

# 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

## "34th Annual Nā `Ōpio Art Show and Competition"

February 28, 2018 - March 18, 2018

In celebration of National Youth Art Month, the Waimea Arts Council announces the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Nā `Ōpio Art Show and Competition for artists ages 11-17 in the North and South Kohala and Hamākua Districts.

The show will run from February 28<sup>th</sup> through March 18<sup>th</sup> at the Firehouse Gallery in Waimea. A reception and presentation of awards will be held Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 to 5:00 PM.

National Youth Art Month, which typically occurs in March, was founded in 1961 by the Crayon and Craft Institute, Inc. and the National Art Education Association. Initially it was called Children's Art Month but was changed to Youth Art Month in 1969. The purpose was to recognize and promote art and art education. It is a time to celebrate and encourage total education which values the development of divergent and critical thinking and the importance of the arts for a better quality of life for all human beings.

**Reception  
Sunday, March 4  
3 - 5 pm**

The judges this year were Margo Ray and Scott Yoell.



"Everyday Live"  
by Brooke Samura  
6th grade - 1st



"This Side of Paradise"  
by Belle Ounyoung  
7th grade - 1st/Juror's Choice



"Varazze Walkway"  
by Donald Sullivan  
8th grade - 1st



"Pallila"  
by Clyson  
Igarashi-Marquez  
9th grade - 1st

## 34th Annual Nā `Ōpio Art Show Winners

### Grade 6

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Brooke Samura**, *Everyday Life*, Watercolor & Acrylic, HPA Middle School
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Alyssa Ounyoung**, *Trees by the Shore*, Watercolor, HPA Middle School
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Annika Everett**, *Underwater South Kohala Coastline*, Mixed Media, HPA Middle School

### Grade 7

- 1<sup>st</sup> & **Jurors' Choice**, **Belle Ounyoung**, *This Side of Paradise*, Line & Wash Watercolor, HPA Middle School
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Sean Weyrick**, *Breaking Wave*, Acrylic on Canvas, HPA Middle School
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Royce Vallente**, *Peaceful Waters*, Oil, Waikoloa MS

### Grade 8

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Donald Sullivan**, *Varazze Walkway*, Digital Art on Metal, Parker School
- 2<sup>nd</sup> tie **Willy Mongkeva**, *Red Skys*, Oil, Waikoloa MS
- 2<sup>nd</sup> tie **Max Klug**, *Purple Rocks*, Oil, Waikoloa MS
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Ezekiel Rivera-Hooper**, *Window to Paradise*, Oil, Waikoloa Middle School

### Grade 9

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Clyson Igarashi-Marquez**, *Palila*, Acrylic Painting, Kohala High School

### Grade 10

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Sadie Radl**, *Paracetamol*, Graphite & Ink, Honoka`a HS
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Mitchell Canniff**, *Green Necklace*, Ceramic, Kohala HS
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Jada Hook**, *Coil Vase*, Ceramic, Kohala High School

### Grade 11

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Daycie De Luz**, *Wonder Boy*, Graphite, Honoka`a HS
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Shaharazad Gayle Lum**, *The Half Sisters*, Acrylic Painting, Kohala High School
- 3<sup>rd</sup> **Falyn Sebastian**, *Sparks Fly*, Digital Art, Honoka`a HS
- Honorable Mention**, **Lucon Route**, *Unity*, Digital art, Honoka`a High School

### Grade 12

- 1<sup>st</sup> **Logan Von Elsner**, *Muse*, Digital Art, Honoka`a HS
- 2<sup>nd</sup> **Francisco Manalo**, *Star Wars*, SilkPainted Scarf, Kohala High School

More Nā `Ōpio show winners



"Paracetamol"  
by Sadie Radl  
10th grade - 1st



"Wonder Boy"  
by Daycie De Luz  
11th grade - 1st



"Muse"  
by Logan Von Elsner  
12th grade - 1st

In the Firehouse Gallery Front Gallery  
**"Dual Retrospective"**

March 21 - April 15, 2018

From March 21 - April 15, the Waimea Arts Council is featuring two former members who chose the Firehouse Gallery to show and benefit from the sale of art from their respective estates.

Denise Ulrich was often a docent manning the gallery, who even came in one last time to help out when she was in a very reduced state of health.

Patricia Dahlheimer had fewer ties to the gallery but participated in several WAC sponsored shows and appreciated WAC efforts to expand and encourage art through all North Hawaii communities.

The Firehouse Gallery is pleased to present this celebration to showcase both artistic talents who brought much pleasure to many through their unique efforts. Both are much missed but live on thru artwork now hanging in many homes and collections round the world.

**PATRICIA STEVENS DAHLHEIMER (1945 ~ 2010)**

Patricia in high school was noted for her art ability and went on to study at the Art Institute of Chicago where she garnered both a BFA and a MFA. She then followed up by studying graphic arts at Portland University, Oregon.



