



In this edition of the Beaverton Arts Commission's E-newsletter:

- Final Weekend - Beaverton Civic Theatre's Every Christmas Story Ever Told (and Then Some!)
- Weekend Events at ACMA – Great Expectations and Holiday Bazaar
- Art On Broadway Celebrates the Holidays
- Village Gallery of Arts – December Happenings
- Start 2013 By Immersing Yourself In The Hawaiian Culture
- Register for Winter Term at Ano's Art Academy
- Portland Festival Ballet – Nutcracker 2012

Final Weekend - Beaverton Civic Theatre's Every Christmas Story Ever Told (and Then Some!)

Read the review!

http://campaign.r20.constantcontact.com/render?llr=st9pp8dab&v=001Mk_gIOuRuDYVIp3dccnKfXBNRQFSx5jLO9DI1LH-5c_URqD_lit7UZ7ouD5KBCKqbhP266UywpVGmcTWcVLwLfuqsLxLeEdZ-mZHrpJGADR-IJ88TyXapQ%3D%3D

Through Saturday, December 15

The Beaverton Civic Theatre's holiday comedy, "Every Christmas Story Ever Told (and then some!)" by Michael Carleton, James FitzGerald and John K. Alvarez, is now showing. Rather than redo the classic Dickens tale yet again, six actors take a humorous romp through the holiday season when they decide to perform every Christmas story ever told - hitting on carols, icons and traditions from around the world.

Parking is free in the Library parking lots.

Fridays and Saturdays at 8pm

Ticket prices are \$15 Adults,
\$12 Students, Groups and Seniors (55),
and \$5 Youth (10 and under).

For more information
www.beavertoncivictheatre.org
or contact: info@beavertoncivictheatre.org,
503-754-9866.

Weekend Events at ACMA - Great Expectations and Holiday Bazaar

Charles Dickens' Great Expectations- Opens tonight!

Directed by David Sikking, this production follows the adventures of an orphan boy named Pip, who is given a chance to rise from his humble beginnings thanks to a mysterious benefactor.

Performance Schedule:

FRIDAY: December 14 at 7:00 pm
SATURDAY: December 15 at 2:00 pm
CLOSING NIGHT: Saturday, December 15 at 7:00 pm

Buy tickets here: <http://www.acmatheatre.com/great-expectations.html>

ACMA Holiday Bazaar:

Friday December 14 from 5-7PM

Don't miss this fun-filled evening with family and friends! Enjoy student made creations, photos with our life-sized Grinch, good food and great fun.

Both events take place at ACMA ARTS CENTER, 11375 SW Center Street, Beaverton, Oregon 97005

Art On Broadway Celebrates the Holidays

The December exhibit at Art On Broadway Gallery features hand-crafted ornaments, holiday cards, small original paintings and assemblages, one-of-a-kind holiday trees, and other artist-designed items for holiday giving.

Offered are unique gifts and decorative holiday items found exclusively at Art On Broadway – sets of notecards with images by our local artists; ornaments of all kinds including glass icicles and mouth blown glass bulbs, porcelain stars and red ceramic hearts, ornaments created with recycled materials such as wine corks and jigsaw puzzle pieces, fused glass jewelry, holiday trees, and more.

Art On Broadway is located at 12570 SW Broadway Street, Beaverton, Oregon, within walking distance of the Max stop at Beaverton Round and just a few doors west of the Beaverton History Center. Open Tuesday through Saturday 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Phone 503-601-3300 for more information or go to <http://artonbroadway.net/>

Village Gallery of Arts - December Happenings

The Village Gallery of Arts Holiday Show: Now through December 23

Village Gallery's Annual Holiday Show is continuing this month, with new items being added weekly. Stop by to find hand-crafted one-of-a-kind gifts made by Portland area artists, including cards, jewelry, paintings, mixed media, fused glass, stained glass, mosaic, hand-painted gift bags for wine, miniature beaded purses, sculpture, pottery, fiber arts, tree ornaments and other beautiful items that can be enjoyed year-round.

Featured Artist: December 4 - January 5

Enjoy the bold, vivid color of Renee Habibi's nature and landscape oil paintings, as well as some of her work in graphite, ink and watercolor. Habibi's work as an artist emerged as a need for creative release as her youngest daughter entered first grade. She credits Dan Carrel, an early instructor in Kansas, as helping her "really see the world around us - to note the color, lighting, lines, patterns, and textures comprising it - and then to express it in artistic form."

VGA Classes:

Kristi Roberts ~Children's Art Classes

Emma Achleithner ~ Traditional Watercolor Classes

More Info:

Please call the Gallery at (503) 644-8001 or visit our website www.villagegalleryarts.org for additional information regarding the gallery, membership, classes, and special events. Gallery is located at: 12505 NW Cornell Road (Cornell and Saltzman, behind Walgreen's Drugs, next to Cedar Mill Community Library) and is open Tuesday through Saturday - 10 am to 4 pm; Sunday 12 pm to 4 pm

Start 2013 By Immersing Yourself In The Hawaiian Culture

Hula Hālau 'Ohana Holo'oko'a (School Of Hula Where Everyone Is Family) welcomes students from 3 years old through 97 years old for their Winter Classes that start the beginning of January. They currently offer 3 hula classes for children 3 to 17 years old and 4 hula classes for all levels of adults including a day time class for adults 55 years and older. Their Tahitian class has all skill levels and is open to both children and adults. Classes have easy freeway access right off of Highway 217. You can find more information on their website - www.hulaaloha.org or you can call (971) 227-8354.

Register for Winter Term at Ano's Art Academy

Inviting, fun, full of purpose...The way in which a classroom is designed offers students a way of perceiving the world. Ano's new school, located in the Cedar Hills Shopping Center, is a haven filled with all the materials students need to explore their dreams – in an atmosphere of trust and support in every art class. And they'll find all the tools and materials used by serious artists – no compromises. New student applications are being accepted now for winter session. Visit the Ano's Art website for more information and to fill out an application! www.anosart.org.

Portland Festival Ballet - Nutcracker 2012

Saturday December 22 at 2:00 and 7:00 PM

Sunday, December 23 at 1:00 and 5:00 PM

ACMA Performing Arts Center in Beaverton

Tickets are \$30 for adults, \$25 for children/students/seniors, and \$22 for groups of 10 or more

Buy your tickets online at www.portlandfestivalballet.org Call 503.977.1573 for more information.

Elaine Orcutt

E-News Editor

Beaverton Arts Commission