

Beaverton Arts Commission **bac**

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Beaverton Arts Mix! – Help Us Improve our Online Artist Application Process!

Calling all visual artists! With the 2015 Beaverton Arts Mix! Art Show and Sale approaching, please help the BAC streamline the online artist application process. In the past, we have used the Call for Entry system (Café), which has worked for some artists and not for others. Do you have any other favorite online application modules that you would recommend? (Zapplication, Entrything, other?)

Please send an email to Elaine Worden, citing your preferred online application module and a short reason as to why by Friday, April 3 at eworden@beavertonoregon.gov.

Thank you for helping us make this year's show the best yet!

Call to Artists – Beaverton Ten Tiny Dances Now Open! – **Deadline MONDAY!!!**

2015 marks the seventh year for this signature Beaverton event! Guests spend a summer day exploring downtown Beaverton where five 4'x4' stages will showcase the talents of ten, unique dance performances from master-level ethnic and contemporary dancers. Beaverton Ten Tiny Dances is a free, public event centered around the popular Beaverton Farmers Market. Visit all five stages and you will experience a total of Ten Tiny Dances! **Deadline to apply is Monday, March 30.**

View the full call to artists here:

<http://www.beavertonoregon.gov/index.aspx?NID=1268>

Scholarships Available for Visual and Performing Art Students

The Beaverton Arts Commission (BAC) is seeking scholarship applications from outstanding high school senior visual and performing art students. Scholarships are open to all fine and performing art graduating seniors attending high school within the Beaverton School District boundaries. The following scholarships will be awarded (more than one scholarship in each category will be given):

- \$1,000 for Outstanding Visual Art High School Senior (includes all traditional media, design and moving image)
- \$1,000 for Outstanding Performing Art High School Senior (includes music, dance, singing, drama as well as tech crew members, etc.)

Scholarships will be presented by Mayor Denny Doyle at a Beaverton City Council meeting in June 2015. **The deadline to apply is Monday, April 13.** For full grant guidelines or to complete an online application, please visit <http://www.beavertonoregon.gov/bacstudentscholarships>.

Program is funded by the Beaverton Arts & Culture Foundation, Southminster Presbyterian Celebration of Creativity and the Juan Young Trust.

Beaverton Arts & Culture Center Survey - Your Input Please

Dear Community Member,

Below is a link to a survey that will guide planning for a proposed Beaverton Arts and Culture Center. We would like to know how you might utilize this center and what it would take for you to feel invited, welcomed and engaged there. We are specifically at this time looking for feedback from culturally-specific/ethnic/communities of color, but we welcome feedback from all. We will greatly appreciate your feedback and sincerely thank you in advance for your time.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/XQWGR5B>

Additionally, if you would prefer to share your feedback in another manner, please reply to this message or email Bill Flood, Outreach Consultant at bill@billflood.org.

Please forward this message to others in your community.

For more information on this project, please visit www.BeavertonOregon.gov/ArtsAndCultureCenter.

Music in Small Spaces presents “Ancient Airs and Modern Dances”

Music in Small Spaces, sponsored by the Beaverton Arts Commission, will present “Ancient Airs and Modern Dances” on Saturday, April 4 at 2:00 p.m. in the Beaverton City Library Auditorium (12375 SW Fifth Street). Tickets are \$16 for adults, \$11 for seniors/students and free for attendees 12 and under. Tickets can be purchased online at www.musicinssmallspaces.org or at the door.

Grammy nominated Ronn McFarlane will perform music of the 16th through the 18th centuries as well as his own modern pieces for the lute.

The Renaissance enjoyed a very popular stringed instrument called the Lute. Those who could afford to own one and learn to play it were in high demand. This instrument was the precursor to the modern guitar. Musicians of the day were multi-talented, they sang, performed and composed.

Beaverton Civic Theatre - “The Dining Room” at the AACT Region IX One-Act Festival

The Beaverton Civic Theatre's production of The Dining Room won the Oregon American Association of Community Theatre AACTFest on Saturday, March 21 at Theatre in the Grove in Forest Grove. Beaverton Civic Theatre will represent Oregon in the Pacific Northwest Regional AACTFest on Saturday, March 28 at Gallery Theatre in McMinnville.