With this stellar background she became an Assistant Professor at Linfield College in Oregon and as a certified K-12 Art Teacher later taught in public schools in Oregon, Hawaii and back in her home state of South

Carolina.

In previous Hawaii Island shows she was represented by East/West Arts Gallery, Kailua-Kona and lastly by Arts Pacifica Gallery of Fine Art, Kawaihae. Having shelved her own art production to teach, she returned to it during her extended stay on the Big Island. That newest work was shown in several one-woman shows there.

Returning to South Carolina in 2008 she jumped wholeheartedly into creating new work but health problems brought that great effort to a close in 2010. It was her wish that sales of her remaining artwork benefit art education and animal welfare and therefore a portion of the proceeds from sales of her work at this show will be donated to the Humane Society.

In the Firehouse Gallery Back Gallery  
**"Anything Goes!"**

March 7 - 31, 2018

The month of March will feature artwork by WAC members in a variety of styles, subjects and media. Artists have been invited to submit any of their favorite pieces. Deadline to turn in artwork is March 3.

**Dual Retrospective, cont.**

**DENISE 'Rani' ULRICH (1948 ~ 2014)**

Colorful, larger-than-life images of both small and large creatures characterized many of Denise's paintings after arriving in Hawai`i. By including larger creatures and plants of Hawaii, her work reflected new interests and the ease of painting "plein air".

From studies at Riveredge Nature Center in Newburg, Wisconsin she learned to more closely observe the world around her, and thru art express wonder at its beauty, intricacy, and complexity. Through her paintings she tried to convey that sense of wonder and excitement in seeing the richness, beauty, and sensuality of nature.

With a degree in theatre arts from Cornell University, she spent 22 yrs. in corporate life before returning to her abiding interest in art. She then attended the Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design (MIAD) where she studied oil painting, watercolor and egg tempera with a number of excellent mentoring instructors.



In 2001, after moving to the Big Island of Hawai`i she joined the Kailua Village Artists' cooperative gallery in Kailua-Kona (2005 ~ 2012). Her art, included in private collections around the world, was seen regularly at WAC's Firehouse Gallery and at Dovetail Gallery in Holualoa.

**WAIMEA ARTS COUNCIL PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP**

**Basic photography tips by Bernt Grundseth**

**Sunday, March 11**

**at 3:30 pm**

Firehouse Gallery, Waimea

Open to all. Bring a friend and a snack. Tea provided. No fee.

RSVP [pldinsman@hawaii.rr.com](mailto:pldinsman@hawaii.rr.com) by 3/9/18.

We will also discuss what is the best format for selling photography in today's market.

Check out Pictures Plus in Kona, HI for themes and prices.

*Pat Dinsman*, Gallery Manager



## Community Events coming up... (cont. on P. 4)

**Kahilu Theatre** 885-6868 kahilutheatre.org

March 4, 4 pm. **Trio Rafale**. Founded in Zurich, Trio Rafale has been bringing a fresh breeze to the chamber music scene since 2008. They take their name from the French term for a "gust of wind", a symbol for animated movement, which would be right at home in Waimea. \$68/\$48/\$25

March 8, 7 pm. **BYU Hawaii - Salsa Orchestra and Street Band**. Brigham Young University - Hawaii will be bringing their Salsa Orchestra and Street Band for a one evening show at Kahilu Theatre! \$5

March 10, 7 pm. **John Cruz** is one of the most talented artists that has ever come from Hawaii. His Na Hoku Hanohano Award-Winning Album of the year, "One of These Days," was named one of the "Top 25 Greatest Albums of the New Century." \$68/\$48/\$25

March 16 - 17, 7 pm. **A. R. Gurney's Love Letters** will be brought by Monica Abrahmsen. Comprised of letters exchanged over a lifetime between two people who grew up together, went their separate ways, but continued to share confidences, two actors read the letters aloud. What is created is an evocative, touching, frequently funny but always telling pair of character studies. \$30

Mar 20, 7 pm. **Complexions Contemporary Ballet - From Bach to Bowie**. Combining technical precision, power, and passion, Complexions Contemporary Ballet transcends tradition in a groundbreaking mix of styles, ranging from ballet to hip-hop. This exhilarating program is set to the music of J.S. Bach and David Bowie as the dancers transcend from an intimate abstraction of Love with Ballad Unto ....., to an all-out tribute to the life and music of David Bowie with Star Dust. \$68/\$48/\$25

March 23, 7 pm. **The Alt**. Three masters of Irish music—Asheville guitarist John Doyle; Fiddler Kevin Burke; and singer, guitar- and bouzouki-player Eamon O'Leary—have come together to celebrate the songs and spirit at the core of the tradition. \$68/\$48/\$25

