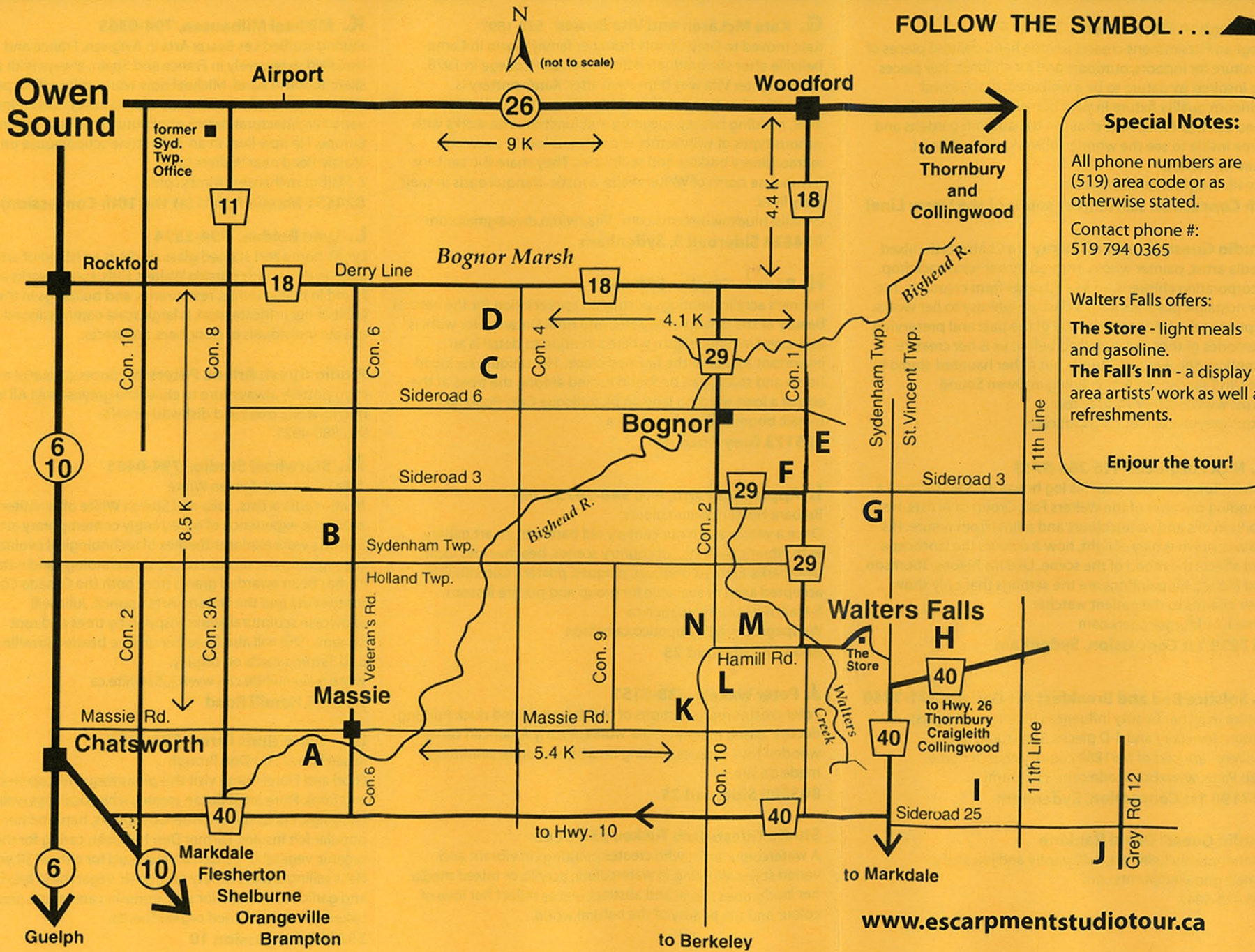


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Artists' Studios

A. Ralph Bergman, 794-4109

The beautiful views across Queen's valley inspire Ralph to photograph the intense hues of nature to be found in Grey County. He has exhibited at the Blue Mountains Foundation for the Arts in Collingwood and in the McIntosh Gallery in London, Ont. His studio is on the Massie Road just west of Massie
E-mail: ralphbergman@gmail.com

823688 Massie Road

Studio Guest: Terry Burns is interested in the dynamic between memory, sensation, perception, creativity and practice and working in three different media- pastel, photography and encaustic- she tries to depict different aspects of her relationship with the natural world. 794-2083
E-mail: burnsieandnick@gmail.com

B. "The Barn" 794-3509

JoAnn Sauks has worked steadily in chalk pastels for over ten years since completing her art education at Central Tech in Toronto. Inspiration comes from almost any source, but is often rooted in the landscape. Inspiration is a feeling of excitement which she then hopes to translate using contrast, line and colour in pastels and watercolours into a usually somewhat abstract drawing. She lives and works on a farm just north of Massie.

Toomas Sauks works in pastels as well as oils and water based media to explore local and exotic landscapes.
E-mail: Silverstonefarm@xplornet.com

497080 Concession 6 South

C. Sarah & Dad's Workshop, 371-9812

Woodturner and cabinet maker, Ron Ball works exclusively in local hardwoods to produce turned objects. Other than his specialty turned bowls, Ron has turned out vases, lamps, plates, Christmas ornaments, kaleidoscopes, baby rattles and more. So come out and see what's new this year. Sarah, his daughter, does creations in beaded and hemp jewellery.

