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Tenth Annual



# Muskoka Autumn StudioTour

10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday & Sunday September 24th & 25th



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An opportunity for you to visit the Artists and Craftsmen of Muskoka and see their work in the context of their studios.

You must supply transportation, but start and end this FREE tour where you like.

If you can't join us on the tour in September, please refer to individual studio listings for year-round studio hours.

For your own or extra copies of this brochure send a stamped, self-addressed #10 envelope to: Muskoka Autumn Studio Tour, Box 88, Severn Bridge, Ontario, P0E 1N0

Ontario's original studio tour, organized and funded by the participating artists with the generous assistance of the following businesses: Sherwood Inn, Muskoka Graphics, Fowler Construction Ltd., Rich Hill Candles, Cavalcade Ford, Building Trades Centre, Ascona Place, Muskoka Sands Inn

**A. The Artisan's Gallery.** Wayne Church's metal studio, offers distinctive one-of-a-kind sculptures and unique forged furnishings and accessories. Located on west side of Hwy. 11: northbound, turn back 3 km. from Sparrow Lake Route D overpass; southbound, 15 km. from Gravenhurst. Box 88, Severn Bridge, P0E 1N0, (705) 689-6121. Hours: May to Dec., Mon. - Sat. 10-5, Fri. 10-9, Sun. 2-9, closed Wed. Jan. to April by appointment.

**B. Muskoka Palm Studio.** David Woolcox renders traditional and contemporary designs in stained glass including sandblasted and kiln fused glass pieces. Studio is located on the west side of Hwy. 11 at the corner of Muskoka Road 19. Southbound, 6 km. south of Gravenhurst, northbound, exit Sedore Rd. overpass and turn back 2 km. on Hwy. 11. R.R. 1, Gravenhurst, P0C 1G0, (705) 687-6942. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, closed Wednesday.

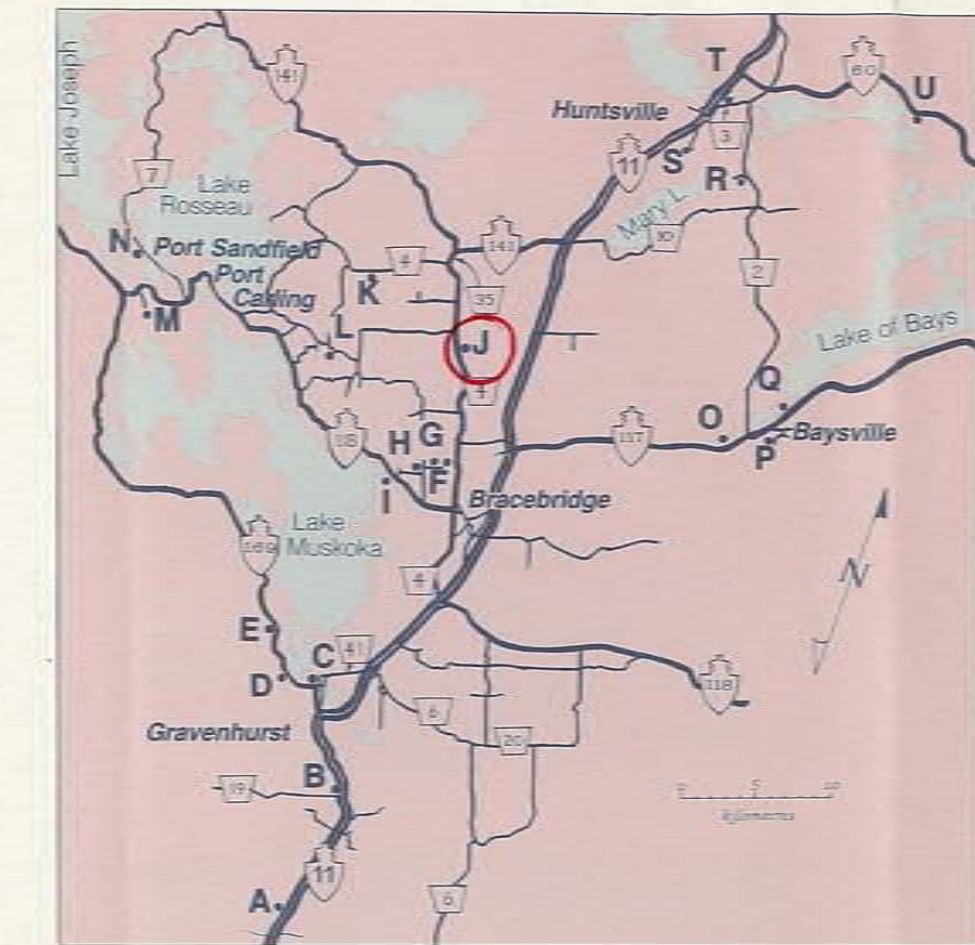
**C. Frank C. Johnston,** Watercolourist and Fine Art Photo Lithographer. Watercolours and reproductions of Ontario available. From Post Office Corner in Gravenhurst, West on Bay St. (Hwy. 169) one block, then north one block to Hughson St. We are number 235. Box 1683, Gravenhurst, P0C 1G0, (705) 687-4472. Hours: By Appointment.

