

The Gafney Library

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Wakefield - Take a look at what's "Just Outside": A playful raccoon, inquisitive deer, smiling frogs, bird on a thistle and great blue heron nesting in a local rookery. These are just some of the outdoor scenes visitors can view at the Gafney Library during the April art show.

Longtime friends, Judy Brenner and Mary Ulinski, join forces once again to share their love of nature to include local plants, landscapes, insects, wildlife, ponds, fields and woodlands. This will be their second show together at the library.

Brenner's artwork includes lithographs, etchings, oils and sculpture, while Ulinski's media is photography. The two friends met over two decades ago as members of the Rochester Runners Club. They have walked and run many miles together, training for marathons and road races, as well as walking and hiking woodland trails. Locally the Cotton Valley Rail Trail is a favorite. They enjoy being outdoors, discovering what nature has to offer, no matter the season.

Brenner a resident of Brookfield, studied printmaking, drawing and oil painting at the University of New Hampshire, earning a degree in art history. Recently she designed the official Carroll County seal and the new Brookfield Town seal. Her work has been exhibited for many years by the League of New Hampshire Craftsmen. Ulinski, also a graduate of UNH, is retired after a career working at newspapers, most recently she spent over 22 years editing community news at Foster's Daily Democrat. She's had an interest in photography since the 70s. She moved from Dover to Sanbornville more than 6 years ago, where she now resides on a 130 acre conservation property which includes a 15-acre beaver pond. "It's a great place to observe wildlife," she says.

The exhibit may be viewed during library open hours of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 1 to 7 p.m. and Friday and Saturday 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. For more information, call the library at 603-522-3401 or visit www.gafneylibrary.org.

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