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Flowers spring forth at the Ice House Gallery

BERKELEY SPRINGS, WV—A wide range of artwork celebrates the season in the “Pocketful of Posies” exhibit in the main Ice House Gallery in Berkeley Springs, WV. The show, curated by Cat Hutton, opens on Friday, June 7 with a reception starting at 7:30 p.m.

The show runs through Sunday, July 21. Gallery hours for the show are Thursday through Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

“A Pocketful of Posies” examines how artists incorporate flowers in their work. The show has items from clay to wood, collage to pottery, fabric to paintings, origami to lamps, as well as jewelry and garden totems. The works of local artists include glass by Veronica Wilson, metal by Maya Fredo, crochet by Hiroko Rubin, sculpture by Lynn Lavin, quilting by Jane Frenke, and watercolors by Pat Spranger, to name a few.

Curator Cat Hutton says, “I’m thrilled to be a part of this show that has so many talented artists hailing from Maryland, Virginia, Delaware and West Virginia.” Eighteen different artists display their art as inspired by flowers in the Ice House Gallery.

Also at the Ice House in the Carr-Kelly Gallery and Hall of Dreams from May 31 to July 21 is the artwork of the Potomac River Artists Guild. These works include a collection of diverse talent and a variety of expressions, from realism to abstracts; the collection of works promises something for everyone.

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, and local hotel/motel taxes.

The Ice House is at the corner of Independence and Mercer 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).