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Wheaton Library features Marilyn Dale

Local Naperville Fine Artist Offers a Compelling Glimpse into Her Artistic Vision

A Solo Art Exhibition by Marilyn Dale
Wheaton Public Library's Arts & Culture Center
225 N. Cross St, Wheaton, IL 60187
Exhibition Dates: Month of October, 2025
Opening Reception: TBD

Naperville, IL — The Wheaton Public Library's Arts & Culture Center will feature the work of local Naperville artist Marilyn Dale throughout the month of October 2025. The display, located on the library's first floor, will showcase approximately 20 original paintings created by Dale.

The Arts & Culture Center serves as a community-accessible gallery dedicated to introducing regional artists to the public. Marilyn's vibrant and evocative works will be open for viewing during all regular library hours (Mon–Thu 9 AM–9 PM; Fri–Sat 9 AM–5 PM; Sun 1–5 PM).

Exhibition highlights include oil and mixed-media compositions such as *We Never Surrender*, *What Secret Does She Know*, *Gold as Ice*, and *Night of the Soul* — all originals featured on marilyndale.com. The selection spans a range of styles and subjects, offering visitors a compelling glimpse into Dale's artistic vision.

A public reception will be held in mid-October (exact date to be confirmed), providing an opportunity for patrons to meet Marilyn, discuss her work, and enjoy light refreshments in the library's café. Admission is free, and all are welcome to attend.

The Wheaton Public Library's Arts & Culture Center offers a welcoming environment in which guests can view exhibits, participate in community programming, and enjoy a cup of coffee in a friendly, artistic atmosphere.

About the Arts & Culture Center

Located on the first floor of the Wheaton Public Library, the Center is dedicated to introducing local and regional artists to the community through rotating exhibitions and related programming wheatonlibrary.org+9wheatonlibrary.org+9wheatonlibrary.org+9.

About Marilyn Dale

Marilyn Dale is a contemporary painter whose original works have been juried into multiple galleries and exhibitions in 2024 and 2025. Her pieces range from intimate small-scale works to bold statement paintings marilyndale.com. She served as the president of the Naperville Art League and taught a variety of art classes at North Central College continuing education, the Naperville Art League, and DuPage Art League. Dale earned a Certificate in Painting from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago. She also led the Art & Environment Committee for her church for over 10 years as well as designed large scale works for a number of churches across the US.