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## 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Outdoor Art Sale at Del Ray Artisans

Event Date: Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>

(10-4) rain or shine

**Location:** Nicholas A. Colasanto Park adjoining the Del Ray Artisans gallery

2704 Mount Vernon Avenue

Alexandria, VA 22301

**Alexandria, VA (March 27, 2010)** Del Ray Artisans will hold the 7th annual Spring Outdoor Art Sale on Saturday, May 1st, 2010 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Original works from a diverse set at least 20 Del Ray artisans in a variety of 2D and 3D media will be featured. Media include painting, photography, pottery, jewelry, fashion accessories, fabric art, and a few surprises.

The timing of the sale affords art buyers a chance to purchase unique one-of-a-kind gifts for Mother's Day. Coordinator Rob Rudick explained that the 'DRA Spring Outdoor Art Sale' is a great opportunity to see and acquire a wide array of artwork from Del Ray Artisans members. Additionally, many artists will be offering unframed and matted works at prices lower than framed pieces.

This is a rain or shine event and is free and open to the public. For more information about the 'Spring Outdoor Art Sale' contact Rob Rudick at 301.270.2323, <a href="mailto:DRA.SpringArtSale@gmail.com">DRA.SpringArtSale@gmail.com</a> or visit <a href="mailto:www.TheDelRayArtisans.org">www.TheDelRayArtisans.org</a>.

The outdoor art sale will be held in the Nicholas A. Colasanto Park adjoining the Del Ray Artisans gallery at 2704 Mount Vernon Avenue, Alexandria, VA. The event is free and open to the public.

The gallery will be open during the Art Sale and access to the gallery is free, open to the public and handicap accessible. Gallery hours are: Thursdays, 12 noon to 4 pm (First Thursdays 12 noon to 9 pm); Fridays, 12 noon to 9 pm; Saturdays, 10 am to 9 pm; and Sundays, 12 noon to 6 pm.

Del Ray Artisans, founded in 1992, is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to promote art for the benefit of artists and the community.

Del Ray Artisans (DRA) appreciates the continued support from the Alexandria Commission for the Arts, the Virginia Commission for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Arts and the City of Alexandria. DRA is a 501(c)(3) organization.



