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More of the best of the Valley

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E Street Gallery in Derby offers art and more

By Ralph Villers

DERBY - I visited the E Street Gallery at 35 Elizabeth St. on Friday for the opening of the current exhibit *The Good Ol' Summertime* and was impressed in the latest changes including additional retail space and membership movie nights.

The changes were designed to introduce more visitors to the gallery and its art relate themes.

Valley Arts Council president Rich DiCarlo explained the added attractions to the gallery. "Being artists, we used our ingenuity and thought outside the box.

"We've upgraded the gallery with a unique collection of reasonably priced gift items" ranging from jewelry and prints to salt water taffy for sale.

Of course, art is the gallery's *raison d'être* and the walls are filled with a variety of summer themed art from baseball to seascapes. The sultry Summer evening temperatures outside added to the seasonal feeling of the art inside.

The *Good Ol' Summertime* exhibit continues through Aug. 25. The hours of operation are Tuesday-Friday 4-8 p.m., Saturday noon-3 p.m. and Sunday 4-6 p.m.

The E Street Gallery and Gift Shop is a Co-Operative Gallery run voluntarily by the artists of the Valley Arts Council.

Learn more about the organization at: <http://estreetgallery.weebly.com/> or <https://www.facebook.com/Estreetartgallery/>



Lodge in Ansonia collecting school supplies for Valley students

By Patricia Villers

ANSONIA - Members of the James H. Wilkins Lodge #9 are once again asking the community's help in outfitting needy Ansonia and Derby students for back to school.

The organization has been collecting school supplies for area children since 2005.

Lodge member Gregory Gatison said in an email this week that six schools have sought support from the Lodge, for a total of 361 at-risk students.

The schools include Irving and Bradley elementary schools and Derby Middle School in Derby, and John C. Mead and John G. Prendergast elementary schools and Ansonia Middle in Ansonia.

"We intend to fulfill each school's request," Gatison said. "I am trying to reach out to new donors."

He said binders and binder paper, pencils, and pocket folders are the most needed items.

Persons wishing to donate may deliver items to the Lodge, 150 Tremont St., before Aug. 20.

For information contact James Hodge, [203-735-7549](tel:203-735-7549) or Gatison, [203-685-0937](tel:203-685-0937). Checks or money orders should be sent to James H. Wilkins Lodge #9, P.O. Box 36, Ansonia, 06401.

Supplies Needed	
Binders, 3 Ring	75 each
Binder Papers	1,500 sheets
Color Pencils	72 packs
Construction Paper	19 packs
Crayons	105 packs
Dry Ease Markers	60 packs
Glue Sticks	20 packs
Index Cards	420 each
Markers, Black	600 each
Markers, Color	42 packs
Notebooks	650 each
Pencils	2,100 each
Pens	350 each
Pocket Folders	2,000 each

Summer Cruise Night in Seymour



The Seymour Lions Club summer cruise night will be held Aug. 3 from 5:30-8:30 p.m at Tri-Town Plaza, 814 Derby Ave.

Seymour Lions invite owners of all antique and classic cars, hot rods, trucks, and motorcycles.

Trophies will be award for the 1st, 2nd & 3rd place car/truck winners as well as the top motorcycle. Judging will be at 7:30 p.m.

This event is sponsored by Maxie Signs.

For more information visit www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/seymourct/ or <https://www.facebook.com/SeymourCTLions/>. Contact them at seymourlions52@att.net or call 203-619-1571.

Shelton artists collaborate on exhibit

"Something About Faces"

A Collaboration Exhibit
by Len Grayeck and Dawn Kraemer




Gilded Lily Gallery
101 River St, Milford, Connecticut 06460

Exhibition Runs August 5th through August 29th

Opening Reception: Saturday August 5th 2-6PM



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