



Celebrating the Art of Making ...

August 2013

The Well-Crafted Word

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**August 2 –
September 1, 2013**

**Opening Reception:
Friday, August 2,
from 7 – 10 pm**

**Preview Night:
Thursday, August 1,
from 6-9 pm**

**Celebrating a decade-
long tradition, the Del
Ray Artisans Board of
Directors is pleased to
present *Anything Goes*,**

the 10th Annual Board Showcase. This show features artwork from Board members, Michele Reday Cook, Susan Amber Gordon, Lesley Hall, John Hiller, Nora Partlow, Betty Plummer, and Stacy Rausch.

Artists set their own artistic theme for this inventive exhibit. Our paintbrushes dance in the colors of the late summer sun; we recall on canvas memories of colorful people and places or wide-open spaces. We fill the gallery with playful sculpture and unusual photography. When inspired, *anything goes!* We'll have an "Art-to-Go" Market and the traditional Board Showcase Silent Auction of unique artworks specially created as a DRA FUNdraiser.

Seven hard-working board members would love help from the Del Ray Artisans community in putting on a fantastic show for August.

Ways you can volunteer:

1. Help staff Friday's Opening Reception, August 2, 7 – 10 pm — serve as door greeters, bartenders, food helpers and set up and cleanup crew. Donate gladly accepted refreshments.
2. Help us keep the gallery open during this show. With only seven artists, we need your help in filling all the hosting shifts! Sign-up now for an available gallery hosting slot, which counts toward your required hours. Contact Lesley Hall at volunteers@thedelrayartisans.org

One Percent — Show runs September 6 – 29

What is the One Percent that inspires you? This show is inspired by F. Scott Fitzgerald's novel *The Great Gatsby* regarding the wealthy 1%, but artists are asked to share the 1% in THEIR world. Area artists define what "One Percent" means to them, whether they draw from symbolism, politics, or physical attributes. Visit the gallery in September to see how artists express a single percent. — *Tamara Wilkerson, dawnoftheday@comcast.net*

Del-Ray-geous — All-Member Show: October 4 – 27

The home of Del Ray Artisans, the Del Ray neighborhood in the City of Alexandria, is more than just a place — it's a creative community. Del Ray has a bustling history of eclectic architectural styles, popular restaurants and small businesses, impressive community events, active non-profits, and some great City resources. It's hard to not get inspired by it all. Whether you have lived here for years or if you just fell in love with the community, we want you express what Del Ray means to you. Don't be afraid to let your creativity be outrageous. Make it Del-Ray-geous! Focus your 2- or 3-D artwork in any medium on a specific aspect of Del Ray or on community in general. Enter fine handcrafted artisans work and shrink-wrapped, unframed, matted 2-D artwork into the market. See Call for Entry next month. — *Curators Lesley Hall (lesley.rutbles@gmail.com) and Dawn Wyse Hurto (Dawn@DawnDS.com)*



**Welcome, New Members
Who Joined Us in June!**

Mary Battiata – Painting,
Drawing, Music

Jahed Haidari – Student

John Lanouette & Kirk and
Elizabeth Emge
SILVER PATRONS –
Sculpture – Foam Rubber

Traci Robinson-Williams –
Acrylic, Mixed Media

Peter & Lauren Smirniotopoulos



**Member Meeting/Annual
Pie Baking Contest —
Sunday, Aug. 18, 5 – 7 pm**

**I hope you've been perfecting
your baking skills, because now
is the time to blow us all away!**

Is your pie a sweet 'n salty creation or a rich and savory classic? Nothing is off limits for this contest. Now's the time to use DRA members as guinea pigs for that experimental pie no one has heard of. Or, if you are among the many who have a food allergy, you could be the first one to give us an "Alternative Pie".

The Top 3 Bakers will win a Prize!
Please contact me at volunteers@thedelrayartisans.org with questions, or if you'd like to help me with the meeting. Hope to see you all there!
— Lesley Hall, Volunteer Director

Del Ray Dozen Invitational Photography Show — November 1 – December 1

The Del Ray Dozen Invitational Photography Show returns to Del Ray Artisans after a 4-year hiatus. This is a juried show.

DRA member photographers are invited to prepare samples of their work to present to the jury in the portfolio reviews now scheduled for August 7 and 21. Photographers who are accepted choose recent works to display in their designated space in the gallery.

Portfolio Reviews are scheduled for Wednesdays, August 7 & 21. To sign up for a time, contact Rob Rudick.

— RobRudick, 301-270-2323
(robrudick@yahoo.com)



Partners in Art

Partners in Art artists meet regularly to share art-related goals, report on progress, share feedback on current work. Please see calendar for meeting dates/times. — *Millie Maten* (milaenartes@gmail.com) and *Katherine Rand* (Katherine@KatherineRand.com).



Tuesday, Aug. 27, 6 – 9 pm

Join Lisa Martinez of Arte Nuestra for another **Craft Night Social on Tuesday, August 27, 6 - 9 pm** at the gallery. The next social is October 22. Registration, details: www.TheDelRayArtisans.org/craft.



**2014:
Another opening of another unique, exciting DRA show ... It could be yours!**

Mark Your Calendar — Boat Painting Contest

The Alexandria Seaport Foundation (alexandriaseaport.org) is building a 6-foot scale model of their “Bevin Skiff”. DRA is soliciting proposals from you to paint it artistically during September’s Alexandria Art Market. The boat will then debut at the Alexandria Seaport Day on September 28. This collaborative effort between DRA and ASF celebrates Alexandria’s seafaring history and spirit. The finished boat will show off both non-profit service organizations. We plan to auction the boat for the benefit of ASF and DRA.



ASF’s “Bevin Skiff”
Photos by John Bordner

Your decorative scheme may include lighting, sculptural additions, and whatever your creative imagination comes up with! Construction will either be of wood or a wooden frame covered in canvas. Schematics and a digital photo of the original 12-foot boat are available by email request to John Bordner, at www.TheDelRayArtisans.org, or in the gallery.

The timeline...

