

# S.V. Medaris Artist Residency

January 6 – 9, 2022

Wisconsin artist S.V. (Sue) Medaris' prints and paintings of pets and farm animals challenge viewers to consider their impressions of familiar subjects. From vivid, personality-filled portraits of towering chickens to a confrontational depiction of a snarling possum

guarding its kill, Medaris' work is instantly recognizable in *Birds in Art* exhibitions. Bold and graphic, Medaris' relief prints explore the humor, drama, and nuance inherent in humans' relationships with animals we live with, consume, and rely on.



January 6 Thursday, 5:30 – 6:30 pm

## Guest Artist Talk

Join Wisconsin printmaker and *Birds in Art* artist S.V. (Sue) Medaris for stories and insights into her relief-printing process and studio practice.

January 7 Friday, 1 – 3 pm

## Printmaking Open Studio

Drop by to observe Medaris at work and learn more about her hand-colored woodblock prints.

January 8 & 9

Saturday & Sunday, 10 – 4 pm

## Woodblock Printing Workshop

During a two-day workshop, artist S.V. (Sue) Medaris guides teens and adults as they design and carve a block for printing on a press; these small editions of prints can be hand colored or remain monochromatic. Fee: \$85, Museum members; \$100, non-members; lunches and materials provided. Call the Museum at 715.845.7010 to register; scholarships available.