

November 15, 2022



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BREAKING NEWS!

We are celebrating NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH! We have partnered with the Chemawa Indian School to highlight Native American Art. We're half-way through our Native American Heritage Celebration. Here's what we accomplished so far...

1. Banner installed on the Keizer Cultural Center.
2. Chemawa Murals on the Museum Rotating Art wall on the first floor.
3. Basket weaving demonstration at FIRST MONDAY.
4. Native American artifacts display in the Keizer Heritage Museum.
5. Native American artifacts display in the City Hall display shelves.
6. One last display to install in the classroom is additional student art and photographs.

The KAA Board wants to thank member, Gina Smitasin, for bringing this idea to the Board, it was a WONDERFUL idea and it has been fun and rewarding to implement.

KAA CHRISTMAS CARD

Holiday card contest: We have received original artwork from our membership. The Board will determine the winning art and we will order cards for this holiday season. The winner, Karen Stangeby, will receive the \$100.00 gift!

THANK YOU, members, for participating and congratulations, Karen!!

December, 2022 - ARTIST SHOWCASE

This show is open to all artists! All media and any subject may be entered into this December Artist Showcase.

Children ages 4 – 14 are encouraged to enter this show as well.

INTAKE: Wednesday, November 30 in the Gallery.

RECEPTION: The reception will be on Saturday, December 3rd from 2 to 4 pm in the gallery and classroom.

Plan now to participate in this show. Some wonderful artwork will be shown. The public, artists, family and friends are invited to attend. Awards will be presented at this time. Artists who are exhibiting works are encouraged to attend as the public enjoys meeting you and communicating with you.

This show runs December 1st through January 3rd.



Keizer Art Association Presents...

Artist's Showcase

December, 2022

December 1st to January 3rd
Intake: November 30th
Reception: December 3rd, 2:00 to 4:00 PM

"Fascination"
By Vicky Vicory
Best of Show, 2021

Gallery and Gift Store Hours:
Tuesday: 3:00 to 7:00 PM
Wednesday - Friday: 1:00 to 5:00 PM
Saturday: 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Enid Mount Joy Gallery
980 Chemewa Rd NE
Keizer, OR 97303
503-390-3010
keizerarts.com

Poster design by Joann DeLamant

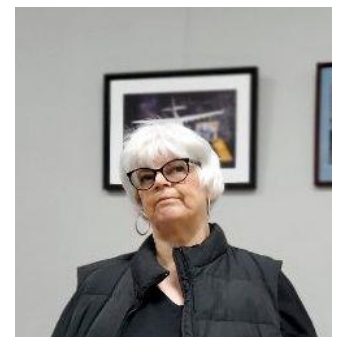
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NOVEMBER, “BLACK WHITE AND GRAY” SHOW

Nancy Ericksen-Ward judged the November, “Black White and Gray” Show. Nancy is a past member of the KAA board of directors and has taught many watercolor classes at KAA. She has won many awards for her beautiful art. Below remarks made by Nancy. Thank you so much, Nancy, for judging our November show!

BEST OF SHOW: “Spot”, stippling, Kathy Haney



Nancy Ericksen-Ward, Judge

“This piece had personality and charm in excess. What moved me to give the highest award was the skill in using this pointillistic approach to achieve not only the texture, but the shading. Look closely at this artist's work. Many labor hours went into this.”

JURORS’ MERIT AWARD: “The Old Oak”, watercolor, Nola Pear



“Significant use of the medium to create texture and a wide value range. It was a nice feeling to the subject matter. This artist is definitely good enough to invest in artist quality paints and paper.”

FIRST PLACE: "Heading North", photo, Craig Leaper



"It was a tremendous achievement using depth of field to pop out the focal point, allowing the background images to be softer edged, and less bright. This photographer knows his/her business!!"

SECOND PLACE: "Cackler", photo, Craig Leaper



"The best abstraction of a realistic subject in this show. The graphic impact of the close-up works well to show textures within the strong shapes."

THIRD PLACE: "Anguish and Anger in Ukraine", pencil, Michael Dora



"This is obviously a very emotional piece. I applaud the artist for tackling not only the intensity of human feelings, but also a political subject. The black and white palette is perfect for the drama expressed here. I'm not sure color would have carried the same impact."

OCTOBER PEOPLES' CHOICE AWARD

"Native American Flute"
By Don Fromherz

CONTRATULATIONS, DON!



Thanks to October Volunteers!

