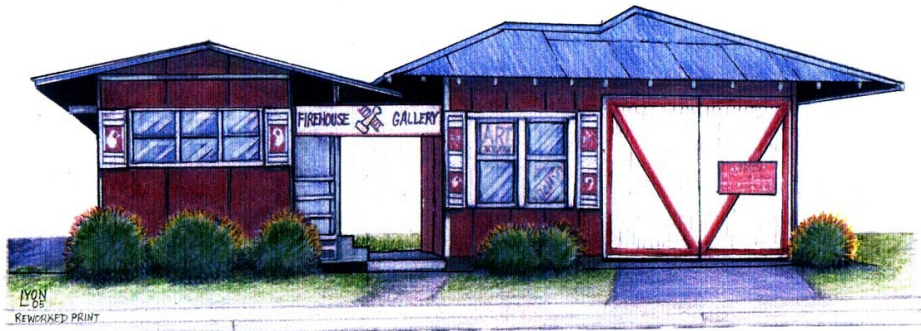


WAIMEA ARTS COUNCIL

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Newsletter - December, 2010



December Firehouse Gallery Art Exhibit **3rd Annual Affordable Art Show**

During the month of December, the Firehouse Gallery presents an "Affordable Art" show starting December 4. Waimea Arts Council member artists will be exhibiting original works of art and fine craft priced at less than \$250 each. Artists will also be decorating the Christmas tree with handmade ornaments that will be available for purchase.

A few of the artists contributing art for this popular holiday show include Myrna Smeeth, Terry Bensch, Jay West, Liz Hendriks, Julie McCue, Janice Gail, Beth Hutchinson, Kathleen and Bill Jaeger, Judy Folk, Clytie Mead, Beverly Thomas, Karen Thrasher, Teresa Crowell and Tricia Vogt. The artists will be donating a percentage of their sales to support the Waimea Arts Council and its programs, including the Na 'Opio Jr. Juried Art Show Competition slated for March.

Coming up in February **Cherry Blossom Theme Art Show**

In February, the Firehouse Gallery will feature art and fine crafts with a Cherry Blossom theme. This show is in conjunction with the Waimea Arts Council's sponsorship of the 18th Annual Cherry Blossom Heritage Festival to be held on February 5th.

Members are encouraged to submit up to 3 pieces for display and sale. Artists enrolled in the Gallery Participating Program are able to submit up to 4 pieces. Please bring your pieces in during regular gallery hours (11 am to 3 pm, Tues.-Sat.) during the last week of January. There are no fees for entries.

Do you like working with numbers? The Board of Directors is looking for someone to fill the vacancy left by Stephen Godar as WAC Treasurer. Please step up and volunteer! Contact Judy Folk - jfolk@hawaiiantel.net.

WAIMEA ARTS COUNCIL 2010-2011 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President Emeritus - Dolly Loo
President - Judy Folk
1st Vice President - Wendi Roehrig
Treasurer - open (Judy Folk, acting)
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At large - Collie Will, Karen Thrasher

COMMITTEES

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Merna Joan Watta, Jill Breaux, Suzanne Haight,
Marian Stanton, Kathy Lukens
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Sandy Mackey, - Press Releases
Kathy Lukens, Website
NEWSLETTER - Julie McCue
MEMBERSHIP - Julie McCue

Give Aloha Matching Gifts Program

Waimea Arts Council was a part of the 2010 Give Aloha - Foodland's annual community matching gifts program. A total of \$1083 was donated by participants who specified WAC. Foodland and Western Union contributed an additional \$262.32 from their matching funds. Mahalo to all who contributed individually and to Foodland and Western Union for their contribution.

This newsletter is made possible by donations from Waimea Arts council members and W.M. Keck Observatory who donates the printing. Mahalo!

WAC welcomes any news or comments, poetry, or anything you would like to share. Submit items to: Julie McCue, jmcue@hawaii.rr.com, or mail to PO Box 1515, Kapaa, HI 96755.

Deadline for January issue is December 15. Further deadlines are the 15th of each month.

Contributors this month: Jay West, Judy Folk, Julie McCue

From the President

The 2010-2011 year for the Waimea Arts Council is underway, glittering with the wonderful display during November in the Firehouse Gallery as Kathleen and Bill Jaeger showcase their varied talents and delight us with each and every piece.

