

PRESS RELEASE

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Chancery Art Gallery

downtown Bracebridge, ON
(Muskoka)

Thursday, November 7 at 7 PM

Concert, free admission

Mollie Moloney

piano, vocal



Mollie Moloney is a 23 year-old Singer/ songwriter and recording artist from the shores of Georgian Bay in Parry Sound. She is classically trained in both Voice and Piano and holds her ARCT Diploma with the Royal Conservatory of Music in Voice Performance. Her original music can be classified as Adult Alternative with classical overtones. This past July Mollie released her first independent album, "a winter's psalm". Share an intimate evening of song and stories with Mollie and her piano. Enjoy good conversation, coffee/ tea and desserts.

*"The only possible teacher
except torture is fine art"*
Bernard Shaw
The Doctor's Dilemma

From the Freudian view, arts derive from the same source as fantasies and dreams, and have the same purpose – to reduce tension in the soul. This applies to both creation and perception of the art, regardless of modality – painting, sculpture, literature, music, dance, etc. Thus, in some respects artists are not special – like the rest of us, they have the same narcissistic desires and fantasies, rather shameful to share under our cultural restraints. But unlike us, artists have a very special gift – they are able to exhibit their fantasies in a skilful, camouflaged way, and to attract us first with the external, formal side of their work. It traps us, provoking a preliminary, properly aesthetic pleasure, turning our internal "censor" off guard. And then, it enables us to enjoy our own deep prohibited fantasies – projected on the art – without shame and self-blame, with revealing catharsis. How are artists able to do this? It's their mystic secret; it's art.

*"..The one thing which may
in some degree reconcile the
cultured person with life –
scientific and artistic enjoyment..."*
Eduard von Hartmann
Philosophy of the Unconscious

Chancery Art Gallery is a commercial gallery which offers solo and group exhibitions of contemporary fine art and acts as the artist's agent with exclusivity limited to Muskoka district of Ontario, Canada.

The gallery is affiliated with a psychology office on premises – www.PrivateCounseling.ca
Occasionally, for "artist-in-crisis" a psychological consultation is offered *pro-bono*.

The gallery's mission:
*"Piece of pie to the artists,
Peace of mind to the rest of us"*

Dr. Lena Kolobow
owner & director

Dr. Paul Ivanoff
curator

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