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NEWSLETTER

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General Meeting Presentation - August 10, 2023 - 6:30pm



Kim Morris



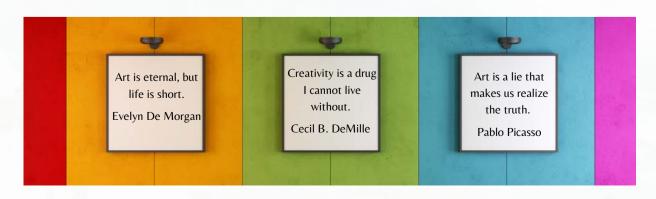
Our August 10 presentation will be one of our newest members, Kim Morris Kim creates murals, makes silkscreens, designs wood sculptures, and paints anything she gets her hands on. You can find her work on her website www.kmorrismade.com or Instagram @kmorrismade. Check out her gas pump inside the door of the Chevron station!

Kim is a self-taught artist who loves to create whimsy and once-in-awhile functional pieces. She has either painted, drawn, or built items out of wood all her life. In Kim's words, "Making art is my life. It's very personal to me. You can find me at the shoreline with seashells in my pockets and pups by my side."





Art is ...



THE WAVE EVENT: WHAT TO EXPECT

OPENING NIGHT

Have you purchased your tickets yet? If not, it's easy to do on our website: www.blaineartscouncil.org/event/the-wave/

MEET THE ARTISTS

You will have the opportunity to meet and visit the artists who will be in the show and learn their locations. You may even purchase select pieces of art at our Opening Night.

Brochures showing each artist's work and location will be available; maps are also easy to access on our website.

SILENT AUCTION

You will be amazed at the number and variety of items for your every desire and competitive nature! Here are but a few examples of what you will find:

- · Fabulous Gift Certificates for Widnor Farms, Twin Sisters Creamery, and Fine Dining at many local and regional restaurants
- · Gift Ideas Daddy's Tool Box, Italian Night, Spa packages, Wine Basket, and Deluxe Crab Cracker
- · Experiences Ravioli Rolling and Silk Scarf painting



WINE PULL

Like wine? Enjoy a game of chance with extra tempting prizes? You'll love this creative fundraiser for BAC! We have gathered fabulous wines from all over OR, WA, and CA, ranging in price from \$25-\$90 - the majority donated, and all disguised in fancy bags. You can buy a numbered cork for \$25, or three for \$60, and choose the wine bag with the matching number. You are guaranteed a wine of \$25 value, AND it could be worth much, much more!

Win-Win-Jackpot!





DON'T MISS OUT ON EARLY PURCHASE PRICING!

Member advance tickets \$20 - \$30 at the door Non-Member advance tickets \$25 - \$35 at the door Opening Night tickets are on sale now! www.blaineartscouncil.org/event/the-wave/

Once your ticket has been purchased, you will receive an email with your ticket information and a QR code to check-in at the entrance to the Opening Night event.

Join Us At Our General Meeting Location!
Blaine Senior Center - 763 G Street
August 10, 2023 - 6:30pm

BAC Member Happenings

Join author BARBARA DAVIS-PYLES to learn about Frogs as she shares her new book, Nobody Likes Frogs: A Book of Toadally Fun Facts, followed by a frog-tastic craft activity.

Come to the Blaine Public Library, August 3rd from 1pm - 2pm, for some amphibian fun, and I'm sure you can help convince Persnickety there are lots of reasons to like frogs. Well... pretty sure.

For more details, visit: https://wcls.libcal.com/event/10581624



FIVE ARTISTS featured in The WAVE art tour: Lisa Nakama, Christy Schroeder-Lloyd, Doug Parent, Stephanie Strong, and Liz Cunningham, have been chosen to exhibit their artistry at the Jansen Art Center's Summer Juried Exhibit through October.

BLAINE-BASED WASHI ARTS CONTINUES WITH VISITING ARTIST WORKSHOP SERIES 3 wonderful artists will be in Blaine to share their skills working with fine Japanese papers. Workshops taught at the Blaine Maritime Center: www.washiarts.com/workshops

September 3rd and 4th

Christine Mauersberger: 2-day workshop on painting and stitching on washi (Japanese paper) September 16 and 17

Seiko Perdue: Artist and head of the fiber arts studio at WWU will teach katazome (Japanese stencil) <u>September 23, 24 and 25</u>

Velma Bolyard: Shares her unique process of dry spinning Japanese paper into thread called kami-ito and then weaving small samples of cloth called shifu.

New Members!

WE WISH TO WELCOME OUR NEWEST MEMBERS TO THE BLAINE ARTS COUNCIL.

Kim Morris Liesa Smith
Scott Smith Shawna Morris

Interested in being a contributing editor to the newsletter? We'd love to have you on board! Please contact Kay Dee Powell at info@blaineartscouncil.org.

ARTISTS - we want to know newsworthy items about you.

Shows, awards, where your art will be, etc - let us know!

Submit articles by the 20th of each month to info@blaineartscouncil.org.