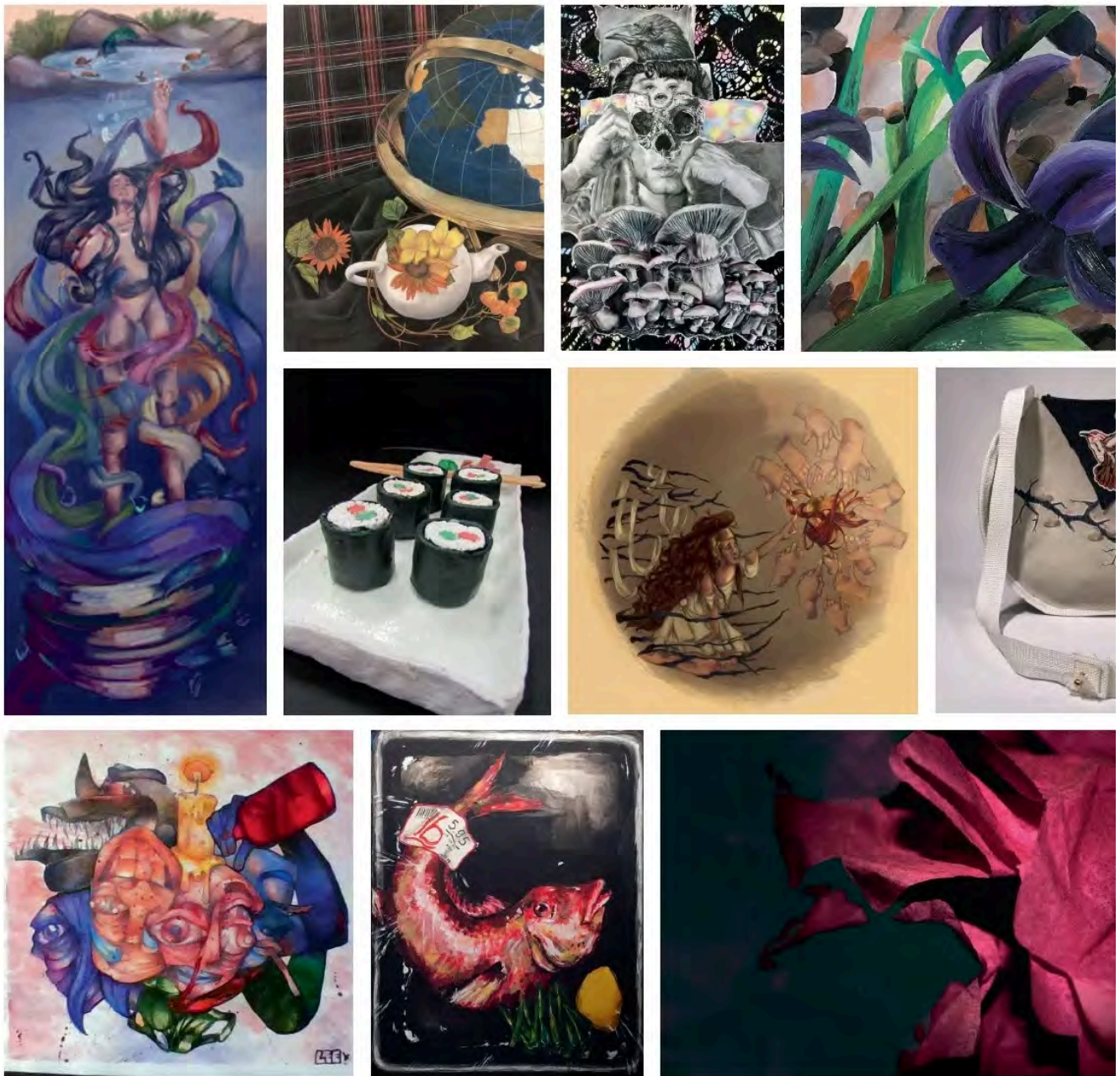
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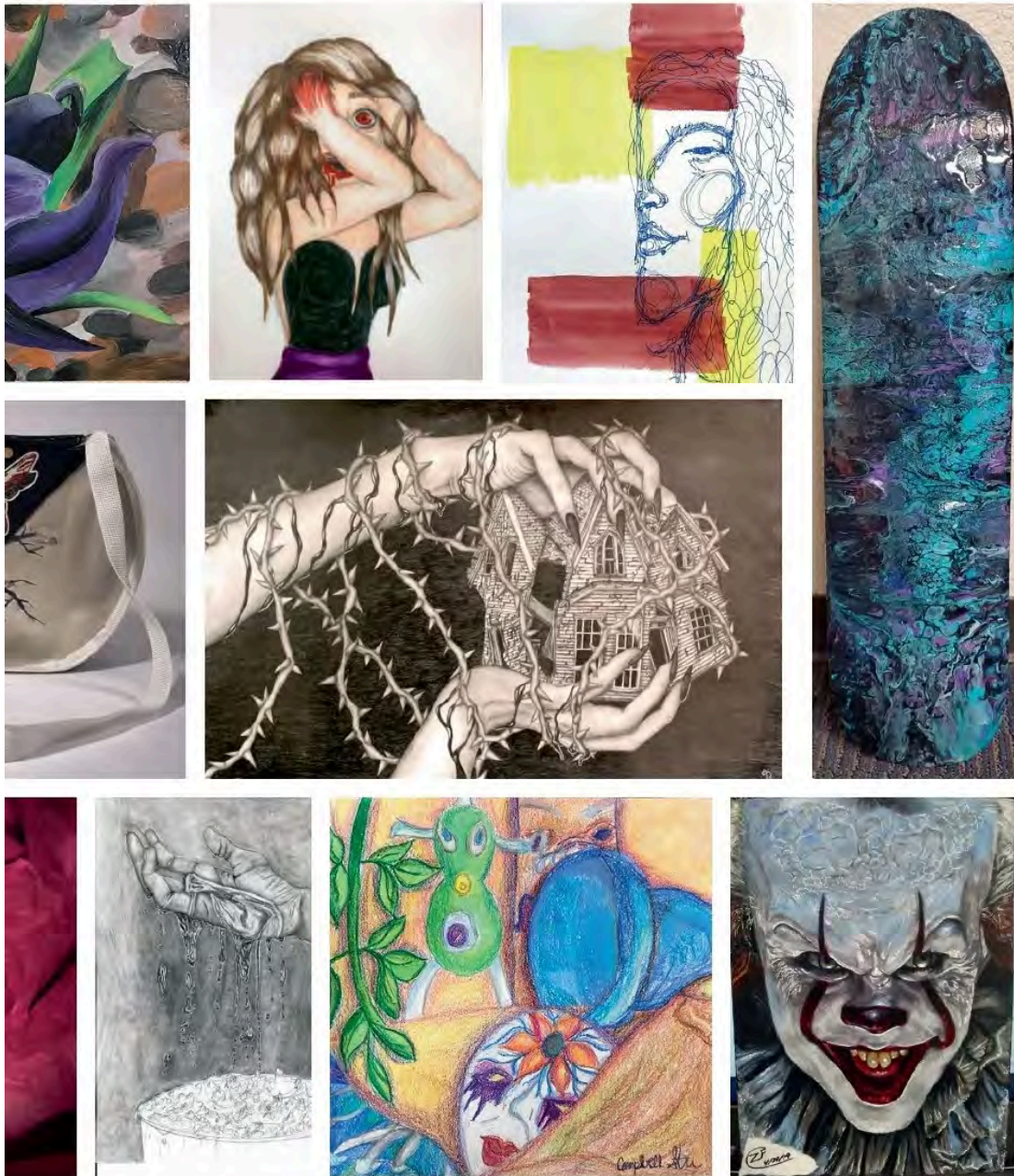
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Alabama



NAHS chapter officers and chapter sponsor

FAIRHOPE HIGH SCHOOL FAIRHOPE, AL

SPONSOR: LYNDA WILLIAMS

Fairhope High School's NAHS has been working hard this semester to help our communities thrive through the arts. Our members started by working at the City of Daphne's Jubilee Festival. Members spent the day in the park painting the faces of many excited children, as well as helping make various crafts.

In honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, our members participated in painting the windows of the Fairhope Post Office. Members adorned the windows with beautiful pink designs and encouraging words. Our school also participates in Red Ribbon Week in October. This week is dedicated to teaching students to stay away from harmful substances and to persuading them to not get involved in the first place. To advertise the event, our clubs paint messages about harmful substances on windows in the common area of our school. The theme we chose was Bob Ross, and with the abundance of artistic skill within the club, our window won the best painting contest!

Veterans Day is another very important part of the Fairhope community and Fairhope High. We found out about a World War II veteran from Texas, James South. For his birthday, James wanted 100 birthday cards from people across the nation. Touched by his uplifting story and everything that he has done for our country, NAHS members wrote cards to thank James for his service and to wish him a wonderful 100th birthday.

NAHS helped celebrate Veterans Day with an annual assembly. Each year, art club is given the task of decorating the school with patriotic colors, as well as setting up the reception area for all veterans to



NAHS members outside the Fairhope Post Office

grab a snack. As usual, all veterans feel appreciated when they walk into the school, which is filled with America's colors. The decorations and party show the veterans how much of an impact they've made through their dedication to their country.

The Fairhope High chapter of NAHS is very excited to continue with our fall events and to start new projects in the spring.

Written by: Lynda Williams

Alaska



Robert Service High School
2019-2020 NAHS Chapter

ROBERT SERVICE HIGH SCHOOL ANCHORAGE, AK

SPONSOR: SARA MULLEN

The Robert Service High School Chapter of NAHS in Anchorage is actively impacting the art in our school and community. We are mentoring young artists weekly through our partnership with the nearby elementary school by volunteering in the art classroom. Assisting in painting a hall mural and inspirational quotes in the restrooms added new permanent art to our school. To raise funds for our projects, we glazed unfinished ceramics from previous classes and had an Abandoned Pottery sale. Future endeavors include working with the Seed Lab at the museum, which is part of the My Mark, My City art grant, and donating to the Empty Bowls project.

Written by: Anna Richardson and Sara Mullen



Chapter induction ceremony
on October 9, 2019.

KETCHIKAN HIGH SCHOOL, KETCHIKAN

SPONSOR: LOUISE KERN

In Ketchikan, Alaska, art is already a significant part of the local culture. However, Ketchikan High School's National Art Honor Society (Chapter NC-3169) has been steadily working to spread even more appreciation throughout the community. Most recently, this has been through the creation of a mural in the newly built WF Madden's Family Entertainment Center. While ping-pong tables, billiards, foosball, and darts had been enough to draw in plenty of teens, the atmosphere was not yet as intended. To add an even friendlier atmosphere to the space, on October 31, eight of Ketchikan High School's members began work on multiple collaborations throughout the center, depicting whimsical images such as the solar system, the mythical world turtle, and an octopus pianist. Much progress has been made, and the group has goals to complete the project by December. Alongside this project, the members participated in the local Winter Arts Festival which took place at the end of November. In exchange for a booth, the society is helping with set-up and clean-up for the festival, as well as decorating the holiday tree. Over the 3-day event, society members will sell goods in multiple mediums, including fused glass ornaments, festive pottery, and handcrafted holiday cards. The profits will be used by the students to fund future community projects.

Written by: Tyler Merle and Anne Coss



NAHS members visited the
Louvre over the summer

JAMES CLEMENS HIGH SCHOOL MADISON, AL

SPONSOR: LIZ VAUGHN

We have had a busy year, participating in our city street festival and gearing up for college applications. We are also participating in the Memory Project, sending artwork to Syrian refugee children, and are submitting our art and portfolios for the Scholastic Art & Writing Awards. We are also planning two murals—one in our downtown area and one at our feeder middle school.

Written by: Liz Vaughn



Our leadership team

California

CANYON HIGH SCHOOL ANAHEIM, CA

SPONSOR: KATHY ROSE

National Art Honor Society has conducted various activities this year. We decorated a room in our school library with artworks crafted by members of our club. This way, we could help create a more uplifting atmosphere in the library. Currently, we are working on a community service project through the Memory Project to create portraits of children in developing countries. This is one step toward painting a positive impact in the world.

Written by: Kyle Rhee and Clarissa Mejia



Dragon installation

ANGELO RODRIGUEZ HIGH SCHOOL FAIRFIELD, CA

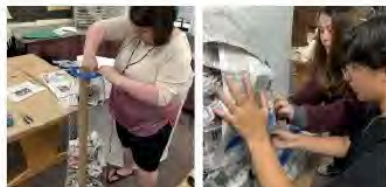
SPONSOR: LYNN LARSEN

Our NAHS chapter is closely linked with our school's AP Studio Art class, which focuses on expanding student horizons by exposing students to various materials and art styles while placing a heavy emphasis on individual voice. The first project that the Angelo Rodriguez High School chapter completed this year was a 9-foot-tall dragon for a scarecrow contest, something that took 109 hours to construct out of recycled paper, plastic, water bottles, chicken wire, and wood. The dragon was used to promote the community event over social media. Additionally during the month, we went out twice a day to fix some of the other scarecrow installations, just to make sure that the community wouldn't miss out on the full experience over at the Rotary Club Community Pumpkin Patch. We also volunteered to help out in other ways, such as having a face painting booth over the weekend.

We are located in a community still dealing with fire and smoke inhalation. Because of the gloomy atmosphere, our next project is one that will brighten up our community with hand-crafted gifts. This project involves collaborating with different nonprofits to provide those in need with unique, handmade gifts for the holiday season. We are currently making friendship bracelets, holiday cards, hand-sewn journals, hand-painted scarves and shoes, and quilts to hand out to displaced residents and elderly members of the community. Our biggest project yet will be our long-awaited Yuletide Festival. Our

aim is to help connect students to the community by showcasing student art and providing outreach opportunities for youths to work with local businesses. Our Yuletide Festival, long in the works, will be an opportunity for young, aspiring artists from every high school in our community to come together and make something great. We appreciate the opportunities afforded to us by the NAHS and hope to connect with everyone again in the spring!

Written by: Sean Celestial



Dragon construction



Hand-painted rain barrel

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY INGLEWOOD, CA

SPONSOR: CHRISTINA MURACZEWSKI

A handful of NAHS seniors designed and painted a rain barrel to promote water conservation. The barrel was auctioned off in October at the West Basin Municipal Water District Water Harvest Festival, a water education event for the community that celebrated the theme Water for Tomorrow. NAHS students also helped

our school community celebrate Arts in Education Week with daily lunchtime activities. One of the favorites among students was entering the Vans Custom Culture contest.

Written by: Christina Muraczewski



NAHS students during
Arts in Education Week



Día de los Muertos skulls

JUSTIN-SIENA HIGH SCHOOL NAPA, CA

SPONSOR: MONICA JACOBSON

Justin-Siena High School NAHS teamed up with school clubs to celebrate Día de los Muertos (Day of the Dead). The Multi-Culture Club, Latinx Club, and MEChA Club built an ofrenda in the Gasser Media Center. Art students provided papier-mâché and digital versions of the traditional sugar skulls that are associated with Day of the Dead. Students around campus celebrated the lives of passed loved ones by creating a tradition altar. Students placed a photograph of their loved ones on the altar, along with special artifacts that they loved or even their favorite foods next to their picture. The arts classes learned about the traditions of this holiday, did their own research, and then created artwork based on the traditional colors, relating the meaning behind colors and artifact motifs.

Written by: Monica Jacobson



Día de los Muertos altar



NAHS meeting

LA SALLE HIGH SCHOOL PASADENA, CA

SPONSOR: KATE WILLIAMS

This chapter marks the start of La Salle High School's third year with a NAHS chapter, and we're continuing to make a big splash in the community. The year started off strong with a watercolor project to foster a sense of unity among the students. The students created watercolor paintings of any spot on the campus that they felt represented our Lasallian spirit best. The results were a touching assortment of art featuring faculty members and campus landmarks. Recently we partnered with the Spanish department to celebrate the Day of the Dead, by making paper flowers and assembling a breathtaking altar installation. In accordance with last year, we plan to continue our newfound tradition of creating portraits for our sister school in Naka, Nigeria. We're looking forward to the fun projects and service opportunities that are yet to come this year!

Written by: Sophia Jasper



Painting pumpkins



Canyon Crest Academy

CANYON CREST ACADEMY SAN DIEGO, CA

SPONSOR: EMILY MORAN

Canyon Crest Academy's NAHS, founded last year by Chi Zhang, is run by Anastasia Knezevic and Nika Sadros. Many of its members also participate in CCA's art conservatory, a selective program where students study under guest artists and work on large projects. CCA's NAHS has painted murals honoring veterans and superheroes and held art classes for Brookdale Senior Living of San Diego. Now, CCA's NAHS is holding art classes at the Boys and Girls Clubs of San Dieguito to inspire creative ways of expression, and designing a t-shirt for Fleet Feet San Diego to promote physical fitness.

Written by: Joyce Yang



Day of the Dead Altar at the Martin Luther King Jr. Library

ABRAHAM LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL SAN JOSE, CA

SPONSOR: EILEEN ZAMORA

During the year, we have focused on reaching out to different communities and giving a helping hand to those in need. We started our chapter by opening the club for new members and selling pumpkin pie on the side as a fundraiser. At the end of September, the Martin Luther King Jr. Library kindly allowed us to set up an altar for the Day of the Dead. The memorial offered a place to pay respect to those who were lost and separated from their families. On October 5 we volunteered to become part of the Frida Kahlo Festival,

where we helped others set up and sell homemade goods. On October 26 San Jose's Institute of Contemporary Art (ICA) asked us to volunteer at its annual Art Gallery Auction. Lincoln NAHS members held valuable art that was up for auction and walked down the auction aisles for those who may bid to get a good look. So far, the club has reached out and participated in many events. Lincoln's NAHS members have become very passionate about putting much effort into running our events smoothly and with success.

Written by: Valeria Verduzco



Lincoln NAHS members volunteering at ICA's Art Gallery Auction event

Colorado



Boulder High chapter with donated Prius

BOULDER HIGH SCHOOL, BOULDER, CO

SPONSOR: LORI LLERANDI

The Boulder High School Art Car project is part of Art on the Streets, a workshop series for teens to create public artwork inspired by social justice issues. Using a framework of professional artist mentorships to facilitate art in public spaces, students explore current social issues while building community, collaboration, and mutual respect. Art cars may not immediately be associated with street art, but they are contemporary, sculptural, functional art meant to be experienced in public by the larger community.

Current NAHS chapter members led the project with guidance and support from mentors and local artists. NAHS students also collaborated with at-risk and nonarts students during the design process.

NAHS artists focused their car design efforts around the delicate nature of our environment. The goal was to create a message of awareness about animal habitats and the impact of humans upon these environments. Sculptural elements including a snake weaving through the car, a welded butterfly on top of the car, and a tree frog holding on to the back windshield pushed the boundaries of car structure. The art car was constructed mostly with recycled and repurposed materials to further the environmental message. The front of the car exhibits a thriving ecosystem, while the back end appears to be decaying, showing the signs of climate destruction.

