



The field of competitors at the July 4 Downhill Derby.



The winning entry, a collaborative effort by Sean Calyer's iron class.

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 PERMIT #1

An outstanding craft weekend and sale featuring sculptural, functional, and two-dimensional works in books, clay, drawing, glass, iron, metals, paper, painting, printmaking, photography, textiles, and wood.



Penland School of Crafts 17th Annual Benefit Auction

SAVE THE DATE

August 9 and 10, 2002

This year, featuring an air-conditioned tent

Auction Weekend Tickets \$300
 (includes all Friday and Saturday activities)

Friday, August 9
 Friday only ticket \$100
 Collectors' Lecture • Exhibition Preview and Cocktail Party
 Dinner • Live Auction • Music and Dancing

Saturday, August 10
 Saturday only Ticket \$200
 Coffee at the Studios with Penland Resident Artists
 Silent Auction • Lunch • Live Auction • Penland Gallery Reception

Illustrated auction catalog available late July. Preview work on Penland's web site beginning mid-July: www.Penland.org. Absentee bids accepted.

This is only a reminder. Invitations will be mailed in June. Reservations will be accepted beginning July 24. To request an invitation or if your address has changed, please call or email Penland at 828 765-2359, extension 45; email: lindsayhearn@penland.org.

AUCTION VOLUNTEERS

Plans for the benefit auction are underway and we are looking for some friends to help us put it all together. The auction weekend begins on Friday, August 9 and continues through the end of the day on Saturday, August 10.

Volunteers are needed from Wednesday afternoon through Sunday morning to help set up, produce the event, and clean up when it's over. Volunteers commit to at least two and one-half days of work. In exchange for your gracious assistance, we will try to make sure you have fun, and we will give you room and board for the days you work, along with a commemorative T-shirt.

If you are available for a hard-working, exciting time, please contact the development office at 828-765-2359, ext. 45 or via e-mail: development@penland.org.