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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 & Culture Foundation for providing this generous support.

The application process is now open and closes on Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>. 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](mailto:mailboxmayorartscommission@beavertonoregon.gov)

### **Call to Artists - Beaverton Ten Tiny Dances 2013**

The Beaverton Arts Commission (BAC) is seeking proposals from choreographers to create and perform a dance as part of Ten Tiny Dances on Saturday, July 13. Ten Tiny Dances has become an annual event in Beaverton, since 2009. Beaverton Ten Tiny Dances is an opportunity to present both contemporary and traditional dance, to highlight and make public the rich mix of cultures in Beaverton, and to attract audience members to a variety of stage sites in Beaverton. The event presents both contemporary dancers and traditional/ethnic dancers on a 4' x 4' stage.

Please visit <http://beavertonarts.org/index.aspx?nid=109> for ore information and to view the full call to artists. Deadline to apply is Friday, March 22, 5 pm.

### **Call to Artists - BAC Visual Art Venues**

The Beaverton Arts Commission still has some availability in the 2013 calendar for 2D visual arts who desire areas to display their work. Please email Elaine Orcutt ([eorcutt@beavertonoregon.gov](mailto:eorcutt@beavertonoregon.gov)) with your monthly availability, number of available works, size of works, and an artist webpage link to be considered for these display opportunities.

### **2013 Regional Arts & Culture Council Artists Workshop Series**

Registration is now open. Registration and full details at [www.racc.org/workshops](http://www.racc.org/workshops)  
For registration, accessibility and translation needs, call 503.823.5111 or email [info@racc.org](mailto:info@racc.org)

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

### **ACMA Orchestra Fundraising Concert**

Arts and Communication Magnet Academy (ACMA)'s Classical Orchestra will perform its annual Fundraising Summer Scholarship Concert on February 22, 2013 at 7:00 in the ACMA Performing Arts Center, 11375 SW Center Street, Beaverton. The program includes orchestral works, chamber music and excerpts from the ballet, Coppelia, with members of Dance West. Ticket prices are \$10.00/adults; \$5.00/students and free for children under 5. Tickets are available at the box office the day of the performance. 100% of the funds raised goes directly to deserving students who participate in classical music study over the summer months.

### **Learn About Arts & Culture Grants Funding Available In Washington County At Free Panel Discussion**

Applying for grants funding is a key part of every arts & culture organization, but it can also feel like a daunting task. Come break through all of the confusion and get the answers you need at the Washington County Arts & Culture Grants Panel, a free event

hosted by the Hillsboro Arts & Culture Council on March 7, 2013 from 4 to 6 pm at the Walters Cultural Arts Center.

Panelists include representatives from the Cultural Coalition of Washington County, the Hillsboro Arts & Culture Council, the Oregon Arts Commission, the Beaverton Arts Commission, the Oregon Cultural Trust and the Regional Arts & Culture Council.

Though this is a FREE event, reservations are requested. Reserve your spot by calling 503-615-3431 or emailing [hacc@hillsboro-oregon.gov](mailto:hacc@hillsboro-oregon.gov). For more details about this and other professional development opportunities, go to [www.hillsboroarts.org](http://www.hillsboroarts.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, 2/22, from 6:30pm - 8:30pm; and Sat, 2/23, 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](mailto:info@beavertoncivictheatre.org) or 503-754-9866 with any questions.

### **Winter Term 2013 Native American Dance Labs**

Native American Men's/Women's "All Around" styles Dance Labs w/off campus school credit starts January 22nd, 2013 at 6 pm at THPRD Garden Home Recreation in the Gym. All ages welcome. Registration same evening. Stay fit, make friends and stay connected. Keeli Nehani Littleleaf Kotchik and Matthew Clements, Instructors.

Share with a friend, come and observe the class. See Native! <http://www.paintedsky.org/northstar/> for more info.

### **Art On Broadway - February/March Happenings**

“Working with Felted Wool” – Diana Unterspan to Demonstrate at Art On Broadway Gallery:

Art On Broadway’s monthly artist demonstration is by Diana Unterspan, fiber artist and milliner, who will explain her process of creating unique hats and art pieces, at Art On Broadway, Sunday, February 17, 2013, from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. She will offer a free hands-on opportunity for those who are interested. Art On Broadway’s monthly Sunday demonstrations are free and open to the public and offer insight to the artist’s creative process.

Art On Broadway Gallery will host a reception for the exhibit “Explorations in Glass” featuring new works by fused glass artist Rae Campbell. The evening event is scheduled for Saturday, March 9, 2013 from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm and the public is invited to join in this free celebration of art. The show will continue through March 30, 2013. The gallery is located at 12570 SW Broadway Street in Beaverton.

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/>

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