Art collaborators are Leah Brenner Clack, program coordinator; Mark Moffett, artist mentor and build coordinator; and Kate Villarreal and Lori Llerandi, Boulder High School art teachers.

The student and teen groups involved are the Boulder High School NAHS chapter, Adelante! Boulder High School, AVID Boulder High School, and Attention Homes, Boulder, Colorado.

The sponsors are the City of Boulder Office of Arts & Culture with the support of a Boulder Arts Commission grant, Boulder Hybrids' Paul Guzyk from who generously donated a Prius; Boulder Open Studios, Resource Central, McGuckins Hardware, and Art Parts Creative ReUse Center, all located in Boulder, Colorado.

Written by: Lori Llerandi



Making progress



Team effort

Connecticut



RHAM HIGH SCHOOL HEBRON, CT

**SPONSORS: CARRIE DINUNZIO AND
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This year, the RHAM NAHS chapter has big things coming. Over the past year, we have been working with members of the local community to sculpt ceramic bowls. This is a part of our Empty Bowls Project, a biannual community gathering to raise funds and feed those in our community who may struggle. The funds from this event go to our food banks, and it genuinely brings the community together. Our chapter recently inducted over 15 new members, so we now have 28 members. We don't even have enough seats! Every year our chapter grows, and we become a bigger part of the community. We have more upcoming projects this year, including our seasonal Bob Ross paint nights, as well as a growing partnership with our senior center. This year is a strong one for our RHAM NAHS community!

Written by: Alison Bakke



THE ETHEL WALKER SCHOOL SIMSBURY, CT

SPONSOR: CORINA ALVAREZ DELUGO

The Ethel Walker School's chapter of the National Art Honor Society has commenced meeting and planning for the 2019-2020 school year and has welcomed new members. We have been making artwork to sell at our Art & Craft Holiday Sale so that we can raise funds and start the different community partnerships that we have planned for this year. We recently teamed up with the school's poetry club to begin a project for which we will illustrate poems. We are also excited for the exhibition we are planning to host later this year.

Written by: Ella Samson



NONNEWAUG HIGH SCHOOL WOODBURY, CT

SPONSOR: LEEZA DESJARDINS

The National Art Honor Society at Nonnewaug High School always delivers what is asked of us. Since school started in early September, we have had members in attendance at five events, including the Bethlehem Fair, the Pumpkin Harvest Festival at Apple Rehab, Go the Distance Race and Scholarship Fund, the Woodbury Harvest Stroll, and the Toplands Farm open house in Roxbury, Connecticut. At these events we did face painting and raised awareness for our society through our service. At the Bethlehem Fair, our biggest event, we volunteered and submitted art pieces to the gallery for judging. The teen art exhibition featured

many Nonnewaug artists. Isabella Donnatucci of Bethel, Connecticut, one of our AP art students, won best of show with a colorful collage of her and her dog. We had many other students place at the fair, and later, all entered artwork was displayed in the main hallway of our school. This exhibition inspired students as well as educated them about what NAHS is and does.

Our induction ceremony took place November 7. Many freshmen and underclassmen who are not formally in the society have shown initiative already. They've attended meetings and many of our events. Each school year in the spring we participate in the Memory Project. This organization connects high school artists with orphans in poverty-ridden countries. This year we signed up to take on an extra group of orphans in January. This project is especially important to our society because it serves as our global outreach. We always look forward to seeing the smiling faces of the orphans as they receive the portraits.

Last year our chapter created a new officer position. This member, whose official title is Activities Chair, is responsible for making sure each event goes smoothly. This year Isabella Donatucci has taken on this job. Also this year, our school's spring musical was announced as Shrek: The Musical. Each year we closely work with the drama department to design and paint the sets, create costumes, and provide makeup services and skills. At our most recent meeting, members started to sketch possible scenes and props that we will eventually bring to life in March 2020. Our officers are so excited for the rest of the year since this is only the start of a successful year for our NAHS chapter!

Written by: Eva Brown Florida



Florida



Dolphin vs. dolphin

OLYMPIC HEIGHTS COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL, BOCA RATON, FL

SPONSOR: JANE TOBAL

The NAHS chapter at Olympic Heights in Boca Raton is working hard on a large mural for the annual Wyland Competition. Our chapter was fortunate to receive a primed 5' x 10' canvas for our submission. Our group thought it would be fun to portray the bottle nosed dolphin (mammal) alongside a school of dolphin fish on the canvas. We are honoring the beauty of the water that our planet provides to us all.

Written by: Jane Tobal



Painting fish side-by-side

NORTH BROWARD PREPARATORY SCHOOL COCONUT CREEK, FL

SPONSOR: SHELLEY WEISS

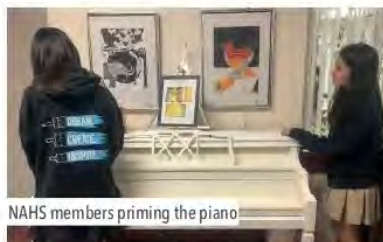
North Broward Prep's NAHS has several projects in the works to promote art in our school and community. We are especially excited about our newest addition, Piano Project. We saw an old piano in a closet that wasn't receiving the love it deserved, and we wanted to bring our creativity to it. We created a contest to design a new look for the piano, and we are painting it as a club. The piano will soon reside at the SOS Children's Village, a community that our fine arts program has been working



NAHS in the homecoming parade

with a lot this year. Our chapter is also working on our annual holiday card contest. Each NAHS student creates an illustrated holiday card, and the winning design is used as our school's holiday card. This year's theme is Celebrating Being Together. We love seeing the amazing cards that everyone creates! Our NAHS recently participated in the homecoming parade. We painted aprons, props, posters, and a banner to show our creativity and spirit!

Written by: Ana Montes



NAHS members priming the piano

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—Jane Tobal
Olympic Heights Community HS



The Memory Project

CHAMINADE-MADONNA COLLEGE PREPARATORY, HOLLYWOOD, FL

SPONSOR: ANGELA CANOSA

This 2019-2020 school year we are working on the Memory Project. We have 31 members so far and some of them are working on this service-learning-based project that involves drawing portraits for orphans all over the world. This year they are going to Pakistan. It is a wonderful experience that is always very rewarding for my students. We have been participating in this program for about the past 10-12 years. Our president this year, Caitlyn Manthorpe, is one of my talented AP Art and Design students and sets the bar very high with her beautiful artwork.

Written by: Angela Canosa



AP Studio Art class



Still Life drawing



SEBRING HIGH SCHOOL SEBRING, FL

SPONSOR: STEVE VAN DAM

Sebring High School's previous NAHS chapter members came in with a work-hard ethic, enthusiasm, dedication, and an overflowing joy after seeing results. Since the end of last year, NAHS members worked together with other school organizations and local businesses to organize and put together their busiest event of the year: Soup Up the Arts. Through this event, Sebring High School students raise money for local families in need with sponsorships and selling ceramic bowls to the community. Planning this event takes months of working together with students, school staff, and local business owners and using our club members' creativity. While Soup Up the Arts has a strong emphasis on helping families in the community, it is also an opportunity to expand the school's art program into the community. Throughout the year, art students work on projects both inside and outside the classroom to display at the event. These pieces of art can be bought by attendees of the event as well as friends and family of the artist. Many of our students are extremely talented in art, and some are even considering pursuing a career in the arts. By displaying their artworks and even selling them, they are becoming known as artists.

Another significant event for Sebring High School's NAHS chapter is Sweeten Up the Arts, which immediately follows Chalk Walk. Chalk Walk is a school-wide event that allows students to gather in groups of up to five members to sketch some sort of design on our school's

sidewalk. This is a very popular event in the school year. Students look forward to it every year so that they can be creative and hang out with their friends. After Chalk Walk, our Art Club and NAHS members host a smaller event, Sweeten Up the Arts, where our club members sell mostly desserts to the students after a long day at Chalk Walk. A portion of the funds raised from this event is distributed to organizations or families in the community, and another is used to support the art program at Sebring High School. We hope to be able to keep organizing and having these events in the future because we have seen the positive impact they have, not only in our school, but in the community as well.

Written by: Vianey Gonzalez, NAHS President, and Michael Meeks, NAHS Vice President



INDIAN RIVER CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL VERO BEACH, FL

SPONSOR: LUCIE BURKE

Indian River Charter High School's new National Art Honor Society chapter inducted 20 students. NAHS members completed the Centennial mural in Vero Beach, Florida. Molly Phillips, Kenneth Betancourt, Hannah Lafferty, and Alexa Werner received \$1,000 scholarships from Robert Brackett for their work on

the mural. Summer Foster organized volunteers to complete another large collaborative mural at the Humane Society of Vero Beach. Caitlyn Sturtsman ran the Digital Art Club and illustrated a live TEDx lecture. Ten members were recognized in the Scholastic Arts and Writing Competition. Ana Cancio Trelfa and Meg Cabras received national Silver Awards. AP Art students achieved a 100% pass rate on their AP exams, receiving college credit. The Vero Beach Art Club awarded \$3,500 scholarships to Alan StPierre, Alyssa Ruby, Molly Phillips, and Adam Noonan. The Sebastian River Art Club awarded \$1,000 scholarships to Molly Phillips and Adam Noonan. Molly Phillips won second place in the Vero Beach Centennial Art competition. Seven students entered the Superintendent's Show, and Alan St Pierre took best in school. Twelve students entered Bill Posey's Congressional Competition, and Molly Phillips won, earning a \$12,000 scholarship to SCAD.

At the Vero Beach Museum of Art Juried Student Art Competition, Alexis Kolesnik took best in show, and in photography Ashlyn Adriance won first place, Ethan Shafer won second place, and James Hookghirk won third place. In painting Adam Noonan won second place and Alyssa Ruby won third place. Summer Foster won third place in drawing. Over 100 pieces of student art were on display to the public at the IRCHS annual Juried Student Art Exhibition. NAHS members placed and sold artwork at this event, hosted by the Raw Space on old Dixie Highway in Vero Beach. NAHS members helped with IRCHS's annual Very Special Arts Day, where special needs students from Wabasso School enjoy a day of games, treats, and activities at IRCHS. Molly Phillips



and Alyssa Ruby, NAHS presidents, ran the Shell and Tell activity promoting environmental awareness at the Vero Beach Museum of Art's annual Children's Art Festival. Student volunteers staffed the Vero Beach Art Club's Under the Oaks Art Show at Riverside Park in Vero Beach. NAHS members visited the Vero Beach Museum of Art, the Gallery at Windsor, Art Basel, and Wynwood Walls in Miami in a series of field trips. This year NAHS plans to complete another community mural, and Thea Musolino has initiated an art and literary magazine.

Written by: Lucie Burke



Senior Awards Night for NAHS 2019

WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL WELLINGTON, FL

SPONSOR: JERILYN BROWN

Our chapter started the year with the Interactive Pop Up Exhibit for our school's open house on September 17, 2019. On display were about 100 works of art by NAHS members and some 2D Art and Creative Photography students. There were sticky notes available for the viewers to leave behind comments and encouragement for their favorite student artist or artwork. Hundreds of parents viewed the exhibit on open house night, and hundreds of students viewed the exhibit the following week. The open house provided a perfect opportunity for the NAHS students to bring art to the attention of the school and larger community.

Written by: Jerilyn Brown



Pop Up Exhibit



Outdoor display kiosk

ALL SAINTS ACADEMY WINTER HAVEN, FL

SPONSOR: NANCY FONSECA

ASA's NAHS quickly accomplished making students' art visible by revamping an outdoor display kiosk with new backing and copies of ASA student art. NAHS members create their art, set up efficient studio supplies, and communicate digitally among themselves to help organize exhibits.

Written by: Nancy Fonseca



Studio organizer

Georgia BUFORD HIGH SCHOOL BUFORD, FL

SPONSOR: KIM BARGE

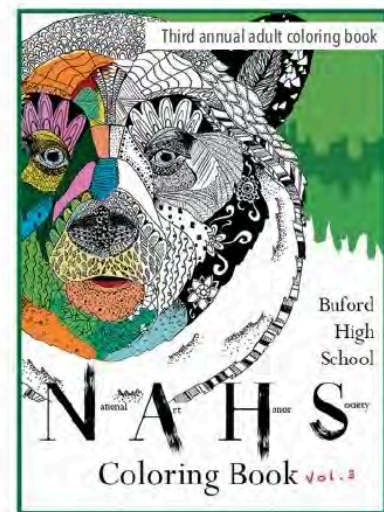
BHS has 36 NAHS members this year. For our fundraiser, we have created our third annual adult coloring book featuring 36 pages of student artwork. We are also working on a collaborative project where every NAHS member paints a canvas. When the canvases are put together they create a Buford version of Starry Night, hopefully to be hung in the building when completed.



Bob Ross float

We moved into a new building this year, and the teachers' walls are bare. My students are creating artwork for them, and the teachers donate to NAHS. The student gets half of the donation, and the other half goes to a senior scholarship. I love showing my students that art can be profitable! We participated in the homecoming parade for the first time by creating a Bob Ross-themed float. It was a huge success! We will continue to sell artwork at all drama performances, a holiday festival downtown, and the big holiday sale in December where the entire community comes to support the arts.

Written by: Kim Barge



Third annual adult coloring book

Buford High School

Coloring Book Vol. 3



Face painting at Trunk or Treat

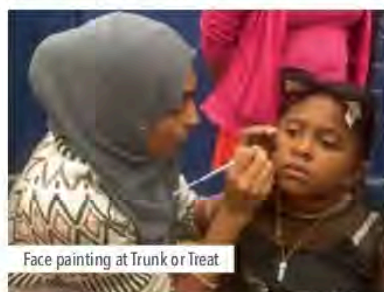
PARKVIEW HIGH SCHOOL LILBURN, GA

SPONSOR: SUSAN DUNCAN

Parkview High School had a head start in club activities this year by having veteran members advertise our chapter at the school club fair at orientation. Compared to previous years, we significantly increased membership, mostly by expanding our NAHS to include an art club. Students who aren't eligible to apply to NAHS can join art club and participate as much as NAHS members. Once the school year started, our monthly meetings began; our August and September meetings were not only focused on spreading information to students interested in official NAHS members, but it also involved team-building, such as icebreakers and an exquisite corpse drawing activity. This year, we placed more emphasis on getting to know other people in the club to be more unified as a club and to help people feel more comfortable in the club since we're all artists and we're there for the same reason: we love art. We also continued our annual tradition of making pumpkin pinch pots at our October meeting. We've continued to do many art-related services for clubs and organizations around our school and community. This year, we've made posters for a car-wash fundraiser for our basketball team and painted a banner for the seniors on our varsity football team. We also helped out with trunk-or-treat, which is a sort of Halloween festival community event where younger kids can trick or treat, for the elementary schools in our cluster. Specifically, our club volunteered to do face painting, and our members received a lot of praise for their beautiful works of art. Additionally, that night was our football team's biggest game night,

so we help paint school colors on game goers. Best of all? Our school won! Our club activities have been very numerous this year, from general meetings to volunteering, and we hope to keep that up for the rest of the school year and for future years! The work we've done helps out our community and allows our members to show off their skills. For example, we made it a tradition to raise up a bunch of art supplies to be donated to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta - Egleston Hospital as Christmas gifts. Also, we hope to send members to volunteer and spend time with these kids stuck in a hospital bed for Christmas. With both a motivated group of inductees and officer team this year, we look forward to the bright future of our chapter!

Written by: Susan Duncan



Face painting at Trunk or Treat

WALTON HIGH SCHOOL MARIETTA, GA

SPONSOR: KATHLEEN PETKA

This past fall, Walton High School's NAHS has been focusing on the art of giving. We regularly visit the Foundation for Hospital Art office in Woodstock to work on paintings that are distributed nationwide to brighten any patient's day.



NAHS students with their Play Me Again piano painted for community art

We have also completed our "Play Me Again Piano", a fully-functioning piano that we sanded, painted, and sealed with beautiful impressionist water lilies in the style of Monet. This piano will be donated to Emory's Eye Care facility for long-term guests to take their mind off of their surroundings and play. We are so proud of our members for all of the extra volunteer time they put in to get this project finished, working before and after school, and even during lunch! So far, we have held two art galleries for the Walton community, for which we provided refreshments and our original art. The first gallery celebrated the completion of the new wing of our school. The second gallery was about emphasis, showing splashes of color in the mundane. In November, we marched in Walton's Homecoming Parade with our hand-painted banner that mimics the pieces of modern artists we admire, and gave candy to children who came to watch the procession. Our next project is a mural for our school library, which will kick off the picture book section. We are going to paint the windows with whimsical scenes of Peter Pan's forest. Finally, we will round out the year with our holiday-themed art gallery!

Written by: Judy Denning



Walton students in front of their banner for the homecoming parade



RACHAEL WALKER HOME SCHOOL ROSWELL, GA

SPONSOR: RACHAEL WALKER

This fall we attended the opening reception of the Alpharetta Arts Guild's show, Modern Colors. We enjoyed the broad display of mediums—abstract and realistic painting, photography, sculpture, 3D, textile art and paper art—and had the opportunity to speak with several of the artists. We reached out to the community by dedicating weekly volunteer hours at the Roswell Visual Arts Center. Our NAHS student was accepted to their apprenticeship program in which she assists professional artists in children's art classes. The current class, with children ages 6-9, is working with traditional clay processes, glazing and firing.

Written by: Rachael Walker



NORTH GWINNETT HIGH SCHOOL SUWANEE, GA

SPONSORS: DALLAS GILLESPIE AND KYONGHUI YVETTE KIM

Our first chapter meeting kicked off August 20 with over 130 interested members. We held a workshop to prepare for face painting at the annual

Suwanee Fest. Our booth there raised over \$1,000. We then did a school-wide Art Rocks event—painting rocks and placing them around school. We also worked with special needs adults at Next Stop and did face painting at the Pink Out football game, raising money for breast cancer awareness. We helped at the auction for the Big T'DO, an event to raise money for grants given by North Gwinnett Schools Foundation. We hit the great little town of Sugar Hill to participate in the Sugar Rush Festival where we live painted and hid mini canvases around festival. We did a farmers' market-themed trunk-or-treat workshop and passed out candy to the community, face painted at Shadowbrook Fall Festival in Suwanee, and had a finger skit workshop on campus for Halloween. Our chapter has also held many fun and crafty workshops for our members, such as rock painting, paper-fruit making, and letting each member customize their own NAHS club T-shirt! Our members can reach out to us through social media (Instagram), where we post event dates and showcase our fun club activities. We continue to strive to let students express their storytelling and creativity through art and community events. Please check out our website at <http://ngnahs.weebly.com/>.

