WAIMEA ARTS COUNCIL

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WAC is a nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting the arts, the encouragement of artists, and providing a forum for art-related community events.

In the Firehouse Gallery Front Gallery 32nd Annual Helen M. Cassidy Memorial Juried Art Show

October 5 - 29, 2016

During the month of October, the Waimea Arts Council is presenting their annual juried art show, open to all WAC members, new and long-standing. The show will run from October 5 - 29 at the Firehouse Gallery in Waimea.

Out of the 44 entries submitted, the juror chose 32 to comprise the exhibit, including paintings in all mediums, drawings, sculptures, and photographs.

The show is held every year in honor of Helen Cassidy, who was instrumental in establishing the Waimea Arts Council over 35 years ago. Helen passed away on April 8, 1985. Her efforts to establish and promote the Waimea Arts Council culminated in the Firehouse Gallery, their most visible program.

Judging this year's show is Matt Harper. Mr. Harper is the new owner of the Kona Frame Shop and comes to the island with a strong background in both curatorial skills and installation. He holds a BA in Art History from the University of Alabama and interned at both their Ferguson Gallery on campus and briefly at the Art Institute of Chicago (2005-2007). He then was Chief Registrar/Collection Manager for the Bernard A. Zuckerman Museum of Art at Kennesaw State University in Atlanta (2008-16) During that time he also was a curatorial staffer in the Dept. of American Art at the High Museum in Atlanta (2009-11) where he oversaw the installation of James McNeill Whistler etchings. He has worked on over 50 exhibitions in his diverse career. He has offered to not only jury the Helen Cassiy Show but will also install the final selection. We are thrilled to have him for this show.

A reception will be held on Saturday, October 8 from 3 - 5 pm at the Firehouse Gallery, where awards will be presented to the following artists:

Juror's Choice: "The Journey", oil by Terry Bensch *1st:* "Our Second Childhood", oil by Will Bateman *2nd:* "Folks", chalk pastel by Alissa Mattson

3rd: "Budding Pineapple", watercolor by Carolyn Lancaster





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Results of Election

The ballots have been tallied and your new Board of Directors for the term Oct. 1, 2016 - Sept. 30, 2017 will be: Amaury St. Gilles, Wendi Roehrig, Pat Dinsman, Jay West, and Irina Place.

The annual WAC membership meeting will be held in conjunction with the October Board of Director's Meeting on October 8 at 1:30 pm. All members of the Waimea Arts Council are invited to attend.

The Firehouse Gallery is the most visible project of the Waimea Arts Council and is located at 67-1201 Mamalahoa Highway, in the heart of downtown Kamuela. It is housed in South Kohala's historic old fire station, at the crossroads of Mamalahoa Highway and Lindsey Rd. (Hwy. 19 and 190), across from the Waimea Chevron. Gallery is open Wednesday-Friday and Sunday, 11 am to 3 pm, and Saturdays 9 am to 3 pm. There is plenty of free parking behind the building.

In the Back Gallery

From October 5 - 29, the back gallery will feature "Affordable Art", a member show of artwork selling for \$250 or less. The show will feature all mediums including oil, watercolor, acrylic, pen and ink, jewelry and sculpture as well as a variety of subjects. This is a good chance to find affordable artwork for holiday gifts. In November, this exhibit will move to the front gallery with even more selections.





A few of the pieces on display for Affordable Art, clockwise from top left: "Waikoloa Road to the Sky" photo by Bernt Grundseth, "Heartbeat of Gaia, oil on paper by Patricia Marinello, "Windblown", watercolor by Irina Place, "Pink Plumeria" watercolor by Marie Kinchla



Reminder -Time to renew your membership...

If you have been a member and do not renew your membership by the end of October, this is the last issue of the newsletter that you will receive. Keeping current is also important if you are a part of the artists page on

Gallery of Artists Reminder

Just a reminder that if you are a participating artist and do not have your profile in our Gallery of Artists display in the Firehouse Gallery, this is the beginning of a new year and a good time to join in.

You may also wish to be added to our website on the "Artists" page - the profile done for the Gallery of Artists is the one used on the website. The cost for this service is only a one-time fee of \$25, and the submission of certain information to those who put it together.

