# 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 "The 33rd Annual Helen M. Cassidy Memorial Juried Art Show "

October 5-29, 2017

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 be on

exhibit from October 5 - 29 at the Firehouse Gallery in Waimea.

The exhibit includes paintings in all mediums, drawings, sculptures, and photographs from artists all over the island.



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.

This year's invited juror is Kauanoe Chang, an Oahu native who has long been in the forefront of art & education. As a



student, she was attracted to art from early on. She eventually studied at UH Manoa with many well-known artist/teachers before beginning her art-focused career with the DOE as a curriculum developer of the Hawaiian Studies and Arts

Education Programs.

Since 2000 she's resided here on the Big Island living in Kamuela. She's been a support specialist assisting nine schools in the three northern districts of this island while also actively participating in a number of important art gatherings of indigenous peoples. Most recently she helped establish HOEA, a school for Native Hawaiian arts in South Kohala. She feels her own paintings are "imprints of her genetic makeup...pictorial stories of who I am, what I have experienced and they tell of times past and present." And further feels that "Visual art is the vehicle through

which I and other Hawaiian artists, can depict who we are, by using icons and symbols found in our culture and history. Our Hawai'i, past and present, is the Mother Lode of inspiration."

The Waimea Arts Council is privileged to have such a fine educator/artist as this year's jurist and hope that many will see this annual show as an opportunity to be part of our growing value in the North Hawaii Community.

Friends and the public are invited to a reception on Saturday, October 7 from 3 - 5 pm at the Firehouse Gallery, where awards will be presented to the following artists:

Best of Show: Carolyn Lancaster "Read My Paw", watercolor

- Trish Helm Kimball "Storm Clouds on the Range" 1st: pastel
- 2nd: Ilmar Reinvald "Cove at Waialea Bay" oil
- 3rd: Julie McCue "A Lovely Bunch of Coconuts" watercolor
- Honorable Mention: Judith Wilson "View From My Window" fiber art and Christian Marinello "Mana" granite





3rd Place



2nd Place





Honorable

Mention

The Firehouse Gallery is the most visible project of the Waimea Arts Council, an all-volunteer non-profit organization that sponsors programs, exhibits and education related to the arts.

It is strategically located in the heart of downtown Kamuela 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 Shell Station. Exhibits change monthly. The gallery is open Wed.-Fri. and Sun., 11 am to 3 pm, and Sat., 10 am to 3 pm. There is plenty of free parking behind the gallery.

# Time to Renew

To all current members...It is time to renew your membership for the fiscal year 2017-2018, which begins on October 1.

Dues remain the same:

\$25 for a "Friend of WAC" membership if you wish to support us but don't have artwork to sell or exhibit.

\$50 for a "Participating Artist" membership which allows you to display and sell your artwork in the Firehouse Gallery and participate in all shows. This membership requires that you contiribute as a volunteer at lease 4 hours per month.

A special note to those artists who have chosen to be on the Artists section of our website - you must be a paid member of WAC in order to continue to be included on that page. It you lapse and then rejoin later, you will have to pay the \$25 setup fee again to be added back in.

#### Get your name recognized as an artist by joining our Gallery of Artists display and the Artists page on our website!

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. There is no charge for this - Susan Harris will set it up for you from the information and photos you supply.

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 setup fee of \$25 (no further charge as long as you remain a member, and the submission of certain information to those who put it together. This is a great way to get your name recognized by anyone who comes to our website, and have samples of your work online.

For information on how to get a Gallery of Artists profile (this must be done before you can be added to the website), 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.

