

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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**Hours:** (Tues - Sat) 11:00 am - 4:00 pm; (Sun) 12:00 noon - 4:00 pm

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**Exhibit Title:** New England Book Artists Members' Show

**Exhibit Dates:** April 4 to May 31, 2026

**Artist Reception:** Saturday, April 18, 2:00 to 4:00 PM

**Book Making Workshop:** Saturday, May 16, 1:00 to 3:00pm  
(A drop-in project for all ages)

## **LOCAL EXHIBIT FEATURES NEW ENGLAND BOOK ARTISTS**

Lowell, MA - New England Book Artists, NEBA, is a professional organization of book artists and bibliophiles. This show spotlights work from NEBA members created over the past two years. The members are a talented group of artists exploring handmade books from all over New England with fresh ideas and endless creativity.

Artists included in the exhibit: Ania Gilmore, Anita Gangi Balkun, Ann Miller, Anne McMillan, Annie Zeybekoglu, Barbara Hocker, Carolyn Shattuck, Carrie Scanga, Chris Perry, Cristina Hajosy, Cynthia Marsh, Deborah Phillips Chodoff, Dennis Dahill, Diane Franklin, Elisa Lanzi, Elise Morissette, Ellen Schiffman, Fruma Markowitz, Gail Hansen, James Reid-Cunningham, Jan Owen, Janet Poirrier, Judy O'Dell, Katherine Lobo, Laurel Rogers, Marcia Vogler, Meia Geddes, Penelope Hall, Rebecca Goodale, Rebekah Lord Gardner, Richard Reitz Smith, Ronni Komarow, Ruby Silvius, Sally Chapman, Sandra Cardillo, Stephanie Stigliano, and Susan Leavey.

The Brush Art Gallery and Studios is located in the Lowell National Historical Park across the courtyard from the Visitor Center. This dynamic and captivating place was originally founded by the Lowell Historic Preservation Commission, U.S. Department of the Interior. The Brush presents museum quality exhibitions, educational programs, and has collaborated with many other nonprofit groups. Artists occupy studio spaces where they interact with and educate the public on a weekly basis. Studio artists produce paintings, illustration, photography, jewelry, sculpture, ceramics, quilts, and hand crocheted items. Associate artists display work in the common area. The Brush Art Gallery and Studios is a nonprofit, 501(c)(3) organization. **The Brush is supported by the Lowell National Historical Park.**



**Image:** We Are The Light by Stephanie Stigliano

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