



"The news flows in and out like the TIDE." Lydia Arnott



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- Member Social Hour - April 23

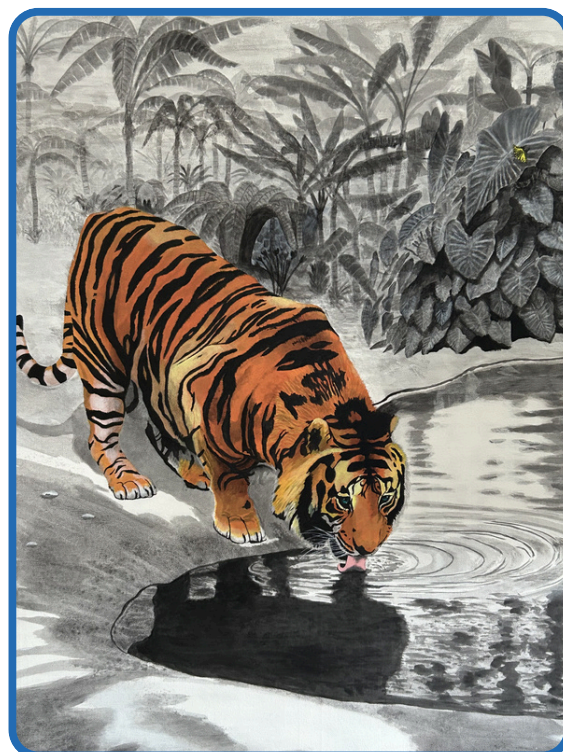
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TOM MOODY



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Outgoing President's Message



As many of you know, I have recently stepped down from my role as President of Manley Art Center. It has truly been an honor to serve this organization and be part of such a vibrant, creative community. Over the years, I've had the privilege of working alongside so many dedicated artists, volunteers, and leaders who care deeply about Manley and its future.

At this time, I'm looking forward to stepping back a bit and spending more time in the studio, focusing on my pottery with the Mudslingers and exploring fiber arts and other creative pursuits that have been waiting patiently for my attention. That said, you'll still see me around—in my role as Event Coordinator, at workgroups, at events, and lending a hand where needed. This community means a great deal to me, and I remain committed to supporting it.

I have every confidence in Jennie Graham as Interim President, along with the Board and leadership team, to continue guiding Manley with thoughtfulness, energy, and care. Their dedication and collaborative spirit will ensure that the Art Center continues to grow and thrive.

Thank you all for your encouragement, support, and friendship during my time as President. It has meant more to me than I can say.

Warmly,
Colleen



Interim President's Message



I'd like to begin by thanking Colleen for her years of dedicated service to Manley Art Center. Her leadership, energy, and commitment have helped shape this community in meaningful ways, and I'm so glad she'll continue to be involved—especially with events and the workgroups that make Manley so special.

A big thank you as well to Marti Winkler for stepping into the Gallery Coordinator role. Alongside Peggy, Bev, and the gallery committee, she's already bringing wonderful energy and support to this important part of Manley.

As I step into the role of Interim President, I do so with a spirit of “unity in the community.” Manley is at its very best when we come together—sharing ideas, encouraging one another, and creating something meaningful side by side.

I'm truly excited to get to know more of you in the weeks and months ahead. Please reach out, share your ideas, and jump in where you feel inspired—your voice, your creativity, and your willingness to be involved are what make this community so special.

With appreciation,

Jennie





FEATURED ARTIST

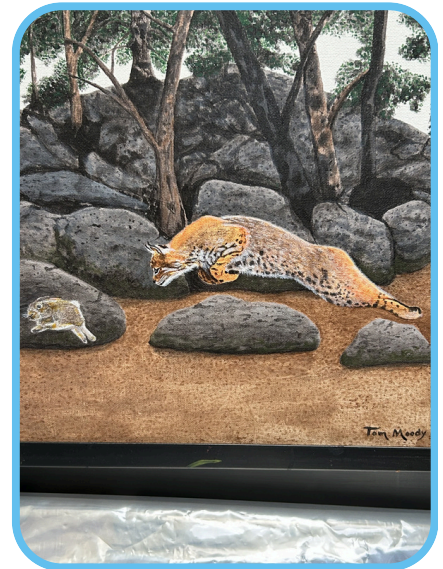
Tom
Moody

TOM MOODY

Tom Moody shares that his passion for art ignited in junior high when he developed an interest in hot rods and motorcycles. He spent countless hours envisioning and sketching his dream vehicles, often leading to some trouble in class. As Tom puts it, "I was the one the teacher would rudely interrupt when caught sketching beneath my history or English books during class." Although he didn't take art classes throughout junior high and high school, he did enroll in a drafting class. After serving in the Marine Corps, he earned an associate degree in industrial design from Southwestern Community College in San Diego, California.