#### Arts hsors **Community Events coming up... Kahilu Theatre** 885-6868 kahilutheatre.org

- Oct. 3 10 am. MOVIE "The African Queen" Oscar winning performance by Humphrey Bogart 1951. \$10
- Oct. 6 7 pm. Shank's Mare. A collaborative puppet performance by American puppet artist Tom Lee and traditional Japanese puppeteer Koryu Nishikawa V. This beautiful and detailed production combines traditional Japanese puppetry, live video projection of miniature sets, and a haunting score on hammered dulcimer and Japanese shamisen and flute. \$40/\$30/ \$20
- Oct. 10 10 am. MOVIE **"Treasure of the Sierra Madre"**. The more he yearns for a woman's arms... the fiercer he lusts for the treasure that cursed them all. Humphrey Bogart - 1948. \$10
- Oct. 15 4 pm. Kamuela Philharmonic Orchestra -"Triumph & Desire". Orchestral masterpieces celebrating humankind's triumphs and desires. Bizet's "Carmen" is the quintessential story of love and desire. Khachaturian's spellbinding "Adagio from Spartacus," and the trials and tribulations of Tchaikovsky embedded in his "Fifth Symphony." \$43/\$28/\$23.
- Oct. 17 10 am. MOVIE **"Across the Pacific".** When Bogart kisses Mary Astor, you can feel it *across the Pacific* - 1942. \$10
- Oct. 21 7 pm. **Kalani Pe'a.** 2017 GRAMMY AWARD WINNER, 2017 Na Hoku Hanohano Award Winner, singer/songwriter Kalani Pe'a - a native of Pana'ewa, Hilo who currently resides on Maui - won the Grammy Award with his debut album featuring seven haku mele (Hawaiian original music compositions) and five of his favorite classics. Pe'a is all about perpetuating Hawaiin language through music and visual arts. His performance will feature Halau Ka'eaikahelelani. \$68/ \$48/\$25
- Oct. 22 4 pm. Okareka Dance Company "Mana Wahine". An all-female work by Okareka Dance Company that draws strength from traditional Maori culture to illustrate a tapestry of dance, theatre and film. \$68/\$48/\$25
- Oct. 26 7 pm. **Stephen Hough**. One of the finest pianists of the age and regarded as a true renaissance man. He has earned a multitude of prestigious awards and a long-standing international following. \$68/\$48/\$25

"One of the best things about paintings is their silence - which prompts reflection and random reverie."

~Mark Stevens

For information on how to get added to the website, contact Julie McCue at jmccue@hawaii.rr.com.

# Annual Meeting October 7

The next WAC Board of Directors' Meeting will be Saturday, October 7 at 1 pm in the bunkhouse. This is the WAC Annual Meeting and all members of the Waimea Arts Council are invited to attend. This is your chance to see how the board works and give your input on upcoming projects.

If you have anything you would like discussed, please contact any board member prior to that date. The meeting will be followed by the reception and awards presentation for the Helen Cassidy Show.

## Artists' Get-Together

#### Sunday, October 15

Due to a scheduling conflict, the Artists' Get-Together will meet on Sunday, October 15 at 3:30 pm, instead of the 2nd Sunday this month.

Bernt Grundseth will lead a discussion on basic photography tips for outdoors - including landscapes, close ups and wildlife. Please RSVP as space is limited. Open to members and non-menbers alike -invite a friend! Bring a snack - ice tea will be be provided.

This is a monthly event, usually held on the 2nd Sunday of each month, initiating discussion on all aspects of art, including photography. If you have a subject you'd like covered in future sessions, let us know. There is no charge.

To RSVP or any questions? Contact Pat Dinsman pldinsman@hawaii.rr.com.

# Amazon Smile Program

If you shop at Amazon.com, there is a way you can have .5% of your purchases donated to the Waimea Arts Council and it won't cost you a thing!

If you find something you want to buy on Amazon, check to see if the words "eligible for AmazonSmile Donation" are posted on the detail page for that item. If so, you can order it through AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com) for the same price and .5% of your purchase price will be donated to the Waimea Arts Council.

On your first visit to smile.amazon.com, you will be prompted to select a charitable organization to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. Waimea Arts Council will be on the list that is pulled up to choose from. They will remember your selection, and then every eligible purchase you make on AmazonSmile will result in a donation. You can change that organization at any time.