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|-------------|---|
| 9 Aug | Final date of RFP submittals. |
| 13 Aug | DRA Board chooses winning design. |
| 30 Aug | tentative completion of the boat by ASF. |
| 2 Sept | NLT date that the boat will be at DRA for surface prep and roughing in. |
| 7 Sept | Alexandria Art Market! We’d do most of the painting here. |
| 8 - 25 Sept | Finish painting and artistic embellishments. |
| 28 Sept | Alexandria Seaport Day at Waterfront Park: the finished boat makes its debut! |



This project should be a hoot as well...enjoy! — *John Bordner* (JBordner@wiscenterprises.com)

DRA’s Adopt-a-Park Program

Try your hand at improving the appearance of the park and gallery, help improve the environment, get a little fresh summer air and exercise AND received time towards your 10 required volunteer hours PLUS earn points toward reward money for DRA.

We’ve been doing this for about 8 years and have earned over \$900 a year which goes towards our landscaping and building improvements. In some years we’ve been selected for awards under the citywide beautification program.

We pick up in the Colasanto Park (from the Mt Vernon/Commonwealth intersection to the school field fence) and around the gallery, usually on Saturdays or Sundays since Recreation Department inspections take place on Mondays. This clean-up generally takes about an hour.

Trash bags and rubber gloves are in the gallery kitchen if it is open. The filled trash bag goes in the metal trash cans behind the building. We pick up paper, bottles, glass, cigarette butts, etc. Bring a family member or friend for some fun exercise! Please let me know if you are can volunteer for one or more weekends. Contact me ASAP so I can schedule you. — *Marlin Lord, Facilities Director, 703-836-2724; cell: 703-508-7471*



From the President . . .

In Search of Proposals and Curators for 2014 Exhibit Schedule

Unleash your inner curator, and dig up those creative gems lurking in the back of your minds! Have a great idea for a show? Send it to us and experience how fulfilling it is to turn those ideas into actual exhibits with artworks that explore your theme or concept. Deadline for proposals is August 1. Show Proposal Form is available online at www.TheDelRayArtisans.org/shows. Complete it and send to curating@TheDelRayArtisans.org. — *Michele Reday Cook*



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Gallery Hours:

Thursday: noon-6 pm
First Thursday
(May-Sep): noon-9 pm
Friday: noon-9 pm
Saturday: 10 am-9 pm
Sunday: noon-6 pm

Submission Deadline: 15th of the month
Editor: newsletter@thedelrayartisans.org

Del Ray Artisans, founded in 1992, is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to promote art for the benefit of artists and the community.

2013 Calendar

August 2013

1 First Thursday, open until 9pm
2 – Sep 1 **SHOW Anything Goes!** curator Stacy Rausch
3 Alexandria Art Market, 10am – 4pm, Kimberley Bush, ArtMarket@thedelrayartisans.org
5 Partners in Art, 2-4pm
5 Life Drawing, 7-9pm, Short
7 Life Drawing, 11-1pm, Gesture (clothed)
7 Life Drawing, 2-5pm, Short/Long (clothed)
7 Portfolio Review for November Show, 7-9:30pm
13 Board Meeting, 7pm
14 Life Drawing, 6:30-9:30pm, Long
18 Life Drawing, 9:30-11:30am, Gesture (clothed)
18 Annual Cookout/Pie Contest, 5-7pm
19 Partners in Art, 2-4pm
21 Life Drawing, 2-5pm, Short/Long
21 Portfolio Review for November Show, 7-9:30pm
27 Craft Night Social, 6-9pm
28 Life Drawing, 6:30-9:30pm, Long

September 2013

5 First Thursday, open until 9pm
6 – 29 **SHOW One Percent** curator Greg Knott Tamara Wilkerson curators greg@gregknott.com dawnoftheday@comcast.net
7 Alexandria Art Market, 10am-4pm, Kimberley Bush, ArtMarket@thedelrayartisans.org
9 Partners in Art, 2-4pm
9 Life Drawing, 7-9pm, Short (clothed)
10 Board Meeting, 7pm
11 Life Drawing, 11 am-1pm, Gesture
11 Life Drawing, 2-5pm, Short/Long
12 WORKSHOP Playing with Resin, 7-10pm
15 CardMaking Party, 3-6pm
18 Life Drawing, 6:30-9:30pm, Long
22 Life Drawing, 9:30-11:30am, Gesture
23 Partners in Art, 2-4pm
25 Life Drawing, 2-5pm, Short/Long

October 2013

4 – 27 **SHOW Del-Ray-geous** (All-Member Show) Dawn Wyse Hurto Lesley Hall curators dawn@dawns.com lesley.ruthless@gmail.com
5 COMMUNITY Art on the Avenue, 10 am-6pm
7 Partners in Art, 2-4pm
7 Life Drawing, 7-9pm, Short
8 Board Meeting, 7pm
9 Life Drawing, 11-1pm, Gesture (clothed)
9 Life Drawing, 2-5pm, Short/Long (clothed)
13 WORKSHOP Pop-Up Sewing: Decorative Pillow, 11:30 am-1:30pm
16 Life Drawing, 6:30-9:30pm, Long
20 Life Drawing, 9:30-11:30am, Gesture (clothed)
20 Annual Meeting with Elections, 5-7pm
21 Partners in Art, 2-4pm
22 Craft Night, 6-9pm
23 Life Drawing, 2-5pm, Short/Long (clothed)

November 2013

1-Dec 1 **SHOW Del Ray Dozen Invitational Photography Show** Rob Rudick Jen Chappell curators robudick@yahoo.com jen.chappell@cox.net
2 Alexandria Art Market, 10am-4pm, Kimberley Bush, ArtMarket@thedelrayartisans.org
4 Partners in Art, 2-4pm
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28 THANKSGIVING, Gallery will be closed Thursday, but open Friday-Sunday



Artwork Dropoffs

One Percent, Sept 1 & 2, 6:30 – 8:30pm
Del-Ray-geous, Sept 29 & 30, 6:00 – 8:00pm

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Special thanks to the City of Alexandria, the Alexandria Commission for the Arts, the Virginia Commission for the Arts, and the National Endowment for the Arts, for their continued support of Del Ray Artisans, a 501(c)(3) organization.

Many thanks to Royce Flowers for providing such spectacular arrangements for our opening receptions.



CALL FOR ENTRY

One Percent

September 6 – 29, 2013

Although inspired by F. Scott Fitzgerald's novel *The Great Gatsby* regarding the wealthy 1%, this all-area artist, all-media show concept is about defining and depicting the 1% of anything you choose in a representational, abstract, or symbolic form in any media (2D/3D). One percent might be related to something overlooked or unnoticed, natural resources, indigenous cultures, achievement of happiness, a grain of sand or a drop of water etc. Consider 1% of something that you see, feel or wish for. Consider what 1% of something looks like today, yesterday or tomorrow. What is the 1% that inspires you?

