WAIMEA ARTS COUNCIL

March, 2017



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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

"33rd Annual Na 'Opio Youth Arts Show & Competition"

March 1 - 19, 2017

March is National Youth Art Month and the Waimea Arts Council celebrates with the 33rd Annual Nā 'Opio Youth Art Show and Competition, located at the Firehouse Gallery in Waimea. The show features young artists from grades 6 through 12 from schools and

Reception and Awards 3 - 5 pm Sun. March 5

home schooled students in the North and South Kohala and Hāmākua districts. This event has provided an opportunity for young artists' works to be shown to the public for many years, sometimes leading to their own one person shows. Some have even gone on to professional art careers having had their start with the Nā 'Opio. Awards for 1st,2nd and 3rd place winners are awarded to each grade level and presented at the reception held Sunday, March 5th from 3:00-5:00 PM at the Firehouse Gallery.

The judge for the 33rd Annual Nā `Opio was Carrie Edgil. Carrie teaches middle school special education at Laupahoehoe Community Public Charter School. She is passionate about integrating visual arts into the core curriculum, and believes that art education is critical to healthy child development. Carrie obtained a Bachelor's Degree in Fine Arts and a Master's Degree in the Arts of Teaching from the University of San Francisco. She also holds California and Hawaii Teaching Credentials for elementary education, and has an additional teaching authorization in art, which qualifies her to teach twodimensional art, three-dimensional art, and art history and appreciation. Some of her artistic skills include printmaking, mural painting, photography, sculpture, woodworking, and stained glass. When she isn't working, she is camping, swimming, or cooking up something tasty.

See next page for results of judging.

In the Firehouse Gallery Back Gallery

"Animals and Critters"

March 1 - 25, 2017

Throughout the month of March, the back gallery will be filled with images of all kinds of animals and critters, including land animals, marine life, birds and reptiles.





"Ae'o Hawaiian Stilt" photo by Barbara Schaefer

"Recurve" Hand altered print by Bill Bishop



"Karen's Horses" giclee on canvas by Terry Bensch





In the Firehouse Gallery Front Gallery

"Hawaiian Culture"

March 22 - April 15, 2017

From March 22nd-April 15th, the Firehouse Gallery in Waimea will exhibit a colorful artistic showcase inspired by Hawaiian royalty, hula, and significant places on Hawai'i Island. Interesting and important landscapes, people, and animals will be showcased in this show.



"Wahine Hula Aloha Lehua" Oil by Janice Gail

Among the art on exhibit will be exquisite oil paintings, fine art

photography, and colorful mixed medium creations by local artists Janice Gail, Bernt Grundseth, James Carlson, and Anna Sullivan. Original artwork and prints by other local artists featuring volcanoes, Hawaiian Island landscapes, horses, clouds, and rainbows will also be displayed.

Results of Judging 2017 Nā 'Opio Show:

6th Grade: (8 entries)

1st - Kehea Gaglione "Geo Giraffe" acrylic Parker MS

2nd - Sana Yamakawa "Rose Batik" wax batik on silk scarf HPA MS

3rd - Anolani Liu "Structure of School" watercolor HPA MS

7th Grade: (10 entries)

1st - Anuhea Elliot "Dances Godess of the Sea" pen/ pencil *Parker MS*

2nd - Amanda Black "Bo Peeps Lost Sheep" cardboard mixed media *Parker MS*

3rd - Prinstine Dahilos "Swan Legs" mixed media Waikoloa MS

8th Grade: (14 entries)

1st - Zachary Van Horn "Fish People" mixed media Waikoloa MS

2nd - Greg Parks "Gold-Blood" acrylic and metallics HPA MS

3rd - Keegan Mattson "Vog Mask" ink Waikoloa MS

9th Grade: (4 entries)

1st - Gracelyn Jardine "Colors All Around Me" acrylic on canvas *Parker HS*

2nd - Ryanne Doherty "Nature and Humanity" mixed Parker HS

3rd - Lilliana Ryan Canario-Carvalho "Blue Boy" mixed media Honokaa HS

10th Grade: (4 entries)

1st - Anna Gaglione "And That Which Was" ceramic pit fire Parker HS

2nd - Annie Pham "Wisdom of the Ages" ceramic Parker HS

3rd - Maya Elsworth "Lady Red" acrylic on canvas Parker HS

11th Grade: (4 entries)

