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Zoltan Grossman
Zoltan will have an article in the next issue of the American Indian Culture and Research Journal (AICRJ), entitled "Unlikely Alliances: Treaty Conflicts and Environmental Cooperation Between Native American and Rural White Communities," on cooperation between tribes and local white farmers, ranchers and fishers. He is currently turning his doctoral dissertation (of the same title) into a book for the University of Washington Press. Zoltan also co-authored a chapter on Native American geography for the forthcoming Rowman & Littlefield textbook Contemporary Ethnic Geographies in America. He is continuing to write articles on the role of ethnicity in Mideast conflicts, including "Khuzestan: The First Front in a War on Iran?" in the January issue of Z magazine, and "New Challenges for the Antiwar Movement" on Counterpunch.org. In March he will present a paper to the Association of American Geographers, on his next book project, entitled A People's Geography of the American Empire (co-authored with geographer Joseph Nevins). Links can be found on Zoltan's Writings page on his website at http://academic.evergreen.edu/g/grossmaz.

Judith Baumann
Judy exhibited some of her work at the Options 2005 Exhibition in Washington, DC in October and November. The exhibition was done in conjunction with the Washington Project for the Arts with the Corcoran. After persevering through a very arduous application process, Judy took part in what was the most profitable show in the history of Options, and sold two pieces, one of which was purchased by a member of the Board of Directors of the WPA/C and the other by the Director of the Hirshhorn Museum in DC. To read more about the exhibition, follow this link: http://www.wpaconline.org/events/options2005.htm

Nalini Nadkarni
Nalini has been re-elected to the board of trustees for the Washington chapter of the Nature Conservancy. According to the press release, “the Conservancy has collaborated to conserve more than 500,000 acres of irreplaceable natural lands in Washington State, including 50,000 acres owned by the organization. With the completion of a new five-year plan, the Conservancy is poised to take that work to a new level, working with communities and civic leaders around the state to protect and restore tens of thousands of additional acres and the waters that tie them together.” To learn more about the Conservancy, and their work in Washington state, follow this link: www.nature.org/washington

Bill Ransom
Bill’s story “Scraps” was published in the September 5th edition of Carve magazine, and is available on line at the following URL: http://www.carvezine.com/contents.htm. Bill has also done translations of faculty member Zhang Er’s poetry, and they have appeared in literary journals in China, Sweden, Hawaii, and Boston.