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August Press Release



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July 5 - August 24, 2019
Bush Barn Art Center
600 Mission St. SE Salem, OR 97302
Free Admission

"Salem Salon" is an exciting, non-juried art exhibition open to both emerging and established artists in Salem and neighboring communities within a 75-mile radius of Salem. Coinciding with the Salem Art Association's Centennial Year and the annual Salem Art Fair & Festival, Salem Salon is a high-exposure exhibition celebrating the talents of over 100 artists!

This exhibition is sponsored by Spirit Mountain Casino.

Salem Art Association exhibitions are always free and open to the public. Gallery hours are Tuesday-Friday from 10:00 AM-5:00 PM, and Saturday-Sunday from 12:00-5:00 PM.



Nancy Eng, "A Place to Wait"

Nancy Eng | "Just Nature"

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Nancy Eng is an award-winning artist and business owner living in Oregon. She earned her Bachelor of Science in Art from Oregon State University. Her work has been included in private and corporate collections, and publications. "My paintings start from photos, sketches and memories. Change is an influential aspect of my painting. Each piece alters from its original colors, composition and

emotions, flowing through change and resulting in multiple layers to its final creation. Bit by bit, layer by layer, my paintings take on their own personal expressions.”

This exhibition is sponsored by Hampton Inn & Suites.

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Tim Knight, “Guitar Man”

Tim Knight | “Door Behind the Wall”

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Tim Knight has been creating art and music since he was a child growing up in Salem. Using various mediums and materials he creates one of kind work pulling inspiration from artist such as Jean-Michel Basquiat, Claude Monet and Andy Warhol. His subject matter come from life, love and loss as he paints what he sees and feels. *“The pop culture of the 60’s was my favorite time as a teenager. I liked seeing the work of Peter Max and Andy Warhol everywhere.”*

Tim is a graduate of North Salem High School and studied art at the Oregon College of Education. He spent five years as the Art Director of the Boys and Girls Club of Salem, and is the owner of Guitar Castle. In 2007, he was presented the Jurors Choice Award from Salem Art Association’s Radius 25 exhibition.

This exhibition is sponsored by Sunbelt Rentals.

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Carrie Tasman, "Summer Moon"

Selections from the SAA Permanent Collection: Four Decades of Art Fair Posters by Salem Artists

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2019 marks the 70th anniversary of the Salem Art Fair & Festival and the 40th anniversary of the beloved Art Fair poster. Over the past four decades, artists working in Salem, and around Oregon, have shared their work on high-quality, limited edition posters, signed by the artist. Enjoy a selection of Art Fair posters, by a variety of Salem artists, along with a large painting of the Pied Piper which may have been created for an early Art Fair.

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Summer Art Tent for Kids

July 23 - August 27, 2019

Tuesdays | 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Bush's Pasture Park

600 Mission St. SE

Salem, OR 97302

Join Salem Art Association for our free summer activity series Art Tent for Kids! Each session will be taught by Nancy Kurz outside the Bush Barn Art Center in beautiful Bush's Pasture Park. This fun program is created by SAA's Community Arts Education program, and aims to encourage participation in the arts for families. Activities are best suited for children under age 8, whom must be accompanied by parents/guardians for the entire duration of the class.

SCHEDULE:

August 6: Sculpture Clay

August 13: Watercolor

August 20: Charcoal or Pastels

August 27: Let's Paint Critters



Lyle Matoush, "What's a Banana Tree?"

***Lasting Impressions:
Printmaking From The SAA Permanent
Collection***

August 1-September 11, 2019

Bush Barn Art Center

600 Mission St. SE

Salem, OR 97302

Free Admission

This exhibit serves as an introduction to the Salem Art Associations' diverse print collection, providing a history of printmaking in the Pacific Northwest and demonstrating the essential role the artists played in their community.



Erin Westfall

Art Talk Tuesday with Erin Westfall

August 6, 2019

10:00 AM

Bush Barn Art Center

600 Mission St. SE

Salem, OR 97302

Free Admission

Join SAA for our free monthly art talk at the Bush Barn Art Center. This month's featured speaker is singer-songwriter Erin Westfall, who will share the process of songwriting and album production before performing a few tunes from her EP, Light.



Family Art Day

Family Art Day

August 17, 2019

12:00-4:00 PM

Bush's Pasture Park

600 Mission St. SE

Salem, OR 97302

Free Admission

Family Art Day features free, fun and interactive art activities for all ages. Join art instructor Rose Parks as you explore a variety of textile arts while creating tie-dye fabric designs, woven patterns, and hand-sewn fabric bean bags. Attendees are welcome to drop in anytime between 12:00-4:00 PM.

The Salem Art Association (SAA) is a 501c3 non-profit organization operating the Bush Barn Art Center and Annex, a Community Arts Education program, and the Salem Art Fair & Festival. SAA is supported by a grant of Transient Occupancy Tax from the City of Salem.