FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: ART EXHIBITION & SALE

DORMONT MUNICIPAL CENTER
MAIN LOBBY GALLERY

***Artists Reception**: Thursday, July 30th, from 6:00 to 8:00 pm*

N. Ruble • J. Hoffman • B. Mason

Original paintings by local artists
(Prints are also available at the artist's reception only)

N. Ruble '*East Pittsburgh'* - J. Hoffman '*Dormont Houses'* - B. Mason ' *Blue House'*

WHAT:
Artists: Nick Ruble, Joshua Hoffman, Brett Mason

EXHIBITION & SALE - DORMONT CENTER MAIN LOBBY GALLERY
The Borough of Dormont believes in the power of art to uplift the spirit, inspire creative and logical thought, and transform common spaces into places of joy, reflection, and serenity. We transformed the lobby of the Borough of Dormont Municipal Center into a showcase of beautiful art, supporting our vision of creating a welcoming and inspiring space. You are invited to visit with the artists, enjoy refreshments, and help us share, show off, and sell their amazing local art!

WHEN:
Artists' Reception - Thursday, July 30th from 6:00 to 8:00 pm
Expect - Refreshments and these talented artists in attendance.

Exhibit length is from June to November 2026

WHERE:
Dormont Municipal Center Main Lobby 1444 Hilldale Ave. 15216 (G-Maps link)

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Press release: Art Exhibition and Sale at the Dormont Municipal Center Main Lobby

For Immediate Release: ***Artists Reception: Thursday, July 30th 6 - 8pm***

DETAILS:
Dormont Municipal Center Hosts Art Exhibition and Sale
Artists: Nick Ruble, Joshua Hoffman, Brett Mason
Dormont, PA – The Borough of Dormont is excited to announce a captivating art exhibition and sale featuring the works of local artists. This event will take place in the lobby of the Dormont Municipal Center.

About this exhibit:
This exhibition was organized by Joshua Hoffman and Erin O'Neill. Erin curated, and Josh selected the artists to share the exhibit with. We are all excited by the results of great art that engages with nature and the outdoors while it is being created. Joshua, Brett, and Nick thoughtfully select locations to render their art in all seasons. They are actively employing their unique sense of controlled spontaneity, keen eye, inventive color work, and skilled brushwork for these paintings. Many of these paintings were created on the spot, plein air* while outdoors.

*Plein air or en plein air (pronounced plen-air) is a French expression meaning "in the open air". It refers to the practice of painting outdoors directly from observation, rather than inside a studio. This method allows artists to capture the fleeting effects of natural light, weather, and atmosphere in real-time.

The artist's reception will be held on Thursday, July 30th, from 6:00 to 8:00 PM, Refreshments will be provided for this opportunity to meet the artists and enjoy their work.

Exhibition Basics:

- **Location:** Dormont Municipal Center, 1444 Hilldale Ave., 15216
- **Dates:** Exhibit is currently up until November 2026
- **Artists Reception:** **Thursday, November 14th, 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM**

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BELOW ARE MORE EXAMPLES OF THE ARTIST'S ART

ARTISTS' STATEMENTS UPON REQUEST

ARTISTS AND IMAGES

Josh Hoffman
'Dormont Houses' 2026, 30x40” Oil on Canvas

Josh Hoffman
‘Dormont summer Ally’, 6.2026, 12x16” oil on board $295

Josh Hoffman
‘Dormont Pool’ 6.2026, 12" x 16" oil on board $295

Nick Ruble
’East Pittsburgh’ 2026 16x20” watercolor on paper $750

Nick Ruble
'Airbrack Ave.’, 2026, Watermedia on Paper $900

Brett Mason
Blue House, 2010, Watercolor, 24x30”, $1500

Brett Mason
Between Two Houses, 2010, Watercolor 18x24”, $1500