March 25, 4 pm. **Kamuela Philharmonic Orchestra - Remarkable Flair**. Often seen performing on Hawaii Island to sell-out audiences, the remarkable Iggy Jang, concert- master of Hawaii Symphony Orchestra, offers Mendelssohn's famous Violin Concerto. "Remarkable Flair" completes Kamuela Philharmonic's season with Beethoven's Symphony No. 8. \$43/\$28/\$23

March 26, 7 pm. **Switchback** is the award winning duo of Brian FitzGerald and Martin McCormack. They draw on traditional Celtic music and original Americana songs that reflect their Irish heritage and Midwestern roots. \$68/\$48/\$25

March 29, 7 pm. **Kenny Broberg**. 2017 Cliburn Silver Medalist Kenny Broberg is a pianist with keen musical instincts, remarkable technique, and great sensitivity. \$68/\$48/\$25

**Waimea Community Theatre and Chorus**  
waimeacommunitytheatre.org

March 16, 17, 23, 24, 7 pm, March 18, 25, 2 pm. Parker School Auditorium. **Neil Simon's "Rumors"**. a madcap, slamming door farce set in a large home located just outside of New York in the year 1988. The characters are arriving as guests at a 10th Anniversary Dinner. The first couple to arrive discovers that one of their hosts (Charley) has apparently attempted suicide, unsuccessfully. Charley's wife, Myra, is nowhere to be found and neither are the servants. Through the course of the show, the audience never meets Charley or Myra. As more guests arrive, there are cover-ups, deceptions, mistaken identities, and a lot of huge laughs. \$14/\$15 Tickets at Waimea General Store, Waikoloa Mail Box or online.

## FIREHOUSE GALLERY 2018 UPCOMING CALENDAR... (subject to change)

### Front Gallery:

"34th Annual Na 'Opio Youth Art Show" (take-in February 24))	February 28 - March 18
Reception for Youth Show	March 4, 2 pm
"Dual Retrospective" remembering Denise Ulrich and Patricia Dahleimer (benefit for Humane Society)	March 21 - April 15
Reception for Dual Retrospective	March 25, 2-5 pm
"Earth Day and Ocean Conservation" (Take-in april 15)	April 18 - May 27
"Hawaiian Culture" (Take-in May 26)	May 30 - June 30
"Summer Fun" (Take-in June 30)	July 4 - 29
All Island Juried Show (Take-in July 28)	August 1 - 26
Tandem Show	August 29 - Sept. 28
"The Founders Annual Juried Show" (Take-in Sept. 29)	October 3 - 28
Reception for Founders Show	October 6
"Hawaiian Landscapes"	November 1 - 25
"Affordable Art"	December 1 - 30

### Back Gallery:

"Anything Goes" (take-in March 3)	March 7 - 31
Small Solos	April

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.

## Call for Artists....

**Earth Day & Ocean Conservation**, April 18-May 27, Firehouse Gallery Front Gallery. Entry deadline April 14, 3 pm. This special art and fine craft show gives island artists an opportunity to promote ocean conservation and bring awareness of saving marine mammals, sea turtles and other sea life through all mediums of art and fine craft, including photography and sculpture. Must be a WAC member - new members welcome.

For more info, contact Pat Dinsman.

## Mahalo to our Volunteers

The following members volunteered during the month of January:

**Docents:** Jim Carlson, Carolyn Lancaster, Susan Harris, Merna Watta, Pat Dinsman, Jay West, Trish Kimball, Terry Bensch, Trudy Bensch, Janice Gail, Marie Kinchla, Judith Wilson, Bernt Grundseth, Julie McCue, Wendi Roehrig, Chris Kutler, Barbara Schaefer, Anna Sullivan

**Other:** Carolyn Lancaster, Jay West, Pat Dinsman, Judy Folk, Julie McCue

The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be Saturday, March 10 at 1:30. Please contact any member of the board if there is a subject which you would like to present or have discussed.

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## A message from our President...

I am asking all of our artists to consider having their profiles added to our website. The more we can display the artwork from our talented artists, the more professional the site will look. Having a good presence on the web will help us to secure more grants to continue to support the arts in our community. It will also help to promote yourself as an artist.

You do not need to have your own website to do this, but if you do, it will provide a link to your site. If you are interested in having your own website but don't know how, Chris Kutler will be offering web classes again on Wordpress - beginning and advanced. More info to come.

Go to the website and take a look at the "Artists" page to see what a listing would look like. You can also use the links within the page to see the websites for those artists who have one.

If you want to be added to the website, contact Julie McCue [jmccue@hawaii.rr.com](mailto:jmccue@hawaii.rr.com) for details.

Aloha, Pat

## Invitation to WAC artists to show

See calendar for full schedule and take-in dates.

April/May Front Gallery - "Earth Day and Ocean Conservation" - seascapes and marine life Also recycled art - honoring Earth Day April 22

June Front Gallery - "Hawaiian Culture"

July Front Gallery - "Summer Fun"