

2nd Saturday

ART WALK

Feb.
13
5 to 8 p.m.

ASTORIA — Downtown merchants and galleries will hold Astoria's Second Saturday Art Walk from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13. Meet artists and mingle with fellow art lovers while enjoying refreshments and new exhibits.

ART BUSINESSES

1. Imogen Gallery

240 11th St.

Imogen presents "Fish: Work," an exhibition held in conjunction with the 2016 FisherPoets Gathering and in honor of the importance of commercial fishing to our region. Photographer and commercial fisherman Corey Arnold of Portland brings a powerful collection of color photography, narrating his own experiences working in Alaska, both on the Bering Sea and Bristol Bay, as well as northern European waters. His intimate look at the working environment is an inspiration with a nod of respect to those who depend on the sea for their livelihood. Arnold is represented by the Charles Hartman Gallery in Portland.

2. RiverSea Gallery

1160 Commercial St.

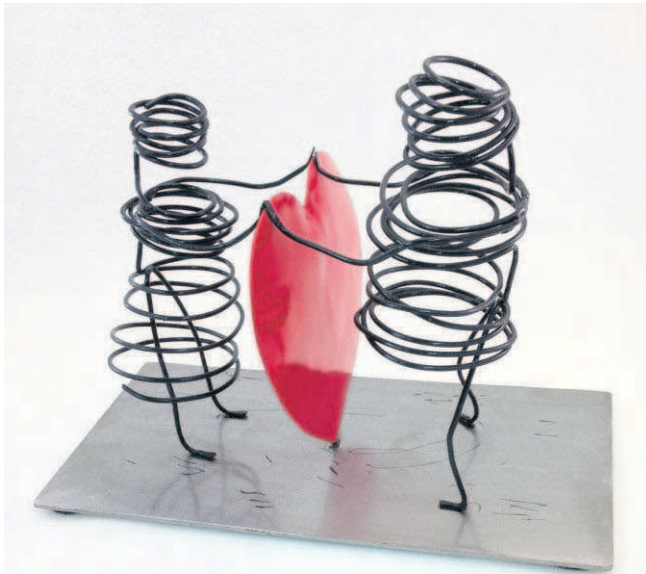
Jesse Reno, a self-taught Portland artist of international renown, returns for his second solo show at RiverSea. "Born of Wishes" is a new collection of complex mixed-media paintings layered with shamanic figures, magical beings and the artist's personal symbology. Each is a palimpsest documenting the evolving manifestations of his artistic journey while imparting a folkloric narrative that reaches deep into the human psyche.

In the Alcove, six of the gallery's represented artists are exhibiting in the group show "Local Boats," in homage to the rich heritage of seaworthy vessels that have plied the waters around Astoria, from dinghies, to sailboats, to trawlers. Featured are new paintings by Rich Hoffman, Roger McKay, Robert Paulmenn, Noel Thomas and Eric Wiegardt, and the handpainted photographs of Donna Lee Rollins.

3. Old Town Framing

1287 Commercial St.

Old Town hosts an art show by Clatsop Community College students as a fundraiser for the annual student trip to



"Us" by Richard Hays at Luminari Arts.



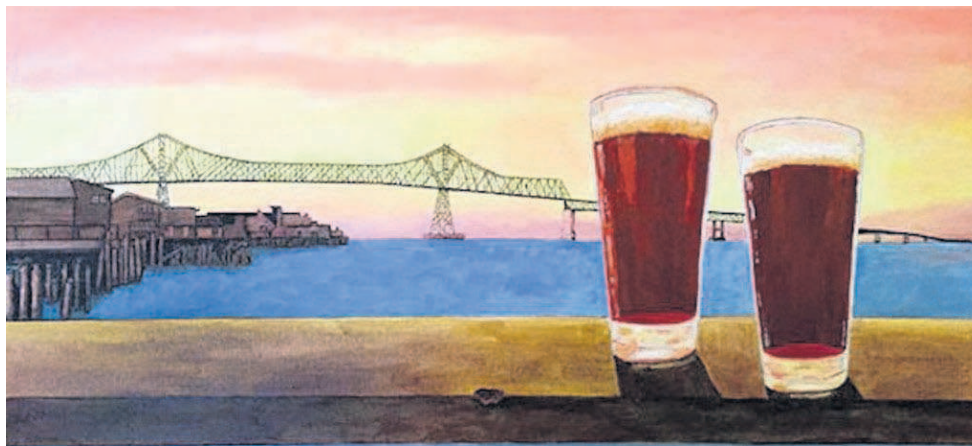
"Colliding Sea" by Corey Arnold at Imogen Gallery.