Written by: Brooke, Maya, and Gabby



Illinois



AURORA CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL AURORA, IL

SPONSOR: GRAHAME WILKIN

Aurora Christian High School students prepared and created a 50' x 20' mural at the Aurora Harkness Center in the heart of downtown Aurora, Illinois. Approximately 20 students painted this mural in a single day. Students created an impressionistic painting of Aurora civilians gardening on Friday May 17, 2019.

Written by: Grahame Wilkin

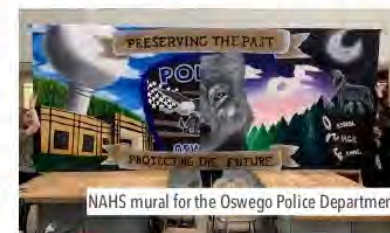


OSWEGO EAST HIGH SCHOOL OSWEGO, IL

SPONSOR: HEATHER STANICH

Oswego East's NAHS chapter has been face painting at numerous home football games. Also, for the Oswego Police Department, we planned and painted a mural that is now on display at the police station!

Written by: Grace Oberwetter





OSWEGO HIGH SCHOOL OSWEGO, IL

SPONSOR: MICHAEL SKURA

In the past few months, our NAHS board and members have been working hard to advocate for the arts at our school and in our community. We have started a mural for the new Oswego Police Department, representing our town's past and its future. We also set up over 1,000 4 x 5s for the ChicagoLand 4x5 Art Exhibition along with the OHS craft show. We want to make a change in our community through our talents in art and by letting others express themselves with their artwork. Mr. Skura, the director of the art department at OHS, has been phenomenal in selflessly guiding and helping us. During our Halloween party and for past events, he bought us pizza to eat and supplies for our projects. We believe that our OHS chapter is thriving, not just from the efforts of our executive board, but also those from Mr. Skura, our members, and our community.

Written by: Isabel Valdez

Indiana



MISSISSINewa HIGH SCHOOL GAS CITY, IN

SPONSOR: LLOYD E. WOODARD

The Mississinewa High School chapter of NAHS is having a very fruitful year, already packed with activity. In September, we designed, created, and manned a float in the school's annual Homecoming parade. In October, we traveled to Terre Haute, Indiana, to visit CANDLES, an internationally known Holocaust museum. We also began preparing for our yearly round of competitions. In November, two of our chapter members exhibited at the 2019 National Juried High School Art Competition and Exhibition at Purdue University, in West Lafayette, Indiana. Also in November, we became involved with the Memory Project, which engages children and teens who work from photos to draw portraits of international refugee children, helping to draw attention to the plight of child refugees around the world. And if you think we've been busy so far, just wait until January, when competition season gets into full swing. Looks like an exciting year ahead for the Mississinewa High School NAHS!

Written by: Lloyd E. Woodard



GREENFIELD-CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL GREENFIELD, IN

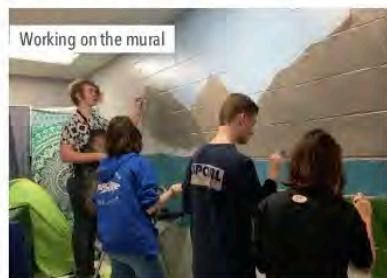
SPONSOR: LISA SEARS

Our club has been really busy so far this year! We organized a Yankee Candle fundraiser that helped pay for our chapter renewal, donuts for meetings, face paint for various events, and for Memory Project portraits that we will work on in January. We have a great group of officers and club members who have helped make events successful. The first was Chalkfest where we created an amazing chalk mural of Bob Ross. The second event was running a face painting booth at the Homecoming carnival. In October, we participated in Trick or Treat for Riley, an event that provides a safe place for kids to trick or treat and raises money for a children's hospital. For this we set up an epic indoor corn maze with our art display boards. We are looking forward to a great year!

Written by: Lisa Sears



Kansas



WASHBURN RURAL HIGH SCHOOL TOPEKA, KS

SPONSOR: THERESA SHETLER-LOGAN

Last school year we worked as a group to create a mural for a calming room at a local elementary school. The students created sketches for designs then voted on the final one. They divided up the work and had a great time working together on the painting.

Written by: Theresa Shetler-Logan



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— Isabel Valdez
Oswego High School

Louisiana



THOMAS JEFFERSON HIGH SCHOOL FOR ADVANCED STUDIES, GRETNA, LA

SPONSOR: DEANNA LARMEU

So far, this year has been an exciting one for the Thomas Jefferson High School chapter of the National Art Honor Society! After a chapter-wide vote on a theme, we chose "Cartoon Christmas" and painted ornaments for display at New Orleans City Park's Celebration in the Oaks. When the ornaments were complete, we took a field trip to hang them and stopped by the New Orleans Museum of Art for art enrichment. For lunch and beignets we ate at the NOMA Café and Café Du Monde. We also participated in face painting and supervising children at the chili cook-off for St. Joseph's church. Next on our list of plans will be creating portraits for orphans and disadvantaged youth for the Memory Project. We will also be painting a chair for auction at the annual Gretna Jubilee. We can't wait for the rest of the school year and all the happiness our art will bring! The 2019-20 chapter of NAHS includes Jourdan Bates, Hailee Bychurch, Joseph Dinh (vice president), Minh Do (vice president), Carla Dominguez, Bailey Dufrene, Emma Gattuso (president), Francesca Sophia Graham, David Guzman, Angelina Hoover, Vinh Mai, Diana Martinez, Angelina Nguyen, David Nguyen, Truc Nguyen, Yen-Nhi Nguyen, Le Nhi, Nina Ovalle, Jayden Ramirez, Yarley Rubio,

Kaitlyn Shelton, Trent Songy, Carli Theodore, Chassidy Tillman (treasurer), Alexis Tran, Daniel Tran, Jennie Tran, Mary Tran, Sheila Tran, Harrison Vo, Avari Vu, and Trinity Wilson.

Written by: Deanna Larmeu



Massachusetts



OAKMONT REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL ASHBURNHAM, MA

**SPONSORS: GREGORY BARRY AND
THERESA BARRY**

Celebrating 10 years! It's amazing to fathom that it has been a decade since starting our chapter at Oakmont Regional High School. In our 10 years, we've had 355 members and have logged nearly 4,000 community art service hours. What an impact our chapter has made in our two communities and beyond! By creating public murals, teaching art to small children, preparing for art shows, conducting face painting, and engaging in hundreds of other activities, our chapter makes art and art education visible and accessible to our communities.

Our NAHS chapter inducted 42 members this year and recently held officer elections. Election results are as follows: Carmella A., president; McKenna R., vice president; Lily M., secretary; Ariana D., treasurer; and Van G., historian. We have also been very fortunate to hold our 8th annual chapter induction at the Fitchburg Art Museum. The museum director, director of education, and education fellow welcome this wonderful event as an opportunity for members to exhibit work in the museum's Community Gallery.

New this year are our Instagram @oakmontart and Twitter @oakmontart social media pages, designed and run by our officers to showcase NAHS and Art Club events, student artists and their work, as well as the studio practices and processes of various art courses! These formats complement our previously established Facebook page! Check them out and have a great year!

Written by: Theresa Barry



FAIRHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL FAIRHAVEN, MA

SPONSOR: JAMIE LYNCH

Fairhaven High School's NAHS has started its fourth year as a growing community. Our members are diligently working on their proposals for their community service projects. Some proposals include painting murals in the school's cafeteria, working with the middle school's art club to finish murals there, and mentoring students interested in the arts. These acts will be a great way for our NAHS members to show their school spirit while spreading their artistic talents. Our members have worked extremely hard making a name for Fairhaven's NAHS, and it has paid off. We are getting new opportunities that leave an impact on our school and local community. For example, our vice principal has expressed that she would like the NAHS to paint inspirational quotes in the school's staircases. We also had artwork on display that coincided with our regional Massachusetts Art Education Association (MAEA) conference and exhibition at the Montserrat College of Art. We are looking forward to our next exhibition opportunities, as well, including the 2020 MAEA Recognitions exhibit and the University of Massachusetts' Emerging Young Artists 2020 Juried Exhibition. As usual, we are looking forward to participating in the Memory Project as an annual tradition. Also, we are very excited to hold our t-shirt-making workshop with our NAHS alumni. A former student has raised funds to give back to the Fairhaven art

community, and the workshop will be a free event funded by his donation. Furthermore, we are asking students to submit t-shirt designs for our annual NAHS t-shirt sale. Overall, Fairhaven High School's NAHS members are working to better the lives of people around them by honoring their community service while still expressing their creativity.

Written by: Athena Xifaras



Ashley Hiller with her Memory Project

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—Theresa Barry,
Oakmont Regional High School



Ware Jr. Sr. High School NAHS chapter

WARE JR. SR. HIGH SCHOOL WARE, MA

SPONSOR: PAMELA GRANT

Hello! My name is Emma Emanuel, and I am the 2019-20 NAHS secretary and historian for Ware Jr. Sr. High School in Ware, Massachusetts. First, I want to begin with acknowledging how rewarding it is to be in such an incredible organization. I would also like to introduce our executive board members: President Olivia Wallace, Vice President Amelia Bonnayer, and Treasurer Monyroat Dith. Our chapter has been involved in many volunteer art activities this year. As a requirement for all members, we have each agreed to earn a minimum of 6 hours of art-related community service by creating projects and volunteering in our school and town. Ongoing projects and those we have completed include creating a mascot mural for our school lobby, painting a motivational mural for our guidance department for students and staff to see as they visit the office, and adding inspirational quotes above the mirrors in the student bathrooms and locker rooms. Due to its popularity, we're extending the quote project in 2019-20 and plan to add more art and quotes to additional bathrooms. Everyone in our organization has so much ambition and enthusiasm, and our goal with these projects is to add positive energy to help students, staff, and the community recognize the importance of art in all our lives. We are so excited to see what this year will bring to our chapter!

Written by: Emma Emanuel



Xaverian Brothers High School NAHS Chapter NC-895

XAVERIAN BROTHERS HIGH SCHOOL WESTWOOD, MA

SPONSOR: PAULA DUDDY

Members of Xaverian NAHS Chapter NC-895 have been busy serving as art ambassadors at our two open house events. In November, members will organize a major art exhibit in the main foyer of our school during our Fine Arts Week events. The art exhibit will be set up during the intermission of our fall musical, and members will be available to share their artwork with the larger community.

Written by: Paula Duddy

Maryland



Samples of Bob Ross-style paintings

LIBERTY HIGH SCHOOL ELDERSBURG, MD

SPONSOR: LAUREN LATANE-VALIS

NAHS students organized a Bob Ross-themed paint-along event for students at Liberty High School. This "bring your own canvas" event included NAHS student-led instruction on color mixing and painting techniques. As participants painted, NAHS students circulated the room, helping them with their landscape paintings. Providing fun, free, after-school art opportunities is a goal that Liberty NAHS students set for this school year.

Written by: Lauren Latane-Valis



Students working on their landscape paintings, led and assisted by NAHS students



Our first mural, in a neighboring town

PERRYVILLE HIGH SCHOOL PERRYVILLE, MD

SPONSOR: JOLEEN FURCHES

This past year, our chapter has been pretty busy. Last fall we were asked to paint a mural in a neighboring town. It was the town's first mural, and the first mural we painted as a group. As we worked many people walked by, thanking us, giving thumbs-up, and telling us we were doing a great job. It was such a great experience that we are planning more. Because of town mural's success, our principal requested that prior to graduation we paint a mural showing school spirit on a storage container that is adjacent to our athletic fields. This was a challenge due to the uneven surface of the container and the rainy spring weather, but we created a design to work with the surface and tight timing to accommodate the weather. People have used the mural as a backdrop for photos after graduation and different games.

We are excited to work on another mural this year because it is such a bonding experience for the whole chapter. We took a trip to the Brandywine River Museum and toured both NC Wyeth and Andrew Wyeth's studios, which were inspirational. This December we are planning a trip to MoMA in New York City. We have been fundraising for our trip by painting pumpkins for school staff, offering face

painting for students, hosting our first painting party, and publishing our first calendar for 2020 that features artwork by our members.

Written by: Joleen Furches and Gwyneth Ferrera



The mural for our school

Michigan



Tile making

LAKE ORION HIGH SCHOOL LAKE ORION, MI

SPONSOR: MELISSA WILSON

The Lake Orion High School National Art Honor Society had its annual induction during a dinner and silent art auction at Paint Creek Country Club on November 13. Each member donates an art piece to the silent art auction. We have been busy designing, creating molds, and pressing tiles as a fundraiser to build a wood kiln on our campus. We learned the tile-making process on a field trip to Pewabic Pottery in Detroit a few years ago. We have a field trip planned in February to our region Scholastic exhibit and the Detroit Institute of Arts. In May we have another trip to the College for Creative Studies to see a student show that is set up by art majors. The field trip to College for Creative Studies

is supported by Michigan Youth Arts and the Michigan Council for Arts & Cultural Affairs.

Written by: Melissa Wilson



Field trip to College for Creative Studies



The UAIS Art Club Board prepares and sells Bob Ross-themed waffles while wearing hand screen-printed aprons!

UTICA ACADEMY FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, STERLING HEIGHTS, MI

SPONSOR: JOY KHAN

"I can't think of anything more rewarding than being able to express yourself to others through painting. Exercising the imagination, experimenting with talents, being creative; these things, to me, are truly the windows to your soul." —Bob Ross

This quote represents our chapter at its heart. Our chapter at UAIS is striving to reach new people and new communities through creativity. We have been pushing our members to become risk-takers and reach out to new activities. We are working to set up face painting stations at local events such as the Guardians for Animals Pet Expo and the annual charity Christmas event held at a local fire station. UAIS has also helped some chapter members with completing their own projects by teaching them how to crochet hearts for Teacher Appreciation Week! Our chapter is also reintroducing our henna fundraiser and keeping our Bob Ross-themed waffle fundraiser as it was an immense success last year!

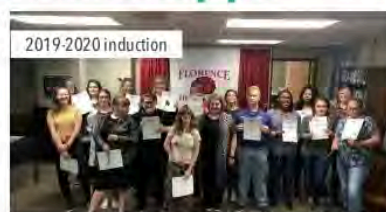
Not only has our chapter been reaching out more to the community with new

ideas, but we are also reaching out to our own members. We are introducing a wide range of new activities, from chalk art to Japanese brush lettering to personal doodling competitions. This year our chapter is really striving to bring out the creativity of all our members by using different mediums (tie dye, painting, chalk), themes, and even a fashion show to make sure everyone can have their time to shine such as. The UAIS chapter is keeping up with letting our creativity shine through, taking Bob Ross's quote to heart. And as we preach within every meeting, we use the words of Bob Ross again: "We don't make mistakes, just happy little accidents."

Written by: Rachael Rewitzer



Mississippi



**FLORENCE HIGH SCHOOL
FLORENCE, MS**

SPONSOR: CARLA NATIONS

We've gotten off to a good start this year with 29 members, which is down from last year. We are small but mighty. We held our annual NAHS induction ceremony and have several service projects in the works. Right now we are collecting specific food items for Baskets of Love. We also collected cake mixes and icing for the dessert portion of Thanksgiving baskets an

organization prepared for the needy. At a local fall festival NAHS members did face painting for community members. Other events include our annual visit to Mustard Seed, a residential home for mentally challenged adults, and time for making Christmas ornaments and playing games on December 12. This is something that all students look forward to. Recently we competed for the right to do the Christmas ornaments for the Mississippi Tree in Washington, DC, and we won. Several NAHS students participated in this competition. Planning with other Mississippi NAHS chapters to put on the NAHS Art Challenge again in the spring is also underway. This is something that the students get really involved with. The future is looking bright for another great year in Florence High School's NAHS.

Written by: Carla Nations



Missouri



**KIRKWOOD HIGH SCHOOL
KIRKWOOD, MO**

**SPONSORS: KIM POWELL AND
NANCY GRIMES**

Kirkwood's National Art Honor Society (KNAHS) was chosen as Art Aficionados of the St. Louis Art Fair in September. Students were awarded a grant of \$1,500 to purchase artwork for our school



and for the St. Louis Art Fair's Traveling Exhibit. KNAHS students maximized their budget when they attended the art fair, talked with artists, curated art selections, and had \$5 left. The art hangs permanently at Kirkwood High School. This fall the Kirkwood Arts Commission asked local middle, high school, and community college visual arts students to participate in the Kirkwood Mural Project. Over 170 art students were involved in the design, sketch, and implementation of 26 10' x 5' vinyl banners to hang on fences at the construction site of the city's new Performing Arts Center. KNAHS, along with two National Junior Art Honor Society chapters in Kirkwood, were instrumental in designing 22 of the 24 banners either digitally or by painting directly on the banners. The City of Kirkwood celebrated with an unveiling on October 27, 2019, with city council members, the mayor, and Missouri House Representative Deb Lavender, to honor the student art. Other KNAHS activities included a pumpkin-painting party and creating thank you cards for the veterans who visited on Veteran's Day.

Written by: Kim Powell





Crystal Bridges field trip, 2019

REPUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL REPUBLIC, MO

SPONSOR: HOLLY GOODWIN

Our chapter is growing with 40 members! We have raised over \$1,600 in an online fundraiser this fall, and the money will go toward many different endeavors: a field trip to the St. Louis Art Museum in the spring, a community art mural in downtown Republic, supplies for installation sculptures and canvas paintings at Republic High School (RHS), and poster-sized photos by art photography students to be hung in the computer labs as a rotation gallery space. We also will create a collective coloring book where members contribute a variety of original ink drawings for a book that will be published in the spring. In other news, Mrs. Goodwin had a piece of her own artwork accepted into Missouri State University's annual Statewide Juried Exhibition for Secondary Teachers and Students on display at the university's Student Exhibition Center in November. This meant that at the center's First Friday Art Walk reception, three RHS students showed their artwork along with our teacher. We were all very excited! The year has gotten off to a very imaginative start for our chapter, and we are looking forward to making a difference in creating a beautiful environment for our school and community in the future!

Written by: Tiara Pengilly



Cosmic Tiger Eyes created for RHS

ROLLA HIGH SCHOOL ROLLA, MO

SPONSOR: CONNIE SHOEMAKER

The National Arts Honor Society (NAHS) gives students an opportunity to work outside the art room in many creative ways. This year's project ideas consist of the following: (1) finger painting class, (2) Bob Ross painting jam/costume contest, (3) community murals, (4) drama production posters, (5) artist of the week/month, (6) art crawl, and (7) love to our planet presentation.

