

12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS 2022



1 Partridge in a Pear Tree
Eileen Gargan &
Mike Redmond

2 Turtle Doves
by Danielle Mailer

5 Hares a Running
by Ella Matsudaira

6 Fish a Floating
by Gail Jacobson

7 Swans a Swimming
by Nancy Bevans

8 Maids a Milking
by Treasa Pattison

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by CCS Art Students

4 Calling Birds
by Suzanne Fateh &
The Cornwall Historical Society

9 Ladies Dancing
by Michael Heming

10 Ships a Sailing
by Connie Steuerwalt

11 Typers Typing
by Nick Jacobs

12 Drummers Drumming
by Sally Van Doren

An Open Air Holiday Gallery

"The Twelve Days of Christmas"

appeared in print for the first time in 1780, in the children's book, *Mirth Without Mischief*. At the time, it was named "The Twelve Days of Christmas Sung at King Pepin's Ball" and *wasn't* married to the familiar tune we now know. Over the next 200 years the song has been published over 20 times – evolving along the way. Some lesser-known gifts in forgotten versions are: 10 Ships a-Sailing, 8 Hare's a-Running, 12 Bells a-Ringing. Our artists use the historic rhyme as a launch pad for their own flights of fancy!

EILEEN GARGAN & MIKE REDMOND

A Partridge in a Pear Tree

Pastel on illustration board.

DANIELLE MAILER **Two Turtle Doves**

8ft turtle doves created out of one inch insulation foam and painted with acrylics. Ever the fan of the silhouette, I used actual turtle dove imagery to inspire this colorful version of the birds. Special thanks to my my boys at Salisbury School who cheerfully helped me complete each piece.

CCS 8TH GRADE ART CLASS

Three French Hens

A work of collective joy created by 8th grade artists with help from 5th grade artist Willa - all under the guidance of art teacher Susana Martinez-Bauer.

SUZANNE FATEH

CORNWALL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Four Calling Birds

Found Items come together for this Holiday gift shop scene. Created by CHS's Curator Suzanne Fateh.

ELLA MATSUDAIRA

Five Hares a-Running

Using oil paint, this painting depicts five hares playing in the Cornwall winter snow.

GAIL JACOBSON

Six Fish a-Floating

Re-purposed crutches form the base for these eclectic and colorful swimmers.

NANCY BEVANS

Seven Swans a-Swimming

Cut from thin slices of mica swimming on a beautiful pond.

TREASA PATTISON

Eight Maids a Milking

Crafted from fabric, paint, and twine.

MICHAEL HEMING

Nine Ladies Dancing

The work is an unpainted wooden model of the Covered Bridge with photographic cutout silhouettes of 9 world famous ballerinas dancing inside.

CONNIE STEUERWALT

Ten Ships a-Sailing

The love of all things 3-dimensional stems from my professional career as an architectural designer. The creation of Origami boats for "10 Ships a Sailing" was a natural for me.

CCS YOUNG ARTISTS of CCS

Eleven Typers Typing

Silhouettes of eleven pipers march along, each adorned by one of the 3rd grade artists in Chris Hanley's Cornwall Consolidated School art class.

SALLY VAN DOREN

Twelve Drummers Drumming

The inspiration for this painting draws upon the number twelve and the abstract shapes of drums and drumsticks. How many of these do you see represented here?

A SPECIAL THANKS

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COVERED BRIDGE ELECTRIC BIKE
IAN INGERSOLL CABINETMAKERS
THE WISH HOUSE
THE 111 GROUP
THE LOCAL
THE CORNWALL UNION
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