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MEDIA ALERT

Malvern Retreat House's ArtShow 2013 Features the Work of 100 Professional Artists Under One Roof

Malvern, PA— Don't miss an extraordinary collection of juried artwork on display at Malvern Retreat House's ArtShow2013, featuring original works of art by more than 100 professional artists in various media: painting, sculpture, photography, ceramics, jewelry, and glasswork.

Date and Time: ArtShow 2013 runs from Wednesday, January 30 to Sunday, February 3, with hours Wednesday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Sunday hours are from 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Cost: Admission is free, and is open to the public. Each piece of artwork is available for purchase; a portion of the sales will benefit Malvern Retreat House. There is no PA sales tax, and 35% of all artwork is tax deductible.

Special Events at ArtShow 2013:

Complimentary Wine and Cheese Reception, Friday, February 1: All are invited to attend the Friday Night Social, to be held Friday, February 1, from 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m., featuring a complimentary wine and cheese reception, and a chance to meet some of the artists and fellow art enthusiasts.

Artist Demonstrations: Our popular artist demonstrations feature how-to's from some of the area's leading professional artists. All demonstrations require advance reservation. To reserve your spot, call 484-321-2544 or e-mail moneill@malvernretreat.com.

- **Wednesday, January 30** at 2:00 p.m., “**Colorful and Contemporary, the Work of Lynnette Shelley**” (Ambler) – mythology and folklore art influence; the fee is \$20, and includes refreshments.
- **Thursday, January 31** at 6:00 p.m., “**Sculpting with Light**” with Harold Ross (Lancaster County) will include photography technique using still life; the fee is \$40, which includes a casual light supper.
- **Saturday, February 2** at 10:00 a.m., “**Decorating with Artwork.**” Judi Larkin of Larkin Interiors (Paoli) will solve the puzzle of placement and lighting; the fee is \$15, and includes breakfast treats.

Location:

**Malvern Retreat House
Horstmann-McShain Family Life Center
315 S. Warren Ave.
Malvern, PA 19355**

About Malvern Retreat House

Owned and operated by Catholic lay leadership since 1912, Malvern is the largest Catholic retreat house in the country— hosting 20,000 people annually at 250 retreats on 125 acres in beautiful Chester County. We invite you to come to Malvern to reflect, refresh and rejoice in your faith. To find an evening, weekday or weekend spiritual retreat that's right for you, call 610-644-0400 or visit us online at MalvernRetreat.com.

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