Tickets are \$5.00 per show. Please visit gallerytheatre.org for more information.

RACC 2015 Artists Workshop Series

RACC is pleased to offer 12 Artist Professional Development Workshops from January to June in 2015. These workshops are led by experts in their field, and designed to give you the tools you'll need to organize, maximize and prioritize your career as an artist. With topics ranging from grant writing to how to market

yourself and your work, you'll be sure to find a workshop that will fit your needs and your checkbook. (Workshops typically range from \$25-\$35 each, sometimes even less.)

More information at <http://www.racc.org/resources/racc-artists-workshop-series>

4/4/15 RACC Workshop: Narrative mechanics - how to design and deploy strategy for arts marketing success

4/12/15 RACC Workshop: Social media strategy - what it means and how to make it work for you

5/3/15 RACC Workshop: Painting BIG: mural tips, techniques and materials – spray cans, stencils, protection

5/9/15 RACC Workshop: Painting BIG: mural tips, techniques and materials – brushes, grids, projectors

6/7/15 RACC Workshop: Opening doors - getting your art work out the studio an into the world

The Beaverton Historical Society Presentation: Sons of the American Revolution

Event: What is S.A.R. (Sons of the American Revolution)

When: Tuesday, April 14, 2015; 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Where: The Beaverton History Center, 12412 SW Broadway, Beaverton, OR 97005

Admission: \$2.00 suggested donation

Web site: HistoricBeaverton.org

Phone: (503) 430-0106

Come join us to learn about S.A.R. (Sons of the American Revolution). Grier Ingebretsen will talk about how the organization preserves history by marking compatriot graves. The grave of Compatriot William Cannon is located in St. Paul Oregon. The organization honors outstanding junior and senior ROTC members, and Eagle Scouts. They participate in parades and programs with the American Legion, and schools in the area.

Mr. Ingebretsen will give his presentation dressed in uniform, and will also discuss a project in Beaverton's Blue Star Park at Washington and Watson, between 7th & 9th Street.

The Center is located at 12412 SW Broadway in historic Old Town Beaverton. For more information call 503-430-0106 or email info@historicbeaverton.org

"Trio Brasileiro - Virtuoso Brazilian Jazz" at PCC Rock Creek

Description: Portland Community College Rock Creek Performing Arts Department will present the Brazilian virtuoso jazz/choro group Trio Brasileiro in a workshop and concert. Tickets are \$10 at the door (cash or check only). Parking is free in the event parking area immediately behind Building 9. The workshop is free and open to the public.

Trio Brasileiro is dedicated to performing the great traditional choro music of Brazil by Jacob do Bandolim, Ernesto Nazareth and others, as well as their own compositions, which are modern reflections of that great traditional musical form. Trio Brasileiro released their first recording, "Simples Assim," in 2012. For more information about the Trio, please visit www.triobrasileiro.com.

Event Date and Time: Tuesday, April 28, 2015. The workshop begins at 12:00 pm and the concert at 7:30 pm.

Location: Forum Theater, Room 114, Building 3, Portland Community College Rock Creek Campus, 17705 NW Springville Road, Hillsboro.

Phone: 971-722-7869

Email: jason.palmer@pcc.edu

Website: www.facebook.com/pccrcmp

First Friday Returns in May with Plans for an Art Walk

May 1 will feature an Art Walk as Beaverton Downtown Association opens its 4th season of First Friday. The BDA is seeking artists who want to demo or set up a table or bin to sell their work during the event. There is no charge to participate. Hours are 5 to 8 p.m. Artists are invited to select a spot somewhere in the historic district of Beaverton's downtown. The more artists, the merrier the event. Email Donna Sanson at donnasansonartworks@comcast.net to confirm your participation. Artists in all categories are welcome - musicians, actors, authors, dancers, sculptors, and painters.

