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RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY KICKS OFF THE THOMPSON PARK CREATIVE ARTS CENTER'S ANNUAL STUDENT & INSTRUCTOR EXHIBIT & SALE



LINCROFT — The Monmouth County Park System will kick off its ***Annual Student & Instructor Exhibit & Sale*** with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, December 7. Held at the recently expanded Thompson Park Creative Arts Center, 805 Newman Springs Road, Lincroft, the ceremony marks the opening of a new art gallery, an additional studio, and outdoor patio at this popular facility. All are welcome to attend. The ***Annual Student & Instructor Exhibit & Sale*** follows from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. on Saturday & Sunday, December 7 & 8.

A celebration of the Creative Arts Center's students and instructors' original artwork, the ***Annual Student & Instructor Exhibit & Sale*** features unique handmade items and is a great opportunity to pick up the perfect gift or accent piece. Throughout the year, the Creative Arts Center hosts a

variety of fine art and craft classes suitable for all levels in drawing; acrylic, oil and watercolor painting; jewelry making; knitting; sewing; basket weaving; photography; and hand-building, raku and wheel-throwing pottery.

To learn more about the ***Annual Student & Instructor Exhibit & Sale***, the Creative Arts Center or the Park System, please visit www.MonmouthCountyParks.com or call 732-842-4000. For persons with hearing impairment, the Park System TTY/TDD number is 711. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, is Monmouth County's Open Space, Parks, and Recreation agency.

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