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Beaverton Arts Mix! - Call to Artists - Deadline MONDAY!!!

The call to artists for the Beaverton Arts Mix! (BAM!) is now open for artist submissions. BAM! is an art exhibition and sale held at the Beaverton City Library (12375 SW 5th Street in Beaverton), Oct. 8-11.

A full calendar of BAM! events will be available in September. This year's event calendar will include an outdoor "Quick Draw" and art demonstrations by Washington County open studios on Saturday, Oct. 10, children's art activities facilitated by library staff and Beaverton Civic Theatre performances.

View more details at www.beavertonoregon.gov/BAM and apply to the Call to Artists at www.callforentry.org listed under call title "Beaverton Arts Mix! 2015 - Art Show and Sale."

Beaverton Arts Mix! is presented by the City of Beaverton and the Beaverton Arts Commission. The exhibition is supported by Reser's Fine Foods, Villa Sport Athletic Club and Spa, New Seasons Market, The Oregonian, and the Beaverton Arts & Culture Foundation.

Entries must be submitted online by Monday, July 27, 2015 by 11 p.m. Pacific Time.

Beaverton Wind Ensemble Concert - Tonight!

Beaverton Wind Ensemble Concert
Bernhard H. Crusell
Wednesday, June 24, 2015
7:00 pm
Beaverton City Library Auditorium
12375 SW Fifth St, Beaverton, OR 97005.

The concert is free and will feature the following:
An evening of clarinet chamber music by Sweden's
Bernhard H. Crusell (1775-1838)

Including:
Introduction et Air Suedois, varie, op.12
Three Progressive Clarinet Duets, op.6
Quartetto, op.2, no.1

Future Concert dates:
Wednesday, September 9, 7:00pm
Saturday, September 19, 2:00pm
Wednesday, October 21, 7:00pm
Wednesday, November 18, 7:00pm

More info at <http://www.beavertonoregon.gov/BWE>.

Beaverton Celebrate Cultural Festival - Tomorrow!

Please join us Saturday, July 25 for the Celebrate Beaverton Cultural Festival! The Cultural Festival will take place between 11am - 5pm at the HMT Complex on 158th and Walker Rd. The festival is a free, fun, family-friendly event showcasing

our many cultures through music, dance, interactive activities, food, art and more! The event is meant to inform, entertain and foster curiosity learning and fun as we celebrate Beaverton's racial/ethnic diversity.

This year the festival will feature fun activities from cultural exhibitors, sports exhibitions and stage performances from the following groups:

- NW Lion and Dragon Dance Association | 11 am | Stage 1
- Tirolean Dancers | Traditional German Dance Troupe | 11:30 am | Stage 2
- Koto Melodies | 12 pm | Stage 1
- Danza Azteca Huitzilopochtli | 12:30 pm | Stage 2
- Mbrascatu | 1 pm | Stage 1
- Hula Halau O'Hana Holo'Oko' A | 1:30 pm | Stage 2
- S&A Irish Entertainment | 2 pm | Stage 1
- Painted Sky North Star | Native American Dance | 2:30 pm | Stage 2
- Rio Con Brio | 3 pm | Stage 1
- Chayag | 3:30 pm | Stage 2
- Kalabharathi | Indian Classical Dance | 4 pm | Stage 1

For more information, visit: <http://www.beavertonoregon.gov/CulturalFestival>

Beaverton Visioning Survey – We want to hear from you!

We want to hear from you and your thoughts about Beaverton's future! Help us make Beaverton a community where arts and culture thrives!

<http://beavertonoregon.gov/visioning>

Seeking Vendors for Beaverton's First Friday events!

We are still seeking vendors for the remaining First Friday events on August 7 and September 4. Progress continues on the SW Broadway streetscape with street closures planned for Broadway between Hall and Watson, and 1st Street between Watson and Angel. The Beaverton Downtown Association has scheduled four live musical groups for August - one at Beaverton Bakery, one at West/Broadway, one at 1st/Watson, and one at 2nd/Watson. Portland's popular Grilled Cheese Grill food truck will be located on 1st Street. Many of the downtown merchants have special events planned within their stores (wine tasting at Rose City Modern, Silent Auction at Art On Broadway, Grand Opening at Tulen Center with free martial arts demos, 20% off storewide sale at The Vault, etc.) and a free Party Bus from Pacific Cascade Limo will transport visitors throughout the downtown. Join us and promote your business while you support the revitalization of Beaverton's historic district!

