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2 p.m.  
Saturday  
March 21

*including a  
St. Patrick's Day Festival  
with music, food, drinks  
& more!*

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Presented by  
Somerset Rotary Club  
& Laurel Arts

Congratulations to Luther P. Miller, Inc. and the Miller Family, recipients of this year's **Friend of the Arts Award**. Pictured are Jaci McCusker, Laurel Arts executive director, and Troy Miller, representing both the third-generation company and the family. Artist and gallery committee member Joy Knepp made the piece, top right, which was presented along with the etched glass award, to Mr. Miller. Last year's recipient was Henry Cook and Somerset Trust Company.

## Galleries on fire with student art

The galleries at The Philip Dressler Center for the Arts are on fire with artwork from around the county produced by junior and senior high school students. The show will be up through February 20, and the galleries are open from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and from noon to 4 p.m. Saturdays.

Award winners are listed on page 2, along with the winners of the elementary school show in the galleries last month. Congratulations to all the student artists and their instructors.



*Upcoming exhibits ...*

February 4-20

**Somerset County  
Jr.-Sr. High School Exhibit**

Junior & senior high school students exhibit increasingly sophisticated works as they explore new concepts, technics and mediums.

February 25-March 20

**Somerset Area Schools  
Exhibit**

This is always the biggest of our three school shows. Art, produced by students from kindergarten through 12th grade, will hang from floor to ceiling.

**Open house/reception**

1 to 3 p.m.

Sunday, March 1



Located upstairs at  
The Philip Dressler Center  
for the Arts

**MUSEUM & GALLERY HOURS:**

Monday-Thursday

11 am to 6 pm

Saturday

noon to 4 pm

closed Friday &amp; Sunday

(except for exhibit openings)

## School art exhibit winners announced

Winning awards at the Somerset County Elementary School Art Exhibit in the kindergarten through third grade division were:

Jacob Stillwagon, kindergarten, North Star, first place;

Meredith Baker, first grade, St. Peters, second place;

Madison King, second grade, Somerset Christian School, third place;

Bethany Hay, kindergarten, Somerset Christian School, Somerset County Artist Association Award.

Winning awards in the fourth through sixth grade division were:

Emily Fisher, fifth grade, St. Peters, first place;

Noelle Lushko, fourth grade, Johnstown Christian School, second place;

Zoe Bonnell, fifth grade, Turkeyfoot, third place;

Carley Hritz, fourth grade, North Star, Somerset County Artist Association Award.

At the Somerset County Junior-Senior High School Art Exhibit, these students in grades seven through nine received awards:

Sierra Emerick, eighth grade, North Star, first place;

Shilo Petrilla, eighth grade, Somerset Christian School, second place;

Rebekah Dix, ninth grade, Salisbury Elk Lick, third place;

Caroline Troll, eighth grade, Somerset Christian Homeschool, Somerset County Artists Association Award.

Receiving awards in the tenth through twelfth grade division were:

Meghan Lawrence, twelfth grade, Rockwood School, first place;

Meredith Briskey, twelfth grade, Turkeyfoot, second place;

Ivy Thomas, twelfth grade, Somerset, third place;

Abby Keefer, 11th grade, Turkeyfoot, Somerset County Artists Association Award.

*Coming soon ...*

## Two of our favorite events

### 3rd Annual Soup'er Bowl

Join us for hot soup and cool bowls handmade by local artists (desserts are an added bonus this year.) Mark your calendars now for

**Saturday, March 14, noon to 2:30 p.m.**

### Common Threads

Common Threads brings together fiber artists and fiber enthusiasts for a day of education, demonstrations and sales. You don't want to miss the fourth annual Common Threads scheduled for

**Saturday, April 18, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

## Somerfest ... please read

To *Somerfest* or not to *Somerfest*, that has been the question! Since last July, the internal debate in my mind has been more intense than two seven-year-olds arguing over who is the superior leader of the dark side – Darth Vader or Kylo Ren (apologies, I am in the thick of Star Wars everything due to my sons' sudden obsession).

