

The Sunbury Shores **Arts & Nature** Centre Newsletter

Welcome to the Sunbury Shores' newsletter – *The Water Street Journal*. *The Journal* keeps you up to date with current & upcoming exhibitions, programs events and other news. Enjoy!



JOIN US!

Sunbury Shores is a not-for-profit organization that relies on donations and memberships in order to operate.

Please consider becoming a **member** of our wonderful centre and **help us** to continue to enrich the lives of the children, youth and adults in our community.

Students/Seniors - \$15
Individuals - \$25
Families/Dual - \$40

To become a **member**, visit our website or call or come in to the centre today!

www.sunburyshores.org



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The Art of Nature | The Nature of Art

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Winter courses at Sunbury Shores

This winter Sunbury Shores is offering a variety courses for children, teens and adults. Take the chill off with these fun and exciting classes beginning on January 15th.

Fire up your imagination in **Pottery** with Chantal Vincent, create sparkling works of art in **Stained Glass** with Ruth Dunfield, find your way in a **Celestial Navigation** workshop with Robert Van de Peer and channel master artists in **Painting Still Life with Acrylics** with Geoff Slater. For the kids, we are once again offering **Art Studio Saturdays for Kids** with Faith Fowler and **Moms & Tots** with Chantal Vincent.

Spaces are limited so enroll today!



Welcome back Ruth Dunfield!



Ruth is an accomplished musician who has been performing and writing music for most of her life. She is also an extremely gifted artist.

Ruth is our new General Manager. In addition to overseeing the day-to-day operations of Sunbury Shores, Ruth offers stained glass courses for adults in the evenings and teaches Sir James Dunn Academy students during the day, as part of the Sunbury CLASS program.

We are thrilled to have Ruth back in our midst.

IN THE GALLERY...

Here's what's coming up at Sunbury Shores.

HUNTSMAN**OCEANSCIENCES**

Science of the Sea Exhibit
January & February

Sponsored by:

Huntsman
Oceansciences

UNCOMMON THREAD

Textile Artists
March 20 – April 15

Sponsored by:

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SUNBURY INSTRUCTORS

April 17 – May 13

Sponsored by:

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CLASS ART

4th Annual CLASS
Program Students
May 15 – June 10

Sponsored by:

RE/MAX St. Andrews

Receptions take place
opening days (Fridays)
from 5 to 7pm.

Call for Artists:

Are you interested in
exhibiting your work at
Sunbury Shores? We are
currently seeking proposals
for 2010.

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Volunteer spotlight – Leo Despres



Leo Despres at work in the pottery studio at Sunbury Shores.

On any given day, when visiting Sunbury Shores, you are likely to hear noises coming from the pottery studio, located in the lower level of the building. It is here where you will often find Leo Despres, a man who loves to get his hands dirty.

Leo has been working with clay for many years and he especially enjoys sharing his passion for pottery with others.

Many of you may know that Leo teaches pottery courses at Sunbury Shores. But what you may not know is that Leo volunteers all of his time to teach these classes.

He also takes care of the studio... loading, firing and unloading the kiln on a regular basis.

Thank you Leo, for all you do!

LOVE ARTS & NATURE? Please consider **becoming a volunteer** at Sunbury Shores. It is a great way to meet people and share your interests with others. Visit www.sunburyshores.org for details.

Children (keep) Learning At Sunbury Shores!

Sunbury Shores launched the **CLASS (Children Learning At Sunbury Shores) Program** in September 2005.

This program involves hundreds of school children taking part in art and nature classes on our premises during regular school time with instruction being given by artists and naturalists from the community.

Now in it's fourth year, the program is still going strong. Find out more about CLASS by visiting: www.sunburyshores.org/class.shtml