Following his graduation, Tom began working as an engineering technician at the Naval Weapons Station in Fallbrook, California. During this time, he continued to sketch in his spare moments and studied under renowned wildlife watercolor artist Joe Garcia in Southern California.

While Tom occasionally employs watercolors, carving, colored pencils, pen and ink, or alcohol ink in his creations, his primary medium is acrylics. Most importantly, he utilizes these acrylics to craft paintings that feature unexpectedly surreal imagery.



ART WALK
EVENT

STARTS AT
3 PM



433 OAK ST,
BROOKINGS, OR

SATURDAY
APRIL 11, 2026

ARTIST INTERVIEW
AT 3:30 PM



New

Members Social Hour

Thursday, April 23

Noon - 1 PM

Pot Luck so bring a side that is savory or sweet. Manley Art Center will provide a main dish.

Next Board Meeting

Thursday, April 16

10 AM - Noon

Come to observe. Please email: president@manleyartcenter.com to be added to the agenda

Welcome New Members:

Dan Bartell

Mary Cleveland

Nancy Adam

Karen Morton

William Kauffman

Terry Loff-Kauffman

Deborah Valentine

Please let us know if you are showing at another gallery or venue in the Southern Oregon, Crescent City and Eureka, California area. We will publish your show in our newsletter, The Tide. Email the details to

membership@manleyartcenter.com.

The deadline for the following month's edition is the 20 th of the previous month. Any questions call the gallery at 541 469 1807.

Make a positive difference in our community with a gift to the Pelican Bay Arts Association. We encourage you to remember the arts by considering a bequest in your will. For further details, please contact the Gallery Manager.

2026 Gallery Calendar



JANUARY

GALLERY CLOSED

FEBRUARY

Change Out: Feb 1st & 2nd
Gallery Open: Feb 3rd
Featuring: Megan Boye
Medium: Colored Pencil
Art Walk Reception: Feb 14th

MARCH

Change Out: March 1st & 2nd
Featuring: Nancy Farrell
Medium: Batik
Art Walk Reception: March 14th

APRIL

Change Out: April 5th & 6th
Featuring: Tom Moody
Medium: Mixed Media
Art Walk Reception: April 11th

MAY

Change Out: May 3rd & 4th
Featuring: Azalea Fest
Member Art
Medium: All Media
Art Walk Reception: May 9th
Azalea Festival May 25th - 26th

JUNE

Change Out: June 7th & 8th
Featuring: Manley Sessions
Medium: Music
Art Walk Reception: June 14th

JULY

Change Out: July 5th and 6th
Featuring: Les Cornish
Medium: Pastels
Art Walk Reception: July 11th

AUGUST

Change Out: Aug 2nd & 3rd
Featuring: Lisa Amato
Medium: All Mediums
Art Walk Reception: Aug 8th

SEPTEMBER

Change Out: Sept 6th & 7th
Featuring: Jennie Graham
Medium: All Mediums
Art Walk Reception: Sept 12th

OCTOBER

Change Out: Oct 4th & 5th
Featuring: Art at the Port
Medium: Acrylic Painting
Art Walk Reception: Oct 10th

NOVEMBER

Change Out: Nov 1st & 2nd
Featuring: Mudslingers
Medium: All Things Clay
Art Walk Reception: Nov 14th

DECEMBER

Change Out: Nov 29th & 30th
Featuring: Diane Rasmussen
Medium: All Mediums
Art Walk Reception: Dec 12th

Children's Art Program Update



CAP Coordinator

Jennie Graham - cap@manleyartcenter.com

Creative Momentum for Young Artists

Our Children's Art Program (CAP) continues to grow with wonderful enthusiasm from young artists and their families. March's Mini Room Makeover workshop was completely full, and as of this writing two of our three April CAP classes are already full or nearly full – a great sign that creativity is thriving!

There are still a few openings for Linda Evans' Pastel for Kids in April, designed especially for K–3rd grade students. It's a wonderful opportunity for younger artists to explore color, creativity, and the fun of working with pastels.



Looking ahead to May, we encourage families to sign up early as classes tend to fill quickly. Upcoming CAP May workshops include a new Creative Sewing Tote Bag project, Oyster Shell Painting. Each workshop offers young artists a chance to explore new materials, develop skills, and most importantly – enjoy the creative process.