Celebrate Beaverton - Cultural Festival Seeking Performance and Exhibitor Application

Celebrate Beaverton - Cultural Festival! (previously the International Celebration)

WHEN: SAT | JULY 25 | 11 AM-5 PM

WHERE: Howard M. Terpenning Recreation Complex | 158th & Walker Rd.

Hosted by THPRD's Party in the Park, the Cultural Festival provides an opportunity for ethnic/cultural groups, organizations, businesses and performers to engage with community members through music, dance, performances, arts, crafts and more as we celebrate the many cultures represented in our community.

Please visit www.BeavertonOregon.gov/CulturalFestival to view a short video from last year's event and to access the online application click on the following link: Online Application.

APPLICATIONS FOR STAGE PERFORMERS, CULTURAL EXHIBITORS AND KID'S AND CULTURAL AREA ARE DUE BY MAY 15. Space is limited so apply soon!

Washington County Open Studios - 2015 Call to Artists

Call to Artists for the Washington County Open Studios Tour, October 17 & 18, 2015. Meet patrons, show your process and promote your work in your studio, our full-color catalog and website. Artists with a working studio in Washington County must be willing open their studio to the public from 11am-5pm both days. Participation fee \$100. Information and application online www.washcoart.org beginning March 1. Deadline June 1.

2015 Beaverton Photography Contest

Are you a photographer who loves Beaverton as much as we do? Last year, The Beaverton Resource Guide (BRG) held a very successful Art & Poetry contest that raised over \$200 for the Beaverton Library Foundation. For 2015, we hope to raise even more money by holding a photography contest that promotes the positive aspects of our city and this time around, the beneficiary is the Beaverton Arts & Culture Foundation.

Please visit <http://www.beavertonoregon.gov/DocumentCenter/View/9273> for full information.

Submission Deadline: July 31, 2015

All submissions must be emailed as a high resolution jpeg image to the email address below on or before July 31st, 2015. Judging will occur the first week of August and only winners will be notified.

For more information or to register, contact Michael Wong, Editor of the Beaverton Resource Guide at 503-641-3320 or email michael@cedarhousemedia.com.

Jeffrey Howard – Artist Representative Seeking Washington County Artists

Howard is currently accepting submissions of Washington County based artists for opportunities at Beaverton area businesses. If you are interested in showing your work locally please submit no more than five images, a short bio to

howardartists@gmail.com. If you have it you may also include a link to your website, tumblr, FaceBook or the like.

For 15 years Howard has been helping artists manage their businesses and find ways to show their work. Howard's goal is to help artists get the tools they need to succeed. Howard helps artists from all kinds of backgrounds use technology to stay in touch with their fans. Howard teaches artists how to manage their finances and plan for the success of their businesses. Howard creates opportunities for artists to show their work in coffee shops, bars, restaurants and other high traffic businesses. Howard puts artists' work in front of curators at galleries and museums and helps artists manage their brands in order to capitalize on their successes.

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voice and text: 503-282-2215

From our friends in Hillsboro:

Affordable Art for Everyone - Call to Artists

Affordable Art for Everyone invites artists to apply for our October 3, 2015 indoor art show at NW Events in Hillsboro, Oregon.

Submission deadline is Friday, April 17, 2015. Apply online at Zapp.org (<https://www.zapplication.org/event-info.php?ID=4054>).

Affordable Art for Everyone is an opportunity for artists to sell their work to patrons who are ready to buy. Similar events in Denver and Milwaukee have been successful for almost 50 years, collectively, and regularly attract thousands of buyers. The price limit of \$100 gets patrons excited about finding great deals.

We want to highlight the wide variety of wonderful art that is available in our area and turn more people into patrons of the arts by allowing them to build a collection of original art at prices everyone can afford.

You pay only the application fee and booth fee. All income from sales is yours. No commissions to calculate, no one handling your art or money but you. Booth size is 8x10'. Artists will bring their own booth setup.

Deadline: 4/17/15

Website: www.affordableartforeveryone.com

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