

2nd Saturday

ART WALK

Sept.

8

5 to 8 p.m.

ASTORIA — The final Second Saturday Art Walk of summer 2018 is fast approaching! From 5 to 8 p.m. Sept. 8, wander through downtown Astoria, check out galleries, get to know artists and their work, sample refreshments and enjoy the city nightlife. (Some locations open and close earlier and later.)

1. The Art Loft

106 Third St.

Presenting large, representational paintings of the maritime world by Shon Frostad, highlighting parts of ships, docks, etc. His paintings are bold and colorful. Steven Bash's unique photographs feature amazing and sensitive close-ups of plants and animals, vivid landscapes, etc. Art Loft Art Walk hours are early, 1 to 4 p.m.

2. WineKraft

80 10th St. (Pier 11)

Featuring work from six local artists as well as live music with Sugar Thistles starting at 7 p.m. Sip wine, eat and enjoy the arts as you wrap up your art walking.

3. Paul Polson Gallery

100 10th St.

Showing new oil paintings of Astoria and the surrounding area. The artist's retrospect will continue with large abstract paintings, some with surrealist qualities. An older series depicting our earth and the musical aspects of our universe will be shown on the main wall.

4. McVarish Gallery

1060 10th St.

Presenting the work of Morrison Pierce: "America is Beautiful." Working from World War II photos, Morrison painted

this expressionist series playing ironically with candy colors associated with childhood and innocence, while capturing the sadness and devastation of war. This is a timely show that reminds us not to let history repeat itself in our current political climate.

5. Wake Gallery

1060 10th St.

"All About Hands" painting and drawing exhibition of the works of French artists Ariane Pick and Yves Prince visiting from Paris, France. Opening party, refreshments and artist meet-and-greet 5 to 9 p.m. at The Secret Gallery located inside the Sanborn building on the main floor. Enter at 160 10th St. side door (next door to McVarish Gallery on 10th Street).

6. AVA Artist-in-Residence

80 11th St. (Pier 11)

Meet AVA's newest artists-in-residence Lucca Dust and Melanie Steffl as they each embark on a four-month residency. Melanie will be exploring a combination of digital data and representational landscape imagery opening a dialogue about the coexistence of humans and nature. Lucca will be featuring a variety of colorful and playful masks created with a plethora of media and referencing cultural influences.



COURTESY ASTORIA VINTAGE HARDWARE

Cody Fox, an Astoria native, is Astoria Vintage Hardware's pop-up artist for September. In this photo, he presents a painting of Multnomah Falls.

7. Astoria Vintage Hardware

1162 Marine Drive

Cody Fox is a native Astorian whose passion for the wilderness is mirrored through his paintings. Fox will be the featured pop-up artist for September.

8. Imogen Gallery

240 11th St.

Diane Kingzett of Portland, brings a new series of mixed-media paintings for her third solo show with us. Kingzett's work conveys in sublime and provocative ways her response and impression of time and places known through her love of travel and life experience.

9. Cargo

240 11th St.

Getting ready for fall with new hand-made textiles from around the globe. Soon we'll be getting a large delivery of rugs from Turkey.



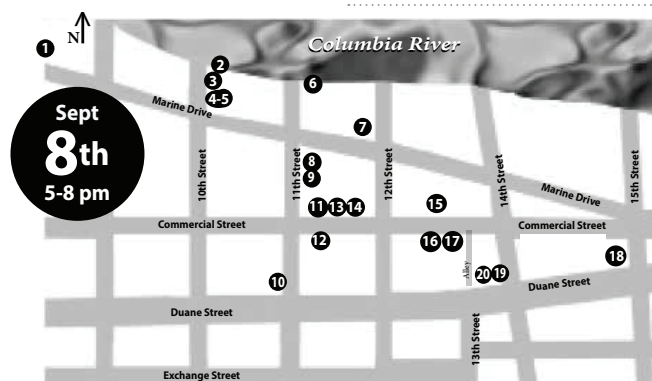
COURTESY TEMPO GALLERY

'Siblings Summer Fun' by Phyllis Taylor at Tempo Gallery.



COURTESY MCVARISH GALLERY

'Gas Mask Lovers,' acrylic on panel, by Morrison Pierce at McVarish Gallery.



COURTESY DULCYE TAYLOR

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Jo Lumpkin Brown's sketch of Astoria artist Noel Thomas sketching.