



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



## Gallery

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## Volunteerism

- Gallery Host - Please sign up
- Help out in the garden

## ART OF MUSIC

Intake of Art Featuring Music  
is on Sunday, June 7.



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### **Nola Range**

Historian

# President's Message



May wrapped up one of the busiest and most exciting times of the year for the gallery and our community with the Azalea Festival Art Show. The gallery looked wonderful, filled with an impressive variety of artwork, including many beautiful new pieces from members who had not exhibited with us before. It was a tremendous amount of work, but also a tremendous amount of fun!

One highlight was participating in the Azalea Festival parade aboard the Storm Trooper. Rob kept the energy going with live music from the back of the boat while our members handed out coloring and crayon gifts to young parade-goers along the route. It was a joyful way to connect with the community and share the spirit of the Manley Art Center.

Another major accomplishment in May was the installation of our Art at the Port exhibition. We had even more artists participate this year than last, with artwork proudly displayed by creators of all ages. If you haven't had a chance yet, be sure to visit the harbor and check it out!

As a reminder, gallery change-outs are now on an every-other-month schedule, with the next change-out taking place in July. This updated schedule helps keep artwork visible longer for potential sales while also reducing the administrative workload involved with monthly change-outs. We know there have been a few questions about gallery processes, so we'll be sending out a communication soon with everything clearly outlined in one place.

Finally, a heartfelt thank you to all of the volunteers who helped make May and all of our activities such a success. This is our biggest customer-facing season of the year and our opportunity to showcase what a welcoming, creative, and vibrant place the Manley Art Center truly is.

Love you all —  
Jennie Graham  
Unity in the Community!





# FEATURED ARTIST

## ART OF MUSIC



### Art Exhibition Showcase

Paintings, ceramics, sculptures, mixed media, fiber art, books, and other works created by local artists from the community will be showcased in the "Art of Music" collection. This includes any form of artwork that represents music.

We will feature original songwriter performances on Saturday, June 13 from artists of The Manley Sessions.

ART WALK  
EVENT

STARTS AT  
3 PM



433 OAK ST,  
BROOKINGS, OR

SATURDAY  
JUNE 13, 2026

PERFORMANCE  
AT 3:30 PM

Find More Information:

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# Membership News



## Next Board Meeting

Thursday, June 18

10 AM - Noon

Come to observe. Please email:  
[president@manleyartcenter.com](mailto:president@manleyartcenter.com)  
to be added to the agenda

## Next Membership Meeting

Thursday, June 25

11 AM - 1 PM

It's a potluck this time so bring your favorite treats, savory or sweet. Manley Art Center will provide a main dish.

## Welcome New Members:

**Sarah Rose**  
**Mary Edmonds**  
**Sydnei Nation**  
**Jeffery Levin**  
**Ashlee Harper**  
**Karalisa Spencer**  
**Teri Goodwin**  
**Joel Dyer**  
**Anna Garrison**  
**Patty McCarthy**  
**Jeannie Duryea**  
**Kathy Dovey**  
**David Marlowe**

Our garden committee would love some assistance with dead heading, weeding, pruning, and overall playing in the dirt. If you would like to help out, please email [membership@manleyartcenter.com](mailto:membership@manleyartcenter.com).

Reminder: Your **Manley Plus** membership includes free admission through the North American Reciprocal Museum (**NARM**) program. Just bring your NARM card for entry.



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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 Art Center Director.



## People's Choice Awards

*Azalea Festival Art Show*



**1<sup>st</sup> Place - 3D**

*Resting Shore Bird*  
Mike Hicks



**2<sup>nd</sup> Place - 3D**

*Spindrift Kelp Basket*  
Jeannie Duryea



**3<sup>rd</sup> Place - 3D**

*Windy Spirit*  
Joel Dyer

**Honorable Mention - 3D** *"My Name is Cinnamon"* Megan Boye



**1<sup>st</sup> Place - Photo**

*Last Step*  
Jeremy Fairman



**2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Photo**

*In the Wild*  
Pam Stallings



**3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Photo**

*Round Rock Loonscape*  
David Marlowe

**Honorable Mention - Photo** *"Sheep Pen Creek"* Tyler Spencer



## People's Choice Awards

*Azalea Festival Art Show - cont.*



**1<sup>st</sup> Place - Painting**  
*Evening Reveal*  
Les Cornish



**2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Painting**  
*Flower Walk to the Sea*  
Rimma Motluck



**3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Painting**  
*Guarding Angels*  
Tom Moody

**Honorable Mention - Painting** "The Night Watchman" Lisa Amato



**1<sup>st</sup> Place - Fiber Arts**  
*Butterflies & Flowers*  
Nancy Farrell



**2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Fiber Arts**  
*Floppy Ear Bunny*  
Linda Jacobs



**3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Fiber Arts**  
*Kat Fish*  
Kathy Dovey

**Honorable Mention - Fiber Arts** "Textured Scarf" Patty Nance

# 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

**No Change Out**  
Featuring: Art of Music  
Medium: All Media  
Art Walk Reception: June 14th

## JULY

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

## AUGUST

No Change Out  
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

No Change Out  
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

No Change Out  
Featuring: Diane Rasmussen  
Medium: All Mediums  
Art Walk Reception: Dec 12th

