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## NEWS RELEASE

### MANHEIM TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY HOSTS HOLIDAY ART SHOW FEATURING SPECIAL STUDENT EXHIBIT

November 22, 2011 - The Gallery at the Manheim Township Public Library is pleased to announce the start of their Holiday Art Show featuring over 70 pieces of original artwork, numbered prints and handcrafted jewelry from 17 artists, many of whom reside in Lancaster County. The Gallery at the Library located within the Manheim Township Public Library at 595 Granite Run Drive in Lancaster, has several art shows each year with works from Lancaster County and Regional artists.

The Holiday Art Shows also includes a special exhibit in the Morgan Center by students from the Millersville University Art Department entitled "From Realism to Abstraction".

An Artist's Reception will be held on Wednesday, November 30 from 5:30 – 8 PM, within the Library, to celebrate the new show and allow those in the public to meet many of the artists. The reception is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

All of the pieces in the show, not including the student exhibit, are for sale. Proceeds from the sale of artwork benefit The Manheim Township Public Library Foundation.

The show can be viewed during regular library hours through January 31. A brochure highlighting the artist's in the Holiday Art Show is available at the Library. Artists interested in having their works considered for future shows may contact Lori at 717-560-6441 ext. 304 or email at [ldietrich@mtpl.info](mailto:ldietrich@mtpl.info).

Manheim Township Public Library is more than books! Our new library is an information, education and inspiration center as well as a physical and virtual gathering place for Manheim Township residents. Our services and programs educate, promote and support personal growth and life-long learning. For more information and to register for programs visit: [www.mtpl.info](http://www.mtpl.info).

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