For information on how to get added to the website, contact Julie McCue at jmccue@hawaii.rr.com. For information on how to get a Gallery of Artists profile, go to the Membership tab on the website where you will find a link to the application. If any questions, contact Susan Harris at susharris43@gmail.com.

Upcoming member shows...

See calendar for full schedule and take-in dates for these shows.

November Front Gallery - "Affordable Art" (under \$250)

November Back Gallery - "Flowers"

December Front Gallery - "Water and Snow" - rain, seascapes, waterfalls, etc. priced under \$250, please.

February Front Gallery - "Cherry Blossoms and Waimea" member show during Cherry Blossom Festival.

FIREHOUSE GALLERY 2016-17 UPCOMING CALENDAR... (subject to change)

Front Gallery:

"32nd Annual Helen M. Cassidy Juried Art Show" *Reception for Helen Cassidy Show* "Affordable Art" member show + Jewelry (take-in October 29) "Water and Snow" member show (take-in Dec. 3), + jewelry "New Members" "New Members" "Cherry Blossoms and Waimea" (take-in Jan. 21) "33rd Annual Na 'Opio Youth Art Show" (take-in Feb. 25) **Back Gallery** "Affordable Art" member show "Flowers" member show (take-in Oct. 29) Small solos - Norma Watt, Marc Scichitano plus others tbd

October 5 - Oct. 29 October 8, 3 - 5 pm November 2 - Dec. 3 December 7 - Dec. 29 January 3 - Jan. 21 Jan. 25 through Feb. 25 March 1 - 25

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Website Update....

The revised website went online on September 2, so if you haven't had a chance to visit it, go to waimeaartscouncil.org and check it out. Here is a quick tour:

HOME:

On the home page you will find a slide show of Waimea photographs and a brief description of the organization and it's goals. At the bottom you will see quick links to some of the most visited areas, including the docent sign-in. This area repeats on every page.

PROGRAMS:

This is where the information on the Firehouse Gallery lives, including information on the gallery itself and a list of upcoming events.

Below that you will find out about other programs that WAC offers: workshops and classes, public art projects, and community and special projects.

EVENTS:

This page is a blog, and will be upated at least monthly with the latest exhibit and any other special events that are going on. You can filter your view with the categories on the right.

MEMBERSHIP:

This page is for both prospective members and current members. Here you will find information on joining, including the ability to download a membership application. Below that are several downloads of interest to current members, such as: Policies, Gallery of Artist Form, Bunkhouse Use Policy, and How to get a GET license. At the bottom is the docent calendar - you can view the calendar here, as well as log in to add your name to the calendar. All docents have been sent the login and password information and complete instructions.

ARTISTS:

Here is where the artist profiles are located. Those who have signed up are listed with a sample of their work, and links to a profile, email and website address, if they have one.

FAQs:

Answers to the questions we receive the most - if you think of anything we should add, please send them to Julie McCue.

ABOUT US:

Here you can download past newsletters, and find out about the Board of Directors.

CONTACT US:

All kinds of contact information, including a map. At the bottom is the opportunity to make a donation to WAC using paypal or a credit card.

Workshops Coming Up....

How to Build a Free Art Gallery Website

Sunday, Nov. 13, 1 - 4 pm in the bunkhouse. \$25/\$20 for WAC members

Taught by Chris Kutler. In this hands-on workshop, you will:

- ~ Obtain a free account with Wordpress.
- ~ Use a portfolio template to create an art gallery website for displaying your art.
- \sim Upload photos of your art and organize your gallery, such as by medium or by subject.
- ~ Create a bio page and a contact form.
- ~ Post news and/or blogs that are automatically distributed to other social media such as Twitter and Facebook.

Chris will also talk about some options for getting vanity URLs, enabling financial transactions, المنعل ordpress rarticipant must either on the sector of the sector of the sector a crossis class is full - if there is enough want this class is full - if there is enough the sector of the sector of the sector of the sector of the sector want the sector of the sector o Interest, another one will be scheduled templates with other internet province w to try Conta tor a later date. hotos - ou will need ount, just in case you n (pldinsman@hawaii.rr.com) or Chris

Kutler (gmail.com) to sign up for the class - size is limited to 5 due to space limitations.

