

Bronze Coast Gallery ▶

Melissa Cooper began her career working in a bronze foundry at the age of 17. For 10 years she assisted her father with his sculpture before picking up clay to create her own art at the age of 27. Thirty years later, this award-winning sculptor's work ranges in size from mere inches to monumental scale.

Melissa refers to her style as "realistic impressionism" – focusing detail and emotion into the faces of her subjects while the bodies tend toward smooth lines and simplicity highlighted by her signature patinas. After initially sculpting a wide array of wildlife, Melissa now focuses almost exclusively on birds. Her passion for sculpting birds has segued, quite naturally, into a passion for observing, feeding and learning about the birds in her hometown of Littleton, CO. These include woodpeckers and kestrels, two birds she has not sculpted yet but hopes to.

This will be Melissa's second appearance at Spring Unveiling. Without giving too much away, she assures us there will be birds, but not as we've seen them before!

Melissa Cooper will unveil her newest work at the Bronze Coast Gallery on Saturday, May 6th at 5pm.



"Pinecone Lane," (bronze)
by Melissa Cooper

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224 N. Hemlock Street
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Saturday May 6th, 5pm

Unveiling of
New Sculpture

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Friday, May 12, 2017 - 7:00 pm
Cannon Beach Community Church

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