



Mrs. Amy Edwards, Master

Hempfield High School. Landisville, PA.

Why I Chose Ms. Natalie Franck and Mackenzie Boensch

In determining my nominations for this exhibition, I considered students who demonstrate technical excellence, dedication to their artistic process, ability to take risks, and confidence in their creative voice. I chose Natalie and Mackenzie because they take each opportunity that is presented to them and go beyond classroom expectations. These two students take their work seriously, are appreciative of their circumstances, and always strive for excellence. It is my pleasure to present their work because they are a joy to teach and have the potential to excel in the field of jewelry and metals if they so choose.

Artist Statement

Mrs. Amy Edwards is a Lancaster County, Pennsylvania-based artist, and public high school art educator at Hempfield High School. Edwards received her BA in Art Education from Kent State University in 1995 and her MEd in Art Education from Millersville University in 2003. She has taught for over 26 years and has exhibited her jewelry and metalwork at both the state and national levels. Recently, Amy received the Juror's Award at the 45th Annual Contemporary Crafts Exhibition at the Mesa Contemporary Crafts Museum and was featured in both print and gallery exhibitions of Fiber Arts Now Magazine's, 2023 Fiber Reimagined.