

Maine school faculty show their stuff

Exhibit starts June 14 at Messler Gallery in Rockport, Maine, while artists and artisans team up in New Hampshire



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"New Work by Faculty," an exhibition of fine furniture and sculpture, will open June 14 at the Messler Gallery of the Center for Furniture Craftsmanship in Rockport, Maine. The exhibition runs through Sept. 10. The 25 artists represented in this exhibition are drawn from the internationally diverse instructors at the Center for Furniture Craftsmanship.

Granite State exhibition

Through June 5, members of the New Hampshire Furniture Masters Association (NHFMA) are joining members of the New Hampshire Art Association (NHAA) in the collaborative

"Olive Green Table" by Kimberly Winkle is built with polychrome poplar and mahogany, and finished with milk paint. It will be on display June 14-Sept. 10 as part of the "New Work by Faculty" exhibition at the Messler Gallery in Rockport, Maine.

exhibition "Furniture as Art/Art as Furniture." The exhibition, which features works by 14 furniture masters and 18 NHAA artist members, is on display at the NHAA's Robert Lincoln Levy Gallery in Portsmouth, N.H.

"Furniture as Art/Art as Furniture" will showcase works by furniture masters Ted Blachy, Aurelio Bolognesi, John Cameron, Jeffrey Cooper, David Leach, Wayne Marcoux, Terry Moore, Richard Oedel, Brian Reid, Brian L. Sargent, William Thomas, Peter Turner, Thom Walsh and Leah Woods.

"The furniture masters are delighted to have this opportunity to exhibit alongside fellow artists from across the state," NHFMA chair David Lamb said in a news release. "This exhibition also represents an exciting opportunity for the public in that virtually all of the work is for sale. If you'd like to see some of the best art being done in the state today and potentially add a piece to your collection, 'Furniture as Art/Art as Furniture' is one exhibition you won't want to miss."

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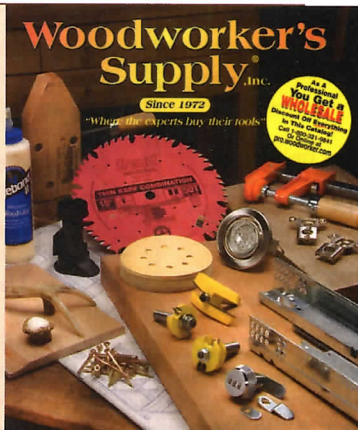
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