

Finish Brotherhood holds Laksloda luncheon

ASTORIA— The Finnish Brotherhood Auxiliary will host a laksloda luncheon and bake sale Thursday. Lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Suomi Hall in Uniontown at 244 West Marine Drive. All-you-can-eat meals are \$15 a person.

The luncheon will feature the traditional salmon and potato casserole (lak-

sloda), as well as beets, peas or beans, rye bread, rieska, apple crisp and coffee. The bake sale will include Finnish pastries such as prune tarts, rieska, pulla, Finnish ribbon cookies, gingerbread cakes and more. Take-out is available.

Proceeds go toward maintaining the hall and supporting Finnish culture in the community.

Children's Halloween costume and dance workshop set

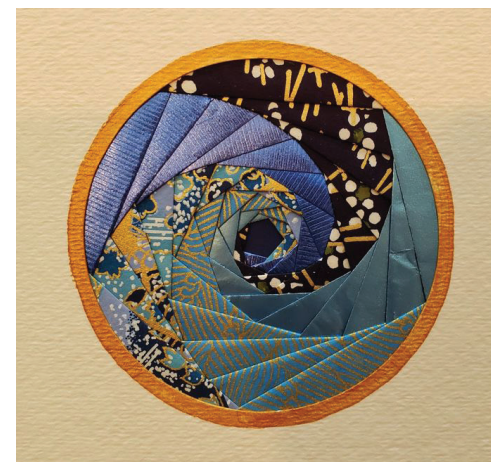
ASTORIA – Sparrow Dance Company invites children, ages preschool to 8, to attend a dance performance and creative movement workshop on Friday, Oct. 25, in the Fellowship Hall of The First Presbyterian Church from 10-11 a.m. \$5 donation for each child or \$10 for two or more children in a family is suggested.

Costumes are encouraged. The workshop will include a dance performance and interactive creative movement activities. Creative movement helps children develop motor coordination, increase spatial and rhythmic awareness and provide a positive learning experience.

For more information, contact artistic director Julia Gin-gerich at 503-502-3118 or email sparrowdancecompany@gmail.com.



Participants in the Sparrow Dance Company.



CLOCKWISE, FROM TOP Works by Stephen Gehring, Patti Isaacs and Barry Calvarese at the Hoffman Center.

Silk paint, pastels, ceramics, more at Hoffman Center

MANZANITA – From pastels to ceramics, the Hoffman Center Art Gallery will feature four artists this month. The free gallery is open to the public every Friday through Sunday from 1 — 5 p.m. in October at 594 Laneda Ave.

Patti Isaacs is a silk painter and paper artist who has created Iris Fold art for over a decade. She will teach an Iris Fold class at the Hoffman Center this month. Her work was displayed at the Portland Japanese Gardens and Oregon State University.

Shane Sjogren, ceramics artist, has been

a North Coast resident for nearly a decade. He derives inspiration from the community and works as the stewardship lead at the Lower Nehalem Land Trust.

Stephen Gehring is a pastel artist whose inspiration resulted from surfing at Indian beach.

Barry Calvarese works in clay, encaustic, clay mono-printing and multimedia. His work focuses on the environment and human nature.

For more information visit hoffmanarts.org

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