*Somerfest* has been a long-standing tradition in our community, but what happens when the event (even through all of our collective efforts) does not resonate like it once did? I don't think any of us – board member, staff, volunteer alike, want to throw in the towel on this event, but we also cannot afford to take the financial risk that has become associated with it. In an effort to be as transparent as possible, I can tell you that over the last five years, Laurel Arts has absorbed losses of approximately \$50,000, and for any nonprofit, or business for that matter, that is significant; thus, our ultimate decision is to cease hosting this event.

With that being said, we have decided to continue to host the *Somerfest* parade on Friday, July 24 followed by an evening of music and food at the Dressler Center – this is *not Somerfest* but *is* an opportunity to bring our community together for an evening of celebration! Somerset Trust Company will be hosting senior dinners at the Dressler Center earlier in the week, so a large tent will be set up. Somerset Trust is graciously allowing us to use the tent on Friday. This event will also serve as a kick-off to Somerset, Inc.'s *Chalk the Block*. Laurel Arts will provide children's activities on Saturday as part of this creative and colorful uptown event.

We will also host our *L.A. Nights* music on the lawn once a month from May through September, the *Soup'er Bowl* event and *Lucky Leprechaun 5k Festival* in March, *Common Threads* and a murder mystery / killer dessert event in April, our annual golf tournament and exciting new annual fundraiser (more details soon to come) in June, and a jazz night in September. There is SO much happening at Laurel Arts, and I did not even touch upon our dance recitals and performances, summer camps, free film series, ongoing classes, exhibits and the upcoming mural/public art projects plus future programming and collaborative efforts to better serve those in need in our county!

I will be honest, it has been difficult not to fixate on the fate of *Somerfest*, as I know it has served as a gathering place for so many over the years, but as you can see from the list of events, our goal is to have a greater impact in Somerset County with more opportunities for residents to experience and explore the arts.

It has been a pleasure hosting *Somerfest*, and we truly appreciate your support over the years. The future of this organization is a bright one. We are focusing on our creative impact, outreach, and sustainability, now and for the years to come! I personally welcome you to bring a lawn chair to one of our music nights, support our local students by attending a dance recital, or get your festive Irish garb ready for the *Lucky Leprechaun 5k Festival* ... there truly is something for everyone and we want *you* to enjoy living in the Laurel Highlands even more with "arts for everyone."

Jaci McCusker, Executive Director

### Our Dressler staff ...

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The official registration and financial information of Laurel Arts may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling toll-

## Our Affiliates

*meetings at the Dressler Center unless otherwise noted*

### **Botanical / Culinary Arts**

**Somerset Garden Club:** Contact Andrea Falchek, 814-442-4359, andreaFalchek@yahoo.com  
Meeting 2nd Monday of the month, 11 a.m.

### **Needle / Fabric Arts**

**Crochet Guild:** Contact Sheena Pile at 444-2419. Meeting 2nd and 3rd Monday of the month, 6 p.m.

**Knitting Guild:** Contact Susan Barclay, 443-2482. Meeting 2nd Thursday of the month, 6:30 p.m. at Somerset Alliance Church. Weekly group 10:30 a.m. at members' homes.

### **Performing Arts**

**Laurel Highlands Chorale:** Contact Jan Burkett, 443-3085 for more information.

**Mt. Union Sacred Harp Singers:** Rehearsal 2nd Thursdays of the month, Kingwood Church of God (Jan-Mar), Mt. Union Church (other months).

**Roof Garden Barbershop Chorus:** Contact Mike Mitchell, 442-8843, or Larry Shoer, 267-4042. Rehearsal 7 p.m. Tuesday evenings, Grace United Methodist Church, Somerset.

**Somerset Auxiliary JSO:** Contact Sam Hanson, 814-754-5230, or Gay Reed, 814-279-7134. Meeting 1st Thursday of the month, 12:30 p.m. Location TBA.

**Somerset County Community Band:** Contact Dave Breen, 701-1515 or email photo@davebreen.com; spring rehearsal begin March 19.