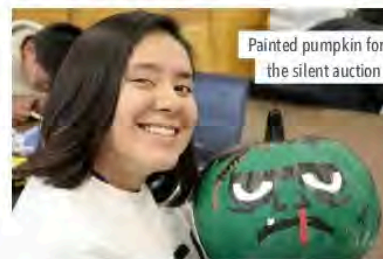
For our Bob Ross painting jam, students will have a costume contest and whoever wins gets a Bob Ross gift basket. PhilMart in Salem, Missouri, asked us to paint a fall-themed mural on their window. We have plans to hang posters around our school to help promote our school's drama club. For the art crawl, students create a piece of art for an auction. We will also be planting seeds in water bottles to show love for our planet. All of these activities provide opportunities for us as young artists to be creative and earn the title of the artist of the week/month. These projects, from painting to helping the community to planting a seed, offer something for everyone to enjoy, and that is my favorite part.

Written by: Sidney Brown

"The students have played an instrumental part in the formation of our chapter. NAHS offers so many opportunities for students to recognize and grow their special talents. It is the complete package to promote the arts within your school district."

— Amy Lynne Hobanz,
John Glenn High School

Montana



Painted pumpkin for the silent auction

ST. LABRE INDIAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL ASHLAND, MT

SPONSOR: KATE RULAND

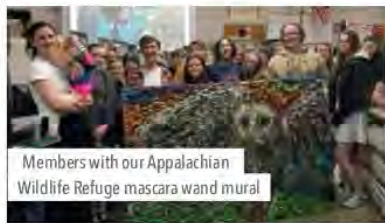
The St. Labre chapter and art club finished a large mural in our choir room and plan to create a large wall mural with Native American Ledger Art for our high school office and entry way. The space is very large space, so stay tuned. As always, we are busy fundraising for our art trip in the spring. This year Montana Art Interscholastics will be in Belgrade, and we are excited to go. Our annual painted-pumpkin silent auction, one of our most popular fundraisers, was a success.

Written by: Kate Ruland



Native American Week, students modeling ribbon skirts they made

North Carolina



Members with our Appalachian Wildlife Refuge mascara wand mural

ASHEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL ASHEVILLE, NC

SPONSOR: KRISTINA SHRIVER

The National Art Honor Society chapter at Asheville High School recently accomplished many great things in our community. Our 2019-2020 chapter is a melting pot composed of artists, creators, visionaries, and everything in between, making us a great representation of our city. This past school year we partnered with the Appalachian Wildlife Refuge for their Wands for Wildlife Project. We created a 6' x 4' mural made out of used makeup wands in an effort to bring awareness to wildlife rehabilitation in western North Carolina. A nationally recognized practice of the Appalachian Wildlife Refuge is the use of recycled mascara wands to provide care for injured and orphaned wildlife the organization takes in from all over the world.

In all efforts to give back to our community, we work hard to recognize what has shaped us into the artists we are today. As we continue to grow in 2020, we plan to increase the implementation of art into our school with help from the artists who have laid a foundation in our community. With this, we plan to continue to paint murals in our school, addressing our bathrooms in particular with the help of local artists. We have a bright future ahead of us and are excited for what we are going to accomplish this coming year!

Written by: Jackie Priola



Mural in our school's Cougar Den



Charter members work on the Chair-ity fundraiser for the local historical society

BUNKER HILL HIGH SCHOOL CLAREMONT, NC

SPONSOR: JANA L. FARRIS

Bunker Hill High School opened its doors in 1957. In its 60-year history, the high school has never had a National Art Honor Society until this year! Twelve students have been accepted as charter members and are excited to establish what it will mean to be a member. Currently, we are creating murals of our school's newly adopted bear logo and painting a chair for the annual Chair-ity fundraiser benefiting the Historical Association of Catawba County. Our future endeavors include creating mini masterpieces in the form of buttons and selling them as a fundraiser to purchase senior honor chords. After the winter break, the NAHS members will begin matting works to prepare for the annual student art show at our local mall. We are also putting together a field trip to the North Carolina Museum of Art to see the Frida Kahlo, Diego Rivera, and Mexican Modernism exhibit.

Written by: Jana L. Farris



Charter members work on bear mural



NAHS member paints a face for our Titan Tailgate

WEST FORSYTH HIGH SCHOOL CLEMMONS, NC

SPONSOR: ELIZABETH BETSON

West Forsyth football games draw die-hard fans and casual Titans alike, as does the annual September Titan Tailgate. Resplendent with baked goods, games, Kona Ice, and face painting, the tailgate raises money for various charities and for the school. Our NAHS Chapter provides the face painting. In the past we have painted using themes of football and green and gold (our school colors), and this year we painted camo hearts and American flags for camo night. Students and families alike were ecstatic; everyone loves feeling like a kid every so often. The face painting is free; we enjoy doing it for the sake of art and football.

As part of our school's October Month of Kindness, several clubs elected to paint kindness rocks. Collaborative pet rocks, if you will. Several of our members came up with the design and painted it. The rocks were placed across campus as cheerful reminders to fellow students as they go about their days. We also hold a pumpkin social in October as a spooky-themed meet and greet. Each member gets to paint a mini pumpkin while enjoying Halloween music, comradery, and refreshments that we contributed.

In October, the 19th annual Buddy Walk, held by the Greater Winston-Salem National Down Syndrome Society, took place. The walk raises awareness, educates, celebrates, and helps families in need. Hundreds of students volunteer their time, helping with setup, running club booths, and cleanup. In addition to face painting, our chapter brought bubbles and sidewalk chalk. Seeing the kids' faces light up when we painted a rainbow or a bat or whatever they requested is heartwarming. Watching



the parents smile because their kids are so happy showed us why we do what we do. Art is to be shared with everyone, and what better way to share art than face painting?

Written by: Leanna Bernish and Haley Shepherd

SURRY CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL DOBSON, NC

SPONSOR: STEPHANIE MILLER

The Surry Central High School chapter of the National Art Honor Society has had a busy few months. The chapter sponsors a Haunted Hallway each year near Halloween. This year, our students created a haunted trail through the school that included an insane asylum, zombies, evil clowns, and other creepy decorations. Students are responsible for many aspects of the event, including planning, marketing, acting, and decoration setup and breakdown. The Haunted Hallway was a huge success this year and the money we raised will be used to help pay for general art supplies and face painting supplies for community events, as well as to help supplement field trip costs and sponsor children in the Salvation Army's Christmas Angel program.

Two of our members, Delia Chavez and Alex Mahan, contributed several days' worth of time and their talents to design and paint a mural at a local water plant. The mural centered on a theme of water

conservation. These students did a fantastic job. Other members are working on making pieces for a winter art sale, painting on old jars, bottles, windows, and canvases. We have also been working on refurbishing old furniture. Students are sanding old desks and dressers, applying new coats of paint, and pouring epoxy resin onto the tops. These pieces become works of art themselves and have become a great fundraiser for our chapter.

Throughout the year, students volunteer their time to help build connections with our school and local community. Several students have already volunteered their time to paint faces, create gifts for our Life Skills students, and design a Christmas card for our school to mail out to several school board and community members. Our members are active in the community and dedicated to getting their artwork out into the community for the public to see and experience.

Written by: Stephanie Miller



HOLLY SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL HOLLY SPRINGS, NC

SPONSOR: JAYNA HUFFINES

The Holly Springs High School National Art Honor Society (HSHS NAHS) has offered and planned many service projects for artists in our club to collaborate on. We are working alongside Thirst Project, a nonprofit organization, to create a mural in our school. Artists in our club have submitted sketches, and we plan to begin painting soon. On our social media platforms, our communications director has been working hard on leading our art contest, Feature the Artist. Each week we have had a different theme for which students create a work that best fits it. This is our second year doing Feature the Artist, and we are so proud of all of our talented students! HSHS NAHS has also been helping other clubs in our school with T-shirt designs. Student artists submit sketches, and we send them to the club leaders to look at. These artists then have a chance for their work to appear on shirts. At the beginning of this school year, our artists worked alongside the school's student council and sport-cheering team to create banners for the student sections at each of our football games. The student sections looked awesome, and it was great to see collaboration between sports and the arts! In the future, HSHS NAHS is helping with the international festival that celebrates culture in our school. We will be painting large set designs to represent different countries around the world! HSHS NAHS has also been working alongside the National Honor Society of Dance Arts (NHSDA) to create a mural for the dance hallway at Holly Springs High. The sketch has been made, and we are awaiting approval. We can't wait for what's to come! We hope to inspire students to create more art and fill the rest of our community with colors and beauty.

Written by: Mia Crider



A sampling of Bob Ross Day fun!

PINE LAKE PREPARATORY MOORESVILLE, NC

SPONSOR: ASHLEY HOOK

We recently sponsored our third annual Bob Ross Day. On what would have been his 77th birthday, our students and staff celebrated his legacy with a variety of activities in and out of the classrooms. Across science, STEM, and mathematics classes, activities included producing "happy little trees" through coding and CAD programs, practicing mathematical functions and derivatives using Bob's landscapes, and studying biological components that actually make trees happy. English classes used his paintings to inspire free-response writings and examine the role that setting and nature have on character development and symbolism. Spanish classes watched *The Joy of Painting* in dubbed Spanish and composed written responses. Psychology students created their own "happy little trees," describing activities that help them de-stress and promote positive mental health, and across the social studies classes, students were treated to Bob trivia and videos. Across the fine arts, theater students did Bob Ross-style improv and impersonations; band classes embraced Ross's "happy accidents" approach by playing mistakes loudly and proudly so they could learn how to fix them, choral and string students produced their own remixes inspired by his work, and visual arts students created Bob-inspired paintings and offered face painting. Throughout the day, we were all reminded of how his lessons transcended artmaking and were much more about carrying a spirit of

encouragement, kindness, imagination, and perseverance into our daily lives.

This year, we inducted 25 new members to our society, bringing our total number of members to 55. We have a fantastic year of activities and projects planned, including creating and selling original coloring books, fundraising for our local humane society, field trips to local galleries, and a school lock-in event that will provide participants with a chance to create art all night long! We are excited to continue to bring an increased arts awareness to our school and community and use our creative talents to be of service to others.

Written by: Ashley Hook



Croatan NAHS members participated in the Diamond City Art & Music Festival

CROATAN HIGH SCHOOL NEWPORT, NC

SPONSOR: JOSEPH STOUFFER

The Croatan NAHS is off to great start with one of our largest chapters at 35 members strong! This fall NAHS members assisted several local schools with their fall festivals. Several members wrote a grant to get funding for Copic markers from a local women's group. The grant was awarded, and we received \$1,000 worth of Copic markers! The members who wrote the grant attended the grant provider's meeting in November to share the artwork created with the markers and speak on the techniques used to create artwork with this medium. In October,

the Carteret Arts Council sponsored a booth at the Diamond City Gala so NAHS members could sell their own artwork. Participating NAHS members sold \$505 of artwork!

NAHS members also relished visiting local nursing homes, assisting residents with jack-o-lantern painting art activities. At our school we enjoyed working with our students with special needs, creating art projects with them, and assisting faculty and administration with their art needs for posters and banners. Other projects include creating ceramic ornaments to sell at the Morehead City Art Walk in November, submitting NAHS member artwork for a calendar we sell as a fundraiser, and creating hand-built and wheel-thrown bowls for the Empty Bowls Project in February.

Written by: Joseph Stouffer



Hosting a jack-o-lantern painting workshop at Cherry Point Bay Nursing and Rehab Center

"Throughout the day, we were all reminded of how [Bob Ross'] lessons transcended artmaking and were much more about carrying a spirit of encouragement, kindness, imagination, and perseverance into our daily lives."

— Ashley Hook,
Pine Lake Preparatory



Enloe High NAHS students creating flag designs on benches

ENLOE MAGNET HIGH SCHOOL RALEIGH, NC

SPONSOR: TRISH KLENOW

Now entering its sophomore year, Enloe's National Arts Honors Society (NAHS) chapter is proudly making a better community both in school and in the surrounding Raleigh area. Currently we are working on international benches. We paint different international flags on one half of the bench and recognizable symbols of the countries they represent on the other half. We've made benches that depict the United States, Mexico, the United Kingdom, India, and more. The purpose of these benches, to be placed outside of Enloe, is to remind students that their heritage is important and school is a safe place for them to celebrate who they are. With 69% of our student body being diverse, recognizing where we come from has always been a part of our mission.

Enloe NAHS members also participate in a wide range of competitions. We've competed in Paint the Page, a local competition in Cary, a town neighboring our home in Raleigh. High and middle school students had 3 hours to paint a local museum en plein air to celebrate the history of Cary and then submitted their pieces to be judged. NAHS members entered the state fair art competition, and we'll also be participating in the Scholastic Art Awards and the NAHS Juried Exhibition, giving members opportunities to create works that play to their artistic strengths. NAHS also helps with Enloe's Nutcracker showcase. Every year Enloe partners with a local charity to raise money for an incredible cause while recognizing the talents of its students. This year we partnered with Southeast Raleigh



Enloe High NAHS students finish up bench painting

Promise, which is an organization devoted to combating poverty in southeast Raleigh through career training and educational opportunities. Enloe has come together with the Visual Art Exchange in downtown Raleigh to fill their main gallery space with pieces related to Southeast Raleigh Promise's message. Several of our artists made it into the gallery. NAHS members also created a range of artwork for Southeast Raleigh Promise and volunteered to manage booths at our Nutcracker showcase, where they sold their own work. We're excited for another great year of making a difference through our artwork!

Written by: Katelyn Crespo (board member)



Window painting at The Hub

GRANVILLE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL STEM, NC

SPONSOR: RACHEL EVANCAVICH

Our chapter is excited about this being our first year since I have been teaching at this school! We have a strong art club that most of the members belong to and get their hours in with. We painted faces at two HUGE events, the annual Oxford Hot Sauce Festival and the Creedmoor Music Festival. Both really tested the customer service skills of both students and myself because we were so busy, had to keep track of money, and refresh our product and supplies. We decorated a bulletin board for Hispanic Heritage month and in our anticipation of our

field trip to the North Carolina Museum of Art for the Frida Kahlo, Diego Rivera, and Mexican Modernism exhibit! We just got back from that. We also started painting windows of different community businesses.

Written by: Rachel Evancavich



Hot Sauce Festival

Nebraska



Adams Central NAHS student working on a mural painting at the high school

ADAMS CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL HASTINGS, NE

SPONSOR: CRYSTAL HASENSTAB

The Adams Central NAHS chapter has been busy in its second year of formation. This past summer students painted a photo stand for the Children's Museum of Central Nebraska, completed two murals, hosted an art camp for 60+ students in Grades 1-4, and face painted at local events. Last year the chapter traveled to Omaha, Nebraska, to tour the Kaneko Museum and visit the Omaha Hot Shops, which are local artist studios. This year we have 63 members who have goals to raise money to attend a First Friday Art Walk event in Kansas City. The students continue to do community service



Building and painting a photo stand for the Children's Museum of Central Nebraska

activities throughout the school year as needed. Many local groups have started hearing about our recently formed chapter, and we have been asked to do more and more art-related service activities.

Written by: Crystal Jean Hassenstab

New Jersey



Halloween bake sale

CARTERET HIGH SCHOOL CARTERET, NJ

SPONSOR: SUSAN CATRONE

Carteret's chapter of NAHS has been extremely busy since the start of the new school year in September! To begin, we started our seasonal fundraising, painting teachers' doors! These door paintings are very popular and bring a little more color and creativity to the school building. We also have our seasonal bake sales, the first of which was baking and selling delicious treats for Halloween.

We also have many volunteering opportunities that our members are oh so excited to be involved in.

For instance, we went to the local elementary school to do an art activity with the aftercare program. The officers of NAHS have exciting prospects planned for this year. They include going digital so that our paperwork and forms can be accessible to all members. We also teamed up with the local volunteering organization, the Carteret Elks, to give our members more opportunities to give back to the community.

Finally, we participated in the town's fall festival, which was celebrated with a Halloween parade. Our chapter was right there in the forefront of all the excitement, face painting throughout the event to get everyone ready for the Halloween spirit and for our town coming together. Overall, in Carteret, we are striving to have an excellent, productive year with all our members and hope to achieve great things. We want to give back to our community by spreading the joy of art and its impact.

Written by: Manpreet Kaur



Local fall festival face painting

JACKSON MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL JACKSON, NJ

SPONSOR: LISA STALLONE

Here at Jackson Memorial High School, our NAHS Chapter has gotten off to a running start. In the two months that



Fall Festival face painting

we've been back to school, our society has participated in more than 10 events—totaling more than 40 hours of community service. As part of our recruitment meeting early in the school year, the officers discuss the characteristics and moral qualities that being part of the NAHS entails, including dedication, commitment to using their talent to serve the community, and representing their ideals of a global citizen. Into my second year as advisor, I am proud of what our students accomplish and how we truly give back to the community. We volunteer at various community events to face paint for elementary schools to save funding for their parent-teacher networks. We have assisted at events for the Knights of Columbus and senior centers. However, some of the most rewarding events involve the art classes we offer. We do classes at a center for older adults, where students work one-on-one with residents to create a work of art. We also work one-on-one with students with special needs to help them create projects as part of our afterschool program. These experiences are so enriching in the development of the global citizen that all participants benefit. I am extremely proud of our chapter members and believe their hard work and dedication deserve recognition. I cannot wait to share what else we accomplish this year!

Written by: Lisa Stallone



NAHS after-school program group

MADISON HIGH SCHOOL MADISON, NJ

SPONSOR: HEATHER SOKOLOWSKI

Madison High School's NAHS chapter is getting off to a great start with 20 new members this year. We plan to decorate store windows for the holiday season and work on creating pieces for the Teen Art Gallery, which will highlight the wonderful artwork of all our NAHS members.

Written by: Heather Sokolowski



MARLBORO HIGH SCHOOL MARLBORO, NJ

SPONSOR: LAUREN FRASER

Our students are currently organizing their winter charity fundraisers. Students are creating handmade ceramic ornaments, menorahs, and gifts for purchase. All proceeds will benefit our local food bank. Our senior members are participating in the Japan Art Mural Exchange program. They are collaborating with Tokyo Joshi Gakuen school in Tokyo, Japan. Together, we are creating a mural about world inequalities that will be displayed at the 2020 Olympics in Tokyo. We communicate by sharing videos and ideas, and will soon begin work on our half of the mural project. Several students participated in our district's Halloween window painting contest this fall. It was a great event where we had the opportunity to support our community.

Written by: Lauren Fraser



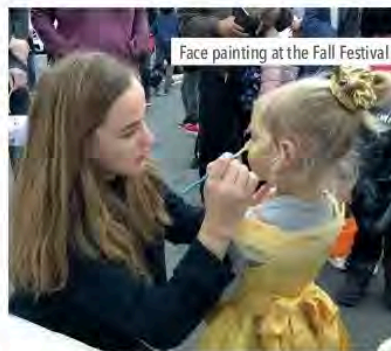
First inductee meeting

MONTGOMERY HIGH SCHOOL SKILLMAN, NJ

SPONSOR: DEIRDRE MCGRAIL

Members of Montgomery High School's chapter of NAHS have been completely immersed in their work, diligently collaborating with one another in order to successfully plan and implement exciting projects. Every fall, NAHS participates in the Fall Festival, an annual event hosted by Montgomery that embodies the good-humored spirit of Halloween. Members designed and created a variety of decorations, adorning the environment with ghosts and a large papier-mâché pumpkin that attendees had the opportunity to sign as a symbol of community. Fresh baked goods were sold, and artists offered face painting for the children. The event was a smashing success, creating cherished memories for both the organizers and individuals who came.