Also, please provide an Artwork Statement to explain your piece. This will help us ensure a well-balanced show. Email the Artist Statement, along with permission to publish it alongside your work, to Tamara at wilkerson.tamara@gmail.com.

Curators: Tamara Wilkerson: wilkerson.tamara@gmail.com
Greg Knott: greg@gregknott.com

Entry Details:

- Receiving takes place Sunday & Monday, September 1 & 2 from 6:30–8:30 p.m.
- Artists may submit up to two (2) pieces of artwork. Entry fee is five dollars (\$5) per piece for Del Ray Artisans members and eight dollars (\$8) per piece for non-members.
- Your art must be ready to hang or display with wire and screw eyes, mounting and/or display stand, framed, matted, or with edges finished. We cannot show work that is not ready for exhibition. See www.thedelrayartisans.org/shows/artguidelines.html for details.
- When your art sells, you are asked to make a 20% donation (tax-deductible) to *Del Ray Artisans*.

Accepted Artist Requirements:

- Artists are responsible for drop-off/pick-up arrangements, as well as delivery of sold work.
- **All artists MUST gallery host and/or volunteer** with set-up, hanging, opening/closing receptions and/or take down. Please bring your calendars with you to artwork receiving, so you can sign up for duties. We'll also ask you to contribute a food or beverage for the opening reception.
- Insurance for artwork and all arrangements for work sold is the responsibility of the artist. Neither Del Ray Artisans nor the City of Alexandria can be held liable for any loss or damage.
- Permission to photograph any work for publicity purposes is automatically granted by the artist as a requisite for entering the show.
- Work must be original (no reproductions) and not previously exhibited in a DRA show.



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Saturdays: 10 am – 9 pm
Sundays: Noon – 6 pm

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ENTRY FORM

One Percent

September 6 – 29, 2013

Drop Off Dates: September 1 & 2 from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Entry Fee: \$5/piece Del Ray Artisans Members, \$8/piece Non-Members

Take-Away Art: \$5 for up to two Take-Away-Art items. No larger than 18” x 24” and priced to sell.

Artist Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone(s): _____

E-mail: _____

List artwork below:

	TITLE	MEDIA	PRICE
1)	_____	_____	\$ _____
2)	_____	_____	\$ _____

Take-Away-Art Items

	TITLE	MEDIA	PRICE
1)	_____	_____	\$ _____
2)	_____	_____	\$ _____

Don't forget to provide an *Artist Statement* to explain your piece; email to wilkerson.tamara@gmail.com.

I agree to abide by the policies and regulations set forth in this Call for Entry, I hereby release Del Ray Artisans, the Officers, the Board of Directors, and the City of Alexandria from any responsibility or personal liability to me from any damage, claims or loss in connection with this show.

Check here to have DRA automatically take a 20% tax-deductible donation from the sale of artwork.

Signed _____ Date _____



Important Dates:

Artwork Drop Off:	Sun/Mon, September 1 & 2, 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Non-Accepted Artwork Pickup:	Tuesday, September 3, 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Opening Reception:	Friday, September 6, 7 – 10 pm
Playing with Resin Workshop:	Thursday, September 12, 7 – 10 pm
Card-Making Party:	Sunday, September 15, 3 – 6 pm
Swing Dance Lessons:	TBA
Show Closes/Artwork Pickup:	Sunday, Sept 29, 6 – 8 pm



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CALL FOR PROPOSAL

Proposal for “Bevin Skiff” Boat Design/Painting

Contact: John Bordner, JBordner@wiscenterprises.com

What does Del Ray Artisans have in common with the Alexandria Seaport Foundation?

Service to community, the promotion of our art, educating the public...and now a boat! The Alexandria Seaport Foundation (ASF) is building a 6-foot scale model of their Bevin Skiff, and we're soliciting proposals from y'all to paint 'er up on Saturday, September 7 from 10am-4pm during the Alexandria Art Market. The boat will then debut at the Alexandria Seaport day on September 28, 2013.

Gather a Design Team of your choice, because this is a lot of work. Your concept may include more than paint—e.g. lighting, sculptural additions...whatever!

Here's what you need to know to submit a proposal:

A scale, non-functional model of a Bevin Skiff (schematics and photos of the original 12-foot boat are attached; cut all measurements in half). Construction will be of wood and a wooden frame covered in canvas.

Here's the timeline...

- AUG 9: Final date of proposals submittals to John Bordner at JBordner@wiscenterprises.com
- AUG 13: Del Ray Artisans (DRA) Board will choose winning design.
- AUG 30: Tentative completion of the boat by ASF.
- SEP 2: The boat will be at DRA for surface prep and roughing in design (as desired).
- SEP 7: Alexandria Art Market! This is when we'd like to do most of the painting...drawing attention to our master artists at work!
- SEP 8 – 25: Finish painting and artistic embellishments.
- SEP 28: Alexandria Seaport Day at Waterfront Park! The finished boat will make its debut!

This is a collaborative effort between two outstanding Alexandria non-profits, and is a celebration of Alexandria, its seafaring history, and the spirit of its people. The finished work will show off both organizations, and we're looking into ultimately auctioning off the boat for the benefit of ASF and DRA. Not only that, but it should be a hoot as well...enjoy!