Terry Dempsey	Julie Thoreson
Bob Curtis	Penny White
Cheryl Manhire	Karen Saleen
Yita Harris	Bev Wittler
Chris Baker	Debbie Bowen
John DeJarnatt	Ellen Langsather
Barbara Hunter	Lore Christopher
Rebecca Mettert	Dee Hendrix



Don't forget to stop by the Keizer Civic Center (located at 980 Chemawa Rd. NE, Keizer, next door to the old school house building where KAA is housed) during the month of November to see the award winners from our October "Art In Wood" show. It was a great show and the award winners are part of what was submitted. The Keizer Art Association gallery wall is at the north entrance to the Keizer Civic Center and just inside the double doors. You won't be disappointed! This show is brought to you by Terry Dempsey, KAA board member.

PROSPECTUS

Every month, KAA sends out a prospectus which contains all of the information for entering your art in an upcoming show. If you have any questions, please email Cheryl at keizerartassociation@gmail.com

pro·spec·tus /prə'spektəs/

a printed document that describes an upcoming exhibition in order to attract or inform

Do you know that Keizer Art Association posts a prospectus for each show?

Please read it for exhibition details and hanging instructions.

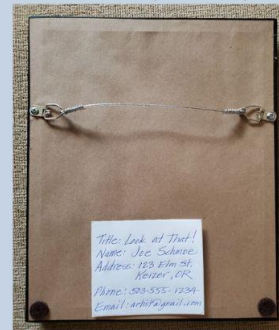
Please visit keizerarts.com or come see us at 980 Chemawa Rd NE, Keizer, OR 97303



Before heading to the gallery to deliver your entry:



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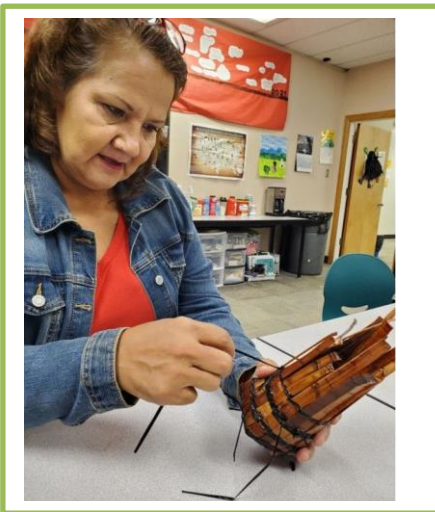
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NOVEMBER MONDAY MEET-UP

Our November First Monday Meet-Up on November 7th was very special, indeed! As a preview to next year's Native American Heritage month in November of 2023, we had Chrystal Parsons come from the Chemawa Indian School to talk to us about Indian culture and demonstrate cedar bark basket making.

Chrystal is a tribal member of the Suquamish tribe in Washington state, an alumnus of the Chemawa Indian School and now teaches Indian Arts to the students at the school. About 15-20 students dressed in celebratory regalia accompanied Chrystal and added to this amazing experience. It was an absolute pleasure to listen to her speak about her culture and the art of basket making. We hope that you were in attendance, if you missed it, you missed a wonderful presentation.



DECEMBER MONDAY MEET-UP

December First Monday Meet-Up! Get ready to join us for our Annual Holiday Ornament Party! This year we'll be decorating frosted globes, wooden ornaments and Shrinkie Dinks straight from your childhood! We'll have holiday treats, raffles, Show & Tell, conversation with like-minded people and FUN! We always have a GREAT time! Monday, December 5, 7-9 PM; doors open at 6:30 PM; 980 Chemawa Rd NE, Keizer, OR 97303 and it's FREE!



GALLERY K

It is hard to believe, but Christmas is coming. It is time to start thinking about what you may want to make to sell in Gallery K. We hope to have many beautiful items available, making the gallery beautiful and making you a few extra dollars!

Our gift shop, Gallery K, is open again with many wonderful pieces of art. For a sampling of items in Gallery K, go to our website (keizerarts.com). Better yet, visit in person and see our newly painted gallery and classroom. Visitors are most welcome!

Contact Julie Thoreson at juthor2000@gmail.com to discuss selling your art in Gallery K.

HAVE YOU FORMED YOUR VIRTUAL PAGE ON KAA WEBSITE? Do you know you can sell your art from this site?

It is simple and fun: There is now a page on www.keizerarts.com called Member Gallery. It is a place on which each member may place photos of our art for others to admire or buy! If you would like your own spot to show your art online, simply send it to Bob Curtis at bcurtis97304@gmail.com. Include a note so that it is put into the right spot on our beautiful (thanks to Bob) website. This is a wonderful chance for us to view others' artwork. And an opportunity for you to have your family and friends view your art. We will also begin selling the art of those of you who would like to do that. Visiting the wonderful art online is such fun. Enjoy!