Montgomery's NAHS is also in the process of creating a clothing bin drive for Wearable Collections, an organization that promotes the recycling of textiles in order to reduce waste.



Face painting at the Fall Festival

Members use their artistic ability to replicate famous works of art on each side of the bin using spray paint, hopefully resulting in an eye-catching product that will encourage everyone to donate. There are also a few upcoming projects that Montgomery's chapter anticipates, such as the Memory Project and a trip to the John Marshall Elementary School in Philadelphia. In the Memory Project, members will create portraits for children in difficult situations. The trip to John Marshall is a chance for the club to bring the joy of art to an impoverished district by teaching a daylong art lesson.

The many projects that Montgomery's NAHS has could not, of course, be completed without the assistance of its valued members. Many new talented inductees were welcomed into the club and introduced themselves through an icebreaker activity in which they said their names and picked a wooden craft stick with a question about them. The chapter looks forward to dedicating the year to improving and beautifying the community through art!

Written by: Mia Kung



Students present portraits of courage to veterans

IMMACULATE HEART ACADEMY TOWNSHIP OF WASHINGTON, NJ

SPONSOR: LISA ENCKE

The 2018-2019 NAHS worked together to complete many incredible projects for the school. NAHS has thrived this past school year and found many different ways to strengthen our artistic community throughout the school. Members worked hard on a variety of projects at Immaculate Heart Academy (IHA) and in the community at large. For the third year, we conducted art classes at the Senior Residence at St. Peter the Apostle in River Edge, where NAHS members hold art classes with over 20 residents four times each year, an experience that is unforgettable for both our students and the residents.

Also last year, students honored our veterans by creating portraits for them, and we continued our work with the Memory Project. First-semester students created portraits for children in the Rohingya refugee camps in Bangladesh, while second semester students created portraits for children in Afghanistan. In December, we hosted our annual artists' reception before IHA's Christmas concert, displaying our students' artwork created in the Intro to Art, Art II, Advanced Painting and Drawing, Honors Studio, Digital Photography, and 3D Art classes. Our annual Art Alumnae Event was held on January 9, and we were excited to welcome back alumnae from Boston College, New York University, Catholic University, The College of New Jersey, Pratt Institute, St. John University, Ithaca College, RIT, NYIT, Marist College, University of Dayton, and Quinnipiac University. Alumnae presentations gave our members insight and advice about the possibilities that they have in college and the art world after leaving IHA.

On March 4, we kicked off Women's History Month by sponsoring a reception and exhibit featuring the work of Mary Cassatt. The reception was open to the IHA community and included refreshments, trivia games, and prizes. Students also took part in living portraits, or tableaux vivants, as part of the celebration. Additionally, in April, we hosted our 5th annual Art@theheart art show. This show exhibits the inspired artwork of students in Grades 5-8 from local elementary schools. This year, we welcomed over 200 students from 13 schools. Our chapter of NAHS is full of inspirational women who use their talents to create art, tell stories, serve the community, and impact people around the world. We will continue working with the same passion, enthusiasm, and dedication to achieve great things.

Written by: Lisa Encke



Tableau vivant for our Mary Cassatt exhibit

WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL WARREN, NJ

SPONSOR: EMILY JORDAN

Our chapter has had its first Maker Monday meeting, where the students learned how to create origami and kirigami creations. We are also working on a mural for the school and painting custom ceiling tiles for teachers and staff to hang in their rooms.

Written by: Emily Jordan

New Mexico



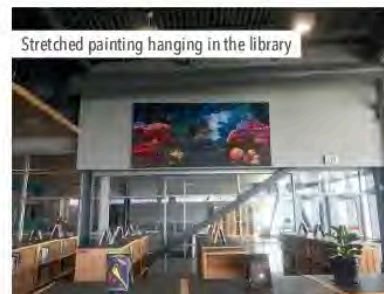
Close-up of the finished painting

DEL NORTE HIGH SCHOOL ALBUQUERQUE, NM

SPONSOR: NIKKI TURMAN

Members of the Del Norte National Art Honor Society, including alumni members, collaboratively painted a 12 x 20 canvas for our Alice in Wonderland-themed prom last year. Fifteen students painted on this single canvas over 6 weeks to get it completed in time. In August the woodshop students built stretcher bars to stretch the canvas, and now the artwork hangs prominently in our school's library.

Written by: Nikki Turman



Stretched painting hanging in the library

"Our chapter of NAHS is full of inspirational women who use their talents to create art, tell stories, serve the community, and impact people around the world."

—Lisa Encke
Immaculate Heart Academy

New York

**BABYLON JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
BABYLON, NY**

SPONSOR: CHERYL SCHWEIDER

Our chapter is off to a great start. We displayed our artwork in two local art shows and did face painting at our local main street block party event. A local breast cancer organization asked us to design pink pumpkins for their fundraising event in October. Our members decorated plastic skeletons for Las Días de los Muertos and sold them to raise money for a Disney art workshop trip that we will take this winter. And we have already held two fall paint events where our members worked with the younger students to create fall paintings. The 3rd and 4th graders painted fall scenes that included scarecrows and pumpkins, while the 5th and 6th graders were given still life setups of pumpkins, gourds, and leaves as inspiration.

One of our students won a contest by creating the T-shirt design for our county music festival. A group of us had the opportunity to work with artist Lee Harned in her studio as part of the Artist Mentor Day offered by New York State Art Teachers Association (NYSATA). We were inspired by items found on a nearby beach and were able to explore different mediums. Lee also took us to the local library where her artwork was on display.

We also held a paint afternoon for the 2nd graders with a Thanksgiving theme. We have students working on the Youth Art Month flag design for our state. And our big annual fundraiser was a bake sale held at voting locations on Election Day. And in December,



Paint afternoon with 5th and 6th graders

we will visit Madame Tussauds wax museum in New York City.

Written by: Cheryl Schweider



Artist Mentor Day

BETHLEHEM CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL DELMAR, NY

SPONSOR: MELANIE PAINTER

The Bethlehem Central High School National Art Honor Society has a record number of students in 2019-2020! We are in the process of planning our annual art show at our public library. All NAHS members are required to submit one piece of artwork for the show. We will vote on a theme soon and curate and hang the art show in April. The theme of the 2019 art show was Illustrate Your Favorite Song Lyric. We are very proud of our annual art show and the themes we are able to develop as a collective group of artists.

We also continue to raise awareness of the arts by participating in community service, with every member participating in at least 5 hours of art-related community service. We organize guest artist lectures, photograph sports events, film and edit videos of school events, paint murals, paint faces, help hang elementary school art shows, create logos, and freelance graphic design work for nonprofit organizations! It's been a busy year so far.

Written by: Melanie Painter



Guest artist lecture, Sage College



NAHS members work on the mural Death of Socrates

MASPETH HIGH SCHOOL MASPETH, NY

SPONSOR: STEPHANIE LARA

At Maspeth High School, our core values include truth, goodness, and beauty, which are reflected in our National Art Honor Society chapter. As a classical school of New York City, we are currently working on murals for our stairways by recreating some of the most iconic Renaissance pieces. In addition to these murals, we are very excited to be participating in and creating books for the Ezra Jack Keats Bookmaking Competition in collaboration with our school's Library Club. We plan on using our skills outside of school, too! After finishing up our books, we would like to go to a local hospital to read our books to children as a way to give back to the community. In the upcoming future, we will also be planning more projects and trips to participate in. We are equally looking forward to presenting our school's art gallery that occurs each year along with our induction ceremony that we hold in the spring. All in all, as a group of teenagers, students, and artists, we hope to create a positive impact in our school and community using art to show others just how powerful it can be!

Written by: Keily Luna



Members of National Art Honor Society
at Maspeth High School



Living art gallery

WILLIAM FLOYD UFSD HIGH SCHOOL MASTIC BEACH, NY

SPONSOR: THERESA BIANCO

One of our culminating events for the school year is a combined effort with our district's literary magazine and our NAHS students. We have a coffeehouse, art auction, and living art gallery event. This fundraiser is an exciting night where students, teachers, and parents come to enjoy a night of acoustic music, poetry, art, and a living art gallery. The evening ends with an art auction for which NAHS students donate their own artworks. Each year the costumes for the living art gallery get better; the students love to become a living piece of artwork. We also have an art historian who goes around and educates everyone about the famous works of art.

Written by: Theresa Bianco



Art history comes alive

"Each year the costumes for the living art gallery get better; the students love to become a living piece of artwork. "

— Theresa Bianco,
William Floyd UFSD High School

SMITHTOWN HIGH SCHOOL EAST SAINT JAMES, NY

SPONSOR: TIM NEEDLES

We've been working on some fantastic projects in the Smithtown High School East chapter of NAHS, including designing and building a mindful Zen garden in our school courtyard, collaborating with classes around the world to support United Nations sustainable global goals with the Goals Project, and participating in a sketchbook project based on our favorite music. In addition, our members are painting portraits as gifts for children who are facing substantial challenges in Pakistan through the Memory Project and designing posters to promote peace and nature for the Shanti organization.

We traveled to New York City to visit museums, including MoMA and the Cooper Hewitt Design Museum. We also collaborated with National Geographic, the Wyland Foundation, and science classes to learn about water conservation and created art to communicate a message of how to support the effort.

Written by: Tim Needles



Our field trip to New York City to visit art museums



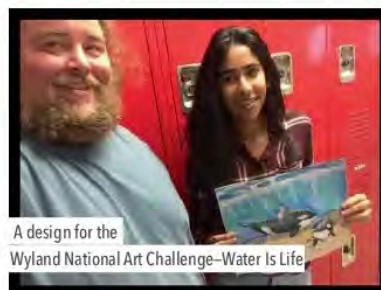
In the process of creating our school Zen garden



Peace poster design supporting peace and nature



NAHS Songs We Love Sketchbook Project images



A design for the
Wyland National Art Challenge—Water Is Life

Ohio

HARVEST PREPARATORY SCHOOL CANAL WINCHESTER, OH

SPONSOR: LOIS E. GRAYSON

Our chapter designed and created all the artwork and decorations for our school's homecoming dance. We are also currently working on thank you cards for veterans. In addition, we are in the middle of planning Christmas decorations for our high school. Our chapter is very busy and enjoying every moment!

Written by: Lois E. Grayson

LANCASTER HIGH SCHOOL LANCASTER, OH

SPONSOR: SHANNON FISH

Lancaster High School's National Art Honor Society is the best it has ever been. We started the 2019-2020 school year by welcoming our new members who more than doubled our membership! We welcomed Emma Aranda, Cherokee Burnside, Lilith Bryant, Laila Carlucci, Sarah Comer, Caroline Conklin, Madison Culbertson, Andrea Diamond, Lilianna Faiella, Baylee Faulkner, Joshlyn Fleck-Kendrick, Madison Garber, Loralie Goody, Kara Gray, Josie Griffith, Izu Guerrero, Ayla Hay, Brianna Hollett, Auzlynd Katterheinrich, Abrielle Kerns, Deryn Kraner, Ben Lebbie, Styron Lebbie, Alesia Liff, Sophia Martin,



NAHS members volunteer for the bag decorating station at Ghoulish Gales, a Halloween event for the community

Brook Matthews, Megan Smith, Gabrielle Steelman, Kenzie Straits, Madison Timms, Lauren Whalen, Hannah Wildermuth, Abigail Wilfing, Jenesa Wright, Ireland Yates, and Julia Zeigler. Officer elections were held on October 21, and our new leadership includes Gracee Wampler, president; Hattie Payne, vice president; Mya Rice, secretary; Ireland Yates, treasurer; Josie Griffith, ceremony chair; Jenesa Wright, public relations; Laila Carlucci, Andrea Diamond, and Alesia Liff, activities coordinators; and Sarah Comer, Loralie Goody, Izu Guerrero, Madison Timms, and Hailey Wyse, historians.

Our first community service and art advocacy event of the year was participating in our school's Halloween event, Ghoulish Gales. At this event all extracurricular and clubs come together to provide an indoor trick-or-treat for the community. About 500 costumed kids and their families attend. NAHS members helped children decorate bags, used to collect their candy, at the first station. We also participated in a face painting workshop with art teacher Mrs. Rogers. We use face painting skills when we volunteer at events in the community, specifically at our elementary schools. We are looking forward to the induction ceremony and to participating in many other community events this year! Our upcoming workshop will be with local artist Chris Lang (ChrisLangFeltArt.net) to learn 3D felting techniques.

Written by: Jenesa Wright, PR

HIGHLAND HIGH SCHOOL MEDINA, OH

SPONSOR: BONNIE KUBILUS

Highland High School's NAHS chapter allows members to fully bring their creativity into the community. We have introduced some changes this year, adding new ideas that connect us to our community. At the start of the year, we wanted to welcome the incoming freshman and introduce what NAHS is to them, so we held a freshmen paint-pouring activity that was very successful. We had a lot of positive feedback from the participants, who said they really enjoyed it.



Group photo at the induction ceremony

Last year, we held a paint night, which was a success, so we're bringing it back this year. We're holding the paint night two times: once in the fall immediately after school and once in the winter later in the evening. Paint night allows us to open our art rooms to community members, who can be creative and take a break from the real world.

In October, we held a pumpkin-carving/decorating contest with many participants from the student body. Everyone brought 100% to the competition! During our academic learning lab time in school one day, we held a tie dye event that was open to all of HHS.

Our athletic department opened up to us and, instead of hiring a professional, gave us the opportunity to do some design work on the walls of our school's wrestling room. Being allowed to do that big of a job was amazing. Overall, being in NAHS has let us spread our art, given us a way to connect to our school and our community, and helped everyone be more creative. We are excited for what our chapter has in store for us in the future, and we are thankful to be part of the Highland High School NAHS!

Written by: Margaret Houska



Winner of the pumpkin-carving contest



Pumpkins

TIPPECANOE HIGH SCHOOL TIPP CITY, OH

SPONSOR: ALEXIS GENTRY

For the 2019-2020 school year, we are very pleased to announce our new NAHS inductees! Anagrace Bennett, Cailey Petsch, Laely Bishop, Taylen Kaster, Natalie Gratz, Emma Maybury, Ashley Wickline, Isabella Brooks, Emma More, Taylor Horne, Olivia Davis, Brianna Kidwell, Allison Boyle, Briana Kreusch, Nicole Downing, Ava Coppock, and Gemma Miller bring a lot of creative talent to our society.

We are also thrilled to announce our elected officers! Our president is Madison Leonard, a returning NAHS officer. Our vice president is Teagan Cyphers, another returning officer. The secretary this year is a new member, Ava Coppock. Our treasurer is Braden Stewart. And last, but not least, is our historian, Sydney Lange.

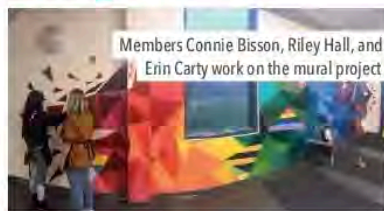
We have had great volunteer opportunities already this year. Members have face painted at our local fire department's open house, which brought tons of smiles to kids of all ages. We also carved 40+ pumpkins for Lost Creek Reserve's Holiday Glow! Additionally, a few members traveled to our elementary school to help kids with the school's art show. Our NAHS members are looking forward to other volunteer and art opportunities. We cannot wait to see what comes next!

Written by: Madison Leonard



Community Chalk

Oregon



Members Connie Bisson, Riley Hall, and Erin Carty work on the mural project

CLACKAMAS HIGH SCHOOL CLACKAMAS, OR

SPONSOR: LINDA KIELING

Recently, the Clackamas chapter of NAHS has been focused on completing a large-scale mural that was started the previous school year. This rainbow mural was designed with the hope of spreading messages of equality to students of Clackamas High School and to represent all people in our community. Students stay after school each week to work collaboratively on the mural and make important decisions (like paint color and composition) on their own. We hope to finish the mural in only a few more painting sessions! Individual students have also been working on smaller murals around the school that feature inspiring quotes and messages for the other students. These messages can be found in hallways and bathrooms, where they can be easily seen by students during passing time and lunches. This project was started last year, and members have shown aspirational levels of dedication to returning to and finishing their projects.

Along with the murals, members have been working on designing pins out of Shrinky Dinks, which will later be sold as a fundraiser for our chapter. This project allows members to express their individual style and creativity, and then gives them the satisfaction of selling their own work. Overall, with this project we hope to build confidence through free artistic expression and allow members to feel proud of their work.

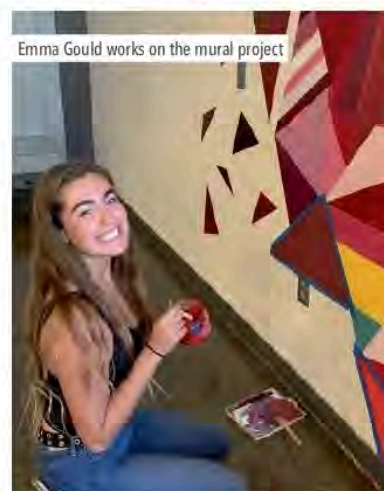
As an ongoing project, members have been creating kindness-grams. NAHS members decorate cards, which other students can send with a message for a friend as a random act of kindness. These cards are then delivered to

students in class throughout the school year to spread kindness—as well as NAHS awareness.

In the future, we hope to complete a collaborative zine. We intend to provide each member with a double-page spread of their own artwork and individual style. Copies of the zine will be handed out to members of the community for free to spread awareness of NAHS and the work of the individual members. Students can even include social media information along with their signature to gain their own following and earn potential commissions for the future.

This year, the Clackamas chapter hopes to have fun benefiting the community and to encourage everyone to enjoy art in their daily lives—whether while in the hallways at school or while viewing our artwork at home.

Written by: Erin Carty



Emma Gould works on the mural project

**"As an ongoing project,
members have
been creating
kindness-grams."**

—Erin Carty,
Clackamas High School

Pennsylvania



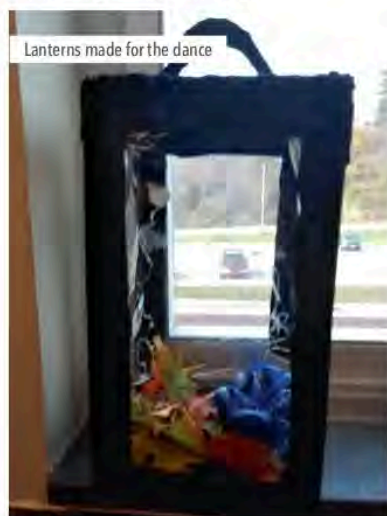
Christmas bulb for sale

CONNELLVILLE SENIOR HIGH CONNELLVILLE, PA

SPONSOR: ANTONETTE DUES

We made lanterns for a dance at the beginning of the year, had an art show, and conducted parent-teacher conferences. We made items (recycled art) sold for Christmas and other items for the auction at the African Social International where festivities include an art show, band performance, and authentic cultural food. We will hopefully end the year with field trip or residential artist.