More information: Please see the ASF web site for more information about this inspiring local non-profit organization: <http://alexandriaseaport.org>. Email John Bordner with any questions: JBordner@wiscenterprises.com



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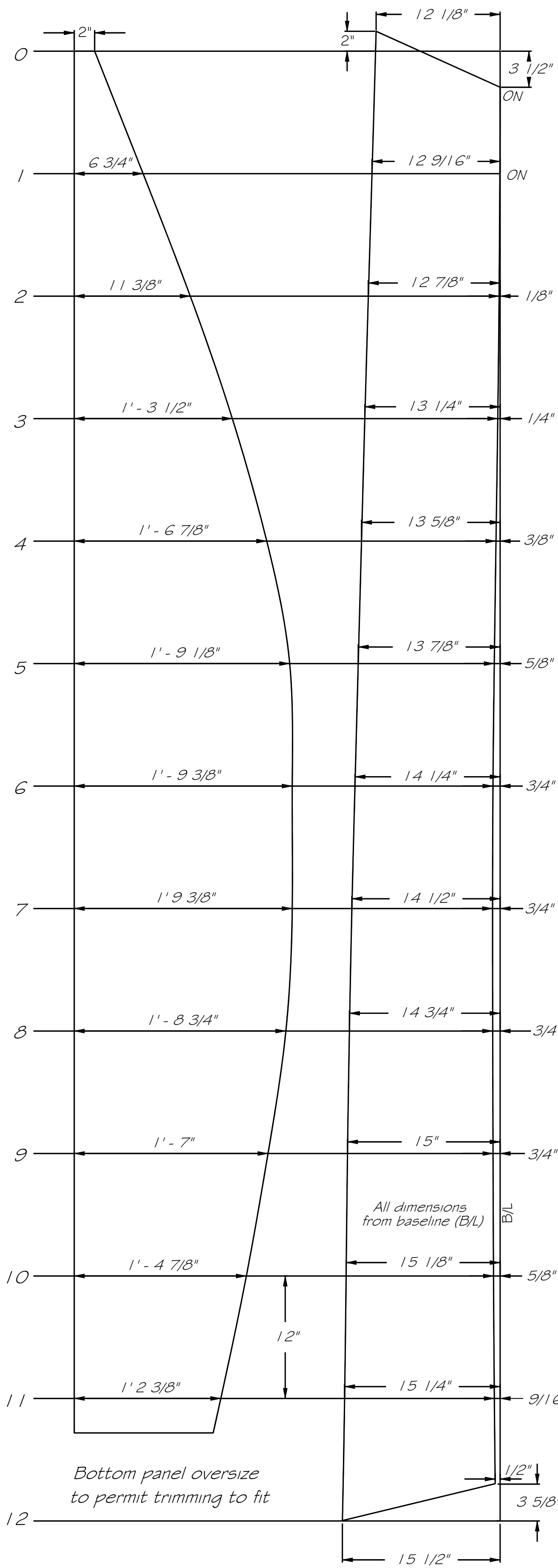
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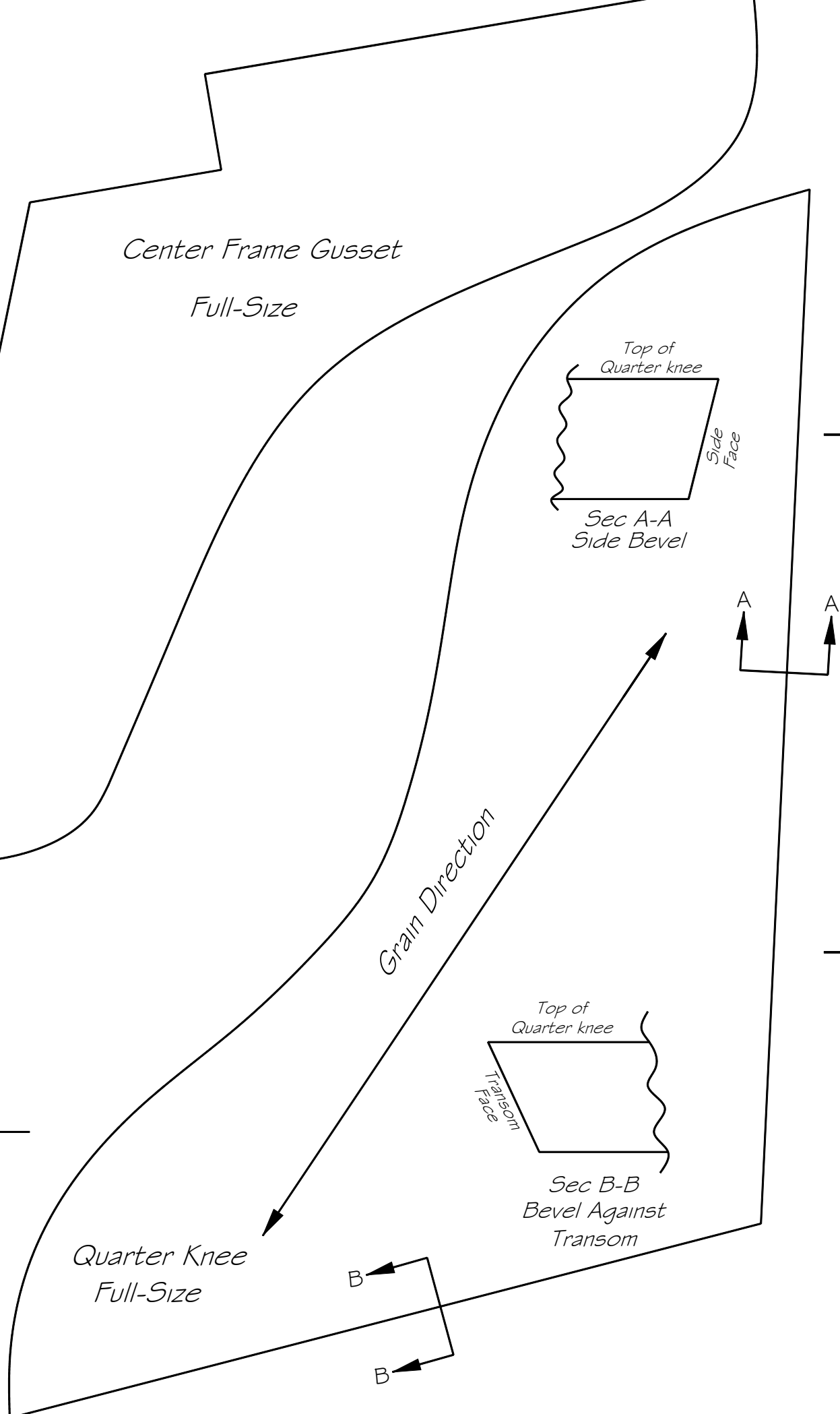