Class Registration
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Natalie Cornish

Recording Secretary

secretary@manleyartcenter.com

Discover Your Next Creative Skill

March brought another successful workshop to the Manley classroom with Sharon's Soft Soldering Techniques for Jewelry. The small class filled quickly and proved to be a hit with students eager to expand their assemblage jewelry skills in a focused, hands-on setting.

Coming up in April, we're excited to feature a special two-part Woven Wall Art workshop led by our own Jennie Graham. In this class, participants will explore weaving techniques while creating a unique decorative wall piece – a wonderful opportunity to experiment with fiber art and leave with a finished work that's both personal and beautiful.

Registration for workshops in April - July is open online and we encourage members to take a look early as some classes fill quickly. Keep an eye on the Manley website and social media for the latest workshop announcements as we continue adding new creative opportunities throughout the year.

Workshop Spotlight

Intro to Hand-Built Pottery

Dates: Weekly beginning Wed Apr 22, 2026 (10 weeks)

Time: 6-9pm

Course Highlights:

Comprehensive pottery class exploring clay and hand-building techniques.

Clay Available for \$65 per 25 lbs. Price of clay includes the use of most of the available glazes.

Member - \$165.00 (total for 10-session workshop)

Non-Member - \$185.00 (total for 10-session workshop)

plus \$20 Manley community kiln use fee



Class Registration
CLICK on the Button below



APRIL WORKSHOPS

April 7 & 21

Woven art for Beginners
Adult Workshop - 2 Days

April 12 & 26

Creative Sewing
Children's Art Program

April 13, 20 & 27

Pastel for Kids
Children's Art Program

April 14

Foil Paint on Canvas
Children's Art Program

April 22

Hand-Built Pottery
10-Week Course



Register Today!



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May WORKSHOPS

May 8

Needle Felting
Love Bugs

May 12

Oyster Shell Painting
Children's Art Program

May 17

Sewing Tote Bags
Children's Art Program

May 19

Mad Hatter
Headdress Tea Party



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Weekly Work Groups



TUESDAYS

10 AM - 12:30 PM

OPEN PAINTING

Contact:

Tom Moody

inspimag@gmail.com

FRIDAYS

1 PM - 4 PM

FIBER ARTS

Contact:

Colleen Chambers

541-813-9146

mamaco2024@gmail.com

THURSDAYS

2 PM - 4 PM

OPEN STUDIO

Contact:

Bev Taylor

bevharristaylor@msn.com

1ST & 3RD

THURSDAYS

4 PM - 6 PM

ARTIST PLAY GROUP

Contact:

Mary Ann Antenucci

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2ND FRIDAY

10 AM - 12PM

MODSQUAD

QUILTERS

Contact:

Doni Boyd

541-961-7930

1ST & 3RD

FRIDAYS

10 AM - 11:30 AM

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WEDS & SATS

11 AM - 5 PM

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4TH MONDAYS

5:30 PM - 7PM

THE MANLEY

SESSIONS

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2ND & 4TH

TUESDAYS

1PM - 3PM

CREATIVE WRITING

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Weekly Work Groups



"Find Your People. Make Your Art."

At Manley, creativity is better together. Our workgroups are the heart of our community—welcoming spaces where artists and creatives come together to share ideas, explore, and inspire one another.

These are not classes, but relaxed, collaborative gatherings open to all Manley Plus members, regardless of experience level. Whether you're trying something new or continuing your artistic journey, there's a place for you here.

Come connect, create, and be part of what makes Manley special—unity in the community.

Fiber Arts

A welcoming circle for anyone who loves working with knitting, crocheting, stitching, felting, embroidery, cross stitch, sewing and more. Share ideas, swap tips, and enjoy the joy of creating alongside others who understand the magic of fiber.

Mudslingers (Ceramics)

From first-time clay explorers to seasoned potters, the Mudslingers are all about learning, laughing, and creating together. It's hands-on, a little messy, and incredibly rewarding—because sometimes the clay teaches us as much as we shape it.

Mod Squad (Quilting)

A collaborative group of quilters who take on new challenges each month. Projects are around 15" square, and shared anonymously for supportive critique and a little guessing game. New challenges keep things fresh, and beginners are always welcome.

Artist Playgroup

This is where creativity meets inspiration and ideas come to life. Bring something you're working on—or something you're stuck on—and explore, experiment, and play alongside other artists in a relaxed, supportive space.

Open Studio Group

A casual, creative space to draw, sketch, paint (any media), collage, etc., and develop your skills at your own pace. Work alongside fellow artists, try new techniques, and enjoy the quiet energy of a room full of people making art.

Painting Group

All styles, all levels—welcome. Whether you're working in oils, acrylics, watercolor, pen and ink, or colored pencil, this is a space to create, share, and be inspired by others who love expressing themselves through every stroke.