Written by: Antonette Dues



Lanterns made for the dance



Memory Project portraits

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL ERDENHEIM, PA

SPONSOR: KRISTEN GREENAWALT

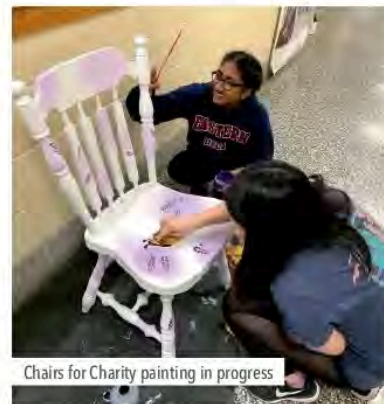
At Springfield Township High School, NAHS has been busy planning out the year and preparing new members for our first events. Already, our members have begun knitting hats, scarves, gloves, and other assorted items for our annual Kneat Knitwear sale, which will take place just in time for the holidays. We are also participating, once again, in the Memory Project, a nonprofit organization designed to inspire kids in less privileged circumstances. This year, each of our dedicated members will receive a photograph of a Rohingya child and craft the child's portrait. NAHS members are grateful for the opportunity to show their support for the Rohingya people through their artwork. In February, the portraits will be sent back to the kids in Myanmar and hopefully provide them with some comfort and love.

Over the past few months our chapter members have also volunteered their time to face paint at a community day and other local events and will continue to do so throughout the year. We also look forward to Friday Night Out, an event in which our members guide kids through various art projects while parents take the night off! This is one of our most popular events for both kids and parents.

Additionally, we will take on our Chairs for Charity project later this year. Groups of NAHS members will work together to paint chairs to be auctioned. The chairs will go to members of the community, and the proceeds from this fundraiser will be donated to charity! Springfield's creative members work

extremely hard to produce these quality chairs. This project is always a crowd favorite, which is why we will hopefully be expanding the idea and refurbishing picnic tables for our school courtyard! Springfield's chapter is very excited to take on this responsibility and increase our involvement and commitment to community service.

Written by: Lilia Mitchell



Chairs for Charity painting in progress



Carnegie Museum of Art field trip

GREENSBURG CENTRAL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL, GREENSBURG, PA

SPONSOR: ERIN TIEDEMAN

Our NAHS kicked off the year with much to do! Students have been busy volunteering in the community. They face painted at the annual Autism Speaks Walk and at the local foster care picnic day. NAHS members have also been involved with painting a very large mural at the Geyer Performing Arts Center, a nonprofit organization, to help beautify the community and spread awareness of the arts. We also took a trip to the Carnegie Museum of Art to tour the contemporary works and work with concepts of a theme. In addition, there are plans to mentor students from a local elementary school, showing them how to paint murals.

Written by: Erin Tiedeman



Mural painting

KUTZTOWN AREA HIGH SCHOOL KUTZTOWN, PA

SPONSOR: BENJAMIN HOFFMAN

The National Art Honor Society chapter at Kutztown Area High School has been up to some fun works in the making! The group has been volunteering in the community and having a good time with both our peers and with children in Kutztown. We first attended the Cougar Fest bonfire at the high school to show our



Merchant Night trick-or-treating

school spirit during homecoming week. Despite windy conditions that wouldn't allow for a bonfire, we decided to make the most of it and move inside to serve ice cream sundaes and support school spirit with handmade buttons! It was a huge hit and so many people were glad to see the community coming together and having a good time. For Merchant Night trick-or-treating, NAHS set up a table to hand out candy to trick-or-treaters in the town.

Coming up, NAHS plans to revamp the collaborative S.T.E.A.M. lab at the middle school. This will give kids the chance to explore science, technology, engineering, art, and math freely. In this space, there will be devices children use such as a screen printing machine and a green screen, as well as computational art (art using mathematical equations and coding). Over the course of the year, we hope to raise money for the Alzheimer's Association through fundraising. We will also be giving students in the Kutztown Area School District the access they need to explore art in every way possible.

Written by: Samantha Ide, Vice President



Cougar Fest 2019



Collective work on display

LEWISBURG AREA HIGH SCHOOL LEWISBURG, PA

SPONSOR: HILLARY CREE

On October 11, 2019, the National Art Honor Society of Lewisburg Area High School went to the Dale Engle Walker House, where we practiced a method of creating art known as plein air painting. Plein air is a French expression that means "in the open air." The word describes the art of painting outdoors to capture the landscape and view in the moment. The students also used viewfinders to focus their view on a specific spot. A viewfinder is a piece of paper that has a shape cut in the middle of it. The cut can be any shape, but the most common are squares and rectangles. It was a very fun and interesting experience for the Lewisburg National Art Honor Society students. The event was sponsored by our local artists guild, historical society, and nature conservancy. Afterward, we were able to display our work at the Lewisburg Delicatessen downtown.

Written by: Liberty Justice Dean, Secretary of LBGNAHS



Alyssa looks through a viewfinder at her composition



Gianluca and Anthony enjoy their plein-air painting in a warm, sunlit spot



EASTERN LEBANON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL MYERSTOWN, PA

SPONSOR: TARYN SHOWALTER

This year, the Eastern Lebanon County High School's NAHS chapter is busy with upcoming fundraisers, field trips, and food sculptures. Our chapter is making festive wreaths for the community. Members reached out to a local garden center for traditional pine wreaths, which will be decorated with handcrafted bows and ornaments. We have also planned a trip to Philadelphia this fall to tour the Philadelphia Museum of Art. Our members will be studying various classical and contemporary pieces to inspire. At each club meeting, students brainstorm new sculpture designs for the spring art show. In addition, NAHS students will participate in a billboard design contest for the fifth year in a row. The contest promotes safe driving through a clever design displayed on a local billboard. Lastly, students will take part in multiple exhibits this year, including the NAHS exhibition, the Scholastic Art & Writing Awards, and various other contests.

Written by: Maddy Wyatt

COUNCIL ROCK HIGH SCHOOL NORTH NEWTOWN, PA

SPONSORS: LYNNE HAYDEN AND COLLEEN PALMER

The Council Rock High School North chapter of NAHS has had a great kickoff to the year! We began our school year by running a table at the annual Activities Fair for our school's Art Forum Club. At our first Art Forum meeting we made Halloween-themed stained glass pieces. Students from NAHS are helping to run Art Forum to make the meetings as fun and effective as possible! We



partnered with student government to make banners advertising the school's 50th Anniversary Homecoming Dance, as well as posters to decorate the halls during the dance that is inspired by different decades.

NAHS members are also helping out this year to continue painting commissioned murals for individual teachers, which were in very high demand last school year. We are very busy planning for our induction on February 25, as well as our very first NAHS silent auction! Each member from NAHS will submit an original new piece for the teachers, staff, family, and friends to bid on during the week leading up to induction. Proceeds from this event will go to charity. We are so excited for our pieces to find new homes and for all of our upcoming work this year!

Written by: Marlaina Lyons



NORRISTOWN AREA HIGH SCHOOL NORRISTOWN, PA

SPONSOR: JESSICA KIRKER

The Norristown Area High School Chapter has been working hard on local, state, and global advocacy for art, art education, and human rights. We have focused on educating our community about the benefits of artful living and art education, as well as directing attention to how art can be used as a vehicle for change. Despite all this hard and important work, we make sure to have time for some fun in between!



One of our favorite activities is creating an original coloring book that we take with us to a local elementary school to engage kindergartners in conversations through art. We also hosted a very successful community painting class where children, ages 3-11, partnered with favorite adults and created a collaborative artwork to display in their homes.

We have continued our partnership with Potters Water Action Group, and students created slab cups to sell to raise funds to buy ceramic water filters. These filters provide safe drinking waters for families in developing regions. The cups were sold to district faculty while the students set up a demonstration table to educate the staff about the global water crisis. In May we headed to our state capital to participate in PA Arts and Culture Advocacy Day. We joined with five other NAHS chapters across the state to meet with local legislators, participate in a press conference, collaborate with art students from other school districts, and create original artwork on-site. In the upcoming year, Norristown Area High School will continue to strive for excellence in the visual arts and continue to advocate for arts and arts education in 2020.

Written by: Jessica Kirker



BALDWIN HIGH SCHOOL PITTSBURGH, PA

SPONSOR: CHERYL FOOTE

Baldwin NAHS started off the year by helping the school paint the "chill room." This mindfulness center, which

was newly introduced to Baldwin, will help many kids with stress and any other problems that might occur for high schoolers. This is a great new addition to the school, and NAHS was proud to be part of it. NAHS also participated in the homecoming carnival at Paynter Elementary School, painting faces and making balloon animals. Many kids young and old were excited to participate and get ready for homecoming! We also started a positive campaign in October to display positive posters around the school. The posters are still in progress but ready to spread positivity. Next, we volunteered at the McAnnulty Fall Festival, which featured many activities and NAHS face painting for kids. During the last week in October, we went to Baldwin Manor Park for more face painting and to spread more excitement for the district.

Written by: Cassandra H. Carlson



Homecoming carnival



PMWHS NAHS at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in September

POCONO MOUNTAIN WEST HIGH SCHOOL POCONO SUMMIT, PA

SPONSOR: KRISTEN MIELE-BEATTY

Pocono Mountain West High School National Art Honor Society (PMWHS NAHS) members have been busy during the first quarter of the 2019-2020 school year. Our chapter won the "fan favorite" vote in the District 5 Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) Paint the Plow contest. Members participated in two STEAM workshops at our school where they learned how to add conductive elements to their artworks with copper tape and sewable circuitry. We also helped bring art to the Tobyhanna Elementary Center Fall Festival by painting a selection of fun graphics on the faces of students in Grades K-6. PMWHS NAHS students also collaborated with the TEC PTO to create a pop-up mural, turning the school hallway into an arctic wonderland just in time for the Scholastic Book Fair. We also visited the Metropolitan Museum of Art to catch the final days of the Costume Institute's Camp: Notes on Fashion exhibition; it was a pure dose of artistic inspiration.

Written by: Kristen Miele-Beatty



PMWHS NAHS wins "fan favorite" in District 5 PennDOT Paint the Plow contest



BERMUDIAN SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL YORK SPRINGS, PA

SPONSOR: KIMBERLY A. ROBINSON

BSHS NAHS has started the year with great community outreach! Students were welcomed back to school with sidewalk-chalked masterpieces of artwork. This activity made the front page of our local paper. In October, we painted pumpkins and donated them to a local retirement home, which used them for table decorations and gifts for residents. Our induction ceremony was held on November 25, 2019, where 37 members took the NAHS pledge. We've been busy wrapping art kits as part of our Art From the Heart project. Donated kits will be sent to a local women and children's shelter. In December, we will be busy with our third annual Holiday Paint Day—a fundraiser with lots of "fun" packed into it!

Written by: Kimberly A. Robinson



Wrapping art kits for a domestic abuse shelter

Rhode Island



Members working on Boo for Your Boo

CRANSTON HIGH SCHOOL EAST CRANSTON, RI

SPONSOR: JILL CYR

The Cranston High School East chapter of National Art Honors Society began the 2019-2020 school year with board members planning charitable activities for the club to participate in. In our first meeting, new and returning members were introduced to our first community service project, Empty Bowls. Empty Bowls is an annual fundraiser run by the Rhode Island Community Food Bank to fight against hunger and bring together local artists, restaurants, and members of the community; money raised from ticket sales benefits the RI Food Bank. The price of the ticket also includes a donated artisan-crafted bowl. During early meetings of our chapter, members created, glazed, and fired ceramic bowls that were submitted to the 2019 Empty Bowls event. This year, with our chapter's help, Empty Bowls was able to raise over \$126,000 to help feed people in need.



Members putting the pins together using our pin-making machine

Our second community service event was a school-wide fundraiser that we called Boo for Your Boo pin grams. Members created five designs that were made into pins and sold during every lunch from October 14 to 18. People who bought a pin gram chose the design that they wanted to send to their "boo"—whether significant other, friend, or themselves—and the pin was delivered to that person's homeroom at the end of the week. The pins sold for \$1 and had designs such as pumpkins, ghosts, skulls, and bats. During meetings, members drew and cut out ghosts that held the pin and information about the recipient's homeroom. Members then mass-produced the hand-drawn designs used to create the pins. Other members organized the pins into bags that were distributed to homerooms on October 25.

The third project that the Cranston High School East chapter has worked on this year is Artsonia, an online student portfolio gallery. Each member uploads different artwork they have created, and the artwork is put on T-shirts, mugs, ornaments, and other merchandise. The website is then shared with friends and family so they can purchase member artwork on whichever product they want. Our chapter receives 20% of the profit. Because of the efforts of the talented artists within our organization, we are able to successfully contribute financially to the school and the world around us. Our chapter's funds have been used to support the Leslie Charter/NAHS Scholarship for seniors, Students Rebuild, and the Memory Project!

Written by: Eden Jutras



Cranston High School East's NAHS chapter sponsor Mrs. Jill Cyr (right) at Empty Bowls RI event

South Carolina



NAHS group picture

JAMES ISLAND CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL CHARLESTON, SC

SPONSORS: ANNIE PURVIS AND KASANDRA STAFFORD

Our chapter started in August with a meet and greet. The first NAHS meeting allowed everyone to introduce themselves and nominate themselves for officer positions. Two weeks later, in the beginning of September, the members voted in the officer positions of president, vice president, historian, parliamentary, secretary, treasurer, events manager, and social media manager. We needed a lot of officers because we planned on doing a lot of work during the many special occasions throughout the year like holidays, Spirit Week, and Youth Art Month. To close out September, our members participated in Spirit Week. We provided free face painting for all students during school and football games.

In October, we participated in Keep It Kind Week. NAHS provided face painting for all students and pins for



Afro Bust Lamp by Maryna Dilligard took Best of Show for Youth Sculpture Division as well as Best of Show at the Coastal Carolina Fair



students who signed up to be a part of our club. The members tie-dyed NAHS T-shirts and helped decorate a storage box for the Bahama School Supply Drive, an event to collect donated school supplies for students in the Bahamas who just started back to school after Hurricane Dorian. NAHS officers decorated a board with our official officer members' pictures and positions. To cap off October, we took a group photo with all NAHS members; six of them exhibited art pieces in the fair.

Written by: Alexis Buford

FORT MILL HIGH SCHOOL FORT MILL, SC

SPONSOR: KELLY LUCARELLI

Last year, we made a 28 foot x 8 foot mural for the Riverview Volunteer Fire Department. Our dedicated students worked countless hours throughout the school year to design and paint the mural. This was our biggest community project thus far! The firefighters built a support system for hanging, and in October we finally got to see the completed work on the wall at our mural dedication! What a proud moment for our students. We also designed and created a scarecrow for a local business to display during the Fort Mill Scarecrow Crawl. The crawl was candy themed, so we made "Tootsie" the candy witch for this community-wide annual event.

We are currently working on a school beautification project. We are planning and presenting designs for the art room exterior door, flower pots, and gazebo in an effort to improve the look of our school grounds. Some of our designs are inspired by Van Gogh's Starry Night. Our chapter is also hand-making and sending journals/sketchbooks to children in need at Children's Attention Home. In the future, we plan on making murals for our teachers as a fundraiser for our chapter. Teachers can choose a size they want up



to a 4 foot x 5 foot mural. They can choose any topic or design they'd like, and we will put a twist on it!

Written by: Grayson Jarrell and Riley Nissen

"We are planning and presenting designs for the art room exterior door, flower pots, and gazebo in an effort to improve the look of our school grounds."

—Fort Mill High School
Fort Mill, SC



GOOSE CREEK HIGH SCHOOL GOOSE CREEK, SC

SPONSORS: KIRSTEN KELLY AND SHANNON BOYD

October 30, the night before Halloween, marked Trunk or Treat at Goose Creek High School. The event was attended by many clubs and organizations at the

school in honor of the widely known and loved tradition. During the event, a variety of the school's clubs adorned the trunks of teachers' vehicles in Halloween decor and passed out candy to trick or treaters. Like members of other organizations, members of Goose Creek's newly formed yet impressive National Art Honor Society handed out candy to children and dressed in costume, but they also provided other forms of entertainment. Activities included face painting by club members for anyone who wanted art on their faces. The most popular designs were a cute ghost and witch hat, though people had different options for images. Options were displayed on a board drawn by NAHS members.

Many children, and even teenagers, enjoyed the Minecraft-themed photo stand-in board created by several NAHS students who were also involved in face painting. Many NAHS members also took part in the Monster Gallery, a collaboration between artists and creative writers. Artists chose different pieces written by several writers and created works of art based on their selected pieces. Each piece described a monster, and the artist was left to visualize the creatures in their own way. The gallery partnered perfectly with Trunk or Treat and created an even more festive Halloween environment.

Trunk or Treat was a wonderful night filled with a variety of activities that was enjoyable for all families in attendance. Many kids were happy to have gotten an extra treat right before Halloween and to have shown off their amazing costumes. The event was a great experience for both volunteers and trick or treaters, with the music and festivities creating an exceptional Halloween celebration.

Written by: Isabella Eraula





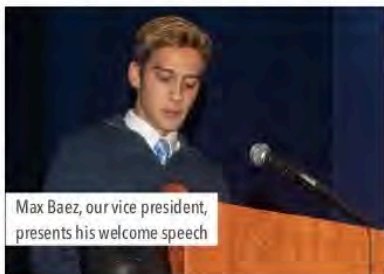
Our new candidates recite the NAHS pledge

HILTON HEAD ISLAND HIGH SCHOOL HILTON HEAD, SC

SPONSOR: PATTY SCHOELKOPF-LEWIS

On October 22, 2019, we proudly inducted 39 new members into our organization. This gives a total of 68 members in Hilton Head Island High School's chapter.

Written by: Patty Schoelkopf-Lewis



Max Baez, our vice president, presents his welcome speech

Tennessee



A gathering at Briarcrest to look at the art from Grades K-12

BRIARCREST CHRISTIAN SCHOOL EADS, TN

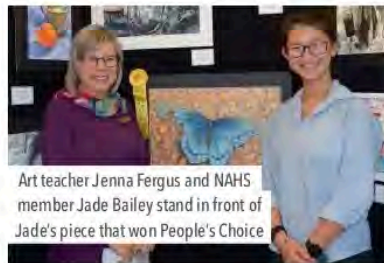
SPONSOR: JENNA FERGUS

Each year the National Art Honors Society (NAHS) works very hard at Briarcrest Christian High School. This year is no exception. The community art show that BCHS puts on was the most attended this year than in its 8-year history. For five evenings after school, NAHS members acted as docents and security during the show. With over 350 entries from the mid-south area, jurors J.T. Wilbanks of Dickson Gallery and Gardens and Carissa Hussong, executive

director of the National Ornamental Metal Museum, had the enormous task of choosing winners of nearly \$6,000 in prize money.