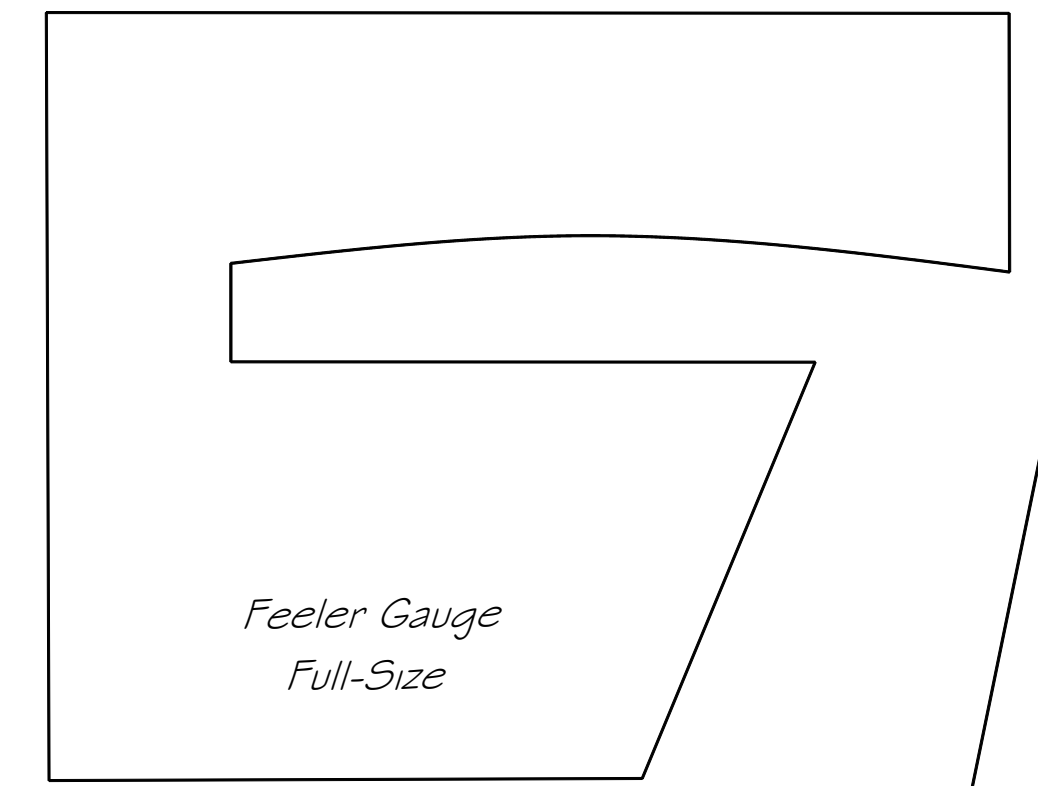
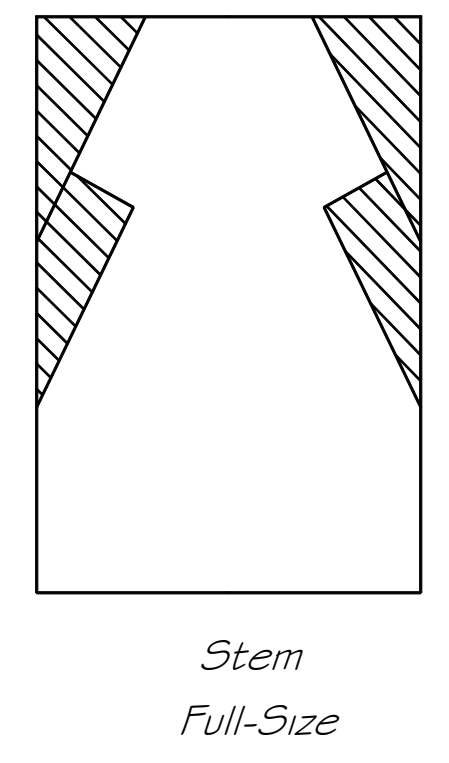
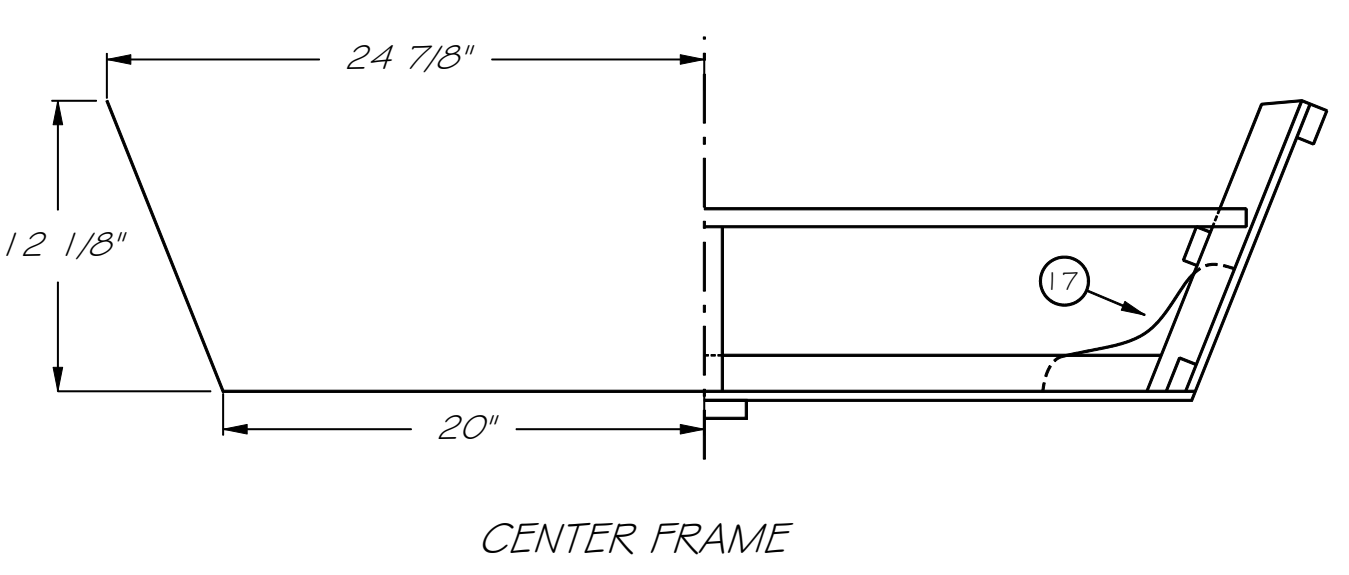
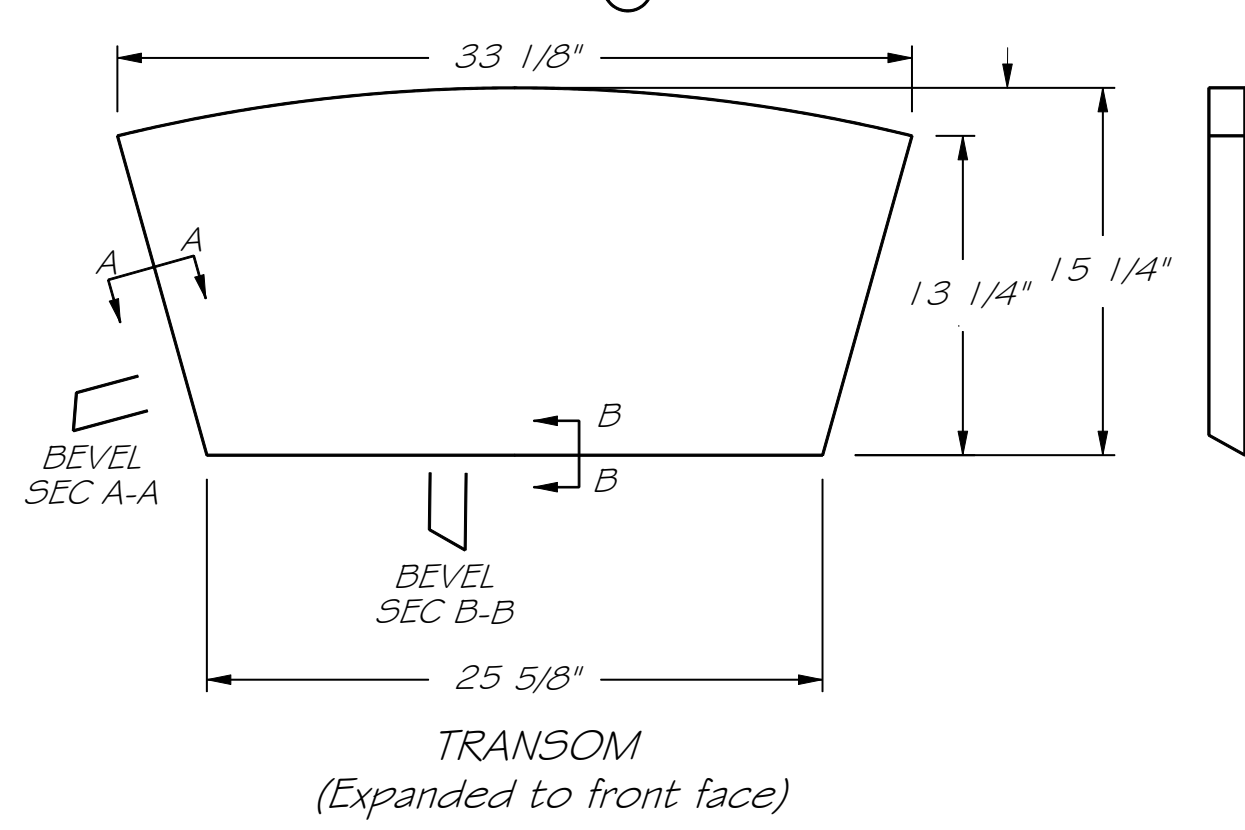
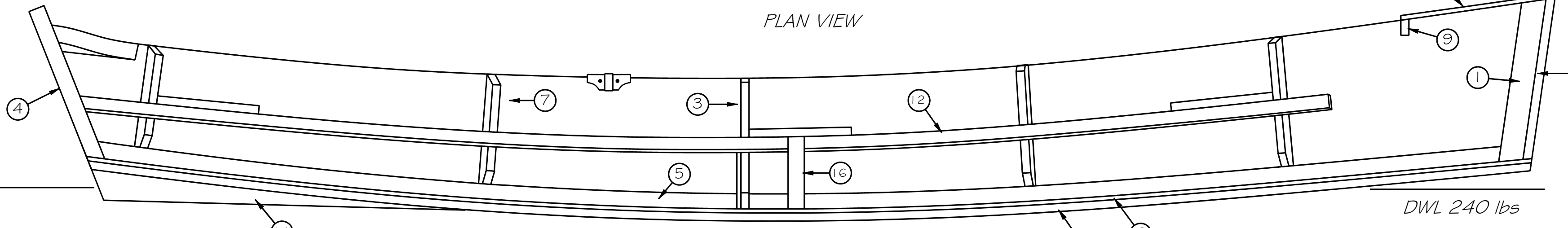
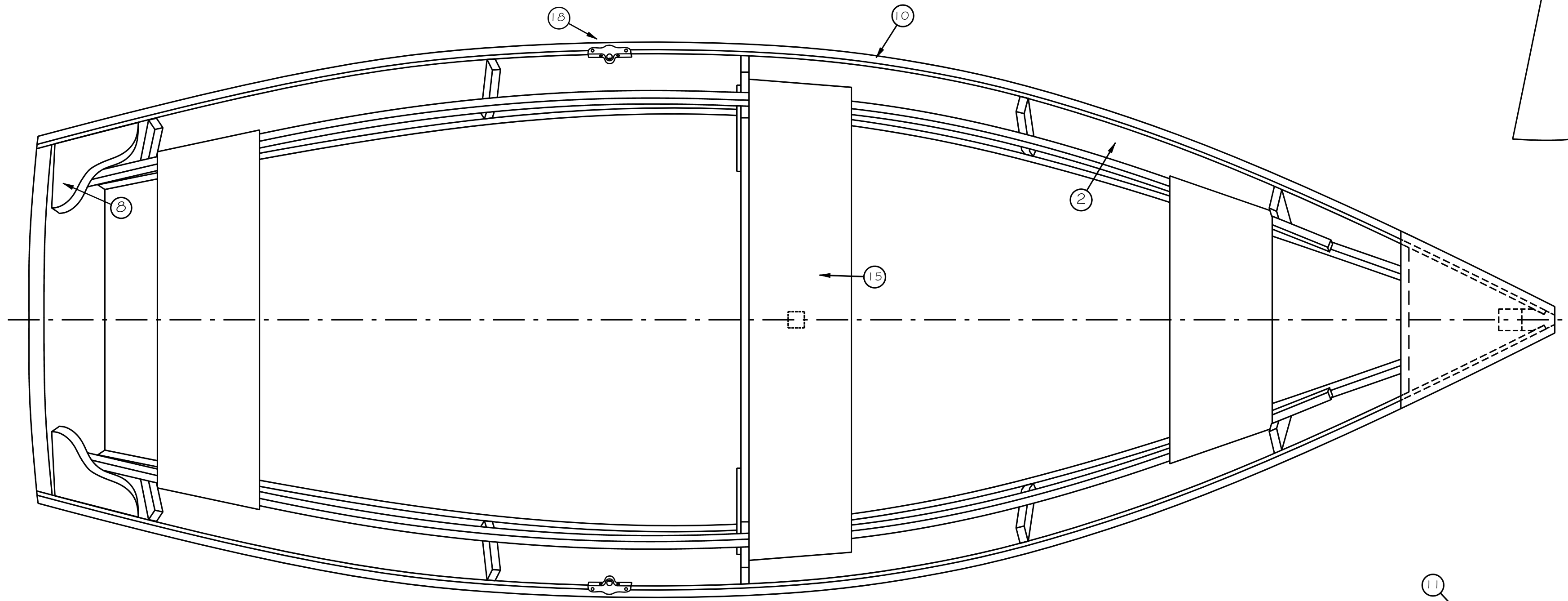
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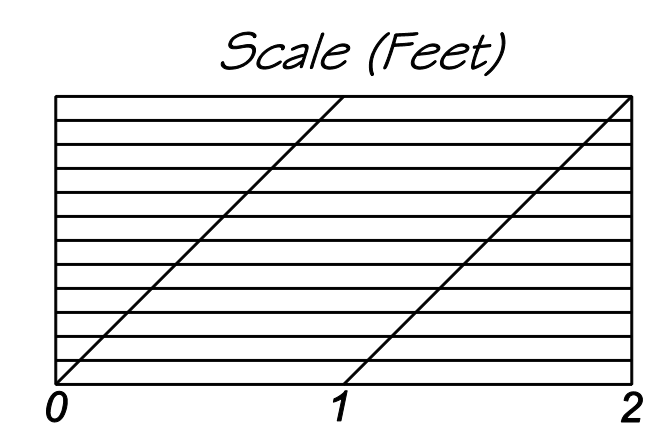




