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Beaverton Arts Commission- Community Grant Program, Accepting Applications Now!

The Beaverton Arts Commission is proud to announce the addition of a grant program into its repertoire. Special thanks to the Beaverton Arts and Culture Foundation for providing this generous support.

The application process is now open and closes on Monday, March 25th. Grants are open to individual artists, arts/cultural groups, Beaverton schools, and social service agencies, religious organizations, or private businesses partnering with a not-for-profit arts or diverse cultural organization for a joint project. The full application can be found online at <http://beavertonarts.org/index.aspx?nid=117> under local resources. Applicants will be notified by the end of May.

Beaverton Arts Commission Grant Program provides financial support for non-profit visual, written, and performing arts organizations who serve the Beaverton community. Applicants to this grant program can apply for activities or opportunities that address one or more of these five goals:

1. Bring people together by providing opportunities for all people to experience and explore art.
2. Create ways for people to celebrate cultural diversity through art.
3. Help local artists to have a voice and to thrive artistically.
4. Spur the development and stewardship of art.
5. Educate the community on the intrinsic and economic value of art.

All funded activities must take place between July 1, 2013 and June 30, 2014.

For questions about the grant guidelines or application, contact the BAC at: (503) 526-2299 or mailboxmayorartscommission@beavertonoregon.gov

Beaverton Arts Commission - Facebook Page Update

Thanks for your interest in our Beaverton Arts Commission Facebook page. We've streamlined our communications efforts and the page has been removed. You can keep up with BAC updates by following the Beaverton City Government's Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/CityofBeaverton>.

2013 Regional Arts & Culture Council Artists Workshop Series

Registration is now open. Registration and full details at www.racc.org/workshops
For registration, accessibility and translation needs, call 503.823.5111 or email info@racc.org

Fundamentals of Grant Writing for Individual Artists

SAT, JAN. 26: 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. \$30

Marketing: The Same but Different

SAT, FEB. 9: 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. \$30

To be or not to be a 501(c)3 and how-A panel discussion

WED, FEB. 20: 4 p.m. - 7 p.m. \$25

Copyrights and Contracts 101: For Artists and Creative Professionals

SAT, MAR. 2: 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. \$30

Putting the Pieces Together: How to Use Social Media to Promote Your Art or Event

SAT, APRIL 6: 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. \$30

For Organizations: Building Audiences in a Complex and Competitive Environment

WED, APRIL 17: 4 p.m. - 7p.m. \$30
The Artist Talk: How to Talk to Anyone Anywhere about Your Art
SAT, MAY 4: 9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. \$30
Your Career in Music-options and next steps-A panel discussion
TUE, MAY 21: 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. \$20
Music Business 101: Copyrights and Contracts for Musicians
SUN, JUNE 2: 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. \$30
Grant Writing for Individual Artists: Making Your Story Work for You
SAT, JUNE 8: 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. \$30
Writing for Artists: Engaging Your Audience
SAT, JUNE 15: 9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. \$30

January Art - Beaverton Arts Commission Venues

Beaverton City Hall- 4755 SW Griffith Drive. Open M-F, 8 am to 5 pm

Women Learning Photography Together presents its first group photography exhibit. The featured exhibit, "Growing Together," displays more than 90 images. The photography group was formed in 2008 and currently has more than 150 active members. All women with an interest in improving their photography skills are welcome to join. For more information, please visit www.MeetUp.com/NEW-Women-Learning-Photography-Together/.

Please visit <http://www.beavertonoregon.gov/Archive.aspx?AMID=101> for the full press release.

Providence St. Vincent Medical Center- 9205 SW Barnes Road, Portland, second floor in the west wing of the Hospital between the Heart Center and the cafeteria.

Photographic works by Susan Gould (www.photoimagesbysusangould.com)

Artisan Salon- 4430 SW Lombard Ave, Beaverton. Open Tues-Sat 10 am to 7 pm.

Stunning Landscapes by Noel Riney (<http://noelriney.com/>)

New Seasons Progress Ridge- 14805 SW Barrows Road, Suite 103. Beaverton. Open 8am - 11pm.

Bold and Vibrant Collage Art by Bonnie Tucker
(<http://villagegalleryarts.org/bonnie-tucker/>)

Beaverton Chamber Symphony Winter Concert - A Night at the Opera - OPENS TONIGHT!

