



Rountree Gallery

For Immediate Release

Tri-State Views
On display July 27 – August 28, 2011

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Galena Artist Guild to Exhibit at Rountree Gallery



Rountree Gallery will be featuring the work of Galena Artist Guild members during their exhibit “Tri-State Views” on display July 27 – August 28, 2011. From watercolors and oils to basketry and pottery, a variety of styles and artwork will be on display. Members participating in this Guild exhibit include: JoAnne Hauser Warren, Janet Checker, Sam Rotan, Lu Bleveans, Toni Klingler, Sandra Principe, Sally Bischel, Dwight Walles, and Mary Ann Leigh. Come meet these talented artists at their reception on Sunday, July 31 from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

The Galena Artists’ Guild Inc. was founded more than four decades ago by leading artists in the historic, arts-friendly town of Galena, Illinois. In the beginning, it consisted of a small group of working artists getting together to discuss their latest ideas in a social setting. Many of the founders are current members of the Guild. Today, with more than eighty members, the Guild is a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) corporation sponsoring visual arts and artists in Galena and the surrounding areas, and also sponsors a member-run gallery at 324 Spring St. (Hwy. 20 west of Main St. Galena, IL) Membership is open to artists and supporters of the arts from the Tri-State area that live in a 35 mile radius of Galena. The Guild offers art workshops and classes and awards scholarships to students seeking a degree and a career in art, in addition to continuing education grants to members who are working artists to support them in their artistic endeavors. The Galena Artists’ Guild has several special events each year and is constantly developing new venues for the public to view and purchase the vast range of fine arts represented in their membership.

Rountree Gallery’s Summer Hours are Wednesday – Friday & Sunday from 12:00 – 4:30 and Saturday from 10:00 – 4:30. For more information on this and other upcoming exhibits, classes, and events, visit our webpage at www.platteville.org (under City Departments) or contact Rountree Gallery at 608-348-6719 or rtgallery@yousq.net.
