

# The A.R.T.S. Place

Adaptive art. Respite. & Therapeutic play. Services.



## Dear Friends,

This is an exciting time for A.R.T.S.! Over the past year, many dreams have become a reality!

### A New Website

As more and more people spread the news about A.R.T.S. and our work, all sorts of resources manifest that I never could have imagined. In addition to renovations at our actual work space, we now have a place in cyberspace. The A.R.T.S. website is now up and live at [www.artstherapynh.com](http://www.artstherapynh.com). A HUGE thank you to Springfield, NH, residents and business owners Vasiliou and Barbara Georgitsis for making this dream come true. As owners of NHVT Computer Services, LLC, they were looking for a local nonprofit that needed a web design when they were referred to us. Vasiliou and Barbara – we cannot thank you enough for dedicating your time, talent and resources to A.R.T.S.!



### A New Support Group

As many of you know, I was an organizer for the former Kearsarge Area ADD Support Group. My dream is for A.R.T.S. to collaborate with other area providers to offer a support group for all sorts of special needs. After many conversations and lots of networking, I am proud to announce that this fall we will kick off this group. Along with A.R.T.S., collaborators include O.T. in Motion, Susan Cowan Morse Coaching and Consulting, Community Bridges and Counseling Associates of New London. Anyone else wishing to be part of this collaborative just needs to get in touch with me. Please watch the local media for meeting announcements.

### A New Opportunity

Finally, I am excited to tell you that I will be the guest speaker at the October meeting of the Bradford/Sutton/Newbury Women's Group. I am very excited that they have expressed interest in supporting A.R.T.S.

Thank you to all Friends of A.R.T.S. I so appreciate your support in making this dream a reality!

*Best Regards,  
Cindy Best*

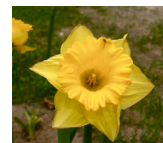
## A.R.T.S. Offerings

- Adaptive classes for children with special needs
- Respite opportunities for parents to get a break, meet for support, share strategies and resources, have time with a sibling or run errands
- Therapeutic play at summer Adaptive Art Camp

### Summer Adaptive Art Camp

*For children with special needs*

This year we are excited to offer two sessions of Adaptive Arts Camp, an amazing experience for children with special needs. We welcome new campers and returning campers to the A.R.T.S. studio for fun, exploration and creative time in a safe, comfortable setting.



#### Session 1:

For Returning Campers  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
9 to 11 am  
June 28th to July 9th

#### Session 2:

For New Campers  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday  
9 to 11 am  
July 12th to July 23rd

To register for camps or for further information, contact:  
A.R.T.S.: 603-927-4050,  
[artstherapynh.com](http://artstherapynh.com)



## A "New" Space for The A.R.T.S. Place!

### Thank You!

**A.R.T.S. would not be able to grow without the help & support of all of you!**

- Kenny Clarke of Wilmot who provided the awesome "indoor beach sand."
- Scott of Scott's Yard Care for donating the sand for under our new rock climbing wall.
- Kelly Quinn Lineberry of Gary Chicoine Construction Corp. for donating 6 sheets of exterior plywood for the rock climbing wall.
- The Dude family of Wilmot for their generous donation of enough hand/foot holds to create a rock climbing wall. We hope to have it in place in time for summer camp.
- Craig Howe of Talbot Builders for donating our recycled windows for the newly renovated up stairs classroom.
- Doug MacDonald of Wilmot for volunteering endless hours helping to install windows & sheet rock.
- Andy MacDonald of Wilmot for locating excellent beach sand and transporting many yards of it, along with scaffolding & ladders.
- Kearsarge Property & Landscaping Services of Wilmot for their generous donation of mulch and leaf blowing to spiff up the outside of A.R.T.S.
- Carol MacDonald of Wilmot for sponsoring this newsletter for 2010!
- Vasilios and Barbara Georgitsis of NHVT Computer Services, LLC for a beautiful website.
- Mary Gutsell of Wilmot for the classroom full of arts & crafts supplies.



Thank you many times over Susan Cowan Morse and Jodi Genest for this attractive, wonderful newsletter. Your talent

with design and writing has helped me to share my story with many. To learn more about their work, check out [WeWillTellYourStory.com](http://WeWillTellYourStory.com)



### Look for Cindy:

- Kids' Stuff Magazine, summer edition
- Kearsarge Magazine T.V. show in June

### CHECK OUT OUR RENOVATIONS!

Over the winter and spring, we worked to improve the pottery studio as well as create a comfortable place for relaxation, music and creativity upstairs. This was made possible by the generosity of many people.

**To register for classes, camps, or for further info., please contact us:**

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