

## NEWS RELEASE

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**The Gallery at The Craft Center and  
League of NH Craftsmen Headquarters  
Hosts Fine Craft Exhibition:  
*Music from Our Hands***

**January 13—March 21, 2012**

**Opening Reception: January 13, 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm**



*Flute by John Lunn*

CONCORD, NH –Music is a beautiful and powerful form of communication, and speaks to a variety of emotions and ideas. It is also the theme for the latest fine craft exhibition on display at the Gallery at The Craft Center and League of NH Craftsmen Headquarters. *Music from Our Hands*, which runs from January 13 through March 21, 2012, is a multi-media exhibition featuring the work of juried members of the League of NH Craftsmen (*a list appears at the end of this release*). The exhibition features two electric guitars, three acoustic guitars, a sterling silver flute, a gourd, whistles, vase percussion, as well as other fine handcrafted pieces that include musical elements.

An opening reception, where the public can meet and speak with the participating craftspeople, is scheduled for Friday, January 13 from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. (Check [www.nhcrafts.org](http://www.nhcrafts.org) for cancellation in case of inclement weather.) The Gallery is located at 49 South Main Street, Suite 100, in Concord, NH and is open Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, and Saturdays, during the exhibition, 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

“This is really a fun exhibition, as everyone can relate to music and musical instruments,” said League of NH Craftsmen Executive Director Susie Lowe-Stockwell. “Visitors will appreciate the creativity and painstaking work that went into creating the beautiful details of the handcrafted instruments. Some of the craftsmen created pieces that represent the joyful, healing, and motivating powers of music. All in all, there is something for everyone.”

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The League of NH Craftsmen is a non-profit, craft education organization. Its mission is to encourage, nurture, and promote the creation, use, and preservation of fine contemporary and traditional craft through the inspiration and education of artists and the broader community. The League represents the *signature of excellence* in fine craft, through the work of its juried members, and its rigorous standards for self expression, vision, and quality craftsmanship.

The League of NH Craftsmen is supported in part by a grant from the New Hampshire State Council on the Arts, the National Endowment for the Arts, and the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation. This exhibition is made possible with the support of The Lincoln Financial Foundation. The Gallery has been made possible through the generosity of Concord Orthopaedics.



For more information about the *Music from Our Hands* exhibition, the Gallery, or the League of NH Craftsmen, call 603-224-3375 or visit [www.nhcrafts.org](http://www.nhcrafts.org).

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### **Participants in *Music from Our Hands* Exhibition**

**Barnstead, NH:** Teresa Taylor

**Center Sandwich, NH:** Susan Lirakis

**Chichester, NH:** Andy Hampton

**Concord, NH:** Robert Dorr, Eric Grant,  
Maureen Redmond-Scura, Ann Winterling

**Contoocook, NH:** Boyan Moskov

**Conway, NH:** Barbara Boxer

**Franklin, NH:** Jack Dokus

**Gorham, NH:** Richard Robichaud

**Hancock, NH:** Stephen Fillebrown

**Hollis, NH:** Mark White

**Marlow, NH:** Art Anderson

**Merrimack, NH:** Tanya Cherepova, Micheline

**Mont Vernon, NH:** Karen Mitchell

**Newfields, NH:** Duane Martin

**Newport, NH:** Alan Carruth, John Lunn

**Rindge, NH:** Shana Brautigam

**Stratham, NH:** Catherine Green

**Sunapee, NH:** Marie Wiggins

**Wilmot, NH:** Terry Moore

**Wolfeboro, NH:** Sally Cornwell

**East Randolph, VT:** Marcia Hammond