1st - Bradley Bolinger "Flat Blue" ceramic pottery Parker HS

2nd - Mathias Migliorini-Marchese "The Political Game Series #2" mixed media on canvas *Parker HS*

3rd - Kawena Ching "Dante's Inferno Series #4" pen & ink & watercolor Parker HS

12th Grade: (5 entries)

1st - Kenzie Nelson "The Screamer" paper and book Parker HS

2nd - Kawe Lincon "Crack Me Open and Let the Bloom Begin" ceramic tryptic *Parker HS*

3rd - Eric Fetch "A Study of Line; Departure and Return" paper on wood *Parker HS*







First Place winners Row 1: grade 6, grade 7, grade 8, Row 2: grade 9, grade 10, Row 3: grade 11,











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Upcoming member shows... it's time to think ahead

See calendar for full schedule and take-in dates.

March/April Front Gallery - "**Hawaiian Culture"** - royalty, parades, hula, horses, places of significance, etc.

April/May Front Gallery - "Hawaiian Birds" - this is for Earth Week (Earth Day is April 22), so especially (but not only) endangered birds.

Mid-May through June Back Gallery - " Anything Goes" June Front Gallery - "Textiles" - weaving, quilting, and other fabric arts.

Welcome to New Members...

Brenda Bryant, Waikoloa - *glass* Elyssa Lee, Waikoloa - *acrylics*

Mahalo to our Volunteers

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

Docents: Alissa Mattson, Marty Allen, Pat Dinsman, Marie Kinchla, Chris Kutler, Merna Watta, Anna Sullivan, Julie McCue, Janice Gail, Jim Carlson, Terry Bensch, Norma Watt, Bernt Grundseth, Brenda Bryant, Carolyn Lancaster, Teresa Falkenberg, Wendi Roehrig,

Other: Susan Harris, Pat Dinsman, Patricia Marinello, Christian Marinello, Wendi Roehrig, Amaury St. Gilles, Irina Place, J. Jay West.

Learn How to Build a Free Art Gallery Website Workshop Sunday, March 19, 1 - 4 pm

There are still a few spots left in this workshop that will help you to build your own website, but sign up now as space is limited.

In this hands-on workshop, you will:

- ~ Obtain a free account with Wordpress.
- ~ Create a free art gallery website for displaying your art.
- ~ Upload photos of your art and organize your gallery, such as by medium or by subject.
- ~ Create a bio page and a contact form.

Contact Pat Dinsman (pldinsman@hawaii.rr.com) or Chris Kutler (kutlers@gmail.com) to sign up - size limited to 5 due to space limitations. Instructor: Chris Kutler, Cost: \$25/\$20 WAC members. Workshop will be held in the bunkhouse.

Participants must bring a fully-charged laptop with photos either on the computer or on a thumb drive. You must have a laptop -- no tablets. You wll receive pre-workshop instructions and tips for preparing your photos. For examples of what you will build, see

https://chriskutlerart.com or

https://lchapmanislandviews.wordpress.com

The latter was built by Lynn Chapman, who attended the last workshop.

Once you get a website, be sure to get a link to it, along with your profile, included on the WAC website. Contact Julie Mccue for information.

FIREHOUSE GALLERY 2017 UPCOMING CALENDAR... (subject to change) Front Gallery: "33rd Annual Na 'Opio Youth Art Show" March 1 - 19 "Hawaiian Culture" (take-in March 18) March 22 - April 15 "Hawaiian Birds" (take-in April 15) April 19 - May 27 "Textiles" (Take-in May 27) May 31 - June 24 To be announced June 28 - July 29 "Anything Goes" (take-in July 29) August 2 - 26 "Three person show" Norma Watt, Patricia Marinello, Christian Marinello August 30 - Sept. 30 "33rd Annual Helen M. Cassidy Memorial Juried Show" October 4 - 28 Back Gallery "Animals and Critters" March 1 - 25 Small solos - Marty Allen, Jim Carlson, Bernt Grundseth, Anna Sullivan March 29 - May 6 "Anything Goes" May 10 - June 24

Community Events coming up...

