

Gates Intermediate Juried Student Art Show kicks off April 10

Scituate Mariner



Seventh-grader Addison Loverin's watercolor piece "Blind Contour Hands" will be on display. Courtesy Photo
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Students at Gates Intermediate School have busily been working on their own masterpieces in preparation of the annual Juried Student Art Show. Save the date for this art show, scheduled from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, April 10 and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, April 11 at The Scituate Maritime Center, 119 Edward Foster Rd. The Mariner spoke with Amanda Glover, one of the Gates art teachers, to see what guests can expect out of this year's show.

Please tell us about this event, including how many students and works are involved.

This is a young professional artist show exhibiting the artwork seventh- and eighth-grade students from the Gates Intermediate School. Approximately 150 to 170 pieces of artwork will be selected by an outside jury. The concept behind our fourth annual show is to exhibit student artwork at a location in their community that showcases their incredible talent, achievement, and professionalism.

Why would you encourage the community to attend the show?

Scituate is home to a great amount of professional working artists. It is a great way to see the next generation of budding artists that live right in Scituate.

The exhibit is a way to encourage these young artists to continue working toward using their talents in their future and as a viable career. This is also a great opportunity for those who may not have school-age children to see, first hand, the high level of achievement going on at Gates.

What types of art will guests see and how long did it take for the students to create their pieces?

Guests will have the opportunity to see ceramics, paper sculptures, paintings, drawings, mixed media creations, digital animation, and photography.

Is there anything new or different about this year's show?

With new exhibit boards we are fortunate to exhibit more student artwork!

Any final thoughts?

The Scituate PTO has graciously raised funds to purchase new exhibit boards for the show and we thank them greatly!

See more artwork on the galleries page online at scituate.wickedlocal.com.