Call for Artists

Ceramics of Hawaii

This show runs Dec. 17, 2016 - January 8, 2017 at the Honolulu Museum of Art School Gallery on Oahu. Neighbor Island entries must be received in Honolulu by December 8. Entrants are required to pay all shipping costs both ways, but to offset the cost there is no entry fee or sitting requirement for neighbor island entries. Contact www.hawaiipottersguild.org/ceramicsofhawaii to receive prospectus and entry information. For questions contact ceramicsofhawaii@gmail.com.

Juror is David Kuraoka, Professor of Art Emeritus and Past Head of the Ceramics Program at San Francisco State University. He maintains studios in both San Francisco and Kaua'i.

2016 Hawai'i Nei Art Contest

Information on this show was in the May newsletter (available on website). It is being held from Nov. 4 - Dec. 15 at the Wailoa Center in Hilo. The featured category this year is "National Parks Preserving Pilina".

For more information, go to www.hawaiineiartcontest.org. If you have a question, contact hawaii.nei.art@gmail.com. All artwork must be registered online by Oct. 20 at this same website.

Community Events coming up...

Kahilu Theatre 885-6868 kahilutheatre.org

- Oct. 14, 7 pm **Dirty Dozen Brass Band.** A world famous music machine, whose name is synonymous with genre-bending romps and high-octane performances. They have revitalized the brass band in New Orleans and around the world, and broke through the boundaries of the traditional brass band to evolve into a highly lauded world-renouned musical force. \$68/ \$58/\$48/\$20.
- Oct. 23, 4 pm. **Christopher Morgan Pōhaku.** A dance theatre piece bringing together storytelling, hula, modern dance, classical music, and projection design to explore compelling universal themes in the story of Hawaii's native people, including land loss and fractured identity. \$68/\$48/\$38/\$20.
- Oct. 29, 7 pm. **Martha Redbone: Bone Hill The Concert.** Inspired by Martha Redbone's own life and the lives of the women from whom she is descended. The stories of the Bone family members are told in a communal narrative style interspersed with dramatic scenes and driven by songs that span a swathe of American music, almost telling a parallel history. \$68/\$38/\$38/\$20.
- Oct 30, 4 pm. Jovino Santos Neto (Steinway Series Event). He is a three-time Latin Grammy nominee, a master pianist, composer and arranger, and and is among the top Brazilian musicians working today. Jovino's personal style is a creative blend of energetic grooves, deep harmonies, telepathic improvisation, lyrical melodies and great ensemble playing, always inspired and informed by the colorful richness of Brazilian music.

Mahalo to our Volunteers

The following members volunteered during the month of September. Mahalo!

Docents: Carolyn Lancaster, Marty Allen, Pat Dinsman, Julie McCue, Barbara Schaefer, Marie Kinchla, Merna Watta, Suzanne Haight, Alissa Mattson, Janice Gail, Christian Marinello, Patricia Marinello, Norma Watt, Terry Bensch.

Other: Julie McCue, Carolyn Lancaster, Pat Dinsman, Irina Place, Jay West, Judy Folk, Christian and Patricial Marinello, Marc Scichitano, Wendi Roehrig, Amaury St. Gilles, Susan Harris.

Very special mahalos to:

Irina Place for her help in dealing with our latest computer and internet issues

Teresa Falkenberg, Terry and Trudy Bensch, Susan Harris and Norma Watt for helping Amaury and Pat with the Helen Cassidy show

Christian and Patricia Marinello for fixing the broken windows.



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Thank you!

A big mahalo to all the docents who sat the gallery and helped to keep our show available to the public for the month of September. Your time and dedication is greatly appreciated!!

Aloha, Julie and Carolyn

Lost and Found!

Someone left an umbrella in the gallery during the reception on Saturday Sept. 10th. It has a red, pink and black diamond pattern. If it is yours or you know who left it, please come in and claim it or contact Julie McCue.

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