



beacon artist union **Exhibition #184**

OPEN CALL to all Hudson Valley Artists

**The Donate \$10 Show Fundraiser and Arts Opener
Help Feed Beacon**

In an effort to get the arts going again in Beacon and feed the hungry in our community, BAU Gallery has invited Hudson Valley artists to fill our gallery walls with art for our July exhibition opening July 11th and running through August 2nd. Artworks are not juried. All artists are welcome. We are suggesting a \$10 donation from the participating artists and visitors to the exhibit to help feed the hungry in Beacon. Those donations are made directly to **(Community Action Partnership)** on their website. Donate directly using this link https://www.dutchesscap.org/how_to_help/donate.html
Specify: Beacon Food Bank to direct your funds.

Why are we doing this? We know Covid19 closures affected many. The arts community was hit particularly hard as many of us experienced the loss of planned exhibits, residencies, lost commissioned projects and teaching and supplemental jobs. We also know there are a lot of hungry people out there. Despite the loss of jobs and projects, artists continued to create during stay-at-home-orders. Now as we open up again, this is a chance to see some of the work that was produced, get the arts scene going again and help out our artist community and help feed the hungry.

The gallery will be following social distancing protocol.

All visitors must wear masks and observe social distancing. Please note we will not have an opening reception but we will return to our normal hours 12-6 Saturdays and Sundays.

Opening Date Second Saturday, July 11TH runs thru August 2ND

August 8th We resume our solo exhibition schedule with
Carla Goldberg in Gallery 1
Faith Adams in Gallery 2

BAU Mission Statement

Beacon Artist Union (bau) is a fine art gallery and project space. BAU is a platform for members/artists to experiment, grow, exhibit and market their work, encourage collaborative curatorial projects, host invitationals, building a vital link between the activities at BAU and the community. This is the 184th exhibition at BAU Gallery.

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