



Rappahannock  
Westminister-Canterbury

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**RWC Resident Artists' Paintings Featured in October Show**

*New space inspires artists*

**IRVINGTON, Va.** – Each autumn, student artists who are residents at Rappahannock Westminister-Canterbury exhibit their works in the facility's Gallery Hall. This year, they've had a spectacular new space to create those works – the studio in RWC's Life Enrichment Center, which opened in May.

"Every year, the exhibit is unique in that it's another year where the artists have tried new techniques, subject matter and taken on new challenges," said Pamela Bowers, who has taught art classes at RWC for the past decade. "The best thing that has happened to us is that we have moved into the new building and the art room is wonderful. We have lots of windows, plenty of room and just a great space for art expression. We all love the space and feel it's the perfect place for creating."

Those creations by RWC resident artists Pat Morris, Cecelia Barton, Mary Anne Campbell, Brandon Louisell and Helen Woolfolk feature watercolors they've done in Bowers' class. "Included are landscapes with variety in the color green, one of the most daunting colors to work with," noted Bowers. The show also includes different media including alcohol ink, taught by Amy Lewis, RWC's coordinator of Resident Program Development. Bowers also will show several of her own works.

The exhibition will open Oct. 1, and an artists' reception will be held Oct. 10 from 4-5:30 p.m. Residents and community members are invited to view and purchase artwork from the exhibition 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. daily throughout October in Rappahannock Westminister-Canterbury's Gallery Hall.

**About Rappahannock Westminister-Canterbury**

Established in 1985, Rappahannock Westminister-Canterbury is a church-related, continuing care community that provides the highest quality living experience for discerning, active senior adults. Situated on 165 beautiful acres outside the village of Irvington in Virginia's Northern Neck, RWC is home to those who want the independence and worry-free lifestyle afforded them in a tranquil, rural setting. RWC strives to provide residents everything they require for daily living right in the RWC neighborhood. Rappahannock Westminister-Canterbury Inc. is a Virginia nonprofit corporation affiliated with the Episcopal and Presbyterian churches. All religions are welcome. Learn more about RWC at [www.rw-c.org](http://www.rw-c.org).

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