

Gallery 93

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New Exhibit: Joan Baldwin, *Daydreams of Summer*
Dec 9, 2024 - Feb 28, 2025

Brookline, Massachusetts, Gallery 93 at the Brookline Senior Center is pleased to present *Daydreams of Summer* by artist Joan Baldwin. The exhibit runs from Dec 9, 2024, through Feb 28, 2025. A reception for the artist will be held on Thursday January 16 from 1:30-3:00 pm with an artists' talk held at 2:00 pm. Gallery 93, located at 93 Winchester Street, Brookline, MA, is open from 8:30-5:00, Monday through Friday.

Painter Joan Baldwin explores nature and mystery in her work. She investigates the many textures, color and light of the Cape Cod landscape and imbues a sense of wonder and the unknown into many of her works. A bird seems at first ordinary and then on second viewing, we see a rush of feathers rising up off of its body and fluttering in the wind. It gives a sense of a secret life that perhaps this bird possesses unusual abilities. Baldwin's work wants to keep us looking and guessing and her open-ended narrative does just that, we get to linger a while in this other world she has fashioned for us.

Joan Baldwin has been an artist member of the Kingston Gallery since 2003. She has been a participant in a variety of shows at institutions such as Clark University, Brandeis University, and The Art Complex Museum in Duxbury. Joan has received many awards, including the exclusive finalist award in works on paper from the Massachusetts Cultural Council's Artist's Grant Program. Her work has been reviewed in publications including Art New England, The Boston Globe and Artscope. For many years prior to 1995 Joan worked as an illustrator, muralist and display artist in Charlotte, NC. She has lived and worked in the Boston area since 1995, concentrating exclusively on fine arts painting. Joan graduated from Purdue University with a B.A. in art education and has supplemented her education in Charlotte NC, London and Boston, including courses at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts and Massachusetts College of Art and Design. Her studio is located at River Street Artists, part of Waltham Mills Artists Association in Waltham, MA.

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