#	ITEM	DIMENSION	MATERIAL	NAILS
1	Stem	2" x 3"	White Oak	1-1/2"
2	Side Panels	3/8"	Mahogany Marine Plywood	
3	Center Frame	1-1/2" x 3/4"	Spruce or Fir	1-1/2"
4	Transom	1-1/2"	Spruce or Fir	2"
5	Chine	1-1/2" x 3/4"	Spruce or Fir	1-1/2" Bottom, 1" Side @ 4" spacing
6	Bottom	3/8"	Mahogany Marine Plywood	
7	Frame (Typical)	1-1/2" x 3/4"	Spruce or Fir	1-1/2"
8	Quarter Knee	1-1/2"	Spruce or Fir	1-1/2" # 2"
9	Deck Beam	1-1/2" x 3/4"	Spruce or Fir	1-1/2"
10	Rail	1-1/2" x 3/4"	Spruce or Fir	1" @ 4" spacing, 1-1/2" at knees
11	Fore Deck	3/8"	Mahogany Marine Plywood	1" @ 3" spacing
12	Seat Riser	1-1/2" x 5/8"	Spruce or Fir	1-1/2"
13	Keel	3/4" x 3-1/2"	Spruce, Fir or Northeastern Pine	1" # 1-1/2" @ 4" spacing
14	Skeg	3/4" x 3-1/2"	Spruce, Fir or Northeastern Pine	1" # 1-1/2"
15	Seat (Typical)	3/4" x 9-1/4"	Spruce, Fir or Northeastern Pine	
16	Seat Support	1-1/2" x 1-1/2"	Spruce or Fir	
17	Center Frame Gusset	3/8"	Mahogany Marine Plywood	
18	1/2" Edge Socket Orlocks			



