



Cannon Beach Arts Association

The Cannon Beach Arts Association supports, funds and enhances the arts and artists in the Cannon Beach community through education, events, and exhibits

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A Message from The President

Cannon Beach is a gifted, wealthy and generous community where we are fortunate to be surrounded by artists, second homes and volunteers, not to mention some of the most beautiful geography on the planet. Though this is the traditional season of thankfulness and giving, I notice many people express gratitude for this place throughout the year.

Nowhere is this more apparent than at the Arts Association. Local and regional artists are encouraged to submit work for review and enter juried shows every year. The Cannon Beach Gallery in midtown showcases the pure, original work of painters, sculptors, printmakers, jewelers and other creators from our town and the North Coast.

Businesses here support the arts by developing and promoting annual events like Stormy Weather Arts Festival and Spring Unveiling that keep Cannon Beach in front of the coast arts scenes closer to home, local business sponsors and donors enable CBAA programs like the Summer Concerts in the Park, the Children's Summer Art Camp and the Individual Artist Grant to continue and thrive.

Finally, organizations like CBAA depend more than anyone knows on its volunteers. Executive

Director Andrea Mace, CBAA's only paid staff, works tirelessly promoting the organization, developing shows with the Gallery Committee volunteers and coordinating information and volunteers. The docents fill gallery shifts five days per week – more in the summer – greeting visitors, offering information on shows, on artists, on programs and on other galleries and events. The website, financial reports, grant writing, events like lectures and raffles and last year's cake walk, the newsletter – all of these are produced by a dedicated Board of Directors and other supportive volunteers.

As we look back on 2009 and say our usual reflective thank-yous, I'd like to express our appreciation for those who give the whole year



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through – who give us art, who support our programs, and who spend their time on our behalf. We wish you and yours a healthy, prosperous and beautiful New Year. ~Glynis Valenti

ARTIST GRANT

Applications for the 2010 Artist Grant will be available beginning the first week of February at the Cannon Beach Art Gallery. Artists working in the Cannon Beach area are eligible. The \$3,000 grant is open to creative talents working in all fields. In addition to visual artists - musicians, performers and writers are also encouraged to apply.



Paul Dahlquist, curator of this month's photography show

About Cannon Beach Arts Association

Since 1985, the Cannon Beach Arts Association (CBAA) has provided programs and opportunities that enhance and support the arts in Cannon Beach and the surrounding community.

The CBAA is a non-profit multidisciplinary arts organization run almost entirely by volunteers, allowing over 90% of its budget to go directly to a wide variety of programs. These programs include: a Children's Summer Art Camp, free Summer Concerts in the Park, Scholarships for high school seniors, a \$3,000 Individual Artist Grant and the Cannon Beach Gallery.

The Cannon Beach Arts Association programs are all funded through members' contributions, and grants from business, foundations, and government agencies.

MEMBER

Cannon Beach
GALLERY GROUP

A Quarter Century...

2009 ticking away to 2010 brings the Cannon Beach Arts Association to its quarter-century mark in serving the arts community of our region. For 25 years the non-profit CBAA has lived its mission to support, fund and enhance both arts and artists. Each year thousands of visitors and residents see art in all its forms at the CBAA's Cannon Beach Gallery and hear music fill the summer air at its free concerts in the park. Children by the dozens come alive to the arts at summer camp sessions. Graduating high school seniors who hope for a life in the arts receive scholarships to make career dreams a reality. Each year one artist receives CBAA's Individual Artist grant, furthering their work and providing a presentation to the community. Nearly 100 emerging and established local and northwest artists show work each year in the gallery's monthly exhibits. In fact, over these 25 years CBAA's hundreds of volunteers, dozens of local art and commercial business and government supporters, and virtually thousands of members just like you built the association into a hub of arts activity able to channel more than 90 percent of its budget into vital community art enterprises. And in that time, CBAA has distributed hundreds of thousands of dollars to community arts-related ventures of all kinds. Given our size, such a record is quite possibly unique in the Northwest arts world. A quarter of a century! Good for you! Good for Cannon Beach! And thank you -- thank you, one and all!!

