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Holiday Season in Downing Park

Ring in the Holiday Season will be easy this year with many opportunities to get involved at Downing Park in the City of Newburgh. You can brighten your holiday season by purchasing greenery and decorations, view the work of outstanding local artists, and help those less fortunate in the community.



“Skaters on the Polly” by Mary Evelyn Whitehill

The Downing Park Planning Committee is pleased to announce that they will again be selling poinsettias and wreaths this Holiday Season. The poinsettias, available in many different colors,

are in 7 inch pots for \$15 each.

The wreaths which come

decorated with a red bow, pine cones and berries are available for \$20 each. These items are available at the Newburgh Visitors Center (the Shelter House) at 123 Carpenter Ave. Hours are from Tuesday to Saturday from 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

During the month of December, you can enjoy “Interpretations of Downing Park” at the Shelter House. This exhibit features many local artists’ depictions of beautiful Downing Park in different media such as pastel, watercolor, and oil. Works are by Mary Evelyn Whitehill, Bruce Thorne, Bobbe Collins, Richard Ochs, Mary Leone Gallo, and Shawn Dell Joyce.

You can also help a less fortunate family in our community this Holiday Season. Both non-perishable and canned food and cash donations can be dropped off at the Downing Park Shelter House.

For more information please stop by the Downing Park Shelter House, or call (845) 565-5559.