

Tillamook Forest Center hosts art exhibit, programs

TILLAMOOK — Fall rains bring new life to the forest, and it is a perfect time to visit the Tillamook Forest Center (45500 Wilson River Highway, Tillamook). A new art exhibit and a slew of upcoming programs will provide opportunities to enjoy the best of the season.

Check out “Stories from the Forest,” a collection of encaustic paintings by Marge Hayes, on display through Sunday, Nov. 26.

Show your love for the forest and volunteer at the Wilson River Cleanup on Saturday, Sept. 23.

Enjoy all the rain promises at the Mysterious Mushrooms program led by state Park Ranger Dane Osis on Sunday, Oct. 15, and attend a naturalist-led Rainforest Walk on Saturday, Nov. 4.

Come back at the end of November for two annual favorites: the Chinook Salmon Release and Holiday Wreath Making.

Registration is required, and space is limited for some programs. For more information, visit tillamookforestcenter.com.



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LEFT: Make your own wreath Friday through Sunday, Nov. 24, 25 and 26 at the Tillamook Forest Center. “Participants will be introduced to a variety of natural materials that can be used for home decoration during the holiday season,” organizers wrote. RIGHT: “Patina,” part of Marge Hayes’s exhibit, “Stories from the Forest: Studies in Wood and Wax,” at the Tillamook Forest Center

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