Creative Writing

Writers and storytellers gather here to spark ideas, share work, and encourage one another. From quick exercises to thoughtful feedback, it's a space to explore your voice and keep the words flowing.

Photography Group

Capture the world through your lens and connect with others who love photography. Whether you're just getting started or refining your craft, this group is all about sharing perspectives, inspiration, and a good eye for the moment.

Manley Sessions (Music)

An intimate, unplugged gathering of musicians and music lovers. Bring an instrument, a song, or just your ears—and enjoy an easygoing evening where music is shared simply for the love of it.

Azalea Festival Art Show

“LIVING IN PARADISE”

VOTE!

People's Choice Awards for Art

*All month long at the Gallery
Last chance to vote is on
Sunday, May 24th at 3:00 PM
Cash Awards*



DAILY ACTIVITIES

Art Exhibitions
Kids Activities
Refreshments
Parade Float
Silent Auction

Art Exhibition Showcase

Paintings, ceramics, sculptures, mixed media, fiber art,
books and other works created by local artists from
the local community and the Manley Art Center.

Friday - May 22rd - 11 AM to 6 PM

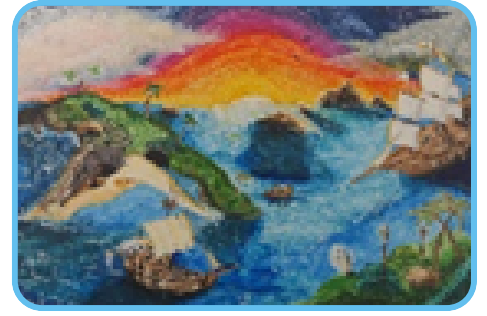
Saturday - May 23th - 11 AM to 6 PM

Sunday - May 24th - Noon to 5 PM

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Art at the PORT



Calling All Artists! *Summer Boardwalk Exhibition* Theme - **Paradise by the Sea**

Register at the Manley Art Center

Starting March 10

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Tue - Sat, 11 AM until 4 PM

\$10 fee includes a 16" X 24" Art Panel

1 Panel per person

Deliver Art Panels to Pithitude on

May 17 & 18

Only panels provided will be accepted

People's Choice Awards

Youth - Teens - Adults





Gallery Host

We are looking for members to help Host the Gallery during working hours, Tuesday - Saturday. Each Host shift is 2.5 hours. The Host is responsible for greeting visitors and customers, making sales transactions on our easy to use register, and answering the phone. Its fun, easy and a great way to give your support at the Manley Art Center. Click the sign up link below to sign up online or email the Host Coordinator.

Lisa Amato at
host@manleyartcenter.com
541-469-1807

Host Spotlight

Jennie Graham

Jennie is our Interim President and contributes so much to the Manley Art Center. Her cheerful smile greets the Gallery customers with joy. Thank you Jennie for volunteering your time.



Event Committee

The Azalea Festival Art Show and Art at the Port meetings are scheduled for:

- o Thurs, April 2 at 10:30 AM
- o Thurs, April 9 at 11 AM
- o Thurs, April 30 at 11 AM
- o Thurs, May 7 at 11 AM
- o Thurs May 14 at 11 AM



Host Registration and
Volunteer Hours Reporting
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Community



Pelican Bay Arts Association/Manley Art Center has partnered with Fred Meyer to help our members live healthier lives and provide charitable giving to our organization.

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Step 1 - If you have a Fred Meyer online rewards account, great! Go to step 2 and link your card. If not, you can create one.

- Use the button below to go to the Community Rewards site
- Click on Sign In
- Click on Create Account

Step 2 - Link your rewards card to Pelican Bay Arts Association Inc.

- Sign in to your online Fred Meyer account (use the Community Rewards link below)
- Search for Pelican Bay Arts Association Inc.
- Enter YA358 as our NPO number.
- click "Save"

Step 3 - That's it! Pelican Bay Arts Association earns money, no added cost to you!

**We earned \$77 last quarter and have 24 Households signed up
Your efforts make a difference!**



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For inquiries regarding the classroom schedule, work group sessions, gallery, teaching classes, Children's Art Program (CAP), social media, or other needs:

email: manager@manleyartcenter.com

Deadline for any TIDE submissions is the 20th of the month.

Gallery Hours

SUNDAY	CLOSED
MONDAY	CLOSED
TUESDAY	11:00 AM - 4:00 PM
WEDNESDAY	11:00 AM - 4:00 PM
THURSDAY	11:00 AM - 4:00 PM
FRIDAY	11:00 AM - 4:00 PM
SATURDAY	11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

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