

Art Galleries

Artists Union, 985 Willamette St. "Recent Works" in various media by gallery members. On display through Dec 29. Hours: noon-5 pm Tues-Sat.

Artworks, 291 E 5th St. Pen and ink drawings and watercolors by Frances Galloway. Fine art posters. Through Dec 24. Hours: 10-6 pm Mon-Sat, noon-5 pm Sun.

Blair Island Restaurant, 325 Blair St. Original oil paintings by Jo Ann Siner will be on display until Dec. 31. Hours: 8 am-2 pm, 6-10 pm. Closed Sun. & Mon. 683-5117.

Book and Tea, 1646 E 19th. Works by five Eugene photographers on display through Dec 31. Hours: 10-8 pm Mon-Fri, 10-5 pm Sat.

Coffee Corner, Southtowne, features Ilene English's stained glass through December. Opening reception 3 pm Sunday, Dec. 12.

Designworks, 1877 Willamette. Works on paper by Jerry Schurr. Quilts by Judy Foster. On display through Dec 15. Hours: 10-6 pm Tues-Sat and by appointment. 464-4608.

Dot Dotsons, 1668 Willamette. Photography show—"Old Timers" prints by R. B. Mitchell until Dec. 22. Hours: 9 am-6 pm.

Emerald Empire Art Association, 421 N. "A." Springfield. The Front Gallery will feature oils of landscapes with wildlife, hunting scenes by Warren Ausland—a local artist. Hours: 11 am-4 pm.

Green Earth Art Studio, 1568 Coburg Rd. Hours: 10-5 pm Mon-Fri, noon-5 pm Sat.

High St. Coffee Gallery, 1243 High St. Black and white and color photographic prints by Jeff Baldwin on display Dec 6-Jan 2 with opening reception Dec 7, 7-9 pm. Open 8 am-12 am Mon-Fri, Sat and Sun 10 am-12 am. 687-3628.

Hometried Truckstop, 790 E. 14th St. Works by George Szustek and Noel de Noel will be here until Dec. 31. Hours: 8 am-9 pm, Tues.-Sat. 344-9988.

Insights Gallery of Fine Arts, Fifth St. Public Market. Ongoing exhibit of original prints, fine art posters, and original paintings. Hours: 10-6 pm Mon-Sat, 11-5 pm Sun.

Keystone Cafe, 395 W 5th. An exhibit of children's art by Debbie Nunez will be on display through December. Hours: 8 am-2:30 pm daily (including Sun). 342-2075.

Lane Community College Gallery, 4000 E 30th, Math and Art Building. Sculptures by Laura Alpert on display through Dec 10. Hours: 8 am-10 pm Mon-Thurs, 8-5 Fri.

Maude Kerns Art Center, 1910 E 15th. Christmas Arts and Crafts Sale, Dec 3-22. Hours: 10-5 pm Wed & Fri; 10-8 pm Tues & Thurs; noon-5 pm Sat.

Opus Five Gallery of Crafts, 2469 Hilliard. Gold and silver jewelry by Hannah Goldrich. Hours: 11-5:30 Mon-Sat.

Original Graphics Gallery, 122 E Broadway. Latin American works on display through Dec 20. Sculpture and custom jewelry by Richard Lawless on permanent display. Hours: 11-5:30 pm Tues-Sat.

Outright Graphics, 291 E 5th. Ongoing exhibit of fine art posters. Hours: 10:30-5:30 pm Mon-Sat.

Project Space Gallery, 39 E 10th. Painted and welded metal sculpture by Robert Gibney. Objects are "whimsically juxtaposed." Harold Hoy's mixed media plywood constructions suggest the day-to-day human condition. Nov 30-Dec 17. Opening reception on Sat, Dec 4 at 8 pm. Gallery open 12-5, Tues-Sat. 343-7454.

Soaring Wings Art Gallery, 760 Willamette. Hours: 9-5:30 pm Mon-Sat and by appointment. 683-8474.

Springfield Library, 225 N 5th, Springfield. Works by the Valley Calligraphy Guild on display through the winter. Hours: 5-8 pm Tues-Thurs, noon-5 Sat.

