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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Mar 10-Apr 10
Patterns in Nature
Sandy Library

Apr 7
"Insanity" Art & Play
Reception at Sandy Ac-
tors Theatre 6:45pm

June 2
"Memories" Art & Play
Reception at SAT
6:45pm

Wy'east Artisans Guild Newsletter

"Patterns" Artist Reception



A big thank you, to Ann Fenwick, for all the hard work she put into the "Patterns In Nature" Theme Show in the Sandy Library. Thanks also to the volunteers who helped hang the art, JoAnne Rohweder for coordinating the reception, to Lloyd Dewing for the beautiful background music and to the members for the tasty goodies!

If you haven't been by to see the artwork, it will be on display until the 10th of April. There's a lot of amazing work on display and is well worth the trip to the library to see it. Take someone with you and enjoy an outing with a friend.

Member Update...!

Remove Jean Ludeman from your email list.
Add to your roster: Seve Ludeman's website: steveludemanart.com

Welcome new member, Sharon Sandgren of Damascus . She has many interests including oil/acrylic painting and paper mache

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What's on tap for April

Kathryn de Vries will present, "Art Along The Way" South American art, at 7pm on April 11.

Looking Forward to Summer...!

It's time to look at the calendar for our summer activities. We need to know if you would be interested in participating in any of the following activities. If we know you are interested, we can keep you in the planning loop. Please email or call Becky Hawley with a YES, NO or MAYBE, to each of the following activities:

Picnic: Normally, June 11 or 12. **Will someone volunteer to oversee plans?** A potluck, typically held at a members home, but could be a park or rec. room.

Possible dates for the following activities: June 25-26, July 16-24

Art Day: Either weekday or weekend depending on who wants to participate. An outdoor art-project day.

Plein Aire figure drawing or painting: On a Saturday

See Mt. Hood Through Artists Eyes: A walk with photographic opportunities

Lets get creative....More opportunities to shine

We have the opportunity to show our artwork and host receptions at Sandy Actors Theatre. Everyone in attendance will see the play for free, with donations going to the Guild. This is where the Guild depends on you to spread the word to your contacts. Becky Hawley will be sending invitations for you to forward to your friends and neighbors.

The Guild is not taking a commission, but we are suggesting a 20% donation back to the Guild. The work will be sold by the artist, not the Theater, same as our regular theme shows. If you have any questions contact Becky Hawley

Next Play and Art Show:

"The Curious Savage" (Comedy-drama, mental institution related) **April 7- Reception for "Insanity" the art show.**

The Last Play:

"Assisted Living" June 2 reception– Family or *memories* related art. The art show will be called **"Memories"** **Submission information for this show needs to be to Becky Hawley by May 18. Title, medium and price. More information will be sent by email.**

Sandy Area Chamber, Gift Shop

Rod Stroh has a new hand-crafted display made from willow branches at the Sandy Chamber Gift Shop. He has a verity of broaches, pins and earrings for sale there. If you have any artwork that you would like to sell, perhaps this is a venue you would like to try..?

Contact Ruth Tuff, Visitor Center Manager, to discuss your options. Ruth can be reached at; 503.668.4006 (Chamber Office) or email ruth@sandyoregonchamber.org

The Guild Needs You..!

The Guild has a number of team positions open and we need **you** to think about how you can **HELP.....please.**

Publicity: Email the meeting and event info to the local newspapers as needed. This is a two person team.

Workshops: When ideas are presented, the team coordinates communications and works out the logistics for the event.

Hospitality: One more person needed to help set up the refreshment for meetings and events.

Picnic: Someone to find a home or venue and coordinate with Hospitality. Normally in June.

Programs: Here's something everyone can help with. We need ideas for programs and speakers for upcoming meetings. We need one more for this fall, then Jan-May next year.

For more information about these opportunities contact Becky Hawley 503-668-5590 or bek.hawley@yahoo.com

Lending Library

Our Lending Library inventory sheet is available as a PDF file for those with email. Rod Stroh is now the Keeper of the Lending Library Box and will bring it to the meetings for anyone interested in checking out a book. The policy is very liberal, you may keep the book until it's requested by someone else.

Wy'east Blog & Web Site

You may have to sign up for a new Google account to access the blog as an "author". If you choose not to sign up, you can still read the blog at: www.wyeastartisansguild.blogspot.com Bookmark the link so you can readily go to it and read what's going on. Also, please contribute

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