E-mail: rball@bmts.com

557418 4th Concession south

D. Meghan Fitzsimmons, 376-5141

Meghan Fitzsimmons creates unique hand painted pieces of furniture for indoors, outdoors and for children. Her pieces are inspired by nature to be a well used, much loved heirloom quality fixture in your home. Enjoy the handmade, hand painted collapsible chairs in the autumn gardens and come inside to see the wonderful work of guest artist, Heather Murray.

E-mail: megfitzsi@hotmail.com

4th Concession South (just south of the Derry Line)

Studio Guest: Heather Murray is a Chatsworth mixed media artist, painter who is inspired by her rural backdrop. Incorporating chickens, cows and other farm creatures into her nostalgic portraits adds a dash of whimsy to her works. Capturing the spirit and essence of the past and preserving memories of those who walked before us is her creative intention. She works diligently out of her haunted studio in the Old Courthouse Arts Building in Owen Sound
<http://www.heather-murray.com>
<http://greybruceartist.blogspot.com/>

E. Nick Furguiele, 416 264-8713

Born in Toronto, Nick built his log house in 1990 and was a founding member of the Walters Falls Group of Artists. He works in oils and watercolours and paints from nature. His main concern is play of light, how it colours the landscape and affects the mood of the scene. Like his heroes, Thomson and Monet, his paintings are the settings that only show their charms to the patient watcher.

E-mail: nickfurg@rogers.com

617239 1st Concession, Sydenham

F. Solstice Bed and Breakfast Art Gallery, 371-1440

Nature in all her beauty influences Blue's stained glass, mosaic, jewellery and 3-D pieces. The studio and Gallery are part of her 1868 country church home.
Web Page: www.bbcanada.com/3121.html

617190 1st Concession, Sydenham

Studio Guest: David Rankine

Contemporary Celtic art, calligraphy and jewellery.

E-mail: godwind@bmts.com

905 478-5047

G. Kate McLaren and Vita Bowen 538-1897

Kate moved to Grey County from her family's farm in Campbellville after she graduated from Sheridan College in 1978. Her daughter Vita was born soon after. Kate's pottery is distinctive: her tree motif is widely recognized and sought after, melding beauty, meaning and function. Vita works with various types of willow that she harvests locally to create extraordinary baskets and sculptures. They share the century farmhouse north of Walters Falls- a rustic tranquil oasis in their busy lives.

E-mails: mudtown@bmts.com Vita.twirlin.diva@gmail.com

064824 Sideroad 3, Sydenham

H. Bonnie Goudie 538-0501

Bonnie's acrylic paintings portray an appreciation for the natural beauty of the Georgian Bay area and rural Ontario. Her work is expressed in high realism where attention to detail is an important aspect of the finished piece. Her unique, secluded home and studio can be found tucked among the trees at the end of a long winding lane on picturesque Grey Road 40.

E-mail: bbgoudie@sympatico.ca

825173 Grey Road 40

I. Applegate Farm, 416 948-5473 (cell)

Barbara Hotson, Watercolours.

Once a year we turn our century old barn into an art gallery with vibrant paintings of country scenes, beaches and local landmarks. Framed originals, plaques, posters. Commissions accepted and I'm available for group and private lessons.

E-Mail: hotson@sympatico.ca

Webpage: www3.sympatico.ca/hotson

805177 Sideroad 25

J. Peter Wakely, 538-5151

Peter creates reproductions of old shore bird and duck hunting decoys based mainly on the works of early American carvers, wooden toys, puzzles, cutting boards, and other primitives made on site.

805500 Sideroad 25

Studio Guest: Deb Tucker, 538-0063

A watercolour artist who creates paintings in vibrant and varied styles. Working in watercolour, acrylic, or mixed media, her landscapes, floral and abstract pieces reflect her love of colour and the beauty of the natural world.

K. Michael Milhausen, 794-0365

Having studied Les Beaux Arts in Avignon, France and travelled extensively in France and Spain, always with a sketchbook in hand, Michael now works primarily in pen and ink, watercolour and gouache. He enjoys sketching the varied architectural details of old buildings here and in Europe. He now lives in an 1870 stone schoolhouse on the Massie Road near Walters falls.

E-Mail: m.milhausen@bmts.com

824551 Massie Road (at the 10th Concession)

L. Lynn Belden, 794-2574

Lynn's home and stained glass studio is an island of artistry deep in the woods outside Walters Falls. Lynn's works are found in many homes, restaurants, and buildings in the area. Most of her intricate work is large scale commissioned by private individuals or designers, architects.

Studio Guest: Arlene Peters produces colourful and retro pottery always sure to cheer the greyest day! All is micrfo-wave, oven and dishwasher safe.
905 880-4925

M. Starwheel Studio, 794-0461

Julia White and Steven White
Multi-media artists, Julia and Steven White offer visitors an authentic experience of refreshingly contemporary art. Steven's work explores themes of technological evolution highlighting the tension between technology and nature. He has been awarded grants from both the Canada Council for the Arts and the Ontario Arts Council. Julia will showcase sculptural works inspired by trees and root systems. She will also have her unique beaded jewellery and Saturna cards on display.
www.stevenwhite.ca - www.juliawhite.ca
844591 Hamill Road

N. Topwithins Farm, 794-2156

Susan Reeve and Don Brough
Food and Fibre! Come visit this picturesque hilltop studio and farm. Fibre artist Susan creates whimsical toys, wall hangings, Christmas ornaments, slippers, hats and her popular felt insoles. Farmer Don has been caring for the organic vegetable garden and orchard for almost 30 years. He is selling a wide variety of organic vegetables, apples and garlic braids. Also for sale, pumpkin and apple pies, baked goods, and dried organic herbs.

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