More information at <http://downtownbeaverton.org/firstfriday/>.

Masque Alfresco performs Goldoni's Venetian Twins

Masque Alfresco performs Goldoni's Venetian Twins
Beaverton Library Lawn - 12375 SW 5th Ave. & Hall Blvd.
Saturdays & Sundays @ 7:00 pm
August 15, 16, 22, 23, 2015

Masque Alfresco is now into its 14th Summer Park Tour of commedia dell'arte plays by Moliere and Goldoni performed with all of the traditions: slapstick beatings, hat lazzi, colorful period costumes – updated for modern audiences with political jokes and celebrity slams ripped straight from the headlines. The show is free and family friendly!

Masque Alfresco is funded in part by grants from the Cultural Coalition of Washington County, the Oregon Cultural Trust, Hillsboro Arts and Culture Council, and the Beaverton Arts Commission.

Join us on the Beaverton Library Lawn with lawn chairs, blankets, picnics, the family dog (on a leash) – and bring your funny bone!

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Music in Small Spaces – Hawaiian Dance and Culture

Music in Small Spaces, sponsored by the Beaverton Arts Commission, will present “Hawaiian Dance and Culture” on Saturday, Aug. 8, at 2 p.m. in the Beaverton City Library auditorium, 12375 SW Fifth St.

The O.H.A.N.A. Foundation will present musicians, dancers and chanters. Attendees can learn about the history and meaning of hula and chanting. O.H.A.N.A. will also host a Hawaiian craft fair on the same day from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at City Park next to the Beaverton Farmers Market. To learn more, visit www.ohanafoundationpdx.org/.

This concert is supported by the Beaverton Arts Commission, the Cultural Coalition of Washington County, and the Oregon Cultural Trust. Tickets are \$16 for adults, \$11 for seniors and students, and free for kids 12 and under. For more

information or to purchase tickets in advance, visit www.musicinssmallspaces.org. Tickets can also be purchased at the door.

August at Village Gallery of Arts

Who: Oregon abstract landscape artist Amanda James

What: Solo show featuring watercolor paintings which speak to the beauty of Oregon and emphasize color. Amanda's work is also inspired by looking back to the periods of the Arts and Crafts movement and the artists of the Works Progress Administration.

When: August 4 - 29, 2015; Opening reception Sunday, August 9, 2-4 pm

Where: Village Gallery of Arts, 12505 NW Cornell Road, Suite 14, Portland, OR 97229

Cost: Free

August at Art On Broadway Gallery

"Painters Showcase: Preview To Annual Fall Show" at Art On Broadway Gallery

- Members of Painters Showcase are guest artists for the month of August at Art On Broadway Gallery
- The guest artists work in a variety of media including oil, acrylic, watercolor and pastel paintings, drawings, etchings, collage, and mixed media and will be previewing work that will be in their Annual Fall Show
- The exhibit opens August 5, 2015, ends August 29, 2015
- The public is invited to a reception from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm, Saturday, August 8, 2015. The gallery will provide complimentary refreshments, and Bridal Veil Winery will offer free wine tasting.

"Summer Group Show" at Art On Broadway Gallery

- 18 award winning gallery members exhibit their original fine artwork in a wide variety of topics, themes and media during the month of August
- The exhibit opens August 5, 2015, ends August 29, 2015
- The public is invited to a reception from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm, Saturday, August 8, 2015. The gallery will provide complimentary refreshments, and Bridal Veil Winery will offer free wine tasting.
- The exhibit includes artworks in glass, ceramics, jewelry, wood, paintings in oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, encaustic and mixed media

Gallery Hours: Tuesday through Saturday 11:00 am to 6:00 pm

Art On Broadway Gallery, 12570 SW Broadway Street, Beaverton, Oregon; Phone 503-601-3300; email: info@artonbroadway.net; <http://www.artonbroadway.net/>

Beaverton Civic Theatre - Auditions for A Little Princess

The Beaverton Civic Theatre will hold open auditions for A Little Princess adapted from the classic novel by Frances Hodgson Burnett.