The Beaverton Chamber Symphony Winter Concert "A Night at the Opera," will take place Friday, Jan 18, 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Jan 20, 3 p.m. at the Village Baptist Church, 330 SW Murray Blvd. A selection of arias and orchestral works by Verdi, Wagner, and more. Tickets are \$10 at the door, \$5 for students and seniors. \$20 for families. www.beavertonsymphony.org

Beaverton Civic Theatre Audition Notice - Steel Magnolias

The Beaverton Civic Theatre will hold open auditions for Robert Harling's, Steel Magnolias, directed by Tony Bump. Auditions will be held Fri, 2/15, from 6:30pm - 8:30pm; and Sat, 2/16, from 11am - 1pm at the First Baptist Church Beaverton, 5755 SW Erickson Avenue, Beaverton.

No appointment is necessary. Please plan on being there from start to finish. Auditions will consist of cold readings from the script. The cast is 6 women. Performances are April 26 - May 12 - Fridays and Saturdays at 8pm and Sundays at 2pm.

If you are interested in the Beaverton Civic Theatre, auditioning for Steel Magnolias, or volunteering for the production, you are invited to attend a Meet and Greet with director Tony Bump and producer Melissa Riley on Wednesday, Feb 13 at 7pm in the Beaverton City Library Auditorium, 12375 SW 5th Street, Beaverton 97005.

Contact the Beaverton Civic Theatre at info@beavertoncivictheatre.org or 503-754-9866 with any questions.

Art On Broadway - January/February Happenings

"Ikebana Design" – Special Artist Demonstration at Art On Broadway

Artist and designer, Myla Keller, will conduct a demonstration of "Ikebana Design" at Art On Broadway on Sunday, January 20, 2013, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. This demonstration in flower design and basic principles of art is free and open to the public. Ms. Keller has studied in the Saga and Sogetsu Schools of Ikebana and is credited to teach in Book One of the Sogetsu School, whereupon when students master the basic styles, they are encouraged to develop their own style.

Also this month, Art On Broadway Gallery challenged its award-winning local artists to create works in a 12" x 12" format for the first display of the new year. Whether the artist works in glass, fiber, ceramics, jewelry, as a sculptor or painter – the artwork must be square. The exhibit dates are now through February 2, 2013.

Art On Broadway is pleased to announce an exhibit titled "Feminine Finery" by jewelry maker Bert Cohen and milliner Diana Unterspan while giving a nod to women. The public is invited to celebrate the art and artists at the show's opening reception Saturday, February 9, 2013 from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. Complimentary wine and refreshments will be served. Exhibit dates are February 6 through March 2, 2013.

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 - January Happenings

Featured Artist: **January 8 - February 2**

Don't miss **Kat McCullough's** fiber art, which will be on display this month. Although her interests run from oils, acrylics, and paper collage, McCullough has been working in fiber the last several years, enjoying its "endless variations of color, shape and line." McCullough cites Paul Klee, Georgia O'Keeffe, Hannah Hoch, Romare Bearden and Wolf Kahn as a few of the many artists she admires.

Classes: Village Gallery is pleased to be offering two new classes in January.

Lydia Cooper will be teaching a one-day Friday workshop using the popular and successful drawing method inspired by Betty Edwards' book, "Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain." This class will be offered on Friday, January 18, 2013 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm at the gallery and is open to ages 16 to adult. Cost: \$30

Chris Keylock Williams will be teaching "Hearing Your Painting," a five-week painting course offered at the gallery on Tuesdays. Morning and afternoon sessions are available. All levels welcome.

Danny Rodriguez will be returning to the gallery in January to teach Turkish Marbling on Paper. This is a great opportunity to learn the techniques of this ancient art form. All levels, ages 16 to adult. Saturday, January 19, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Cost: \$60

Other Classes:

Children's Art Classes by Kristi Roberts, ages 7 - 12 years

Traditional Watercolor Class by Emma Achleithner

Acrylics for Brilliant Transparent Paintings by Linda Rothchild Ollis

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

Painted Violin Project - Seeking Display Opportunities

The Portland Youth Philharmonic is participating in a Painted Violin Project this spring. They are looking for venues in Beaverton to display these beautiful works of art before they are auctioned off at their annual fundraiser in April. Google search Painted Violin Project for examples of these artful masterpieces. The dates for display in Beaverton are March 11-25. Approximately five violins will be in search of a temporary home during this time. If you are a business, art gallery, or just have a secure space that could use some beautiful temporary art, please contact Rick at 503.638.0109 or parfrey@msn.com for more details.

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