Dimensions:
 LOA 11' 8"
 Beam 4' 4"
 Draft 3" at 240 lb Disp
MAX CAPACITY 3 persons or 450 LBS
 500 LBS Persons & Gear
 Not Rated for Propulsion by Motor



BEVIN'S SKIFF
 STRETCHOUTS & CONSTRUCTION
 Sheet 1 of 1
 DATE: 22 Apr 2004 Update SCALE: 1-1/2" = 1' 0"
 Designed by Joe Youcha Drawn by John Nicholson

Del Ray Artisans Presents its
Fine Art & Fine Craft Holiday Market 2013

Dec 6 - 8 weekend == Dec 13 - 15 weekend == Dec 20 - 22 weekend

Welcome new and returning artist exhibitors to the 18th annual Holiday Market!

We will continue this year with 3 weekends and will offer booth space as well as wall space. Each weekend, there will be room for 10 table-top “booth” exhibitors and from 4 to 8 wall exhibitors (2D work only). This change opens up our gallery floor, allows more visitors the opportunity to walk around easily view the exhibitors space, and encourages 2D artists into a wall space choice rather than being forced into a “booth” setup.

The revised space also allows room for

- front desk to host the Bake Sale (which benefits a local non-profit)
- poinsettias for sale in the front lobby
- a space for food and refreshments on Friday nights

As you fill out the application, we will ask specific questions that will need to be answered or it may delay your application into the process. Each weekend will still be designed as a “balanced market” (we cannot have all photographers or all jewelers, etc) so not all accepted artists are guaranteed their first choice weekend.

Artist Guidelines

- **ELIGIBILITY:**
 - Participating artists can be members of Del Ray Artisans or non-DRA members. DRA members must be active by the application deadline in order to receive the member space rate.
 - The DRA Gallery has limited space availability. The Committee reserves the right to keep the variety of goods available balanced.
 - All work sold at the Holiday Market must be handmade by the artist selling the work and originals need to have been made within the last 3 years. Reproductions are acceptable as long as the original was made by the artist within the last 3 years. The Committee reserves the right to remove any item(s) from sale, at any time, for any reason. **The artist may only sell artwork in the media category that was indicated on the artist’s application.**

- **APPLICATION:**
 - **Artist Application (pages 3 & 4) must be RECEIVED by Monday, August 26, 2013 – along with your check (for one weekend only) and pictures.**
 - Up to three (and ONLY 3) pictures (emailed, printed or on CD) representative of the work to be sold should accompany the application. If you would like your materials returned, please include a self-addressed, postage-paid envelope.