**D. Natural Alternatives;** Alex Matson invites you to visit his showroom and view a variety of traditional woodworking. Hand-carved paddles, snowshoes and sleds are just a few of the unique crafts that are his specialty. You will find his studio on Hwy. 169, 2 km. west of Gravenhurst. Box 2477, Gravenhurst, P0C 1G0, (705) 687-2853. Hours: Showroom usually open or by appointment.

**E. Pine Lake Pottery;** Mieke Martin offers a wide range of handthrown and one-of-a-kind pieces in stoneware and porcelain. Mieke's Gallery and Studio are located on Hwy. 169, 6 km. north of Gravenhurst and 22 km. south of Bala. R.R. 2, Gravenhurst, P0C 1G0, (705) 687-2072. Hours: May to Oct., Wed. - Sat., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Nov. to April, by chance or appointment.

**F. Jamie Sherman,** glassblower, is showing a variety of handblown vessels, perfume bottles and glass objects. In the studio, molten glass is blown and furnace-worked as it has been for centuries. Located 2 km. west of Bracebridge on Hwy. 118 to South Monck Drive, north 2 kms. and turn right, then third driveway on left side. R.R. 1, Bracebridge, Ont. P0B 1C0, (705) 645-3495. Hours: Wed. to Sat., June to Oct.; 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Nov. to May; by chance or appointment.

**G. Lyette Beaulac** is showing artistic clothing in silk, cotton and fine fibres, using techniques of spinning, dyeing and weaving. Located 2 km. west of Bracebridge on Hwy. 118 to South Monck Drive, north 2 km. and turn right, first driveway on left side. R.R. 1, Bracebridge, P0B 1C0, (705) 645-5554. Hours: June to Sept.; Mon. to Sat., 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Oct. to May; by chance or appointment.



**H. Jon Partridge,** Studio Potter is presenting in the showroom a quality selection of finished utilitarian and sculptural ware: In the studio, wheel-thrown and hand-built work in progress. Located 2 km. west of Bracebridge on Hwy. 118 to South Monck Drive, north 2 kms. turn left to first laneway. R.R. 1, Bracebridge, P0B 1C0, (705) 645-8618. Hours: June to Sept.; Wed. to Sat. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Oct. to May; by chance or appointment.

**I. Richard Green** exhibits his bronze semi-abstract figurative sculptures at his new gallery/studio (Richard Green Fine Art) located 3 km west of Bracebridge on Hwy. 118 W, R.R. #1, Bracebridge, Ontario P0B 1C0, (705) 645-6509. Hours: June 22 - Sept. 11, Thursday - Sunday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**J. Brian and Kathy Ashby,** artists in glass. Visit our studios, where Kathy will be creating delicate glass miniatures at the torch and Brian creates unique art glass in his hot glass studio. 11 km. north of Bracebridge on Muskoka Road 4, East side; or 11 km. south of Hwy. 141-35 Junction. R.R. 6, Bracebridge, P0B 1C0, (705) 385-2989. Hours: Showroom usually open or by appointment.

**K. Norman Colledge.** Exciting watercolours and acrylics of people, places and faces. A superb colourist. On Windermere Road (Musk. Rd. 4) 5.3 km. west of junction with Muskoka Road 35. R.R. 2, Utterson, P0B 1M0, (705) 769-3108. Hours: By appointment.

