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FALL EXHIBITS: PAUL NELSON and JOANN SHELBY

The City of Marquette Arts and Culture Center announces its October/November LSAA Gallery exhibition by photographer Paul Nelson. Nelson, now a retired Civil Engineer, has been studying photography for eight years, attending lectures in the Upper Peninsula and in California. He has taken photography classes taught by professional photographers online through BetterPhoto.com where he was awarded their Advanced Photographer certification.

The November SmallWorks Gallery will feature artwork by artist JoAnn Shelby. Shelby, a Fine Arts graduate from Michigan State University, specializes in alcohol-based inks, with a focus on nature subjects. She was one of the founders of the Marquette County Quilters Association, and has been published in several magazines and books on quilting. Shelby is an avid teacher and has large works on display at the Department of Agriculture at Michigan State University and in private collections.

The LSAA Gallery installation will be running from Sept. 29 to Nov. 19 and the SmallWorks exhibit will be available for viewing Nov. 3-27. There will be a combined artist reception on Thursday, Nov. 5 from 6 to 8 p.m. The public is invited to attend and refreshments will be provided.

The City of Marquette Arts and Culture Center is located in the lower level of the Peter White Public Library. For more information or questions, please contact 228-0472 or email arts-culture@mqcty.org.

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