

COMMUNITY EVENTS

**Public art collection unveiling at convention center**

The Seaside Civic and Convention Center will unveil its new permanent public art collection during a community event featuring food, beverages and live music on July 8 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Public artworks on display include painting, printmaking, photography, textile art, woodwork, metalwork and glass art. Some of the artists from the project will be in attendance during the reveal party.

Drea Frost served as curator on this project, which began following completion of the convention center's extensive renovation and expansion in 2020, working alongside the center's general manager Russ Vandenberg and members of the Seaside Civic and Convention Center Commission.

**'From Sea to Shining Sea' band program**

The North Coast Symphonic Band concludes its 42nd season with a concert titled "From Sea to Shining Sea" at 7 p.m. on Sunday, July 3, at the Liberty Theater in Astoria. Brett Paschal will be guest conductor.

The concert features a mix of American favorites, including several marches, medleys and more. The traditional Armed Forces medley, will also be performed, and a rousing rendition of Stars and Stripes Forever. The MC is Brian Bergman.

Concert conductor Paschal is the director of bands at Lewis and Clark College in Portland, where he is also the percussion instructor. He is the drummer for the group, Three Leg Torso.

This concert will be free to the public. Donations are gratefully accepted. The Liberty is located on the corner of 12th and Commercial Street in Astoria. Check the Liberty website for current COVID requirements.

The band's 43rd season begins this fall, led by the new NCSB director, Terry Dahlgren. Concert dates are Nov. 20, Feb. 12, 2023, April 23, 2023, and July 3, 2023. For more information on the North Coast Symphonic Band, visit [www.northcoast-symphonicband.org](http://www.northcoast-symphonicband.org), e-mail [cablebri@charter.net](mailto:cablebri@charter.net), or call 503-298-1087.

**Call for art at Trail's End**

Trail's End Art Association calls all local artists to participate in the 71st annual judged

show. The show takes place from Aug. 5 to Aug. 27.

The opening reception will be held on 6, from 2 to 5 p.m. with the award ceremony starting at 3 p.m.

The gallery is located at 656 A Street in Gearhart; [trailsend-art.org](http://trailsend-art.org).

**Big Brass Bash in Astoria**

The 36th annual Northwest Big Brass Bash will take place July 8 to July 10 in Astoria at the Charlene Larson Center for the Performing Arts. The event is a two-day festival for the tuba and euphonium community to gather for music and fun and to learn from world-class tuba and euphonium guest artists. The Astoria Tuba Quartet will host the weekend event.

Adult and students ninth grade and higher players are welcomed from the Pacific Northwest as well as nearby Canadian Provinces. Two events, both free and open to the public, are planned.

The first, a recital showcase, will take place at 3 p.m. on Saturday July 9. The second event is a free public concert on Sunday, July 10, at 2 p.m. All events take place at the Performing Arts Center.

**Karbo exhibits work at Trail's End in Gearhart**

The Trail's End Art Association will open a new show for July featuring member Kathy Karbo with "Pulse: Paper Play." At a reception on July 2, during the Gearhart Art Walk, 2 to 5 p.m., where Karbo will demonstrate her techniques. The show will be open Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., from July 1 to July 23.

Karbo has worked as a performing and visual artist for over 35 years.

Basketry was her entrance to the world of art and craft. From there, her affinity for sculpture has led her to explore book arts, fiber arts, puppetry, mosaic and metal arts. Her work has won awards and been exhibited both nationally and in Canada. Karbo will teach "Eye Candy: Paper Sculpture," at the art association in August.

She has taught at Sitka Center for the Arts and Ecology, the Newport Paper, and Book Arts festival, TEAA in Gearhart and Astor Elementary School.

Trail's End is the oldest nonprofit art association of its kind on the Coast. In addition to new gallery shows of original art that changes monthly, there is also an entry gallery featuring prints, greeting cards, jewelry, pottery and more. The gallery is located at 656 A



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**Seaside High School's Esnard is crowned 'Miss Scandinavia'**

Seaside Signal

Olivia Esnard, Miss Finland 2022, was crowned Miss Scandinavia Fri-

day night at the the 55th annual Astoria Scandinavian Midsummer Festival.

She just finished her junior year at Seaside High School and is the daughter of Sari and Matt Esnard of Surf Pines.

Street in Gearhart. TrailsEnd-Art.org; 503-717-9458 or email [trailsendartassociation@gmail.com](mailto:trailsendartassociation@gmail.com).

**Seaside Art Walk ahead**

Seaside First Saturday Art Walk will be held July 2 from 5

to 7 p.m. in the Historic Gilbert District between Broadway and Holladay in downtown Seaside, with dedicated parking at Holladay and Oceanway.

Salon on Broadway, 600 Broadway, features the artwork of Kegan French, owner, stylist, and artist.

SunRose Gallery, 606

Broadway, presents artist Patty Thurlby with upcycled, whimsical art and decor. Also showing artists Jan Barber, Robin Montero, Mimi Fox, Mari Walker, Jenny Coakley, Anna Meyrick, Jeane Carrol and Cathy Tippin. Live music and light refreshments.

Pacific Heirloom Art, 608



"Surf Surprise," oil on linen by Victoria Brooks at Fairweather's.

Broadway, features a collection of lighthouses.

Fairweather House and Gallery, 612 Broadway, introduces the exhibition "This Place," with works by regional artists Paul Brent, Victoria Brooks, Nick Brakel, Agnes Field, Barbara Bacon Folawn, Cicely Gilman, Bev Drew Kindley, JoAnn Pari-Mueller, Gail Pennebaker and Jan Rimerman. The gallery will host artist talks at 5:30 p.m., followed by a lecture from biologist, naturalist, and photographer Neal Maine at 6:00 p.m. Live music by Chelsea LeFey.

TigerLily Gallery, 613 Broadway, features art, prints, and giclées from local artists selected by Gloria Hernandez.

The Whet Spot, 12 N. Holladay Dr., features all the local Northwest-named beers, wines, ciders, and an ever-changing gallery display of local abstract and whimsical art.

Starry Night Inn and Art Hotel, 811 1st Ave. presents original art and prints from a curated list of Portland artists.

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