- Checks should be made out to **Del Ray Artisans** and should accompany this application form at time of submittal. If you are not accepted into the show, your check will be returned.
 - **Your canceled check is considered acceptance of the conditions of the Market and will reserve your space.**
- **ONCE SELECTED:**
 - Once you are accepted into the Holiday Market, your application fee becomes **non-refundable**. Please note that space is nontransferable; any cancellations will be filled by artists selected by the Committee. **Cancellations and no-shows will NOT be refunded.**
 - You are also expected to donate **10% of your total sales** (tax deductible donation).
 - Accepted artists are guaranteed to be in at least one weekend Market (either your first or second choice). Participating in more than one weekend will be determined by the media and interest level of participating artists – artists chosen to set up for a 2nd weekend will be contacted soon and will be required to pay for that space in order to secure it.
 - DRA will publicize the event through printed materials, electronic media and local advertising. Artists will also be given publicity materials to send to their personal contacts and drop off at local businesses.
- **FOR YOUR SELECTED WEEKEND:**
 - Artists must provide their own tables and/or displays. DRA will provide folding chairs. Gallery space is very limited, so please be courteous to your neighbors.
 - For Wall artists:
 - You are welcome to bring your own but DRA will provide hammers, nails and picture hooks
 - No sticky hangers are to be used on the walls
 - Walls will need to be spackled and re-painted after the weekend is over
 - A bin and/or table can be used in addition to the wall, but nothing should extend more than 2 feet from the wall
 - No raffles or drawings are allowed in your space. Customers visit the Market to purchase hand-made art – there is no need for these gimmicks to compel people to purchase.
 - Artists or their proxy must be present during Holiday Market hours **AT ALL TIMES** to handle sales. DRA will not sell items on behalf of artists.
 - Artists are responsible for their own sales, making their own change, and collection of sales tax.
 - DRA will allow artists to take credit cards through the DRA credit card machine (VISA, MasterCard, American Express) so that sales won't be lost—please be aware that it will take approximately 4 weeks to receive a check from DRA (minus the bank's transaction fee of 5% of the sale plus the 10% artist donation). There are other alternatives, such as SquareUp.com, ProPay, etc) so please look into those before signing the DRA credit card agreement.
 - Artists can set up the Thursday evening 6:30 - 8:30pm, or Friday afternoon between 3:30 – 5:30 pm before your scheduled weekend. **All artists must be set up by 5:30 pm Friday evening.** A reception (with food and an open bar) will be held from 6 – 9 pm each Friday night.

Del Ray Artisans Presents its
Fine Art & Fine Craft Holiday Market 2013

Dec 6 - 8 weekend == Dec 13 - 15 weekend == Dec 20 - 22 weekend

Artist Application Deadline: Monday, August 26, 2013

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: Cell _____ Home _____

E-mail: _____

Overall Notes:

- The 2013 Holiday Market is open to DRA members and non-members. However, preference will be given to DRA members.
- Artists wishing to share space may apply on the same application – please be sure to mark the media section appropriately.
- See the Artist Guidelines for more details.

Definitions:

- **Booth** = a 6-foot long space and approximately 4 feet deep. You can design your space with one table, multiple tables, displays, etc as long as you don't exceed your space.
- **Wall** = for 2D artwork ONLY. Spaces are either approximately 8 or 9 feet long and you can utilize from floor to ceiling – if you choose a half wall, you will share that space with another half-wall artist. You cannot choose which size wall you want – location is determined by the Committee to ensure a balanced market. Wall spaces can also include a bin as long as the bin does not extend out more than 2 feet.

Fee: See pricing structure below for the space **plus 10% of total sales** (tax deductible donation) back to DRA

- **Booth Space**
 - 6-foot booth space (10 available) - \$60 per weekend (non-member \$80 per weekend)
- **Wall Space**
 - Whole wall (approx. 8 to 9 feet) - \$60 per weekend (non-member \$80 per weekend)
 - Half wall (approx. 3.75 – 4.5 feet) - \$40 per weekend (non-member \$50 per weekend)

Write a check for one weekend only made out to **Del Ray Artisans**. If you are accepted into a second weekend, we will direct you to send in another check. Checks should accompany this application form at time of submittal. **If you are not accepted into the Market, your original check will be returned.** Accepted artists' checks will be deposited after the decision date, September 6, 2013.

Holiday Market Timeline

- Registration Deadline: Monday, August 26, 2013
- Artist Notification, via email: by Friday, September 6, 2013
- Mandatory Artist Meeting: Thursday, September 19, 2013 – 7 pm
- Artist Installation: Thursday before selected weekend 6:30 – 8:30 pm and Friday 3:30 – 5:30 pm
- Reception: each Friday 6 – 9 pm (Dec 6, Dec 13, and Dec 20)
- Holiday Market Hours: each weekend, Friday 6 – 9pm, Saturday 10am – 4pm, Sunday 12 – 4pm

1) **Media Category:** *Include up to three pictures TOTAL (emailed, printed or on CD). These pictures should be representative of the work you plan to sell.*

- Jewelry (Type: _____) Glass (Type: _____)
 Photography Other 2D work (Type: _____)
 Pottery (Type: _____) Other (_____)

2) **Weekend Preference:** *Write 1st and 2nd in the weekend space you want first and second; please do not mark both weekends you want with “1st” – please choose a preference. Depending on your media and artist participation, you may be accepted into one or two weekends.*

Dec 6 - 8	Dec 13 - 15	Dec 20 - 22

3) **Booth or Wall:** *Please choose only ONE.*

	BOOTH: 6-foot space - \$60 per weekend (non-member \$80 per weekend)
	WALL: whole wall (approx. 8 to 9 feet) - \$60 per weekend (non-member \$80 per weekend)
	WALL: half wall (approx. 3.75–4.5 feet) - \$40 per weekend (non-member \$50 per weekend)

Application, check & photos due by August 26, 2013

Del Ray Artisans
 Attn: Holiday Market
 2704 Mount Vernon Avenue
 Alexandria, VA 22301

Application Checklist	
<input type="checkbox"/> Membership Current?	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-member?
<input type="checkbox"/> Completed Application	
<input type="checkbox"/> Check written for one weekend’s rate	
<input type="checkbox"/> Photos or CD or emailed	
<input type="checkbox"/> Weekend preference selected	
<input type="checkbox"/> Booth or wall space preference selected	