

2nd Saturday

ART WALK

Oct.
14
5 to 8 p.m.

ASTORIA — The town's first Second Saturday Art Walk of autumn takes place 5 to 8 p.m. Oct. 14. Art and artists, refreshments and live music make downtown Astoria the place to be this weekend. (Some locations open and close earlier or later.)

1. Astoria Art Loft 106 Third St.

Featuring oils by Caron Lewis, a longtime local artist who loves to do portraits. Meet Caron and watch her create. Colorful rocks painted at a workshop are also on exhibit; the art walk is an opportunity to swap rocks. Enjoy children's creations and the paintings of emergent and professional artists. Our Art Walk is early: 1 to 4 p.m., above Dots 'N Doodles.

2. WineKraft 80 10th St. (Pier 11)

Join us on Pier 11. Featuring work from six local artists as well as live music with Sugar Thistles at 7 p.m. Sip wine, eat and enjoy the arts. WineKraft is the perfect location for you to wrap up your art walking.

3. AVA Artists-in-Residence 80 11th St. (above Coldwater Skate and Surf Shop)

Jessica Schleif focuses on seeds — the idea that DNA in such a small vessel is capable of growing large life forms in a single season. Her work is a reaction to the struggle among science, nature and human nature. Schleif is an avid landscaper active in the Community Garden Project. In

addition, Roger Hayes will be showing completed multimedia works and works in progress.

4. Astoria Vintage Hardware 1162 Marine Drive

Quirky, fun accessories for parents, babies and kiddos. We welcome MarshMueller whose family business centered around practicality. Every item is designed, cut and beautifully sewn. Stock up now for Christmas! Also, Coastal Oregon Artist Residency Program will host "Junk, Elevated," an exhibition for artist-in-residence Bonny Gorsuch. She has elevated cast-offs and assorted detritus into collectible pieces of art.

5. Imogen Gallery 240 11th St.

We welcome back Bethany Rowland and a powerful new series of acrylic paintings. For this collection, Bethany's focus is an exploration of uncertain times. She creates within each painting a beautiful balance between abstraction and representational work. "Hope In Another" will be on view Saturday, Oct. 14, through Tuesday, Nov. 7.

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"I Dream of Palm Trees" by Vicki Baker of Tempo Gallery

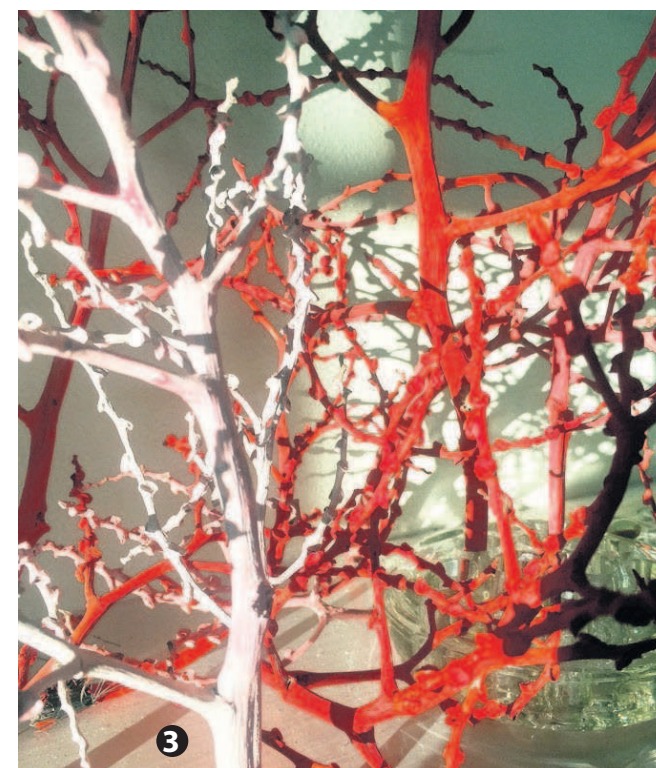
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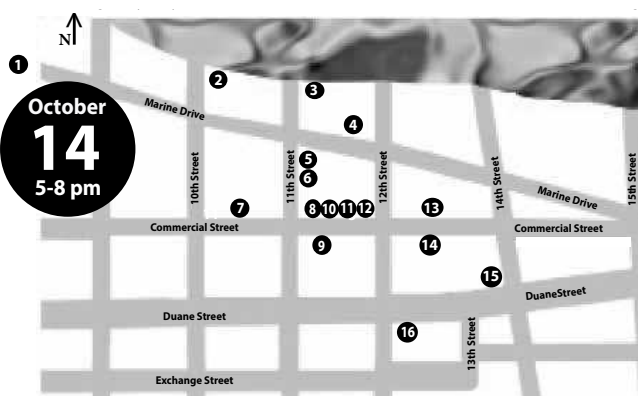
The cover of Judith P. Niland's companion guide book to her latest art project: an original full-color printed Tarot Card Deck



Kai Raiden, a mosaic artist and owner of the newly opened Creations Studio and Gallery



"Dream Reef," by Jessica Schleif, on view at Astoria Visual Arts' pop-up space



Items cut, sewn and whimsically designed for practical purposes by MarshMueller, the pop-up shop at Astoria Vintage Hardware



Jesse Naren's "Tracing Shadows in a Root Cage," featured at RiverSea Gallery