## Artists, students showcase work on Long Beach Peninsula

LONG BEACH, WASHINGTON Spring has arrived and that means it is time for the annual Peninsula Arts **Association Spring Art** Show, being held 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, April 7, through Sunday, April 9. The art show, which is free and open to the public, will be held at the old Long Beach Train Depot located at 102 Third Street N.W. and Pacific Highway and the PAA office building next door.

Thirty artists will be showing their works of art in various mediums including watercolor, oil, acrylic, photography, assemblage, wood, mixed media, clay and glass. Art show visitors are encouraged to vote for their favorite art piece in the show to determine the top five winners of the People's Choice Awards.

Several artists that are exhibiting in the show will have additional items for sale during the show hours



Sockeye on a Mission by Nancy Beliveau.

in the PAA office. Stained glass, photography, jewelry, framed art, and artist Rose Power's warm and wooly yarn creations.

Luncheon starts at noon.

Tickets available Online at

libertyastoria.org

and at the

**Liberty Theatre Box Office** 

**Box Office hours:** 

Wednesday through Saturday

2:00 pm - 5:30 pm

503-325-5922 x55



Majira Binti Summer Daughter by Michael Cox.

For the first time, students from Naselle Grays River Valley High School will be exhibiting 17 pieces of art at the spring show, in

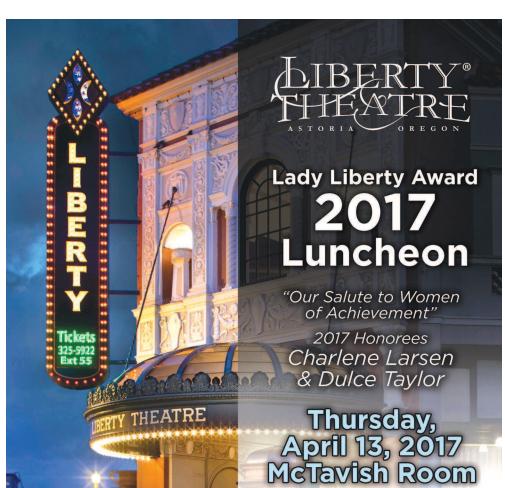
several different mediums. Instructor Marina Smith. who teaches first grade and high school, uses art to teach STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) using applications for art projects like symmetry, Kandinsky's circles or learning about monochromatic art. Her students have incorporated art supplies donated to the school by Peninsula Arts Association into their work.

The public is invited to an artists reception on from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, light refreshments will be served.

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At that time, the raffle winner will be chosen to receive a framed giclee print donated by Eric Wiegardt, renowned local and international artist. All proceeds from the raffle benefit the PAA Scholarship and Youth Art Enrichment program. The People's Choice awards will also be announced during the reception.

For more information visit PAA's Facebook page www.facebook.com/ paabeachartist or visit www.beachartist.org or email penart321@gmail. com.



## Haystack Rock awareness CANNON BEACH — Join the Havstack Rock Awareness Program for training to be a volunteer environmental interpreter for its beach programs from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 8 at the Cannon Beach City Hall .163 E. Gower St. This event is free and open to interested parties wanting to actively participate with the program. Pastries, refreshments and lunch will be provided. On the agenda, HRAP oceanographer Cindy Bryden will discuss her

favorite topic, tides. Dawn Harris from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will present: Protection of Haystack Rock and Oregon Islands National Wildlife Refuges with an emphasis on Sea Birds. Tiffany Boothe from the Seaside Aquarium will provide intertidal animals that can be found in the tide pools. An optional evening program at Public Coast Brewing with Chrissy Smith, Friends of Cape Falcon Marine Reserve Coordinator speaking about



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Haystack Rock Awareness Program at the rock.

our newest marine reserve. This training is valuable to both new recruits and seasoned volunteers.

The Haystack Rock Awareness Program is entering its 32nd season on the beach. Having educated over 1 million visitors and thousands of students over those years, the programs mission is to protect, through education, the intertidal and bird ecology of the Marine Garden and National Wildlife Refuge at Haystack Rock. There is a diverse mix of volunteers

This will be the only training event for this year. If unable to attend, you may still sign up as a volunteer at any time with individual training available throughout the beach season.

If you have questions or comments or to RSVP, contact Lisa Habecker, Haystack Rock Awareness Program education and volunteer coordinator at 503-436-8064 or email: visithrap@ci.cannon-beach. or.us