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**ROSEMARY COTY AT CHERRYWOOD STUDIOS
BOOK ARTS – BEYOND PAGES
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December 5-12, 2003 Oswego, NY – An exhibition of Book Arts will be held at Cherrywood Studios showcasing student work from the State University of New York at Oswego from December 5-12, 2003. There will be an opening reception from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. on December 5th.

Among the exhibiting artists is Englewood Cliffs native, Rosemary Coty, a 1980 graduate of Dwight Morrow High School. Ms. Coty received a Bachelor of Arts degree from William Paterson University and is currently pursuing a Master of Arts degree in Graphic Design at SUNY Oswego.

The exhibition brings together some of the most creative talent in the area. "Book Arts – Beyond Pages" explores subject matter such as, "The metaphor in Book Form" and, "Personal issues." This is a powerful exhibition that challenges the reader/viewer to see beyond the page and experience a communication with the author in an exciting and unique way. The books range from the familiar perfect binding style to innovative, large sculptural pieces. One of the pieces included in the exhibition is titled, "Hanging Out Your Dirty Laundry" by Rosemary Coty. It is an interactive piece, inviting the reader to rummage through individual laundry-shaped pages and hang on a clothesline binding. Each page represents a form of "Dirty Laundry" with text on the back. The entire collection can be seen at Cherrywood Studios from December 5-12, 2003.

Photos of exhibition pieces are available in .jpg form. For more information please contact Rosemary Coty at 315.312.3391 or Bannon@oswego.edu.

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