UPCOMING KAA CLASSES*

Supply Lists for All Classes are on the KAA Website, www.keizerarts.com
Questions regarding classes? Contact Carol Harris at Mowog@aol.com

*Keizer Art Association supports our art community by providing free art classes to Oregon Trail Card holders. This offer is provided on an as-available basis.



Colored Pencil Class

Instructor: TBA

Winter Term: January 9-February 27, 2023, 9:00am-12:00 noon, 8 weeks
Spring Term: April 3-May 22, 2023 9:00am-12:00 noon, 8 weeks
\$80/term

Colored Pencil Classes are taught by various talented artists. Realism, abstraction, whimsy, landscape, portraiture, and wildlife are all favorite subjects of colored pencil students. In these classes you will learn color theory, layering, strokes, use of paper and tools, dry pencil, watercolor pencil and much more. These classes show the student how much fun it is to learn new techniques and stretch your expertise. All levels of pencil pushers welcome. Please sign up for class at least two weeks ahead of time.

Students can register on-line at www.keizerarts.com and pay using Credit Card, Debit Card, or PayPal. Or, checks can be written to Keizer Art Association and mailed to 980 Chemawa Rd. NE, Keizer, OR 97303. Questions? Call or text Carol Harris at 503-580-5476 or email at mowog@aol.com

PYROGRAPHY CLASS

Donna Miller, Instructor

Donna needed to cancel a couple classes.

The dates to make up the cancelled classes will be
Saturdays, December 3rd and 10th, from 10 am to 12:30 pm.

Believe it or not, this is Burning on Watercolor Paper. One would think that you have to turn the heat down, but actually it burns a little hotter while still being careful to not burn through.



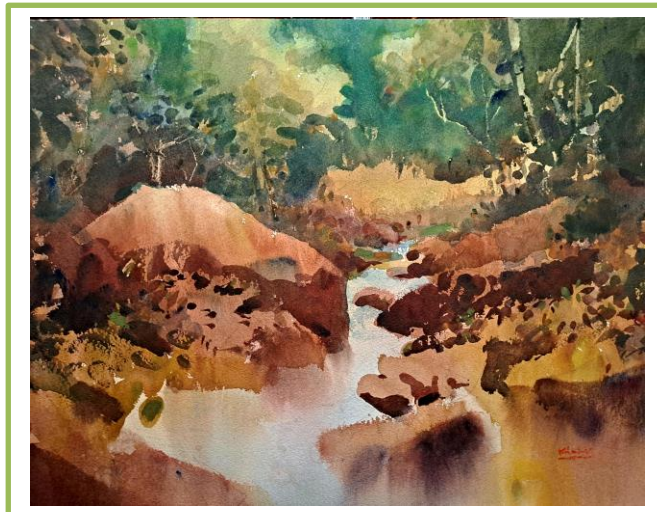
LANDSCAPE WATERCOLOR PAINTING

Steve Kleier, Instructor

Two-Day Workshop, March 11 – 12, 10 am – 4 pm

\$100 for Workshop

The natural landscape is beautiful and everyone can enjoy looking at it. Painting it is fun and easy with a few skills and getting a good one feels great! I will show you ways that interpret the landscape using classic painting concepts that tap into your inner artist. This class is for intermediate and advanced artists and would be great for someone who has been in oil or acrylic and wants to try watercolor. Join me for fun and learning.



WOOD CARVING

Terry Moss, Instructor

Wednesdays, November 30, December 7, 14, 6 – 9 pm

\$90 for 3 session class, \$10 material fee to be paid to instructor at first session

Join Terry to learn how to apply the art of woodcarving to create a caricature-based bottle opener/fridge magnet. Students will learn how to layout, carve, and finish this perfect Christmas gift.

All materials will be supplied by the instructor. Students only need basic tools for use during class. Please note that beginners may not be able to keep up with the pace of instruction. Even so, you will learn concepts and processes to allow you to complete the project at home. Class size is limited, please register early at keizerarts.com to reserve your spot.



KEIZER ART ASSOCIATION

GALLERY HOURS: TUES, 3 – 7 pm;
WED, THURS & FRI, 1 – 5 pm; SAT 11 am – 3 pm.
LENDING LIBRARY – Free to members.
KEIZER ART ASSOCIATION and ENID JOY MOUNT
GALLERY are located in the Keizer Heritage Center at
980 Chemawa Rd., NE, Keizer, OR 97303
503-390-3010

