



Hoffman Center hosts acrylic painting weekend workshop

MANZANITA — Visual artist Dr. Melissa Grace Young will host “Soulful Art in Acrylic Expression” on Saturday and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. via Zoom.

The workshop, organized by the Hoffman Center for the Arts, will focus on figurative acrylic painting. Topics include composition, scale, color and emotional aspects of art making.

With a background in medicine

and psychology, Young is interested in the intersections of art practice and healing. After a hurricane destroyed her family practice in Texas, Young moved to the Pacific Northwest. She now calls Manzanita home, where her involvement with the Hoffman Center began through their ceramic program, and later by teaching sketchbook journaling.

Participants in the acrylic workshop are asked to supply materials, including paints, brushes, canvas and a charcoal stick or pencil. Tuition is \$95. Zoom links will be provided to participants.

For more information, go to www.hoffmanarts.org.



Filmmaker seeks actors, crew for Astoria project

ASTORIA — Comic book historian and independent filmmaker Jon McClure is seeking local actors and crew members for an upcoming film project, “Very Weird Tales,” set to begin production later this year.

The short comedy set in Astoria is ded-

icated to McClure’s late wife, who passed away in October. McClure is seeking 20 volunteer extras and 12 to 24 principal actors, as well as camera equipment, to support the project.

For more information, contact McClure at jonmclure@live.com.

Naselle Community Center hosts instrumental concert

NASELLE, Wash. — Instrumental musicians Jennifer Goodenberger and Kim Angelis will perform together at the Naselle Community Center on Saturday at 2 p.m.

The concert, sponsored by the Finnish American Folk Festival, will feature violin and piano compositions from both artists.

Goodenberger, a solo and collaborative pianist, has released eight albums featuring classi-

cal music and Celtic folk arrangements, while Angelis, a composer and violinist, draws inspiration from classical music as well as styles of Eastern Europe, Russia and Spain. Both artists’ compositions have been featured on film and television programs.

Admission for the event is by donation at the door. Light refreshments will be served.

For more information, contact Barb Swanson at (360) 484-3602.

CrosswordAnswers

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