

DA art teacher readies for exhibition opening



Seated at his monitor and easel, which serves as his “digital canvas,” artist Richard S. McWherter demonstrates how he controls his electronic palette using a stylus as a “virtual reality” paintbrush to create his expressionistic photographs. This image titled “Carolina Morning” will be on display at The Panza Gallery in Millvale during the “Significant & Sublime” exhibition May 11 to June 1. The group exhibition is designed to highlight the critical role of art teachers in public education. There will be an opening reception from 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday, May 11. McWherter is an art teacher in Derry Area High School.