Auditions will be held Thursday, August 13 from 6pm - 8pm and Saturday, August 15 from 2pm - 4pm at the Beaverton City Library Auditorium, 12375 SW 5th Street, Beaverton 97005. No appointment is necessary. Please plan to arrive at the beginning of auditions and plan to stay the entire time. There will be cold readings. Performances are December 4 - December 20 2015, Fridays and Saturdays at 7:30pm and Sundays at 2pm.

If you are interested in the Beaverton Civic Theatre, auditioning for A Little Princess, or volunteering for the production, you are invited to attend a Meet and Greet with Director/Producer Melissa Riley on Thursday, August 6, 2015, 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.

- Sara Crewe: Imaginative storyteller, ready to encourage or make friends with anyone (approximate age 10-12)
- Captain Peter Crewe: Sara's father; affable and carefree, always has a smile on his face (approximate age late 20's - 30's)
- Miss Minchin: Headmistress of Miss Minchin's Seminary; sharp, cold and bitter character (approximate age late 30's - 60's)
- Becky: Timid servant girl (approximate age 10-12)
- Ermengarde: Painfully shy, socially awkward (approximate age 9-12)

- Lottie: Cute and lonely, knows how to manipulate through temper tantrums and screaming (approximate age 6-8)
- Lavinia: Stuck-up and self-centered bully (approximate age 10-13)
- Jessie: Lavinia's second-in-command, can be nasty or sweet depending on who she's around (approximate age 9-12)
- Thomas Carrisford: "Uncle Thomas", world traveler and best friend of Captain Crewe, he tirelessly searches for Sara when her father dies (approximate age 30's)
- Ram Dass: Trustworthy and loyal servant of Thomas (approximate age 20's-40's)

- Monsieur Dufarge: Kindly, old French professor, French accent required (approximate age 40's-50's)
- Additional roles include: Solicitor, Maid, Various School Girls, Worker, Police Officers, Baker, Beggar Child, Porter, Vendor

From our friends in Clackamas County:

Volunteers sought for ArtBurst Northwest!

Do you love the arts? Love meeting new people and finding out what the life of an artist is all about? Grab a friend and volunteer with us!

ArtBurst NW is a fine arts festival on the Marylhurst University campus August 1st- 2nd. It is a show that focuses on fine arts with emphasis on the artists and their work, student art, art guilds, art organizations. The two organizations, ArtBurst NW, and Marylhurst University enjoy a synergy that results in a wonderful celebration of the Arts. Now in its 16th year, we know that we couldn't operate without our volunteers! We are a 501c3 non-profit.

Here's what we need (Volunteers need to be 12 and older):

July 30th: Help in marking our field (one more person who doesn't mind working in the sun!)

July 31st:

- Set-up help at artist load- in (we need 10-12 helpers total)
- Traffic control

Aug. 1-2 (show dates) Individuals and teams of individuals to do the following tasks:

- Traffic control (2 people each day)
- Hospitality booth (4 people each day)
- Cooling station (would like people with First Aid training)
- Booth sitters for artist's breaks (we need many more volunteers for this)
- Parking helpers (4 hour shifts - shade cover for relief)
- Garbage and recycle wardens (can serve 4 or 8 hour shifts)
- Tear-down and cleanup / load out. (we need people that can lift and carry)

Shifts over 4 hours receive a \$5.00 food voucher.

For more information, visit our website: <http://artburstnw.org/>

You may either sign up online through our Contact Us link or call 503/646-4820. Please remember to leave your phone number.

2016 Artist Exhibit Program

Deadline to Apply: Friday, September 11, 2015, 5:00 pm

The Arts Alliance's Artist Exhibit Program (AEP) rotates original artwork through 16 public gallery venues throughout Clackamas County.

INDIVIDUAL ARTISTS and ARTIST GROUPS who live or work in Clackamas County are invited to apply to AEP annually. All media will be considered in 2-dimensional or 3-dimensional artwork.

Early each summer AEP releases an invitation to apply for inclusion in the next calendar year's rotation of exhibits. Selected artists will be scheduled sometime within the following year for either a 3- or 4-month exhibit.

What's the Purpose of AEP?

- Increase public exhibit opportunities for Clackamas County artists
- Provide local artists with skill-building and gallery-readiness training
- Encourage public appreciation for the work of County artists

Sales and Commissions

- Art sales resulting from AEP exhibits are possible but not promised.
- If sale occurs, no commission is due!

More information at <http://clackamasartsalliance.org/aep/>.

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