

Rosewood's '98 season includes diversity

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The Rosewood Arts Centre Gallery has announced its schedule of exhibitions for the 1998 Exhibition Series.

The year's exhibits bring a diverse group of both local and regional artists. Highlights of the schedule include the 8th Annual Dayton Area Works on Paper Exhibition and The View '98, an all-Ohio landscape competition. Both of these, as well as the other exhibitions, provide the opportunity for area businesses and patrons to purchase artwork for their homes or offices, or as a donation to local charitable organizations.

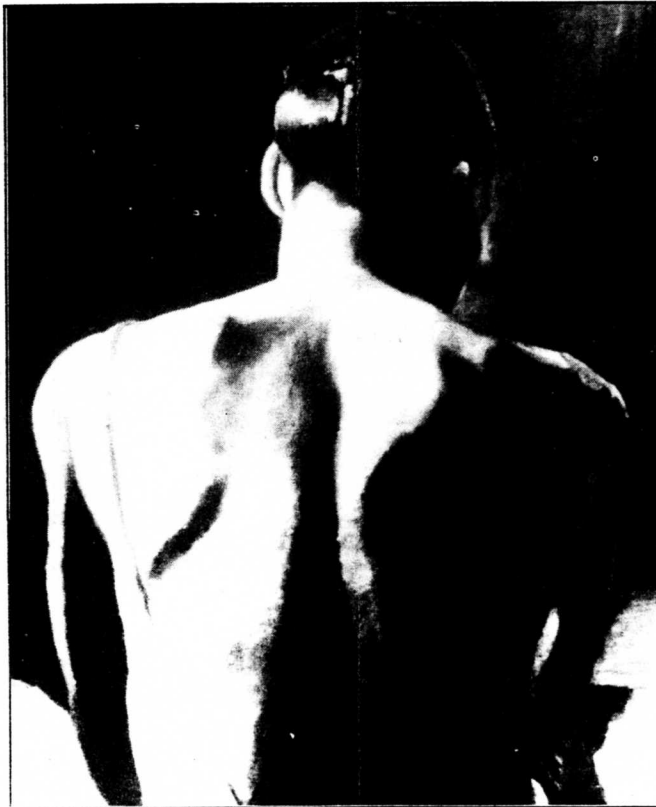
1998 Exhibitions

•Delanie Jenkins/Young Hee Kim - Jan. 5-Feb. 6

Delanie Jenkins of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania will exhibit her mixed media fiber, video and collage installation. Korean artist Young Hee Kim will exhibit her mixed media canvas, found wood and paper mache wall pieces.

•8th Annual Dayton Area Works on Paper - Feb. 23-April 3

This popular annual juried art event features the finest local artists working in a wide range of media, on or of paper. The show highlights the best new works by local artists within a 35-mile radius of Dayton.



This untitled charcoal by Abner Cope will be part of the 1998 season.

•Vincent Hron - April 13-May 15

This is a one-person show by Danville, Pa., artist Vincent Hron. Hron works in the medium of acrylic on canvas, using rich, vivid colors for his large-scale, fantasy-like, story-telling paintings.

•Susan Hensel/Barbara Shilo - May 25-June 26

Susan Hensel of East Lansing, Mich., will exhibit her "literary sculptures": Literature-oriented assemblages and hand-made books. Barbara Shilo of Forestville, Calif., will exhibit her mixed media paintings, using collage, gouache, ink and graphite to portray her fantasy-like scenes.

•Thomas Chapman/David Powers - July 6-Aug. 7

Thomas Chapman of Dayton will exhibit his colorfully elegant, hand-blown, glass sculptures. David Powers of Great Falls, Mont., will show abstract, fiber sculptures, which create a powerful, primitive mood reminiscent of native American culture.

•The View '98 - Aug. 24-Sept. 25

This highly anticipated, juried, multi-media event features the work of some of the finest Ohio artists working in the landscape theme.

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Rosewood exhibit highlights two artists

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Rosewood Arts Centre is presenting an exhibition of the works of Michigan artist Susan Hensel and California artist Barbara Shilo.

Hensel will present her handmade books and assemblages, and Shilo will display her mixed-media collages, which use primarily gouache, graphite and inks.

The exhibit will through June 26. It is free and open to the public.

Hensel, who lives in East Lansing, Mich., describes her love of books as follows: "in books (we are) able to tap into the power of the cultural icon 'Book.' Book contains the history of the revolution of human knowledge with

the inventions of writing, papermaking, binding and printing. 'Book' contains the piquant intimacy of journals, the innocence of childhood stories and the intellectual rigors of the university."

In conjunction with her exhibit of "literary sculptures," Hensel will also be offering two Handmade Books Workshops — Western Bookbinding and Japanese Bookbinding — on Saturday, June 27. For more information, call Rosewood at 296-0294.

Barbara Shilo, born in Fulda, Germany, has lived in California since 1973. She exhibits her paintings, 3-D assemblages and, most recently, her multi-media collage pieces throughout the United States.

Says Shilo, "I believe that art is an act of transformation, a process of unmediated perception. It is a creat-

ing of a second order of reality. My fascination with painting has always been the urgency of the moment, the infinite possibilities, the choices to be made at every instant... My abiding interest in form and content is in depicting the dichotomy of inner and outer reality."

Hours of the exhibit are Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The Rosewood Arts Centre Gallery is located in the Rosewood Arts Centre, 2655 Olson Drive in Kettering. For more information, call 296-0294.

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