

# DEERFIELD VALLEY ART ASSOCIATION

CENTER FOR THE ARTS, GALLERY, AND HOME OF THE MUSEUM OF NEW ENGLAND ART

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL ARTISTS AND ART LOVERS, MAY THE COMING YEAR  
BE MOST HAPPILY ARTFUL FOR YOU ALL

You might note that this newsletter is rather tardy getting out, which is because I had my hands full with holiday travels and pleasures. It is also brief, for this is a slack time for us. The Gallery is closed and our activities, for the moment, are few. But a new and delightful exhibit is being hung next week and planning has begun for the Authors and Artists Festival in June (see below). At the moment, the date of the next Board meeting is still up for discussion, but notices will go out soon. In anticipation of getting geared up for 2020, now is the time to ponder what news you would like to share in the February newsletter, for very soon I will be preparing it and want to hear from you at [mosdvaa@gmail.com](mailto:mosdvaa@gmail.com)

Genuine thanks to all of you, our members—because of your support the DVAA is empowered to foster the love and the execution of the arts in our region.

## DVAA Calendar of Events – January, 2020

DVAA has starting closing Sundays at 4pm for the winter. We close at 5pm Thurs, Fri, and Sat in Jan. & Feb.

\*Schedule subject to change. Check your email for E-blast updates, cancellations, and new events

Jan. 12 Sunday      Season of Light Holiday Exhibit comes down      3-5pm

Jan. 13 Monday      Drop off art for My Little Town      10:30 – 1:00pm

Jan. 17–19 Fri-Sun      Art Stuff Tag Sale **POSTPONED! New date to be determined**

Jan. 26 Sunday      **Artists' Reception**      **1-3pm**

As a teaser, I add a couple of pictures from the upcoming My Little Town exhibit—



K. Donohoe Millers Falls River, Montague.



R. McKeon Schelle Bridge Northfield

### CALL FOR ARTISTS - AUTHORS & ARTISTS FESTIVAL

DVAA will be one of the three main venues to host participants in the new Authors & Artists festival June 13, town-wide in Northfield. The DVAA section will be under the theme of Artists Who Write. We are seeking artists who also have been published to take part in an exhibit May & June 2020. Publications may be art books, fiction, self-help, poetry, etc. If someone writes an article about you, that's not the artist writing and doesn't count as "published". Art may be of any media and those with books will have an opportunity to sell them at the festival. Contact: [margedvaa@gmail.com](mailto:margedvaa@gmail.com)