NAHS students are also planning an interactive art wall in the art hallway. The wall will encourage all students to be aware of the importance of visual arts for the school. The mural is intended to represent our school for Youth Art Month. Lastly, NAHS members are recycling crayons for our youth mission partners for their fine arts festival at Las Americas, which provides after school tutoring and childcare.

Written by: Josie Hydrick



Art teacher Jenna Fergus and NAHS member Jade Bailey stand in front of Jade's piece that won People's Choice



L&N NAHS at the Dogwood Arts Festival

L&N STEM ACADEMY, KNOXVILLE

SPONSOR: CHERI JORGENSEN

Last spring the L&N STEM Academy NAHS chapter had great success at a festival. Our chapter won first place in the high school collaborative category at the prestigious regional Dogwood Arts Festival Chalk Walk. Afterward several members of our team recreated the artwork on a much smaller scale on live television. After the creation of a portable wing mural, the year ended with our annual celebration honoring seniors. At this time, seniors receive their NAHS graduation cords, and members talk about the year's NAHS highlights.

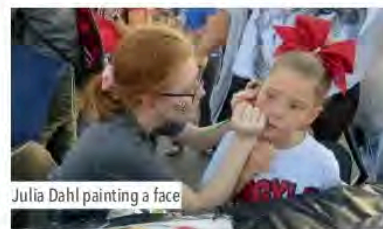


L&N NAHS at the Oak Ridge Street Painting Festival

This fall our NAHS chapter participated in the Oak Ridge Street Painting Festival, where our team won first place in our category. We also participated in the People's Choice Award, which our team has won for 3 consecutive years. Our members provided face painting for the PTA's Haunted Station, as usual, and we are fundraising for our annual field trip by selling coupon books and parking for University of Tennessee football games. We are looking forward to visiting the newly renovated and expanded Asheville Museum of Art in North Carolina. Later this year we are planning a mural for our technology lab, as well as a school-wide chalk walk competition.

Written by: Cheri Jorgenson

Texas



Julia Dahl painting a face

ARGYLE HIGH SCHOOL ARGYLE, TX

SPONSOR: TANYA WARBOG-KOSLA

Our school holds an annual Homecoming Festival every year where clubs can take a booth and raise money. Chapter 2138, held our annual face painting booth. Club members spent weeks planning each and every design and gathering up materials for the festival. We had a wide array of designs

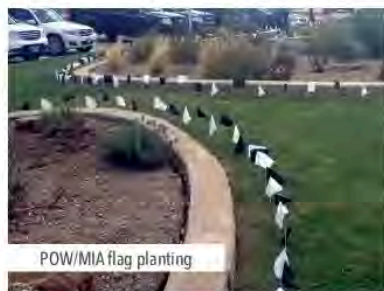


from spooky ghosts to, surprisingly, coat hangers. Members who signed up to work the booth had their own station with their own brushes; they would either freehand or use stencils. The booth was successful this year, and we had a large audience of excited children wanting their faces painted. NAHS has face painted at the Homecoming Festival for 2 years now.

The first year was essentially a learning and experimentation year. From this we discovered what supplies we needed, what prices to charge, and which paints worked the best. This year we were able to make a more concise plan, buying better paint, having more painting stations, and producing a more efficient turnaround as we were able to paint more kids quicker with all the practice sessions during lunch. Additionally, we decided that we needed an example sheet so the children were able to point to a design they wanted.

For an art club activity, we held a meeting where everyone gathered around a table and gave suggestions and created a wide array of examples. The group painted popular designs like sports balls, unicorns, Halloween designs, and the iconic Argyle logos. Members of NAHS cut out all the designs and stuck them on the example sheet within a binder so the customers could choose the design and see the pricing alongside it. The joy our NAHS group felt from seeing all these young kids running around and boasting about the designs they had painted on their faces was like none other. It was so inspiring and heartwarming to see so many children excited about art, especially something all of us had worked on together. The face painting booth was definitely a hit with the crowd; we still had lines backed up even with eight people painting.

Written by: Miranda West and Gracie Johnson



JUAN SEGUIN HIGH SCHOOL ARLINGTON, TX

SPONSOR: GAYLE ROBERSON

Juan Seguin High School's NAHS has had two wonderful events. First, in September, we made and planted more than 600 black-and-white flags in honor of POW and MIA soldiers. In October, our chapter honored our teachers with specially designed pumpkins made by NAHS members.

Written by: Chantal Hobbs-Parmar



PARISH EPISCOPAL SCHOOL DALLAS, TX

SPONSOR: BEKA JOHNSON

The Parish Episcopal School chapter of NAHS has played an important part in the school and outside communities through service, which is something we all look forward to. This year, and years prior, we have helped various organizations such as Rays of Light, the Dallas Museum of Art, and the Dallas Arboretum by willingly investing our time into volunteering and helping out their art programs. This gives young artists the opportunity to see different perspectives of other artists who might not think the same way they do.

Another thing we get excited about is our gallery show at the end of each trimester. As a group we plan, set up, hang, decorate, and present all on our own. We do these galleries to display the amazing talent kids have from kindergarten through 12th grade. Each gallery gives teachers, students, parents, faculty, and staff the opportunity to see the wide range of artwork made by students.

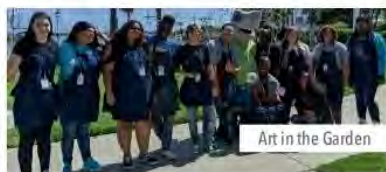
Another thing we always love to do is go on adventurous and exciting art field trips. On our latest, we went to the Nasher Sculpture Center and learned about Michael Elmgreen and Ingar Dragset. The Elmgreen & Dragset: Sculptures exhibit is "the Scandinavian duo's first major museum presentation in the U.S. [They] have worked together as Elmgreen & Dragset since the mid-1990s."¹ After the official tour, NAHS members got the opportunity to walk around and sketch sculptures of all shapes and sizes. This experience allowed growth for me and my fellow classmates, seeing art in different mediums and perspectives. Overall, this chapter of NAHS has played an immense role in the school's art program as well as local organizations. We feel it is our duty to spread art throughout communities and always keep art relevant in daily life. NAHS at Parish Episcopal truly helps the growth of creativity in young student artists and helps shape the future generation and generations to come.

¹ Nasher Sculpture Center (2019). Exhibitions. <https://www.nashersculpturecenter.org/art/exhibitions/exhibition/id/662?elmgreen-dragset-sculptures>

Written by: Sheridan Merkle

"We feel it is our duty to spread art throughout communities and always keep art relevant in daily life."

— Sheridan Merkle,
Parish Episcopal School



Art in the Garden

LA MARQUE HIGH SCHOOL LA MARQUE, TX

SPONSOR: JOAN FINN

Our NAHS here in La Marque, Texas, has been very busy! We've been meeting weekly, talking about what we've already accomplished, and making plans for the year! We participated in Art in the Garden at Moody Gardens in Galveston, an art event for area special needs students. We served as working artists, helping our visitors create works of art. Our students made new connections to continue their community service projects, which will include participating in the Moody Gardens Special Needs Mardi Gras Ball. We will be holding our NAHS induction ceremony earlier than we've ever done it, so that more students can participate. Art students welcomed Full Sail University to the art studio for an amazing day of creating stop-motion movies, and we had several students apply to the school. La Marque NAHS will be participating in the Art Car Parade during the annual Texas Art Education Association conference being held here in Galveston. We are planning an event that will involve the other district high school NAHS chapters, so that the students can exchange ideas. And finally, students have been creating anatomically themed work for a big show at a local university hospital.

Written by: Joan Finn



Making movies



Pettus NAHS with our artwork and bulletin board

PETTUS HIGH SCHOOL PETTUS, TX

SPONSOR: SHANNA RYAN

Our chapter participated in the Monarch Awareness-Save the Monarch service learning project. We learned about the life cycle of the monarch, its migration route, and how the numbers are decreasing each year. The students worked on art work and put together a bulletin board for the rest of the school to look at and get information from.

Written by: Shanna Ryan



Student work hanging on the bulletin board

PROSPER HIGH SCHOOL PROSPER, TX

SPONSOR: GINA MOCK

Prosper National Art Honor Society students must complete 40 volunteer service hours per year. There are opportunities to face paint in the community, complete studio maintenance at school, assist at a local food bank, create signs for events within the community, and much more. The students participated in the annual Kids Against Hunger event. The event is hosted by a local church and facilitated by the Kiwanis Club. Its purpose is to send nutritious food to impoverished children and families around the world. The event produced 58,000 meals to be sent to Honduras.



Image Transfer Technique Night

Students also earned 5 volunteer hours for painting pet portraits that are sold to staff members for \$25.00. This volunteer opportunity helps facilitate the students' growth in painting techniques while raising money for the SPCA. For each painting sold, \$20.00 goes to the SPCA. In May the students were able to give the SPCA a check for \$500.00, and this year the goal is to exceed that amount.

To enhance our curriculum and challenge our students to take risks and try new methodology, we offer lessons in innovative techniques at our monthly meetings. Students have created works using transfer techniques, Gelli printing, and paper marbling. In October students gathered for a "Late Night" of artmaking, potluck, volunteering, and games. And what October event would be complete without some pumpkin carving? Students competed to carve the best pumpkin in a timed challenge.

In November students gathered for a Saturday field trip to the zoo that was open to all art students. The bus fee to make the event happen was supplemented with NAHS funds. Together the students enjoyed photographing and sketching for references in upcoming art projects. To promote the arts in the community, several businesses have opened up their wall spaces to showcase student work. Since the students have to enter work

in a minimum of two shows per year, this is a great way to meet the criteria for membership. We want to thank the restaurant 11/17, First Eye Care Center of Prosper, and the Tribute Center in Prosper for their support of the art students through showcasing student work.

Written by: Gina Mock



Gelli printing technique for the win!



Team Works mural at Chalk It Up 2019

EAST CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL SAN ANTONIO, TX

SPONSOR: MARY HIERHOLZER

Two months into the school year, East Central National Art Honor Society was already out in the community, creatively inspiring others. We started it off with participation in the annual Artpace Chalk It Up event. A team of NAHS members, as Team Works artists, created a Team Works chalk mural in downtown San Antonio. Senior NAHS member Elizabeth Caisedo designed the mural, following the event theme of sustainability, and led her fellow NAHS members in the creation of the mural.

In October, Friday Night Lights is the obsession of all Texas high schools. Our NAHS members were role models who drove creative school spirit at this exciting time of year in our state. Through participation in the homecoming parade, face painting, and our traditional homecoming football crash poster, students worked long hours designing and creating costumes and a wagon float, sketching and painting the crash poster—all to promote East Central High School pride and spirit. We continued our tradition of grand champion in the homecoming parade as we showed the most spirit with our Jurassic Art display along with cardboard box dinosaur costumes representing "extinct artists."

In November, we were thankful to complete our first community service fundraiser of the year with the Osborne Stables Equine Rescue center in Sutherland Springs, Texas. NAHS members gave their time to visit the stables, photograph the horses and donkeys, and then complete artworks of various media that they donated to a silent and online auction to raise funds for the Equine Rescue center. Our plans for the rest of the year include making Night at the Museum trips, competing in Scholastic Art and Writing Awards, competing in and hosting Region 20 East Visual Art Scholastic Event, and painting western boots for table decorations at the silent auction to raise money for the East Central Foundation, an organization that funds many things for our district and community, including teacher grants, student scholarships, and AP testing waivers.

Written by: Mary Hierholzer



NAHS members raising money for the Osborne Stables Equine Rescue



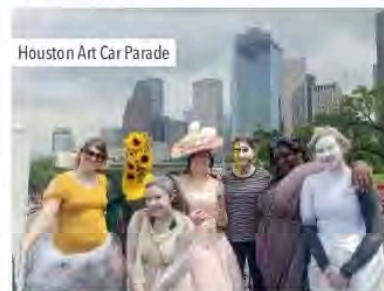
Our entry for the Art Car Parade

TEXAS CITY HIGH SCHOOL TEXAS CITY, TX

SPONSOR: MEGAN CARPENTER

Last spring, we entered the world famous Art Car Parade in Houston, Texas. We turned a two-story modified school bus into a rolling art gallery. Students dressed as famous paintings, statues, and artists. We won first place in the school division, earning us a trophy, \$1,000 dollars, and bragging rights. There are over 300,000 spectators at this event. We also volunteered at the grand opening of the Galveston County Food Bank. Prior to the opening, we painted the logo and several quotes in the front entryway.

Written by: Megan Carpenter



Houston Art Car Parade

WELLS HIGH SCHOOL WELLS, TX

SPONSOR: MELISSA BORDELON

Students began the school year by decorating their journal covers and running for offices. They are excited about this upcoming year and the projects that they will do.

Written by: Melissa Bordelon

WYLIE HIGH SCHOOL WYLIE, TX

SPONSOR: SUSAN WEST

For 15 years, Wylie High School's NAHS chapter has made a lasting influence on our school and community with our volunteer work. We unite people of different grades, ages, races, and genders through the power of art. We currently have 60 members in our chapter. Our sponsor, Susan West, has made an environment where students can have a break from the usual stress of teenage life to create art and socialize amongst friends while enhancing the world around them. Our most lengthy project is the painting of six large, 4 x 6 foot canvas panels to be displayed at prom as an interactive backdrop. We additionally host an annual Santa's Night Out, an event where parents in the community go Christmas shopping while their children create art under the supervision of NAHS members.

Our chapter also assists with Celebrate the Arts, a community art exhibit featuring work by Wylie ISD students. We hang the artwork for the show, serve refreshments at the opening reception, and take down the show after. NAHS members also serve the community by supporting city projects. For instance, we provided the city of Murphy with an event backdrop, face painted at Wylie elementary carnivals, and worked on a mural at the Plano Habitat for Humanity office. Recently, we sent members to perform chalk art for a pop-up art event in Richardson, Texas.

Our chapter tackles serious projects as well, such painting the parking spot of our beloved French teacher who passed away and painting memorial signs for the victims of the 2018 Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School shooting in Parkland, Florida. The Stoneman Douglas signs were displayed in the front of our school and presented the names of those whose innocent lives were taken from that tragedy.

At the end of the school year, a banquet is held to commemorate the work of chapter members. We reflect on our journey and celebrate the memories

made throughout the year, along with rewarding outstanding service with honor cords and other awards. We are proud of our past accomplishments and proud to be members of Wylie NAHS. As we look ahead, and set goals for the future of our chapter, we strongly desire to make an impact on our community with projects that raise art awareness, support worthy causes, and leave a lasting legacy.

Written by: Meba Wondwossen, Wylie NAHS President 2019-2020



NAHS with prom panels



NAHS Santa's Night Out

Utah



Kalo adjusts the mask made by a preschool student

PROVO HIGH SCHOOL PROVO, UT

SPONSOR: JAMES REES

Provo High's NAHS focuses on real-world experiences and giving back to the community. At ARTcetera, a student gallery at the Provo Town Center Mall and NAHS headquarters, we coordinate with nonprofit organizations, professional artists, and the city to create unique experiences for students and non-students alike. We are hosting workshops and partnering with organizations, such as Mountainland Head Start, to create a space where parents can engage with their children

through art. We also work with other art organizations, exhibiting in art shows for both students and professionals for anyone to appreciate. ARTcetera also has regular artist lectures, inviting professional artists to come and speak about their processes and inspirations. It's a community space open to everybody so people can connect with art and each other.

Written by: Lindy Miller



Guest artist Linnie Brown discusses her work during an artist lecture

Virginia



Welcoming the newest members of the NAHS

MATOACA HIGH SCHOOL CHESTERFIELD, VA

SPONSOR: MATTHEW RAMIREZ

So far this year at Matoaca, we have held our induction ceremony and participated in a few school events. The homecoming parade was first, and the theme was classic Hollywood. We have also started on a new mural and have been making custom signs as a fundraiser. Members have also volunteered at our school's charity 5K, which helps raise money for scholarships.

Written by: Matthew Ramirez



On the float at this year's homecoming parade



COLONIAL HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL COLONIAL HEIGHTS, VA

SPONSOR: ASHLEY UNGER

We have been busy bees! NAHS members at Colonial Heights High School had a fundraiser paint party, where staff and faculty were invited to paint with NAHS for an afternoon. The NAHS officers ran the show, setting up the supplies and even teaching the entire painting lesson, while other NAHS members assisted with painting techniques and answered questions, refilled plates of cheese and grape juice, and helped their teachers. We had two classrooms filled with teachers being led by NAHS members in an art lesson!

Each year, our NAHS members are to complete a random act of art, where we challenge our members to look beyond themselves and use their art to impact others to bring a little more color and beauty to our community. They may work in groups of two or three or individually. Two students designed Bob Ross stickers, had them printed, sold the stickers to students and staff, and donated the money to NAHS. One student had handsewn several pillowcase dresses and sent the dresses to Real Hope for Haiti. Another student repainted a decade-old mural at our baseball field to refresh

the atmosphere, while another student volunteered her nail-art skills at the local senior living home. The NAHS president for the 2018-19 school year won the Congressional Art Competition, and the artwork is now displayed at the U.S. Capitol Building in Washington, DC.

Written by: Ashley Unger



NAHS collaborative painting



Our NAHS officers!

FORT DEFIANCE HIGH SCHOOL FORT DEFIANCE, VA

SPONSORS: JESSICA HERR AND CARLEIGH RITTENHOUSE

Our chapter has been updating our library murals. The old murals were more than a decade old, and they didn't show the talent we now have in our group! We based the first mural on The Odyssey. We plan on doing another mural based on Harry Potter. We've also begun our Memory Project portraits. We always loved doing these because we are creating art for the receivers to keep. Our ceramics department has been creating planters to sell for a yearlong fundraiser! We are continually looking for ways to use art to raise money for our chapter.

Written by: Ryah Braziel



Working on the library mural!

BUILDING BRILLIANT MINDS SCHOOL ONLINE SCHOOL OF THE ARTS LEESBURG, VA

SPONSOR: AMY GILLISPIE

The Building Brilliant Minds Online School of the Arts NAHS and NJAHS Chapters have been meeting once a month in a virtual Zoom meeting for a few years now. Each month students are given a different artistic challenge. They are welcome to respond to it in any way that works for them. In 2018-2019 we concentrated on sharing a bit of ourselves through different styles of art mediums. In 2019-2020 we are concentrating on a different American artist each month. Students may make any "connection" as they respond artistically. During our meetings, students explain to each other what they have done. Their work is posted to the Building Brilliant Minds Online website each month at <https://www.buildingbrilliantmindsonline.com/nahs-student-projects.html>. (They do not have to do all the challenges, just a set number we agree on in our first meeting.) Students are also calculating the hours that they volunteer, using their talents throughout the year.

