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Up & Coming

September/October 2018

Art & Exhibitions

2018 Arts on the Riverwalk Award Winners

The Hoyt is pleased to announce the winners of the Arts on the Riverwalk Competitions. Placing in the Local Arts Competition are:

1st Place: Golden Sunrise with Barge, photograph by Morry Moskovitz, Beaver Falls, PA; 2nd Place: Sunflowers, acrylic by Dai Morgan, Pittsburgh PA; 3rd Place: Holocaust Memorial (Berlin Germany), photograph by Dale Lazar, Pittsburgh, PA; Merit Awards: Grey Cat, watercolor by Beth Beiter, Ellwood City; Leather and Crystals, oil by Rachel Griffin, Sandy Lake; Cascade Park, oil by Paige Kleinfelder, New Castle; A Song Before Sleeping, oil by Rhonda Peterson, New Wilmington; Autumn Lights, acrylic by Lynn Roberts, New Brighton; and Into the Vault, Sterling Silver by Carol Scheftic.

Placing in the 2nd Annual Short Film & Video Competition co-hosted by Slippery Rock University are: 1st Place: Custer Wolf by Chris Heady, Middleton, PA; 2nd Place: Love Was Kind by Jordan Kimes; 3rd Place: Reintegration by Thomas Moeger, Bowling Green, OH; Honorable Mentions: You Make This City by RJ Thompson, Youngstown, OH and Night Light by Johnny de la Uz, Orlando, FL.

Call for Artists

46th Hoyt Regional Juried Exhibition

Emerging & professional artists from the 250-mile radius of New Castle, PA are invited to apply electronically for the Regional Juried Exhibition to compete for cash prizes, First Place \$600, Second \$400, Third \$200. Serving as Juror is Kurt Shaw, Art Critic from Pittsburgh. Deadline for submission is January 26, 2019.

Solo Exhibition Proposals

The Hoyt is currently seeking artists to fill its 2020 - 2021 Exhibition Schedule. Solo, duo, collectives and curatorial proposals are welcome. Deadline for submission is December 31, 2018.

New Acquisitions

Thank you to Andy Strauss for the gift of four paintings by Hoyt founding artist, Nelson Oestreich:

- Summer's Landscape, acrylic on panel, circa 1970s
- Untitled Landscape, acrylic on panel, 1972
- ME Port, acrylic on panel, circa 1970s
- Gloucester, acrylic on panel, 1971

Career Development

Paige Kleinfelder will be offering a framing workshop on Saturday, October 6, 12:30-3:30 pm. Bring one piece of work up to 12"x16". \$65/\$50 members. Includes mounting and matting.

Schedule of Events

September

- 8 Arts on the Riverwalk
- 11 Fall Session Begins
- 15 Arts' Club: Dot Day
- 18 After School Arts Resumes
- 22 Creative Play: Autumn Tree House
- 22 Bread-making Workshop

October

- 4 Bryan Pezzone in Concert
- 6 Framing Basics Workshop
- 20 Arts Club: Day of the Dead
- 20 Annual Brewfest
- 25 Lights on After School
- 27 Creative Play: Global Cardboard Challenge

November

- 4 Story Book Opera
- 17 Holiday Open House

Current Exhibitions

At The Hoyt

August 7-October 11

Main Galleries: Four Seasons: Watercolors by Jeanette Blair (1922-2016) Walkway Gallery: Bird's Eye View, reclaimed wood sculptures of Nancy Connelly

October 16 - January 3

Reception: October 27, 2-4 pm Artist Innovators, Edinboro University West Gallery: Bradley Milligan East Gallery: Ben Frederick Walkway Gallery: Edinboro Alumni

At The Confluence September 8-November 1, 2018

Reception: September 8, 3-5 pm 5th Annual Arts on the Riverwalk Juried Art Competition Annual competition open to artists 18+ within a 50 mile radius of New Castle.

Education & Classes



After School Arts

Join After School Arts for a whole new year of after-school activities designed to promote a new generation of artists, innovators and problem solvers! Classes begin September 18 with a mixed media exploration of landscapes! Topics change every two weeks. Classes meet Tuesday-Thursday, 4-5:30 pm. Doors open at 3 pm for homework and snacks. Pre-registration is required. For a full schedule of topics visit www.hoytartcenter.org. Free to grades 3-6 in Lawrence County.

Creative Play

The Hoyt is pleased to announce the 2018-19 Creative Play schedule for ages 3-7. Creative Play is just what it sounds like – an opportunity to learn through fun and engaging activities. September's changing leaves provide the inspiration for the September 22 workshop designing and building a tree house. The October 27 workshop will featured the Global Cardboard Challenge put together by the Imagination Foundation. For a full schedule of workshops, visit www.hoytartcenter.org. Workshops are free but pre-registration is required.

Youth Art Club

Art's Club kicked off it's 2018-19 schedule with a family field trip to the Carnegie Science Center in August! On September 15, we'll celebrate "Dot Day" using pointillism to create paintings! On October 20, we'll take a sweet turn to decorating Sugar Skulls in conjunction in the spirit the "Day of the Dead" and Halloween. For a full schedule of free workshops, visit www. hoytartcenter.org. Art's Club is a benefit of youth and/or family memberships.

Lights on After School

The lights will be on and the doors wide open on Thursday, October 25, 5-7 pm for the nationwide Lights On After School celebration. Trick or treat your way through our buildings with fun activities and cool exhibits. This is a great way to find out more about our free After School Arts and Creative Play programs!

Events

The Arts & Crafts of Beer

October 20, 7-11 pm

The Hoyt's annual Brew-fest will celebrate The Arts & Crafts of Beer on Saturday, October 20, 7-11 pm. More than two dozen craft beers will be featured alongside several local breweries and a hearty menu prepared by the Crane Room Bar & Grille. Highlights include a mac'n cheese bar, taco bar, assortment of artisan flatbreads, hot pretzel



bar and, of course, the s'mores bar by the bonfire! Ticket go on sale September 15!

Pezzone Opens Music Series this Fall

New Castle native, Bryan Pezzone, will perform the first in a series of three music concerts promoting the wealth of talent that has been – and is still being - produced out of the greater Lawrence County region on October 4, 7 pm. Pezzone has been performing and recoding in the Los Angeles area since 1987. His range of classic, contemporary and improvisational styles, has led him to perform with composers and musicians as diverse as Pierre Boulez, John Williams and John Adams and record countless film and television soundtracks. Subsequent concerts will feature The Pittsburgh Cello Quartet on December 4 and the Kaplan Duo on April 4. Tickets are \$25 per concert or \$60 for a subscription to the series. Seating is limited. Visit www.hoytartcenter.org.

Story Book Opera

The Hoyt will be hosting a free performance of A Story Book Opera by the New Castle Lyric Opera on Friday, November 2, 6:30 pm. The performance explores the 'Seasons of Opera' on a young person's level using familiar tunes from TV and Advertisements. The result is not only funny, but packed with audience participation. Great for middle school students. Admission is free.

Artist Member Spotlight

Terry Polonsky

Photography, watercolor & acrylic painting

A Western PA native, Terry is the president of the Random Acts of Artists, the chairman of the Arts Commission of the City of Sharon, and a teaching artist in the Arts in Education Program with Erie Arts & Culture.





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Our mission: "To expand and enrich the life of the community through participation in the arts."