While .5% probably doesn't seem like much, if enough people sign up, it can add up. Remember that you must order through smile.amazon.com, not through amazon.com for the donation to occur. If you have an account on amazon.com, anything you order through the smile program will show on that account and if you have Amazon Prime, all those benefits will remain the same on the AmazonSmile orders.

This is a way to contribute to WAC without spending a penny extra!

"I found I could say things with color and shapes that I couldn't say any other way - things I had no words for."

~ Georgia O'Keeefe

FIREHOUSE GALLERY 2017-2018 UPCOMING CALENDAR	(subject to change)
Front Gallery:	
"33rd Annual Helen M. Cassidy Memorial Juried Show" (take-in September 30)	October 4 - 28
Reception and Award Presentation for Helen M. Cassidy Memorial Juried Show	October 7, 3 - 5 pm
Landscapes' (Including Volcanoes) (take-in October 28)	November 1 - 25
"Affordable Art" (take-in November 25)	November 29 - Dec. 30
"New Member Artists Show" "Springtime and Cherry Blossoms"	January 3 - Jan. 27 January 31 - Feb. 24
"34th Annual Na 'Opio Youth Art Show"	March (dates tbd)
Back Gallery	
"Affordable Art" (take-in September 30 and October 28)	October 4 - Nov. 25
"Small Solos" - Merna Watta, Marie Kinchla, Pat Dinsman	November 26 - Jan. 20
"Small Solos"	Jan 24- February 24
"Anything Goes"	March

### Upcoming member shows... think ahead

See calendar for full schedule and take-in dates.

November Front gallery - "Landscapes"

*Oct. - Nov. Back Gallery, Dec. Front Gallery-* **"Affordable Art"** under \$250.

February Front Gallery - "Springtime and Cherry Blossoms"

March Back gallery - "Anything Goes"

#### Mahalo to our Volunteers

The following members volunteered during the month of August:

**Docents:** Carolyn Lancaster, Pat Dinsman, Trish Kimball, Alissa Mattson, Marie Kinchla, Chris Kutler, Bernt Grundseth, Norma Watt, Merna Joan Watta, Julie McCue, Judith Wilson, Janice Gail, Terry Bensch, Trudy Bensch, Jay West, Barbara Schaefer

**Other**: Carolyn Lancaster, Pat Dinsman, Jay West, Irina Place, Julie McCue, Susan Harris, Trish Kimball, Judy Folk.

### Results of election for the 2017-18 Waimea Arts Council Board of Directors

On Saturday, September 23, the ballots for the election of Board of Directors for the coming year were tallied, and the results were that the following people were reelected to the Board for the fiscal year October 1, 2017 - September 30, 2018:

Pat Dinsman	Jay West
Christian Marinello	Wendi Roehrig
Irina Place	Amaury St. Gilles

The board members will get together and decide how to divide the responsibilities.

#### WAIMEA ARTS COUNCIL BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS 2017 - 2018

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# New members

A big welcome to our newest members - both are gallery participating members:

Ilmar Reinvald, Waimea - oi*l and watercolor* Trish Kimball, Waimea - *pastels* 

# More building updates....

Check out the bathroom in the gallery the next time your are in - it now sports a new floor treatment and fresh paint. In addition the inside of thebunkhouse has been repainted and the new exterior wall of the gallery was updated with more red paint after the repairs were done.

A big mahalo to Pat Dinsman for doing the painting and to Christian Marinello for finding us a tile guy.

# Art on Display

Live Aloha Hawaii real estate office, located across the street from Bank of Hawaii in Waimea, is currently featuring large paintings (30" x 40") by Alissa Mattson, Marie Kinchla, and Pat Dinsman in their office. This is a nice promotion for our gallery. We appreciate the support of our neighbors in the community. This space used to be an art gallery, so it is particularly fitting.