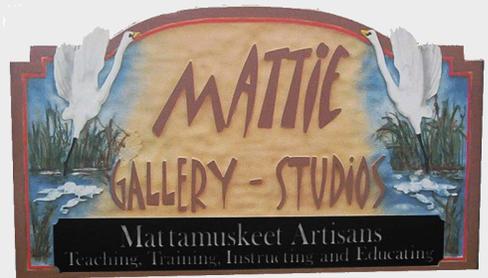


MATTIE ARTS FESTIVAL - ONE YEAR ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Saturday, October 26, 2013
10 AM-5 PM

(Ole county courthouse, downtown Swan
Quarter, NC.)



The kickoff begins at 10 AM with the installation of an interactive outdoor sculpture built especially with us in mind:
"THE GATEWAY TO THE OUTER BANKS"
A fine art consignment designed and fabricated by renowned sculptor, Jim Gallucci.

Thru out the day, local and area artist will be "in motion" at MATTIE demonstrating their techniques, answering your questions (including Jim), and in many cases, inviting you to try your hand at it....like Mural Painting with Carol Lynn of Engelhard!

Ed Clarke (Middletown) will be stretching canvass decoys; Gregory Berry (Engelhard) detailing wood decoys; Jessica Credle (Fairfield/Bath) etching glass; Jane Gibbs (Engelhard) carving vegetable art; Mark Hierholzer (Richmond/Swan Quarter) painting en Plein Air, and also offering your portrait in charcoal; Jimmy Huggins (Belhaven) dremeling continuous walnut chain link necklaces; blacksmith Joe Pugh (Gull Rock) at the forge; Pat Bertke (Belhaven) weaving; Cathy Clayton (Ponzer) woodburning and painting ornaments; and Laura Hayes (Engelhard) crafting faux stain glass.

The MATTIE Gallery will be open all day offering a broad selection of artwork and gifts perfect for every occasion.

Swan Quarter VFD will be serving dinner throughout the day; Continuous Live Music; Down East Arts and Crafts Show in the Hyde Co. Government Center across the commons.

A fun day of participation to celebrate the Arts !!!

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