Kahilu Theatre 885-6868 kahilutheatre.org

Mar. 3, 7 pm. Hot Club of San Francisco - Cinema Vivant. Imagine yourself in the idyllic French countryside in the 1930's. Sometime before dark, a gypsy caravan sets up camp in a field outside of town, luring the locals out for an evening's fun. The wanderers travel with a film projector, pointing it at the side of a barn. As the images flicker to life beneath the stars, gypsy musicians play their guitars and fiddles, matching every movement on the screen with characteristic virtuosity, passion and humor. Reviving this lost entertainment; The Hot Club of San Francisco presents Cinema Vivant, an evening of vintage silent films accompanied by live gypsy swing. It is a celebration of imagination and innovation. \$68/\$48/\$38/\$20

Mar. 11, 7 pm. **Storm Large with Le Bonheur.** Astonishing artist Storm Large, who also sings with Pink Martini, is an actor, a songwriter, and has her own band — "Le Bonheur." With "Le Bonheur," she is a genuine spellbinding rock-star, performing her own songs, as well as covering classics in new ways. Her program is suitable for audiences ages 17 and up (due to R-rated language), and while her material takes you on a wild ride, it is also deeply affecting. \$68/\$58/\$48/\$20

Mar. 12, 6 pm. **Kahilu Gold with John Cruz**. Kahilu Gold Concerts bring exceptional artists to perform in intimate, beautiful places on Hawaii Island. With a backdrop of night skies, ocean breezes, and island style living, the concerts are hosted by theatre patrons, and benefit the Arts Ed @ Kahilu programs. Always a festive occasion, the events also feature performances by students from the Kahilu Performing Arts Classes. Pupu and libations provided. Featured Artist: John Cruz. \$150

Mar. 17, 6 pm. **Mark Valenti** (Steinway Series Event). Mark Valenti has his Masters of Music from Northwestern University and performs in recitals across Europe and the United States, including a performance for former First Lady Barbara Bush in Washington, D.C. Mark has performed recitals live on WFMT classical radio. He has also done extensive work in the Jazz field including performances with Gregory Hines, Frank Foster and Al Grey and has appeared on television with Joe Sudler's Swing Machine and singer/actor Christopher Durham. \$28/\$23/\$18/\$8

Mar. 23, 7 pm. **The Songs of C&K**. Celebrating "A Lifetime Party of Friends", recent Grammy museum inducted, Henry Kapono, brings THE SONGS OF C&K to Kahilu Theatre! Joining Henry in a tribute to the music of Cecilio & Kapono will be Hawaii Music Award winner,

Johnny Valentine, Alx Kawakami of Manoa DNA and 2016 "Most Promising Artist" Na Hoku Hano Hano Award winner, Blayne Asing! Listen to the Stories, Hear the Classics & join the Lifetime Party! All C&K Songs, All night long! \$68/\$58/\$48/\$20

Mar. 26, 4 pm. Unstoppable Youth presented by Kamuela Philharmonic Orchestra. Unstoppable Youth is the Kamuela Philharmonic Orchestra's (KPO) annual Spring Concert, and most beloved concert of the season. KPO will feature our three winners of the 7th Annual Madeline Schatz-Harris Concerto Competition. All Hawaiian music students age 18 and under are eligible to apply for the Madeline Schatz-Harris Concerto Competition, which is currently the only youth concerto competition in Hawaii for instruments other than the piano. Many of the past winners have gone on to have tremendous success. \$25/\$20/\$15

Mar. 29, 7 pm. Three Decembers - Hawaii Opera Theatre. Three Decembers is based on a play by Terrance McNally, the story unfolds as Broadway star, Madeline Mitchell, enters the twilight of her career & life. Estranged from her children, Madeline shares a secret she has kept for over three decades. Hidden truths are revealed as the family members struggle to find their identities in life and as part of a family. Starring Frederica von Stade. \$75/\$55/\$40/\$20

"Painting is silent poetry."

~Plutarch, Moralia: How to Study Poetry

"Painting is poetry that is seen rather than felt, and poetry is painting that is felt rather than seen"

~Leonardo da Vinci

The next Board of Director's Meeting will be Saturday, March 11 at 1:30 pm in the bunkhouse. If you have anything you would like them to discuss, please contact any board member prior to that date.

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