



**ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**ART EXPO -- ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION EVENT OPEN
TO ALL**

DURHAM, NH----

An Art Expo of ARA members' work covering a wide variety of media, plus live music, refreshments, and good fellowship, will be featured at the next Active Retirement Association General Meeting, free and open to the public. The ARA offers programs reflecting the many interests of people 50+ years old in the ME-NH-MA Seacoast area, retired or not. Please join us on Tuesday, October 14, 2014, 1:30 – 3:00 pm, at the Durham Evangelical Church, 114 Dover Road (Route 108), Durham, NH, to enjoy a broad range of art and craft work, meet new friends, and learn more about the ARA and its upcoming activities.

Twenty-three artists and artisans will show their work and be available to discuss it. Media to be on display include oil,

watercolor, pastel, and acrylic paintings; pen-and-ink drawings; collage; photographs; stained glass; quilts; needlepoint; hand weaving for the home; pottery; basketry; wood carving; driftwood constructions; painted glassware and small tables, and historical decorative art employing 18th- and 19th-century techniques.

Currently the ARA has over 300 members from 35 communities in southern Maine and New Hampshire, who support the organization by annual dues. We offer lectures, discussion groups, films, cultural tours, walks/hikes, classes, special-interest groups, and much more! The General Meeting is open to the public, and all are encouraged to bring friends and guests. Most programs and activities are free to members, with some additional charges for cultural tours and workbooks.

For additional information, visit our website at www.unh.edu/ara or contact Membership Director Carol Caldwell at 603-343-1004.

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