

'Fireside' Artist talks in Carp

West Carleton Arts Society Members free, Guests \$5

Wednesday April 16, 2014 7:00 pm

St Paul's United Church, 3760 Carp Road

parking and entrance at the back

Jill Alexander, Visual Artist, acrylics/mixed media

A lifetime of creative interests – photography, stain glass, pottery, wearable art, and floral design has led me to my passion as acrylic/mixed media artist. A convoluted route of artistic expression but undeniably my convoluted route. Looking back now, all the pieces fit the "Jill Alexander" puzzle. This "round about hang on tight" path translated into my characteristic swirl, a curvaceous signature of the Art Deco influence and this design element became representative of my spiritual evolution to full time artist.

Originally from Ottawa, I've permanently relocated to "my art studio with a house attached" in Castleford on the Ottawa River. My passion for teaching is now realized in my studio, as well as Algonquin College in Pembroke, Wallack's in Nepean and Kevin Dodd's Gallery & Studio in Ottawa.

I am one of the founding organizers of the Arnprior&Beyond Discovery Arts Tour. An annual tour of approximately 10 Art Studios featuring 20-30 artists and their exquisite and diverse work. The studios are located in and around the Arnprior area and along the Ottawa River extending to my studio in Castleford.

My Mission: To work with you to unleash your inner artist, unlock your imagination, discover your artistic voice"

My Motto: "Creative Expression produces Magical Art!"

What I know for sure! : "There are NO mistakes, only happy-go-lucky opportunities of wonder. You simply CAN'T go wrong in the creative process!"

More about me and my work at www.jillalexander.ca



" Dawn of Creation "



" Ana's Garden "

For more information see www.westcarletonartsociety.ca