

Pauling exhibit displays various styles, mediums

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The Pacific Northwest College of Art (PNCA) is presenting an exhibit by members of its faculty, and they will be displayed in Pauling through Dec. 8 of this year.

The exhibit consists of art by 27 different faculty artists. The event showcases the different styles of the college's art faculty.

"So each of their artists represents their own... that piece represents their style," said Rick True, art department chair.

The pieces range from acrylic painting to sculptures and prints, with styles as diverse as their media.

The gallery features quite varying pieces, like the very photorealistic *12 Interpretations of the Self II; Ideogram*, a representational painting and *A Mortal Bed*, a visually literal, but

conceptually abstract conte, which is a kind of hard crayon made of graphite and clay.

It includes such artists as sculptor Bill Moore and painter Paul Missal, with each artist having one or two pieces on display.

PNCA has grown to be a well-known and respected college over its 100 years of teaching. According to True, a lot of the best art instructors in the area teach there.

This event is to promote interest in the PNCA and showcase their instructors' ability, since some students go there after they complete their training at Clackamas

In the future, True plans to have other colleges, such as Lewis and Clark or Marylhurst, exhibited at Clackamas.



At left is a painting by David Ritchie. At right is a sculpture by Frank Irby. Both are faculty members at Pacific Northwest College of Art.



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Bill Moore wood sculptor lectures on campus

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Bill Moore, longtime Northwest wood sculptor and instructor at Pacific Northwest College of the Arts (PNWCA), shared his artwork and tips with 40 students and community members last Wednesday in the art building.

Moore presented a slide show of his work and talked about his passion for art. He explained his background and how he incorporates metals into his wood sculptures. He also answered questions from the audience.

Moore began working with wood more than 20 years ago, after moving to Oregon from Michigan. Over

the years he has changed his styles and working habits.

"I used to always draw out my things," he explained. "Now there's a dialogue between me and the wood. Now I buy big forms of wood (called burrows), I look at it and see what I can use it for."

Moore uses various woods, including maple, satin wood, oak, and black walnut, and he tries to get the most out of every piece. After working with wood for a number of years, Moore began to look for another medium to enhance his wood sculptures.

"I was hunting and hunting for a companion that would go with my wood," he explained.

When he started spinning metal,

he incorporated it into his wood sculptures and found that it complemented them well. He has been using metal ever since.

Lately Moore has been making a lot of pitchers, experimenting with all the possible ways to create a pitcher.

Moore's presentation was in connection with the PNWCA's faculty art show, hosted by Clackamas' art department, and on display in Pauling Center.

Moore teaches figure sculpting and drawing at PNWCA and has sold some of his work to the state of Oregon as well as private collectors. He has been exhibited in shows across America, including the Portland Art Museum.

Instrumental Jazz Night

Tonight in Gregory Forum

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Horoscopes

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Aries (Mar 21-Apr 19):

"The mind grows by what it feeds on," said Josiah G. Holland. This week consider the road that you are traveling. If it is the easy way, find a different route so that you will be challenged. When you find discomfort you will grow.

Taurus (Apr 20-May 20):

"Do not look where you fell, but where you slipped," goes a Liberian proverb. This week you are looking for the answers in all of the wrong places. Instead of repeating this pattern all over again, look to the very root of the problem. Then fix that part.

Gemini (May 21-June 20):

"It takes a long time to become young," according to Pablo Picasso. There is a great deal of trust that must be acquired to live innocently. Cherish life, while holding it lightly, live

simply and live fully in the present moment. This week go back to the trusting times.

Cancer (June 21-July 22):

"Clean your finger before you point at my spots," said Benjamin Franklin. Maybe you don't have any room to talk. Maybe it is not even your place to say, even if you do have room to talk. This week look at yourself and don't focus on others.

Leo (July 23-Aug 22):

"Before sunshine can shine through the window, the blinds must be raised," is an American proverb. Don't expect things to come your way without effort. If you open yourself up to other people they will show some interest. This week let your guard down.

Virgo (Aug 23-Sept 22):

"If I am not for myself, who will be for me? And if I am only for myself, what am I? And if not now, when?" goes the quote by Hillel. Balance is the key to your character. Do you want not

look selfless or selfish? Find a balance, looking out for your best interest and personal boundaries.

Libra (Sept 23-Oct 22):

"You can't hold a man down without staying down with him," said Booker T. Washington. The war is over. Indiscrete communication will come to a halt. If you hold on to resentment and blame, you will occupy you spirit with bitterness.

Scorpio (Oct 23-Nov 21):

"The past is but the beginning of a beginning," said H.G. Wells. This week the key is not getting bogged down in old wounds that you forget about new growth.

Sagittarius (Nov 22-Dec 21):

"This time, like all times, is a very good one, if we but know what to do with it," said Ralph Waldo Emerson. Take every opportunity as it comes. If you take this chance and move with it, your future will have a new twist.

Capricorn (Dec 22-Jan 19):

"Consider the little mouse, how sagacious an animal it is which never entrusts his life to one hole only," said wise Plautus. It is an amazing thing to have choices. Now you are not limited to one option, you can spend time and choose your selection.

Aquarius (Jan 20-Feb 18):

"Most of the shadows of this life are caused by standing in one's own sunshine," said Ralph Waldo Emerson. Be true to your self. Instead of giving advice to someone else, advise yourself be an example. This week follow your own advice.

Pisces (Feb 19-Mar 20):

"Change your thoughts and change your world," said Norman Vincent Peale. This week recognize how powerful your mind can be. Recognize that you are making choices every day that affect how you perceive your world.

Problem? Let *Agony Ants* help. Submit questions, and dilemmas to the *Agony Ants* mailbox in B104, or at CCCprint@clackamas.cc.or.us.

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