

For the Love of Animals

The FEC Galleries announce the 4th annual "For the Love of Animals!" exhibit at the FEC. Here is some important information for the themed Rent-a-Rod Exhibit.

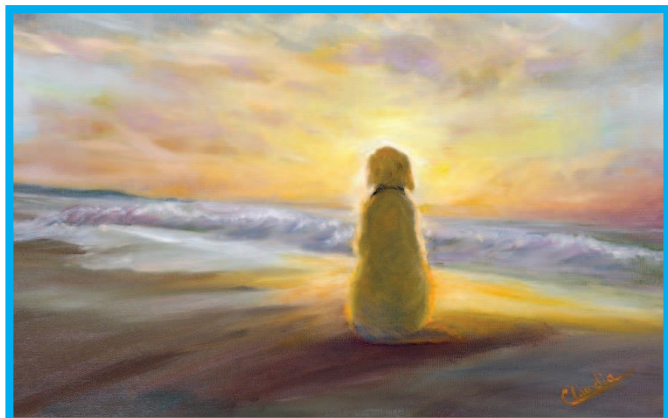
*The deadline for artists to submit their applications is January 26th, 2018.

*Rods for up to three pieces of art work can be purchased for \$20.00 per rod. 3-D items relating to the animal theme are also welcome for the display case. Up to three 3-D items can be displayed for \$20.00.

*Packets with information will be available on the F.E.C. website on January 3rd or may be picked up at the office during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.

*Artwork will hang during the months of February and March.

*The Artist's Reception and Fundraiser for the Oregon Coast Humane Society will be on Saturday, February 10th, from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. A portion of the proceeds from this event will be donated to the Oregon Coast Humane Society.



Paws in Paris

Mark your calendar for Saturday, January 27th for "Paws in Paris," a premier event to benefit the Oregon Coast Humane Society. The doors open at 3:00 p.m. for an evening of a taste of Paris with chocolate, wine and art.

When you arrive, imagine hearing traditional café music, indulging in wine and numerous chocolate treats from a chocolate fountain. Stroll through the famous Montmartre watching renowned painter Michael F Wood paint animal portraits.

As you move through the streets, you will be transported to the Eiffel tower for a vintage photo op.

On to the stalls of the Marche - Paris's famous Flea Market. You will be able to purchase and do your silent auction bidding. A live auction will feature bigger items to bid on.

You may purchase tickets in advance for \$25 or \$27 at the door. Tickets for this event are on sale online at www.eventcenter.org or from the box office at 541-997-1994.



C.R.O.W. brings Tarzan to F.E.C.

C.R.O.W. Announces Open Auditions For "Disney's Tarzan," to be performed at the Florence Events Center in April of 2018.

Washed up on the shores of West Africa, an infant boy is taken in and raised by gorillas who name him "Tarzan." Apart from striving for acceptance from his ape father, Tarzan's life is mostly monkey business until a human expedition treks into his tribe's territory, and he encounters creatures like himself for the first time.

Tarzan struggles to navigate a jungle, thick with emotion, as he discovers his animal upbringing clashing with his human instincts. The musical is based on the Disney cartoon by the same name.

C.R.O.W. (Children's Repertory of OR workshops) proudly announces open auditions January 8th and 9th. Based on Disney's epic animated

musical adventure and Edgar Rice Burrough's Tarzan of the Apes, Tarzan features heart-pumping music by rock legend, Phil Collins, and a book by Tony Award-winning playwright, David Henry Hwang. High-flying excitement and hits, like the Academy Award winning "You'll Be in My Heart," as well as "Son of Man" and "Two Worlds," make Tarzan an unforgettable theatrical, musical experience.

The show will be presented April 13th-15th at the Florence Events Center, and for invited school audiences on April 12th.

C.R.O.W. is a Florence-based 501 (c) 3 organization and is dedicated to giving back to the community by providing quality performing arts experiences to local youth.

There are great roles for ages 6-22+, and all young people are encouraged to try out regardless of previous stage experience. (Mature

3.5-6 years olds may be considered for "Telegrammers"- which is a reduced commitment.)

Auditions will be held at C.R.O.W. Center for the Performing Arts - 3120 Hwy 101 on January 8th and 9th at 6:30 p.m. Invited Callbacks will be held on January 10th at 6:30 p.m.

There are approximately 40-45 onstage roles, and several behind the scenes jobs for kids interested in technical theater.

To audition or participate backstage, kids must attend the audition. Parents should also attend to help fill out forms. Onstage performer hopefuls will need to bring 16 bars or about one minute from a song that they would like to sing (sheet music or a CD, MP3 track with no background voices is also acceptable), and a headshot/resume if they have one. Prospective cast members will also be taught a short dance combination, and those asked to come to callbacks

will read sides from the script. No experience is required, so C.R.O.W. Director, Melanie Heard, says, "Don't be afraid to come and give it a try." Interested families are strongly encouraged to check out the C.R.O.W. website for all of the information you need to prepare for the audition.

Rehearsals for Tarzan will begin mid-January and are generally held weeknights from 6:30- 8:45 pm. A schedule will be available for perusal at the audition.

Heard stresses that performing in these productions is a big commitment. "Performing in one of our shows is very hard work and requires dedication, but when the curtain opens in April, we know you will agree that it was worth it!" For a casting breakdown, FAQ's, and detailed audition information, please visit www.crowkids.com. You may also contact Melanie at (541) 999-8641 or by email: crowtheatrekids@yahoo.com.

Jazz Kings - "A Pocketful of Dreams"

The Emerald City Jazz Kings will celebrate the songs of Bing Crosby with "A Pocketful of Dreams" on Sunday, February 11th at 2:00 p.m. at the Florence Events Center.

In 1947, an Associated Press poll declared him "the most admired man alive" - ahead of Jackie Robinson, Pope Pius the XII and President Harry S. Truman.

In 1948, Music Digest estimated that more than half of the 80,000 hours of recorded music broadcast on radio each week were filled with his recordings.

In 1954, Decca Records declared that "the voice of Bing Crosby, has been heard by more people than the voice of any other human being who

has ever lived."

By mid-century, the crooner's voice, face and personality were indeed seemingly everywhere.

Jesse Cloninger and The Jazz Kings pay tribute to Crosby with a choice selection of the best from his long career.

\$25 tickets for adults are available now for the Florence performance from the box office at 541-997-1994 or online at www.eventcenter.org. Youth tickets are free.



Quattrosound

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Best described as an innovative acoustic ensemble that skillfully blurs and blends the boundaries of multiple musical genres, Quattrosound defies being categorized. They are as equally adept at playing a composition by Bach as they are at rocking out to Led Zeppelin or covering Spain by Chick Corea.

Hailing from Japan, Mexico, Guatemala, and the United States, their music 501(c)(3) non-profit which has been bringing entertainment to the Oregon Coast since 1980. their music selections are as diverse as their nationalities. Individually these four accomplished Los Angeles based musicians have

performed with Natalie Cole, Madonna, Yo Yo, Elvis Costello, Charlie Daniels, Kristin Chenoweth, Miley Cyrus, Kenny Loggins, Ma Baby Face, and David Foster (to name but a few).

Together, Quattrosound raises the bar of originality with clever compositions and arrangements that "pay homage to the classics" while forging a new contemporary sound.

Tickets are on sale now at the FEC Box Office or the Seacoast Entertainment Website www.seacoastea.org. \$32 for adults or \$10 for students under 18. Seacoast Entertainment Association is an all-volunteer 501(c)(3) non-profit which has been bringing entertainment to the Oregon Coast since 1980.



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