### **Visual Arts**

**Gem & Mineral Club:** Contact Sue Bittner, 445-6085, or Bob Tutko, 814-886-9418.

**Somerset County Artists Association:** Contact Dave Greene, 814-926-4223. Meetings 6 p.m. fourth Tuesday of the month.

**Woodcarvers:** Contact Jeff Baltzer, 814-442-6617. Meeting 6 p.m. Wednesdays.

## JSO to present *Romanticism Across Cultures*

Johnstown Symphony Orchestra will present *Romanticism Across Cultures* at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, March 14 at the Pasquerilla Performing Arts Center, UPJ Campus. For tickets, call 814-269-7200. Italian, Polish, African American and Nordic pieces will be featured.

The Symphony's 2020 Fund Drive was kicked off with a press conference January 28. The goal of the drive is to raise \$130,000.00. Founded in 1929, the Johnstown Symphony Orchestra has a distinguished place in the region's history as one of the community's oldest and longest standing cultural institutions. Johnstown Symphony Orchestra community programs and performances lift the spirit, inspire the imagination, and serve the educational and entertainment needs for all that reside in and visit the Alleghenies.

More information is available at [www.johnstownsymphony.org](http://www.johnstownsymphony.org).

## Garden Club welcomes new members

Somerset Garden Club meets the second Monday of every month and would welcome new members. For more information, contact Andrea Falchek, 814-442-4359.

## Community Band to begin rehearsals March 19

Somerset County Community Band is always looking for new members. Dig out your flute, clarinet, trumpet, trombone, sax, etc. and join the fun. Rehearsals for the summer season will begin Thursday, March 19 and continue on Thursday evenings throughout the spring and summer. For more information contact Dave Breen, photo@davebreen.com, or 814-701-1515.

## SCAA to resume monthly meetings in March

Somerset County Artists Association will resume its monthly meetings the fourth Tuesday in March at the Dressler Center. Meetings are at 6 p.m. and new members are welcome to attend. SCAA provides fellowship, critique, and continuing education for local artists.



Please consider supporting **Laurel Arts** by ordering through **smile.amazon.com** and note Laurel Arts as your charity of choice.

Everything that is available on Amazon is also available on AmazonSmile; the only difference is that Amazon will make a donation to Laurel Arts.

# Think spring, think “let’s learn something new”

**PLEASE NOTE:** Preregistration is required. Call or text 814-442-6217 or call Laurel Arts at 814-443-2433 to register.

## **Stained Glass Workshop**

Monday, new session begins March 9  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

Talented stained glass artist Dottie Borosky returns for another fun and productive workshop. She will walk students through the process to create their own unique stained glass pieces. These are



generally 6 week classes, but you may enroll at anytime. Classes will be Mondays, beginning March 9. Classes run from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at 601 Georgian Place, Somerset.

Class fee is \$57.60 for members; \$72 for non-members. There is also a materials fee (cost depends upon the project).

## **Bob Ross Painting Workshop with Al Just**

Monday, February 17, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

Certified Bob Ross Instructor Al Just will be back February 17 to assist students in creating a beautiful painting of a winter scene. He has been teaching for 15 years and currently offers classes at his studio in Johnstown, Cambria County Community Art Center, and Altoona Penn Highlands Community College. Al has several certifications including Bob Ross, Dorothy Dent, Joyce Ortner and has studied with James Sulkowski, Robert Warren, and Valerie Stewart.



The workshop takes place from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, February 17 at 601 Georgian Place, Somerset. The fee for the workshop is \$60 nonmembers/\$48 members payable to Laurel Arts. This includes all materials. Students only need to bring paper towels, baby wipes and old rags.

## **All About Birds (for kids)**

Saturday, February 22, 10 a.m. to noon  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

Did you know that February is National Bird Feeding Month? Fly on over to Laurel Arts from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, February 22 as we wing it and have fun learning all about birds. We'll make a few special treats you can hang outside for them to eat and a yummy nest for you to eat. The workshop would not be complete without some beautiful and creative bird crafts. This class will be a real tweet!