Coming right on their heels is what is becoming an annual event - the Christmas member show - our "3rd Annual Affordable Art Show". Each piece is priced at less than \$250. This year we have especially planned and created Christmas ornaments and items as well. Of course we need docents during what we hope will be a busy and exciting time.

It is exciting to have the input and energy of our three new board members, though, due to personal issues, we needed to accept the resignation of Steph Godar, leaving us without a treasurer. Please think about joining us on the board and taking on this position. I am currently acting in that position, learning it as I go but we certainly do need another volunteer to be either our treasurer or our president.

The Gallery committee is preparing new and innovative shows in the Gallery. Become a part of the planning and execution. All of us are busy with our own lives and commitments but we would certainly like to see you and your work shining in the gallery. Please do sign up and docent, or come actively onto the Board or a committee. We need you and want to have you around.

A special mahalo to those of you who donated to the Waimea Arts Council through the Foodland "Give Aloha program". WAC received a total of \$1345.32, thanks to you all and the match percentage provided by Foodland and Western Union. Thank goodness this came in October, a time when our gallery sales were very low.

Warm wishes during these lovely holiday times.

Aloha,
Judy Folk President

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Annual dues are due on October 1 of each year. If you haven't yet paid your dues for the year 2010-11, please do so now. Once we get into the holiday season, it is so easy to forget. Remember to include the gallery fee if you are a participating artist. This will be the last newsletter you receive if dues are not paid.

Be sure to notify us of any changes in contact information at the time of renewal, and please include your email address if you have one. Newsletters and important reminders are sent by email.

Dues can be mailed to PO Box 1818, Kamuela, HI 96743 or brought in to gallery, and can be paid in cash, by check, or credit card. Application form on page 4.

MAHALO FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



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The Waimea Arts Council is a 501 (c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the arts, encouragement of artists, and providing a forum for art-related community events. It is supported primarily through donations from its members and the public. Membership is open to all supporters of the arts. Monetary donations are tax deductible to the extent of the law.

WAC Membership Report October, 2010

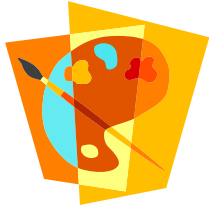
New Members	4
Renewals	26
Total membership	42

Volunteer hours	153.5
Most hours - Jay West	

Membership list as of 11/19/10

Anjalisa Aitken, Karen Alexander, Carole Arnott, Terry Bensch, Jill Breaux, William Chillingworth, Rita Cowell, Barbara Denman, Lynn Duggan, Sarah Ednie, Judy Folk, Daniel Fowler, Diana Fowler, Janice Gail, Stephen Godar, David Gomes, Ann Guth, Ian Haight, Suzanne Haight, January Herron, Beth Hutchinson, Bill Jaeger, Kathleen Jaeger, Marilyn Koschella, Kathy Lukens, Sandra Mackey, Julie McCue, Clytie Mead, Kathleen Nutting, Irina Place, Diane Repp, Arielle Roehrig, Wendi Roehrig, Wilsa Saue, Barbara Schaefer, Marian Stanton, Martha Stephens, Vinny Thom, Beverly Thomas, Tricia Vogt, Tami Watanabe, Merna Joan Watta, Jay West Collie Will, Laurie Wilson, Shirley Wilson.

If you have any corrections to this list, please notify Julie McCue, jmccue@hawaii.rr.com.



FIREHOUSE GALLERY UPCOMING CALENDAR

The main gallery is available with a small fee
for special art exhibitions or events by community groups.

2010

- Dec. 1 - 31 "3rd Annual Affordable Art Show" - WAC Member group show
- Dec. 4, 6:00 pm Waimea Annual Twilight Christmas Parade
Gallery Open 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

2011

- January 5 - 29 Kahi Ki'i - Myrna Smeeth, abstract impressionism paintings
- Jan. 26 - 29..... Bring in pieces for February Cherry Blossom show
- February 2 - 26 WAC Member group show, Cherry Blossom theme
- March 2 - 26 27th Annual Na 'Opio Junior Juried Art Show
- April 1 - 8 Workshops: Pastel with Janice Gail; Sewn beaded jewelry with Teresa Crowell
- April 9 - 23 Recycle Hawaii: Annual Art of School recycling school challenge
Go to www.recyclehawaii.org for more information
- April 25 - 30 To be announced
- May Art sale to raise funds for the Waikoloa Donkey Rescue Project
- June Member Invitational Show "Life's a Beach"



Calendar subject to change.
Contact Gallery Chair, Jay West • artglass@aloha.net • ph: 885-7812

OUTSIDE EVENTS CALENDAR

Regular Meetings:

TUTU'S HOUSE 885-6777 tutushouse.org

Tutu's Quilters with Kathy Lukens. Every Mon. 9:30-noon
Learn quilting Hawaiian style - beginners or experienced.