Europe this summer.

4. Tempo Gallery

1271 Commercial St.

Tempo Gallery will feature the work of five local artists. See photographs by Carol Smith, paintings of local figures and flowers by Phyllis Taylor, monotypes and paintings by Vicki



"Toast to Dark Arts" by Phyllis Taylor at Tempo Gallery.

Baker, acrylic paintings by Ed Peterson, and local land and seascapes by Thron Riggs. Refreshments will be served, and Denise Reed will perform keyboard and vocal music.

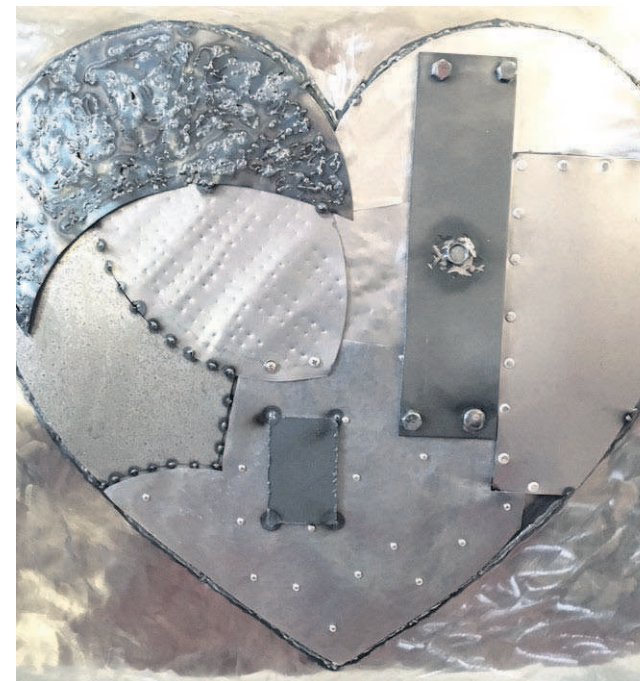
5. Studio 11

453 11th St.

Studio 11 features the works of three



"Ice in the Slough" by Patricia Fagerland at Forsythea.



"History" by Richard Hays at Luminari Arts.

artists this month. Glass artist and printmaker Jaime Boyd will present some of her glass pieces. Kari J. Young will present some of her acrylic/mixed-media pieces from her Beetle Girl/Goddess series. Printmaker Sarah Lippold, an As-

toria Visual Arts artist-in-residence, will showcase work; see No. 11.

6. Laughing Duck Digital Pond

120 10th St., Suite 3

February brings more hand color-



"Red Hat" by Vicki Baker at Tempo Gallery.



"Queen of the Hops" by Phyllis Taylor at Tempo Gallery.

ing to the walls of Laughing Duck Digital Pond. Come see works in progress in the "Sea of Another World" series. Poster-size images of dirigibles will be on display as well as photos of rare moments in Astoria and shots of birds taking over the walkway at Big Red. Refreshments will be served.

7. Wine Kraft

80 10th St.

View work by five local artists: Dixie Black, D.W. Darby, Shigemi Tajiri, Blaine Verley and John Wecker. Brad Griswold will perform live music.

8. Astoria Art Loft

106 Third St.

The Astoria Art Loft will hold an open house from 3 to 6 p.m. featuring North Coast artist Robert Paulmenn. Many other loft artists will show work in the gallery, including owner-artists Jo Pomeroy-Crockett and Jeannette Davis. See paintings, cards, posters for sale, and enjoy refreshments.

ALSO FEATURING ORIGINAL ART

9. AVA Artist in Residence

1170 Commercial St.

Painter Annie Eskelin will showcase her distinctive landscape paintings. Eskelin is inspired by coastal themes and rural landscapes, often incorporating