The cost is \$20 nonmembers/\$16 members payable to Laurel Arts plus a \$10 materials fee payable to Marsha Schmuck. This class is designed for ages 4th-6th grade.

## **Floral Lantern Workshop**

Sunday, February 23, 2-4 p.m.  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

Instructor Barb Cass will return to Laurel Arts with another creative workshop! Students will learn how to place the flowers and cotton greenery on the lantern to get this beautiful look. Participants will also walk step by step through the process to create a gorgeous bow to accent the lantern.



Class takes place from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, February 23 at 601 Georgian Place, Somerset. The cost for the workshop is \$24 nonmembers/\$19.20 members payable to Laurel Arts plus a \$48 materials fee payable to Barb Cass.

## **Mosaic Workshop for Beginners**

Tuesdays, March 17 through May 5, 6-8 p.m.  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

We are very excited to add Mosaics to our line up of spring classes. Mother/Daughter Mosaics Team Leslie Darke and Patricia Darke, owners of Elemental Mosaics of Ohiopyle, will be teaching this step by step workshop. The class is an eight-week workshop on from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesdays from March 17 to May 5 at 601 Georgian Place, Somerset.

Workshop fee is \$96 nonmembers/\$76.80 members payable to Laurel Arts plus a \$25 materials fee payable to the instructor. All materials will be included in this fee.

For more information about the workshop, visit [www.laurelarts.org](http://www.laurelarts.org) and be sure to register for the class.

## ***Come on, you know you want to take a class or two***

### ***Bob Ross Painting Workshop with Al Just***

Monday, March 16, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

After a long winter, the painting this class will create is just what the doctor ordered ... the beach is where we want to be! The workshop takes place from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.



Monday, March 16 at 601 Georgian Place, Somerset. The fee for the workshop is \$60 nonmembers/\$48 members payable to Laurel Arts. This includes all materials. Students only need to bring paper towels, baby wipes and old rags. Registration is required by Monday, March 9 and students are asked to pay in advance. A minimum of 4 students is required for the class to run.

### ***Pysanky Eggs***

Friday, March 27, 5:30-8 p.m.  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

Pysanky is a traditional craft originally done in the Ukraine and Poland. Join instructor Alicia Shussett as she helps you create one of these beautiful eggs. Students will learn to add patterns to their eggs using the traditional method involving wax and various colors of dye. This class is just in time for Easter.

The class takes place at from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Friday, March 27 at 601 Georgian Place, Somerset. The fee is \$45 non-members/\$36 members payable to Laurel Arts plus a \$7 materials fee payable to Alicia Shussett.

### ***Macrame Plant Hanger Workshop***

Saturday, March 28, 2-5 p.m.  
Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center

Macrame is becoming more and more popular with wall decor, chairs, plant hangers and many other fun items. In today's workshop, Instructor Cindie Bennett will teach multiple Macrame knots and guide participants as they begin a Macrame plant hanger.

Class takes place from 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday, March 28 at 601 Georgian Place, Somerset.

Class fee is \$65 nonmembers/\$52 members payable to Laurel Arts plus a \$15 materials fee (includes 100 feet of rope, hoop for plant hanger) payable to Cindie Bennett. Class size is limited to 15 so sign up early! Students should be able to stand for a majority of the class. Please note: the minimum age for this class is 8.

To learn more about the instructor, visit [www.laurelarts.org](http://www.laurelarts.org).

### ***Music, music, music***

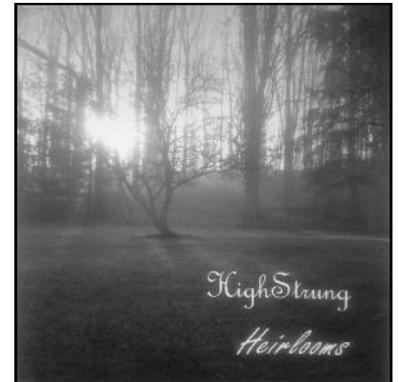
It is never too early or too late to introduce music into your life. We have some amazing guitar, violin and piano instructors who offer classes at our facilities.

