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Open Studio and Iris mirror June 18, 2014

Dear Friend,

I'd like to remind you about the open studio at my building Sunday June 22, noon to 5 PM. If you are in driving distance, please stop by. Several others in the building will also be open. We are in the Safeway Storage building and the address is at the bottom of this newsletter.

News is that the door project is posted on the [Vigilant Woodworks](#) website. We have posted three designs, the one in the prototype, one with grapes and grape leaf design, and one with a wine bottle and landscape in the background. [Please do take a look at their site to see it.](#) We are excited about the collaboration.

Some dates to remember:

- If you will be down east, I will be at Gallery at Somes Sound on Mount Desert Island, Maine, July 9 for a reception. My screen 3 Quotes from Ovid, and Flowers and Birds dressing table are there, and I am making more animal chairs, since Tyra has already sold the ones I sent her. I
- The Furniture Masters are having a pop up show at 127 Newbury St in Boston August 1 to 15. I will have the plant stand I made last year, which I have renamed "Busker" and I will be there on August 6.
- Furniture Masters at NH Historical Society in Concord July 10 to 31, I am showing the garden bench "Fragrant Flow" but I will not be at the reception as I will be in Maine.
- At the League of NH Craftsman's Fair August 2 to 10 at Sunapee State Park in Newbury NH I will have my Ants Totem in Living with Craft, and Fragrant Flow garden bench in the Sculpture Garden.
- The Furniture Masters annual Gala is October 12 at the Sheraton Portsmouth, and this year will have an open to the public times in the afternoon, the reception and silent auction 4 to 7 PM, and new this year "Dinner with the Masters" immediately after the reception.



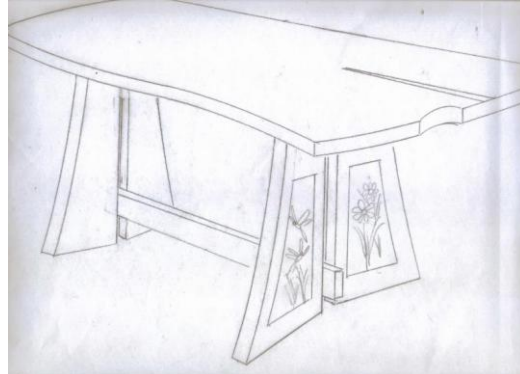
Busker, 3 Quotes from Ovid, Ants Totem, Fragrant Flow, Fragrant Flow detail.

Now here are some progress photos of the mirror with iris's and a butterfly.



My next project will be a table for Tony and Judy

One day Judy surprised Tony by going to Berkshire Lumber and purchasing a wide slab of English elm. They have commissioned me to make a base for it. I made three sketches for table ideas . To the right is the one they chose. Next I made up some drawings for what will be carved on the ends, and made a mock up of how the table will be proportioned allowing for comfortable seating. That is shown in these next three photos. Note the cardboard footprints on the floor to make sure people won't be kicking the underside of the table. Nothing to chance.





I've roughed out the parts for the table and set them aside to adjust.



That's it for now.

I hope to see you Sunday, but if not then at another event and have a great rest of June, and Happy 4th.

Best

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