Springfield Museum, 6th and Main Sts. Authentic Costumes, 1850-1953, a collection of the Very Little Theater, through Dec 31. Also, an exhibit of antique tobacco containers. In the Mountain Gallery upstairs is the Booth Kelly Lumber Co. exhibit of Springfield history, especially the early 1900s when that company was so influential in the development of that city. Hours: 11-5 pm, Wed-Sun.

University of Oregon Museum of Art. Main Floor Gallery—Oregon landscapes by Eugene Bennett. Hand-cast paper art by Lillian A. Bell, Margaret Ahrens Sahlstrand, and Carolyn Cole. Photography at Oregon Gallery—Black and white photographs by Kentucky artist Dennis "Bones" Carpenter, featuring aerial photographs overlaid on maps of various types and scales. On display through Dec 23. Hours: noon-5 pm Wed-Sun.

University of Oregon Museum of Natural History, U of O campus, Science Complex. There is traditional Eskimo art and Pomo baskets from Northern California. Don Hunter displays his color photos of the Cascades; and Linda Vorobik, scientific illustrator, shows drawings of plants and insects. Hours: 12-5 pm, Tues-Sat.

University of Oregon, Erb Memorial Union, Aperture Gallery (a public space to exhibit photography done by the University Community). Pete Shoemaker's photos on display through Jan. 7.

Warehouse Artists Studio, 385 Lawrence. Oils by Paul Carey and weavings by Cindy Turnbow on display through Dec 30. Opening reception Dec 6, 7 pm. Hours: 10-3 pm Mon-Fri.

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Concert Music

The Messiah is performed by the Eugene Symphony Orchestra and the Symphony Chorale at the Hult Center for the Performing Arts, Silva Theatre, at 2:30 and 8:30 pm. Ticket prices range from \$4.25-\$12.25. Call the box office, 687-0020, for reservations.

Machu Pichu Band performs folk and festival music of Latin America at the WOW Hall, 8th and Lincoln, at 8:30 pm, costs \$3.

Old-time Fiddler's Jam at the Moose Lodge in Lebanon. Call 937-3395 for more information.

University Consort performs at 4 pm in Beall Concert Hall as part of the Faculty Artist Series. General admission is \$2, free to students and senior citizens.

Sunday

Etc.

Folk Ensemble Auditions at 2 pm at Westmoreland Community Center. For more information, call Lucy at 683-8846.

WISTEC continues showing "Winter Skies" today; see Saturday's listing for details.

Workshops

On-going clog workshop for all skill levels and all ages at the WOW Hall, 8th & Lincoln, from 1-3 pm, costs \$5.

Roundsingring group meets at 7 pm; call 683-9071 for more information.

Network Single Activities sponsors a tax and financial question-and-answer forum at 7:30 at 2055 W 28th with Nancy Gallagher.

Kinesionics Workshop continues; see Saturday's listing for details.

Mandip Rajneesh Meditation Center sponsors a bioenergetics workshop; call 343-8516 for details.



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Art, Science and Archeology at the U of O

If you have an hour or two free and have not been to the University of Oregon Museum of Natural History, try to visit it as soon as possible. It is open from noon to 5 pm Tues.-Sat. and there is no admission cost. They have just opened a new gift shop so you can even combine Christmas shopping with browsing.

On display now (and also for sale) are Linda Vorobik's fine line drawings of mostly rare Oregon plants, including the wayside aster which was thought to be extinct but was recently discovered at the Mt. Pisgah Arboretum. Linda, a biologist, combines scientific knowledge and artistic ability in a beautiful and subtle way. Her science/art has illustrated such books as *Threatened and Endangered Vascular Plants of Oregon: An Illustrated Guide* published by the USDI Fish and Wildlife Service (free), among others. She is active in the Native Plant Society of Oregon.

We visited the gift shop and learned from staff about their traveling exhibits, field tours (to archeological sites), workshops for children (on such topics as Animal Movements and Plant Specimen Mounting) and a film series coming up. For sale are fossils, jewelry, books and pamphlets, note cards and color photographs. It is hoped the store will bring in funds for the museum (which they severely lack).

The museum is the official depository for all archeological discoveries in the whole state. It's your heritage. Take an afternoon off and enjoy a visit.

Lucia McKelvey