Knitting & Knitting Support w/Gretchen Geisler Every Tues. 12:30
Ages 10 to adult, all skill levels.

Advanced Ukelele with Aunty Marjie Spencer Every Tues. 9:30-11 am
For experienced players of all ages.

Beginning Guitar & Vocals with Bobby Teixeira Every Wed. 3:30-5 pm
Basic music theory, strumming patterns and chords to accompany your voice.

Mauna Kea Quilters Monthly Meeting 2nd Sat. of every month
9:30 am - noon Thelma Parker Library meeting room
Call Becky Parkinson 937-2159 for information

FROM THE EDITOR:

I want to give a big Mahalo to Jay West, who has been doing the newsletter for several years in addition to her huge commitment as Gallery Chairman. She has brought us into the digital age by using email and has added color and graphics to make it look even better. I hope I can keep up with the standard she has set.

We will be published monthly, with deadlines on the 15th of the previous month. If you have any articles, quotes, cartoons, notices, or anything else you would like to contribute, they would be most welcome. If you know of any outside events we should include in our calendar, please forward the information to me.

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Aloha, Julie McCue
jmccue@hawaii.rr.com 884-5132

One time events:

WAIMEA COMMUNITY EDUCATION

885-1539

waimeaeducation.com

Demystifying Your Digital Camera with Robert Frutos Sat. 12/11/10 11 am - 4 pm.

An introduction to working in the digital environment. This class will show you how your camera works, and then help you to optimize your camera for your specific needs. You will learn how to get the best quality images and acquire an in-depth understanding of digital imaging, including resolution, software, and printers.

This class is designed for those who want to understand how to use their digital camera for the best results. All aspects of successful digital imaging will be covered. \$55

Japanese Calligraphy with Eriko Cackley Wed. 1/11/11 - 2/1/11 6 - 8 pm.

Students will begin instruction by learning the types of Japanese calligraphy characters, including the meaning and origin of some Kanjis. Students will also learn how to use calligraphy tools, and basic postures before starting to write.

Then, basic techniques of using a brush through each of the easy characters will be taught, and students will finally choose a Japanese phrase or letter in Kanji to complete on the last day. \$60 plus \$10 materials

WAIMEA COMMUNITY THEATRE

885-5818

.waimeacommunitytheatre.org

A Dickens of a Holiday, or How We Got Scrooged December 10, 11, 12 at Parker School Theatre

A humorous retelling of Dickens' "A Christmas Carol: with a "celebrity" cast and fun for all. Will be read as an old-time Radio Show and supports Hawaii Food Basket.

Silver Screen Christmas December 18, 19 at Kahilu Theatre

Waimea Community Chorus Holiday Concert, performing songs of the movies and Broadway.

Waimea Arts Council Membership Application

P.O. Box 1818 Kamuela, HI 96743 808-887-1052

New Member/Artist (Including Annual Gallery Participation Fee) \$50 Renewal \$50
 New Member \$25 Renewal \$25

Dual Membership (Two people residing at the same residence) \$45
 Family Membership (3 or more people residing at the same residence) (\$50)

Dual Memberships and Family Memberships will receive only one newsletter, not 2 or more, each month. The fiscal year runs from October 1st of one year to September 30th of the next year. Dues per year are payable by October 1 of each year. Please make checks payable to "Waimea Arts Council." All contributions are tax-deductible; consult your tax advisor.

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: (H) _____ (W) _____

Email: _____

Artist(Mediums) _____ Craftsperson(Craft) _____ Arts Supporter

I would like to donate the following additional amount to support the arts in North Hawaii:
 \$50 \$100 \$250 Other \$ _____

I want to get involved. I volunteer to help:

Gallery Docent (sit at least four hours per month in the Firehouse Gallery)

On Committee:

Gallery

Programs

Workshops

Hospitality

Ways & Means

Public Relations

Newsletter

Fund Raising

Board Development

Building Maintenance

Other _____