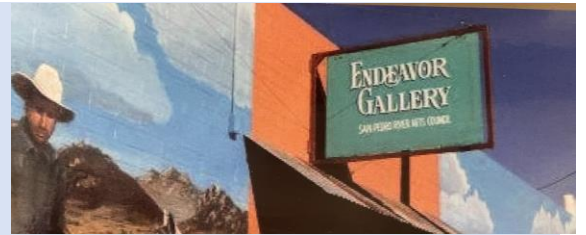


# San Pedro River Arts Council Newsletter



August 2023

*W*elcome to the driest and Hottest summer ever or it just feels like it.

The heat is defiantly helping with the indoor art projects, but please venture out to Cochise college in Benson to see the new exhibit featuring Louise Walden and Yolanda Klein. Another air condition event is to spend some time at the art share pounding flowers this month. Now pounding flowers sounds kind of funny, but this art form is fun and is a natural organic way of transferring the color and form of our favorite flowers onto material. Please check out the material list for items you will need to bring. See you there.

Just a reminder that we have the Photography show coming up in October and entry forms will be available this next month. “Desert sky’s, the sun, moon, and stars” is this year’s special category.

*Keep Creating!*  
*Mary Lee Bringham*



Summer’s Sunflower

President: Mary Lee Bringham  
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Chris Blom  
Joan Davenport  
Bob Heath  
Linda Jacobsen  
Brenda Peo  
Deb Warner

Summer Hours for the Gallery and Gift Shop

Wednesday thru Friday 10 to 4pm

Saturday 10 to 2pm

Corner of 4<sup>th</sup> and San Pedro

Benson, AZ                      520-586-4630

## Events

No Fear Painting Workshop  
Every Sunday afternoon 1pm to 3pm  
At the VFW Hall in Benson \$35

Endeavor Gallery Art Share  
Thursday August 17th 12noon  
Flower Pounding with Deb Thoumsin

Douglas Studio  
Tony Contreras Paintings and more  
10 am to 1pm Tues through Sat.

Amerind Museum and Gallery  
Visit the Amerind Museum website for info.  
[www.amerind.org](http://www.amerind.org)

Tombstone Art Contest and Show  
Photography and Fine Art  
For more information  
Tombstoneartgallery.com

Art Circle Fridays  
At Endeavor gallery learning center  
1:30 to 3:30pm  
Bring in a project to work on  
with friends.

## August Art Share

### Flower Pounding With Deb Thoumsin

There will be a \$5 charge to cover instruction sheets and flowers. Please bring a small board to pound on, a hammer, scissors, and a fine black sharpie.

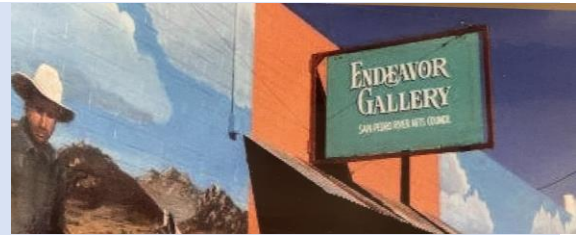


Bee and flowers

By Deb Thoumsin

Be inspired by the season!

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Gift Shop  
Now Showing!



Peyote Bracelets by Mary Money

Mary is a new artist and member of Endeavor.  
Come in and see these intricate works of art.

**Attention!**

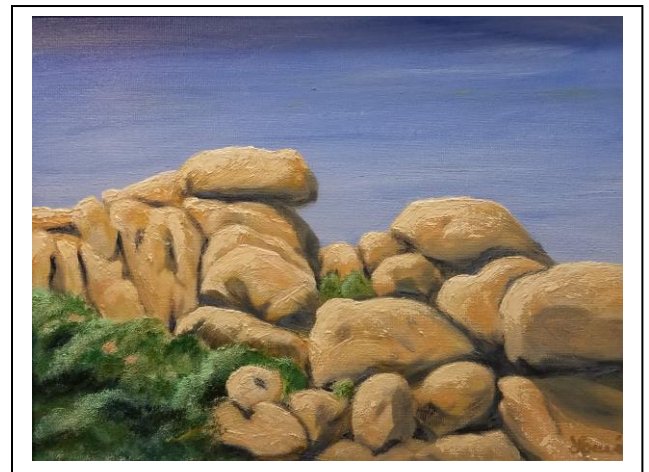
Help Wanted

Gallery Docents

Committee members

Contact for more info:

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[bears4588@yahoo.com](mailto:bears4588@yahoo.com)



“ Texas Canyon “ by Louise Walden

*Quote of the Month:*

*What would life be if we had no courage to attempt anything.*

*Vincent Van Gogh*

## Artists at Cochise College Benson August and September

Two fantastic Artists from the Wilcox Wine Country. Yolanda Klein and Louise Walden together for a colorful exhibit. You can view their beautiful Artwork during regular college hours Monday through Friday.



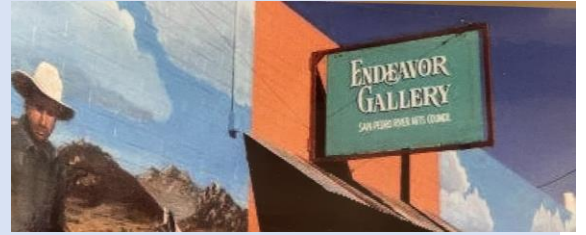
“Sunflowers” By Yolanda Klein

newsletter staff welcomes any writing contributions on art subjects or events. If you would like to submit a quote or article, please send it to [bears4588@yahoo.com](mailto:bears4588@yahoo.com)

San Pedro River Arts Council's mission is to foster the growth and development of new and experienced artists. We support youth art education and work with other organizations in the County.

Endeavor Gallery is a non-juried gallery that displays members original works of art.

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“ Along the San Pedro “ By Janise Ingram

## Artist of the Month Janise Ingram

Janise is an amazing artist and mentor of inspiring new artists. In a very short time, she has garnered a following, with many becoming collectors of her work.

Her main medium is acrylics with bright sharp color. Her subjects are from many travels around the southwest and beyond with her husband.

You can often find Janise working with others who share the passion of painting at the No Fear Workshops on Sunday afternoons.

Janise is truly a natural artist !



**Coming March 2024**

*Now is your chance to become a committee member for next year's Celebrate the Arts Show.*

*To volunteer for this great event please contact Deb Warner at [deb.strongholdart@gmail.com](mailto:deb.strongholdart@gmail.com)*