Bob Bretz offers **GUITAR** lessons Wednesdays at the Dressler Center. He teaches all styles of guitar including classical, blues, country and jazz.

You can contact the Dressler Center at 814-443-2433 for more information or call Bob directly at 814-421-8134.

**VIOLIN** lessons are also available. Contact Laurel Arts for more information.

Deese (our violin instructor) and Smitty, with their group High Strung recently released an album entitled **Heirlooms**. Deese said, "We spent the holiday season locked away in our backroom working on a collection of Irish folk songs, and we're delighted to have CDs ready in time for St. Patrick's Day!"



If you have any trace of Irish, or just wish you did, grab a copy. We think you will enjoy it! They are just \$10 including sales tax. Email [smittyart@protonmail.com](mailto:smittyart@protonmail.com) to purchase.

Jade Thomas offers **PIANO** lessons at the Education & Dance Center. For more information about those classes, contact Marsha Schmuck, 814-442-6217.

**Don't to forget to register for classes. Call or text 442-6217!**

# Make a note ...

## FREE LIBRARY

There is a **Little Free Library** on our side porch that is filled to the brim with children’s books and more. Feel free to stop by the Dressler Center and see what’s available for your reading pleasure!



## GUILD OF AMERICAN PAPER CUTTERS

The Dressler Center is home to **The National Museum of the Guild of American Papercutters**. GAP’s biennial Papercutting Conference 2020 will be held from June 28 through July 2 in Pittsburgh. The group will travel to Somerset July 1 to visit the Dressler Center.



To raise awareness for National Library Week, April 18-25, and celebrate the art of papercutting, Guild members will be designing cut-paper bookplates to be exhibited at the Dressler Center. The People’s Choice selections will be printed to be used as Ex Libris (book plates.)

For more information about the Guild of American Papercutters, visit [www.papercutters.org](http://www.papercutters.org).

## GOLF TOURNAMENT TO BE JUNE 5

Our annual golf tournament benefiting the **Dorothy Dressler Scholarship Fund & Laurel Arts Children’s Programming** is set for Friday, June 5 at Somerset Country Club.

The tournament committee is busy looking for sponsors and foursomes. Make a note and plan to participate. Registration and lunch begin at noon. The scramble begins at 1 p.m. with a shotgun start.

Committee chair Jim Knepper said, “Laurel Arts is committed to enhancing the quality of life in our community by offering an array of arts and educational opportunities and making them accessible to all. Your participation in our annual charity golf tournament helps to assure that the arts are alive in our community. Many thanks!”

For more information, contact Laurel Arts, 443-2433.



## SOUP-ER BOWL EVENT MARCH 14

Photo caption, per Bridget Mayak, potter-extraordinaire, “Gearing up for our 2020 Soup-er Bowl!”

Mark your calendars ... the event is noon to 2:30 p.m. Saturday, March 14 at the Education & Dance Center.

## **NEWS FLASH ... camps only \$80 for members for five days of fun**

All camps will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday and are appropriate for children K-6th grade. Extended hours before and after camps will be provided as needed for an additional charge. Camps are located at Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center, 601 Georgian Place, Somerset.

**Tuition for each camp is \$100 nonmembers/\$80 members plus a \$15 discount for siblings attending the same camp. Price includes all materials (be prepared ... there will be lots of stuff coming home!)**

Registration is due no later than two weeks before the start of each camp. If you have pre-registered, tuition is due one week before each camp. To register call Marsha at (814) 442-6217 or register in person at Laurel Arts, 214 S. Harrison Ave., Somerset, (814) 443-2433.

### **Time Traveler's Camp • June 15-19**

During this weeklong camp, we will travel through many different time periods. We'll start out in the age of dinosaurs with some prehistoric fun. We'll become cowboys in the Wild West and pirates of the open sea. We'll learn about famous artists and musicians of the Renaissance period and create some tie dye from the 60s.