**L. Gerhard Balzeret,** Potter. Contemporary, unique, one of a kind, functional and sculptural pieces in porcelain. From Bracebridge, take Hwy. 118 west 12 km. to Hewlitt Road (near Milford Bay), and follow signs 4.4 km. to the studio. R.R. 6, Bracebridge. P0B 1C0, (705) 764-8088. Hours: By appointment.

**M. Doug Gatcke.** Carved burl bowls and marquetry are featured at the Artistry in Wood Studio on Butterfly Lake in Glen Orchard. The first turn to the right on Hwy. 118 from 169 is Glenwood Chapel Rd.; straight through 1/2 km., sign at driveway. Box 287, Port Carling. P0B 1J0, (705) 765-5029. Showroom open all year.

**N. Hermitage.** Merv Hopkins. Fine reproduction Windsor chairs handmade on the premises "from scratch", in native Muskoka woods. Muskoka Rd. 7 (Peninsula Road), 1 km. west of Port Sandfield Bridge, a few metres west of Elgin House Road.

**R.R. 2, Port Carling, P0B 1J0, (705) 765-5863.**  
 Hours: May to Oct. 9 to 4; Nov. to April by appointment.

**O. Ken Hoeght,** Earth Park Porcelain and stoneware is formed into unique, functional pieces using various Japanese techniques, giving warm and earthy tones. Located 2 km. west of Baysville on the north side of Hwy. 117. General Delivery, Baysville, P0B 1A0, (705) 767-3781. Open Holiday Week-ends. Hours: Tuesday to Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**P. Robert Gause,** Visual Artist, is exhibiting original waterscape paintings in oil, which explore the dynamic interplay of colour and shape in rock/water reflections as seen from the viewpoint of a canoeist gliding past rocky northern shorelines. Take Hwy. 117 east 1000 meters past the bridge at Baysville, turn right on to Dickie Lake Road, follow the signs in 4 km. from Baysville. Lot 75A Dickie Lake, Box 16, Baysville, Ont., P0B 1A0, (705) 767-3143. Hours: By appointment.

**Q. Anne Schwartze-Bünemann,** Art Studio on Lake of Bays. Resident painter with Canadian and European experiences. She is working mostly from Muskoka environmental inspirations in oil, watercolour, acrylic or pastels. Her work is landscape oriented, arrangements of elements in nature provoked by her compositions. Located on Hwy. 117, 4 km. east of Baysville on route to Doeset R.R. 1, Baysville, P0B 1A0, (705) 767-3302. Hours: By appointment during summer months.

**R. Wehrmann Furniture,** Dirk Wehrmann opens his shop and showroom. View pine and hardwood furnishings, lighting and gifts, all items made on the premises using local woods. Located 6 km. south of Huntsville on Muskoka Rd. 2, turn at Markles Rd. Box 123, R.R. 2, Huntsville, P0A 1K0, (705) 789-7963. Hours: 10 - 4 Mon. to Sat.

**S. Eric Lindgren** offers a variety of attractive and useful works in stoneware; from ovenware, tableware and vases to planters and sinks. Cathy Lindgren shows a selection of handpainted silk wall hangings and scarves at their studio just south of Huntsville off Hwy. 11. Turn east on Lindgren Road for 2 km. General Delivery, Huntsville. P0A 1K0, (705) 789-2843. Hours: Summer, 10-4 everyday; Winter, 10-4 Wed. to Sat.

**T. Charles Knapp's** enjoyment of design and colour is reflected in his stained glass art. From Hwy. 11 exit Muskoka Rd. 3 east (Main St.) 1.3 km. or 1.4 km. west from Downtown Huntsville on the north side of the road. 138 Main St. West, Huntsville, P0A 1K0, (705) 789-8291. Hours: Usually 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tues. through Sat. or by appointment.

**U. Marina Fricke** shows her unique technique of "Stone Sculpture" in her Maplewood Art Studio. Located at Hillside, 12 km. east of Huntsville, 10 km. west of Dwight on Hwy. 60. Please look for our sign "Maplewood Art Studio". R.R. 4, Huntsville, P0A 1K0, (705) 635-1378. Hours: By appointment or chance all year.