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Bloomsburg Children's Museum Welcomes New Art Exhibit by Two Local Artists

The Bloomsburg Children's Museum is pleased to announce a new art show, featuring two local artists: Virginia Dignazio and Shaina Davis.

Shaina Davis is from Danville. Her artwork has a focus on nature and she generally works in the mediums of photography, painting, and drawing. She said she finds inspiration in the changing seasons, the weather, holidays, and places such as state parks, nature preserves, and her flower garden. Her subjects frequently include nature: plants, animals, the sky, water, and all of the elements.

Davis said, "I love exploring with my camera in tow, just seeing what kind of wildlife I can find. Places like state parks have gorgeous landscapes to capture and share with the world. I have been showing my artwork locally and professionally for over a decade."

Virginia Dignazio is an artist and lifelong Pennsylvania resident and like Davis, much of her inspiration comes from nature, local scenery, and suburban wildlife. Many of her paintings feature scenic landscapes in either acrylic or oil paints. More recently, she began creating monotype prints using Gelli plates, acrylics, and dried plants from her garden.

Dignazio said, "Afternoons are often spent in my home studio either painting, making prints, or experimenting with new supplies. I also enjoy participating in art exhibits and painting on location with the Hazleton Art League plein air group."

The exhibit will be on display at the Bloomsburg Children's Museum through October and can be viewed with regular Museum admission.

The Bloomsburg Children's Museum is open Monday through Saturday 10 am-4 pm. For more information about these and additional programs, visit the-childrens-museum.org