Written by: Mrs. G

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—Amy Gillispie,
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Online School of the Arts
Leesburg, VA



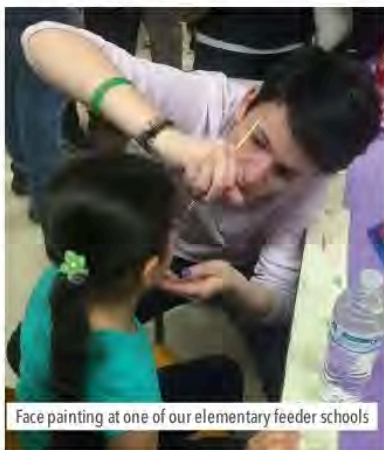
Senior receiving cord and pin at end of year ceremony

CLOVER HILL HIGH SCHOOL MIDLOTHIAN, VA

**SPONSOR: MEREDITH SNYDER AND
VICTORIA KIRTLEY**

This school year the Clover Hill High School National Art Honor Society chapter is looking forward to making the world a better place through art. We aim to foster creative growth within our chapter, as well as our school and local community. We have some exciting things planned to reach this goal, some of which include chapter meetings, holiday celebrations, art-related service projects, and fundraisers. NAHS students have already donated time face painting at Clover Hill's homecoming tailgate and are excited to create art for the Richmond Animal League's Small Art Big Heart silent auction. Clover Hill NAHS will also be very involved with the special education program, sponsoring holiday craft projects to encourage creativity and artistic expression, as well as raising funds. Our chapter is motivated to have another great year full of inspiration, harmony, and fun!

Written by: Sydney McCallie



Face painting at one of our elementary feeder schools



THE GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS NORFOLK, VA

SPONSOR: LIANA GRAHAM

As of September 2019, we are thrilled to announce the establishment of a new NAHS chapter at The Governor's School for the Arts (GSA). Seniors in the Visual Arts Department, as the first inductees of this chapter, have been eagerly taking action, beginning first with riveting officer elections. With student leaders elected, the chapter is currently pursuing a collaboration with the Dance Department titled Unspeakable and is looking forward to unveiling the exhibition at the winter concert. Furthermore, students have led a successful series of bake sales, fundraising for scholarships for other students to take part in the New York City field trip this spring. Although the year has just begun, the new NAHS at GSA is excited to continue working together to create an excellent school year. Through collaboration, hard work, and creativity, we hope to lay down a solid foundation for future members of this NAHS chapter to build upon.

Written by: Jaden Del Rosario, Secretary



Bake sale for NYC trip!



Our latest chapter meeting

LOUISA COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL MINERAL, VA

SPONSOR: BECKY MASSIE

We are currently planning a trip to our local arts center to meet and see work by Monty Montgomery. We also hope to be receiving Memory Projects soon so we can begin work on them. We plan to complete art fundraisers to raise money for our group so that we can do more things in the community. Our group wants to spread awareness about the importance of art in our school.

Written by: Annmarie Sewell



Welcome Tree in the front office

POWHATAN HIGH SCHOOL POWHATAN, VA

**SPONSORS: AMY MCMANUS AND
JILL WARD**

This year we have 24 members in our chapter. We started off the year before school even began working on a painting for the front office. Our chapter completed a beautiful tree and prepared painted paper for the teachers to make their own leaves. Teachers and staff came into the Art Room during teacher workweek to add a leaf with an inspirational word or phrase. What a beautiful welcome this tree extends to those entering the office.

Our students worked in October painting inspirational messages on

glass throughout the school. We are also busy decorating tea towels to add to a Christmas basket for senior citizens in need in our county and planning our part in the annual Christmas Mother Fundraiser.

Written by: Amy McManus, Sponsor



NAHS spring induction



Día De Vida

FRANK W. COX HIGH SCHOOL VIRGINIA BEACH, VA

SPONSOR: JESSICA VAN VEENHUYZEN

Our chapter recently participated in the Bra-ha-ha, a fundraising event. We designed a bra for breast cancer awareness and won first place for Best School Entry! About 60 school had entries. NAHS students spent weeks quilling flowers and designs for our bra, which we named Día de Vida, or Day of Life. Our winning bra design will be displayed at Chesapeake Regional Healthcare in Chesapeake, Virginia. We are very proud of our members' hard work!

Written by: Jessica Van Veenhuizen



NAHS member Alaina
Walton with Día De Vida

US Virgin Islands



Josephine and Blair at afterschool activity

GOOD HOPE COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL KINGSHILL, USVI

SPONSOR: SUENITA BANWAREE

Our chapter began an afterschool activity titled "DIY Recycled Art," which we offered to children in grades one through five. Every Thursday for 2 months, three members of our club supervised and guided students in making art from egg cartons, plastic bottles, mason jars, bottle caps, and other recyclable/reusable materials. Kids created mason jar candle holders, plastic bottle bird feeders, egg carton trucks, and bottle cap flower art.

During Halloween, we created a face painting station for our school's Boo Bash. Members took shifts working the station so that everyone in our club could help with the activity. By the end of the event, we had painted the faces of more than 60 children and adults and successfully raised \$149 for our club. Several of our members were also

responsible for designing handmade maps to help guide the eventgoers.

This school year, we will induct seven new members. Prior to official induction, current and prospective members had to submit a piece of art that incorporated the theme of "wings." Our members were very creative and took different approaches to our theme—creating artwork that included winged eyeliner, chicken wings, a paraglider, and more. Our members commented and gave constructive criticism on each other's work, and we mounted our pieces in the school library for students to observe.

Written by: Miko Bumann-Dizon

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—Miko Bumann-Dizon,
Good Hope Country Day School



Group photo

Washington



Tooled copper angel holiday ornament

FREEMAN HIGH SCHOOL ROCKFORD, WA

SPONSOR: KEN SPIERING

We are preparing for our daylong community open house in the Art Department, with different media stations for wheel-thrown and hand-built ceramics, acrylic and watercolor painting, block printing, and copper tooling. This is a great way to connect with our parents, grandparents, and friends of the arts, especially in this season of making holiday gifts. We also will be raising funds through registration fees to help with our 2020 spring trip to Seattle area art museums.

Written by: Ken Spiering



Third-year NAHS member Savannah selling holiday tree ornaments of tooled copper

Wisconsin

SHEBOYGAN NORTH HIGH SCHOOL SHEBOYGAN, WI

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Sheboygan North High School NAHS chapter increased its membership from 12 to 19 for the 2019-2020 school year. Our new 2019-2020 NAHS Executive Board consists of Lily-Rose Butterfield, president; Sara Vang, vice president; Abbey Xiong, secretary; Plai Kou Xiong, treasurer; and Angelica Zietlow, historian. We continue to engage our NAHS members in our three student-led committees: community outreach, beautification, and fundraising. This school year we plan on visiting local artist studios and Skyping with local, regional, and national artists in the classroom to address student professional development, the creative process, and maintenance of an active studio practice. Our 2019-2020 NAHS members are Holly Backus, Lily-Rose Butterfield, Adanna Carlos, Alexandria Gable, Molly Geiser, Ayane Kubiak, Ava Lazarewicz, Areana Meise, Dior Richter, Kathryn Schuchardt, ShyAnn Thao, Venus Thao, Sara Vang, Abbey Xiong, Lucy Xiong, Plai Kou Xiong, Mao Yang, Finn Young, and Angelica Zietlow.

Written by: Frank Juarez



2019-2020 NAHS members.

West Virginia

MUSSELMAN HIGH SCHOOL INWOOD, WV

SPONSOR: MELISSA BURTON

Recently, we painted the centerpiece for the Mountain State Apple Harvest Festival (MSAHF) gala. This was the 40th



The centerpiece as it appeared on the gala stage

anniversary of the MSAHF. The gala is in honor of the festival queen. Our chapter president and vice president attended. They were recognized during the event and even got a photo with the U.S. Senator Joe Manchin. We also helped out with face painting at a local elementary school for its fall harvest night and are in the process of planning a mural for the vice principal that focuses on diversity within our school community.

For the upcoming holiday season we have begun the community snowman project. Many community members and schools paint large cutout snowmen that are used to decorate our community. The snowmen are displayed along the main street in Martinsburg. We also have a Christmas-themed paint night scheduled as a fundraiser for NAHS. Lastly, we are booking appointments for family holiday portraits for the faculty. We do this as each year as a small fundraiser and for our photography students to get a real-life studio experience.

Written by: Natalie Ballo



Members of NAHS with MSAHF gala centerpiece



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Sugar skull decorated by preschooler for Día de los Muertos

RIVERVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL BAY POINT, CA

SPONSOR: ANNEMARIE BALDAUF

The NJAHS chapter at Riverview is in its fourth year, getting stronger, focused, and more members. It has found a place in the school community where there is a need for an organization supporting the art and community service. This month, students continued the community service years past with the preschool next door. New this year is volunteering at the community celebration of Día de los Muertos at the middle school. All this took place in one day. Twenty preschoolers came with parents and their teachers to the art room where they were met by 18 NJAHS members who helped them decorate sugar skulls made by the parent group. The preschoolers also decorated paper masks with markers and stickers. They each took home their treasures in a plastic buckets and went trick-or-treating on the way back to their preschool by stopping at the school office and a classroom giving out treats. The same night NJAHS members helped with the community Día de los Muertos celebration, helping with putting on tattoos, decorating skull cookies, bingo in Spanish, and taking tickets. In addition, each NJAHS member decorated a rock for the Día de los Muertos altar. Part of the money raised will go to their membership dues.

Written by: Annemarie Baldauf



Día de los Muertos altar with NJAHS rocks and drawings



NJAHS members help preschoolers decorate sugar skulls made by parents



Painting skateboards

VISTA HERITAGE GLOBAL ACADEMY SANTA ANA, CA

SPONSOR: LUIS HERNANDEZ

Our chapter has recently been working on many things, such as face painting and skull painting at school events for Día de los Muertos, skateboard painting, and pumpkin art to present to students and parents. We have also entered many gorgeous pieces of art at a couple school silent auctions for parents to bid on their desired pieces. We are currently brainstorming possible projects for the near future.

Written by: Evelyn Vargas, chapter historian



Assisting elementary students with pumpkin paintings



NJAHS 2019-2020 members

WILLARD INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL SANTA ANA, CA

SPONSOR: COURTNEY DOANE

As another quarter comes to a close, the NJAHS Willard team have been hard at work promoting the arts and making the visual arts visible at our school. Chapter members worked diligently on creating their Día de los Muertos masks in preparation for Willard's first-ever Family Art Night on October 30. This night brought together the visual arts, dance, and music in order to create a special experience for our parents and their children. Two of our NJAHS members took their roles as arts ambassadors for our school to heart and volunteered their time to come and teach the parents, students, and siblings how to create Día de los Muertos paper plate masks. These students made the school proud with their Willard pride and dedication to the arts. Due to the success of this night, our principal decided to host another Family Art Night in December! As we look ahead, our NJAHS members will be hard at work creating the sets for our spring musical and using their talents to further serve their school by promoting the visual arts!

Written by: Courtney Doane



NJAHS ambassadors Betsy and Litsy during Family Art Night

Florida



NJAHS planning

ALL SAINTS ACADEMY WINTER HAVEN, FL

SPONSOR: NANCY FONSECA

Making students' art visible is what the All Saints Academy NJAHS quickly accomplished as a new group of members. Our senior potter's work is displayed by the NJAHS. At the end of last year the NJAHS along with the NAHS received their certificates at the Dalí Museum in St. Petersburg, Florida. This year's NJAHS has a wonderful model to follow as last year's 8th graders excelled in the arts by creating their personal art, entering juried exhibits, and showing their art in school, the community, our region, state, and with two pieces exhibited in Virginia.

Written by: Nancy Fonseca



Displaying pottery



NJAHS and NAHS members received certificates at the Dalí Museum

North Carolina



NJAHS members working on the library mural

ST. LEO CATHOLIC SCHOOL WINSTON-SALEM, NC

SPONSOR: KATHERINE WOOTEN

Last year, the St. Leo Catholic School NJAHS worked on a mural for our library, inspired by the children's book Library Lion. This year, along with touching up the mural, we are creating a coloring book for the elementary students in our school. The book will show our mascot, Leo the Lion, traveling around the world. On his adventures, he will visit different countries and play games like tic-tac-toe and word searches. He will also be featured in coloring activities across the globe.

Written by: Amelia Valente and Sadie Quinn Wall

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—St. Leo Catholic School
Winston-Salem, NC

New Jersey



Students sketching ideas for murals in new imaginative play space

ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL DAY SCHOOL HOBOKEN, NJ

SPONSOR: RACHEL THERRES

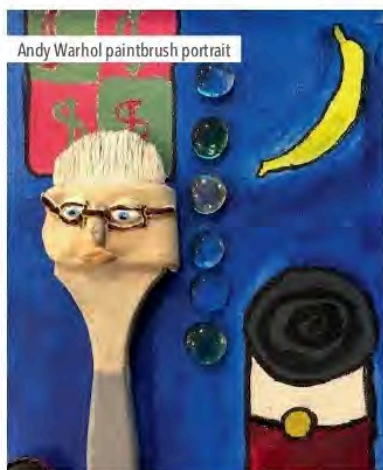
All Saints NJAHS chapter has hit the ground running this year with several amazing projects underway! Our school recently remodeled the play space for our early childhood program, and NJAHS students have been busily sketching ideas to make the interiors come alive. The oldest students of the group will be creating designs that showcase aspects of an animal rescue, fire department, and our local train and ferry terminal. Our youngest group in the chapter has been working on portraits of artists they researched onto paint brushes; this project was inspired by legendary visionary artist Gregory Warmack, better known as Mr. Imagination. The middle level group, inspired by Selçuk Yılmaz and Gail Boykewich, has been hard at work on papier-mâché animal busts, creating animals that best symbolizes themselves. Next, we will be designing art games and activities to share with younger students during Youth Art Month. Stay tuned for more this spring!

Written by: Rachel Therres



Animal masks

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Andy Warhol paintbrush portrait



Sketch for mural

New York



The artists and their masks

ST. AUGUSTINE SCHOOL OSSINING, NY

SPONSOR: ANNE ZIMMERMAN

Our NJAHS chapter loves our annual tradition of designing a unique and creative mask from a given word. Each artist gets a different word to represent in a mask. Some words used include steampunk, peacock, chess, cat, and architecture. The artists are encouraged to think as "out of the box" as they can when designing. We display the masks in October for the whole school to enjoy!

Written by: Anne Zimmerman



Creativity in action

Rhode Island

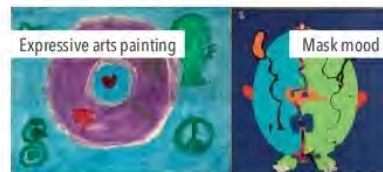


Expressive arts ceramics

JOSEPH L. MCCOURT MIDDLE SCHOOL CUMBERLAND, RI

SPONSOR: CAROLYN DOOLEY

The McCourt chapter of NJAHS is in its third year. As our school and district work to build mindfulness through health and wellness in our students, the Mayor's Office of Children Youth and Learning (OCYL) partnered with us for an expressive arts after-school program in September. OCYL provides enrichment for local youth. This includes a STEAMshop that is rich with learning opportunities all year long. OCYL worked with us and Leadership Rhode Island (LRI) for four weeks to teach our NJAHS students coping skills through expressive art. The cohort from LRI included a



Expressive arts painting

Mask mood

pediatrician, business leaders, and the CEO of United Way of Rhode Island. Additional organizations involved were National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI), and PeaceLove Studios. The program, Our Minds Matter: Mind the Art!, was an after-school art and wellness pilot program to support overall well-being through creativity and community. Students worked on free-form paintings, ceramics, and other media to create art that reflected mood. Adults created, as well, alongside our NJAHS students. This pilot program will serve as a model for other middle schools across the state. The final projects were displayed in the school.

Here are quotes from a few students in response to the program:

- "I liked the insight into mental health and art. I liked the way you can use different types of art to relax." —A. W., Grade 6
- "Art is not all about how creative you can be, but it's about the journey." —S. P., Grade 7
- "Art is not about perfection, but it's about the thought that you put into it." —I. P. Grade 7
- "I liked how we had the freedom to draw anything that we wanted because we had a lot of materials that we could use." —H. J. Grade 7

Written by: Carolyn Dooley

Virginia

**WARRENTON MIDDLE SCHOOL
WARRENTON, VA**

SPONSOR: MARISA PAPPAS

The Warrenton Middle School chapter of the NJAHS began the school year with officer elections. Candidates gave their speeches and ballots were cast. The new officers have been busy planning many exciting art activities for the school and the community.

Our chapter hosted a family paint night on Friday, October 18, with 40 parents and students in attendance. Our school's art teacher, Mrs. Pappas, led the event with former students NAHS from two of the county's high schools. NJAHS members helped by bringing in food, drinks, and supplies. "It was a wonderful success!," Mrs. Pappas said. To get into the Halloween theme, NJAHS officers chose a cute but spooky painting to make. The scene



Face Painting

was a black cat sitting on an orange and red pumpkin, with a ghostly yellow moon, dark blue sky, purple mountains, and green grass. Participants were given three brushes and a variety of colors to use. Afterward, the crowd of participants enjoyed the food provided and chatted excitedly.

The WMS NJAHS also worked hard for the school's annual Halloween Bash, which was held on Friday, November 1. This year's theme was "Crypt." Members made gravestones, decapitated heads, and organs. No one was allowed to see the haunted crypt before the event, so it was a complete surprise for everyone who went to the bash. Members took shifts painting kids' faces with face paint and occasionally eating some pizza.

Warrenton Middle is preparing for the annual play, with the NJAHS members in charge of creating the sets, props, and scenes. The musical this year is Legally Blonde Jr. and stars two NJAHS members. Many more projects are in the works for the coming year, including a trip to our elementary feeder schools to promote the arts at Warrenton Middle School.

Written by: Nathaniel Borgstrom, reporter



Warrenton Middle NJAHS

Washington



Students' bookmark examples

**WOODBROOK MIDDLE SCHOOL
LAKEWOOD, WA**

SPONSOR: MARGIE SCALA

Students from the Woodbrook Middle School chapter of the NJAHS conducted a workshop at our book fair in October. To support our local business community and to promote reading, our school held its annual book fair at a well-known bookstore. NJAHS students each made several bookmarks and displayed them in our school library to advertise the book fair. They also set up a table at the bookstore and helped other peers and young children create bookmarks.

Written by: Margie Scala



Students at the book fair

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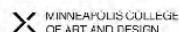
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