Exhibit Schedule

January 9 - February 1

PHOTOGRAPHY

All juried Photography show. The guest juror for this show is Paul Dahlquist who recently celebrated 72 years of picture making with his limited edition book, Dahlquist at 80.



Work by Paul Dahlquist

February 5 - March 1

VALENTINE: WILL YOU BE MINE?

A juried show. Guest juror is Seth Nehil, an artist, composer and professor at Pacific Northwest College of Art.

Reception 6-8pm, February 5.

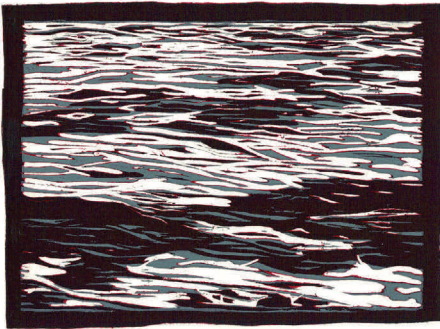


Exhibits (cont)

March 5 - March 29

WATER

Richard Gorsuch, Paul Miller, Cory Burnett, Tori Williams, and Susan Walsh.
Reception 6-8pm, March 6.



Susan Walsh

March 5-29 Group Show
reduction color woodcut



A sneak peek of future shows...

July

SEA CREATURES

All juried show curated by Mack McFarland of the Pacific Northwest College of Art's Feldman Gallery.

October

EKOLI: LANDSCAPE OF THE WHALE

The show will have a juried component. The featured artist is Sally Lackaff.

November

MINIATURES SHOW

All work will be 6" x 6" or smaller.
A juror is to be announced.

A Glance Back at 2009 ..

On the 4th of July and four summer Sundays the sound of music in the park was heard by hundreds of attendees at CBAA's Concert Series. Thanks to the whole-hearted support of local retailers, the series, according to organizer Maggie Kitson, "brought a huge outpouring of positive feedback from artists and people attending." Performers and our generous sponsors were: North Coast Symphonic Band with a Coast Guard Honor Guard, funded by Coaster Properties; the Chris Parker Jazz Band, funded by Bronze Coast Gallery, White Bird Gallery, George Vetter Photography and Hallmark Resorts; The Retta Christie Trio, funded by Cannon Beach Vacation Rentals; Birds of Fire, funded by The Bald Eagle and Escape Lodging; and the Heather Christie Band, funded by Hamlet Builders. Our deep appreciation extends to our sponsors – this Cannon Beach landmark event wouldn't be possible without them.

Summer Art Camp the last week of July offered four classes to 29 students aged 5 to 14, who got to show their work to parents and the community. Our thanks go to our teachers - Barbara Temple-Ayres, Bookbinding/Printmaking; Sally Lackaff, Sculpting with Nature; Annie Naranjo-Rivera, Improv a Go-Go; and Ireta Sitts-Graube, Watercolor Creatures – for the rave reviews art camp received.

In August Liza Jones spearheaded a Printmaker's Fundraiser where prints were made by 16 artists who then donated 6 copies each to CBAA, netting over \$6000 for CBAA. Many, many thanks to Liza and all our donating artists. (Some copies still remain for purchase, a win-win way to support CBAA's work!)

... And a Glimpse of 2010

Plan ahead for Children's Summer Art Camp 2010 running July 26-30 conducted by local artists and held in Cannon Beach. The Clatsop County Cultural Coalition has provided a grant for this Year's session.

And the winners are . . .

The Stormy Weather Arts Festival raffle ticket sales brought more than \$3000 into CBAA. Congratulations to Cannon Beach's Ted Miller who won the Elizabeth Pattison commissioned earring and necklace jewelry and to Victor Caballero of Pasadena, California, who takes home Jeffery Hull's donated original watercolor, "Sea Fog Sunset". With our thanks to all involved – especially to our artists for their time and talent – the raffles brought \$1700 to our artist grant program and \$1300 for much-needed gallery improvements.

Art Remembers...

Cannon Beach Arts Association often receives generous donations in memory of, or in honor of, individuals who would wish the arts to continue to thrive in their names. As we receive requests honorees will appear here.

In memory of
Carol Adleberg