### **Road Trip Around the U.S. • June 22-26**

Learn more about the states that make up the USA. Pan for gold as we learn about the historic gold rush of California, use watercolors and black glue to create a cactus from Arizona, and bake some whoopie pies that are Maine's state dessert. As part of our road trip fun, we are asking anyone and everyone to send us a postcard while you and your family are traveling this summer. We'll hang up our postcards for everyone to see. Help us fill our wall with all of your travels. Send postcards to Laurel Arts, 601 Georgian Place, Somerset, PA 15501.

### **Secret Life of Pets Camp • June 29-July 3**

During this week's camp, we will learn about all types of perfect pets: Dogs, cats, turtles, mice and more. We'll bake some special treats and take up a collection for our local animal shelter. We may even get a special visit from a furry friend or two.

### **Local Artist's Week • July 6-10**

You will be amazed to discover all of the talented artists who live in our area. This week, we will invite them to

Laurel Arts to share their talents with our campers. Papercutting, drawing and pottery are just a few of the types of art we will learn about and try this week.

### **Getting to Know Our Community • July 13-17**

This week we will learn about some of the history of Somerset and its surrounding areas. We'll learn about famous architect Frank Lloyd Wright, make some delicious treats using maple syrup, and learn about famous people from our area such as Mr. Rogers. For more learning fun, we will spend one day of camp touring local businesses!

### **Survivor Week • July 20-24**

Brush up on your camping skills this week! Become part of a team as we will create our own team flags and buffs and work together to complete challenges. Take part in a scavenger hunt and learn to live outdoors. Don't worry, we won't vote anyone off the island but we will vote each day for the most valuable survivor from each team!

### **Gold, Silver and Bronze Week • July 27-31**

Did you know July 24, 2020 is the starting date of the Summer Olympics in Tokyo, Japan? This week at camp, we will learn about countries where the Olympic Games have been held. We will create our own Olympic torches and medals and take part in Olympic games. There is no training required to take part in the 2020 Laurel Arts Olympic Games.

### **Museum Week • Aug. 3-7**

We will be creating with a large variety of art mediums this week: clay sculptures, watercolor paintings, woodwork, metal, printmaking, and more. We will end the week with our very own museum art show for friends and family to come and see!

### **Favorite Recipes Cooking Camp • Aug. 10-14**

Cooking Camp is a favorite at Laurel Arts and this camp fills up quickly. This year we will talk about appetizers, main dishes, desserts, snacks and more. If you love to cook, you will love this camp. If you have a favorite recipe, send it to us at msmarsha@laurelarts.org by August 1. We can't take any recipes after that date. Throughout the week, we will also be organizing all of the weeks recipes into our very own cookbook.



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presents

# BOOTS & BOWS

Sunday, March 29

4 to 7 p.m.

Somerset Church of the Brethren

606 Berlin Plank Rd., Somerset

\$45 per couple

\$15 each additional adult or child

Includes free 5x7 photo, entertainment & themed crafts  
dinner by Listie Catering

**HURRY! Tickets are available now through March 13.**

Tickets can be purchased at Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center, 601 Georgian Place, Somerset. Office hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday. We can only accept cash or check for this event. Grandfathers, uncles, and family friends are also welcome to attend.



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## Frozen 2

6 p.m. Saturday, February 29  
basement of St. Paul's UCC  
202 W. Union Street, Somerset  
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*Sponsored by Forging Unity Grant,  
The Community Foundation for the Alleghenies*

**Drop in anytime ... We'd love to see you!**

### Yoga

Good health is a well-being of body, mind, and spirit. Yoga can help improve all of these. It helps tone the body and tame the mind. Yoga is offered at the Dressler Center at 12:30 p.m. Mondays, from 5 to 6 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays, and at 11:30 a.m. Thursdays. Your instructor will be Hazel Weighley. Classes are drop-in, and are \$6.40 for members, \$8.00 for non-members. Call 814-443-2433, for more information.

### Tap FUNDamentals

Adult tap classes are offered at 9 a.m. Saturday mornings at Laurel Arts Education & Dance Center by Cindy Breen. Call / text Cindy at 814-701-1699 or email cindy@atlasprintco.com for more information. Cost is \$6.40 per class for members, \$8 for non-members. This class is for all levels.

### Education & Dance Center staff ...

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