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## ICELAND AT THE ICE HOUSE IN BERKELEY SPRINGS

BERKELEY SPRINGS, WV—Morgan Arts Council presents ICELAND at the Ice House Gallery, a show that explores maps and travel, specifically the Icelandic region, as works of art.

A gala artists' reception opens the show on Friday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m.

Geraldine Kiefer, curator, conceptualized this show based on her interest in maps - from Renaissance through Enlightenment - of the island of Iceland during the time of her residency. "All of my maps mark personal and imaginative journeys and transcription of a place I hope to know better, and love even more, as I continue to work and travel there in the coming years," says Kiefer. The curator will be exhibiting her mixed media work during the show.

Other artwork by regional artists will be photography by Derek Kan, pastels by Susan Singer, and painting by Elisabet Stacy-Hurley. Drawing from Sigtryggur Berg Sigmarsson of Iceland will also be presented.

Two other shows open in the ancillary Hall of Dreams and Carr-Kelly galleries. "Through the Lens", is an exhibit of photographs from around the world and at the home of Linda Gee, and "#Waypoints" features the photography of less traveled locations – underwater and above water environments by Jamie Sullivan.

All shows continue through November 4th. Gallery hours are Thursday through Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

This program is presented with financial assistance from the WV Department of Arts, Culture and History, and the National Endowment for the Arts, with approval from the WV Commission on the Arts, & local hotel/motel taxes. The Ice House is at the corner of Independence and Mercer Streets in downtown Berkeley Springs, WV. For more information on this and other MAC activities, call 304-258-2300 or visit [www.macicehouse.org](http://www.macicehouse.org).