# Children's Art Program Update



## CAP Coordinator

Jennie Graham - [cap@manleyartcenter.com](mailto:cap@manleyartcenter.com)

### Children's Art Program (CAP)

Our Children's Art Program continued to spark creativity in May with two fun-filled classes: "Oyster Shell Painting" and "Creative Sewing – Tote Bags". Young artists enjoyed exploring color, design, and hands-on creativity while building new artistic skills in a supportive and encouraging environment.

Looking ahead to June, there is just one slot left in "Timberbots", led by Krista Ramacher, where students will combine imagination and engineering-inspired creativity to build unique wooden robot creations. June's Creative Sewing class is already full, but families are encouraged to check the calendar for additional sewing opportunities coming in July.

Also coming in July is a colorful and creative "Faux Stained Glass Painting" class that is sure to be a favorite with young artists.

And don't forget—registration is now open for our popular "2026 Youth Summer Camp" during the first week of August! Spaces are filling quickly, with 10 of 15 spots already claimed, so early registration is encouraged for young artists in your family or extended family.



Class Registration  
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# Workshop Update



**Natalie Cornish**

Workshop Coordinator

workshops@manleyartcenter.com

## Adult Workshops

May brought plenty of creativity, laughter, and artistic exploration to our Adult Workshop program! Participants embraced whimsy and imagination during Sharon Johnson's "Mad Hatter Headdress Making & Tea Party", creating delightfully unique wearable art while enjoying a festive afternoon together.

Visiting instructor Corbin Brashear also led a lively "Needle Felting: Love Bugs!" workshop, where students learned felting techniques while crafting colorful little "love bugs" full of personality. Judging from the smiles and laughter throughout the class, everyone had a wonderful time learning something new and enjoying the creative camaraderie that makes our workshops so special.

Coming in June, we're excited to offer a new watercolor experience with our own Diane Rasmussen: "Bloom Freely: Two-Part Intro to Loose Floral Watercolors". This beginner-friendly workshop explores the light, airy style of loose floral watercolors while introducing foundational techniques. Early registration is encouraged!

Looking ahead to July, a new "10-week Intro to Hand-Built Pottery" class series with Maryjane Carlson begins July 1, offering students an opportunity to explore clay techniques in a welcoming, hands-on environment. Also in July, visiting artist Sylvia Trujillo will lead "Oh My Gouache!", an introduction to the richly pigmented and versatile medium of gouache. This Saturday afternoon class will be a perfect opportunity to explore a new medium while learning foundational painting techniques.



Class Registration  
CLICK on the Button below



# JUNE WORKSHOPS

**June 9**

TimberBots

Children's Art Program

**June 14 & 28**

Creative Sewing

Children's Art Program

**June 15 & 22**

Watercolor Class

Intro to Loose Floral



Register Today!



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# July WORKSHOPS

**July 1 - Sept 9**

Hand-Build Pottery  
10 Week Course

**July 12**

Creative Sewing  
Children's Art Program

**July 14**

Glass Painting  
Children's Art Program

**May 19**

Oh My Gouache!  
Unique Painting Class



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# Work Groups Calendar



## TUESDAYS

10 AM - 12:30 PM  
OPEN PAINTING

Contact:  
Tom Moody  
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## FRIDAYS

1 PM - 4 PM  
FIBER ARTS

Contact:  
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## THURSDAYS

2 PM - 4 PM  
OPEN STUDIO

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Bev Taylor  
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## 1ST & 3RD

## THURSDAYS

4 PM - 6 PM

ARTIST PLAY GROUP

Contact:  
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## 2ND FRIDAY

10 AM - 12PM

MODSQUAD

QUILTERS

Contact:  
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541-961-7930

## 1ST & 3RD

## FRIDAYS

10 AM - 11:30 AM

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## WEDS & SATS

11 AM - 5 PM

MUDSLINGERS

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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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# Work Group Descriptions



## "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.



## Artist's Playgroup

First & Third Thursdays | 4–6 PM

Step into a welcoming space where creativity thrives! The Artist's Playgroup brings together multidisciplinary artists and makers to experiment, collaborate, and grow.

Together, we:

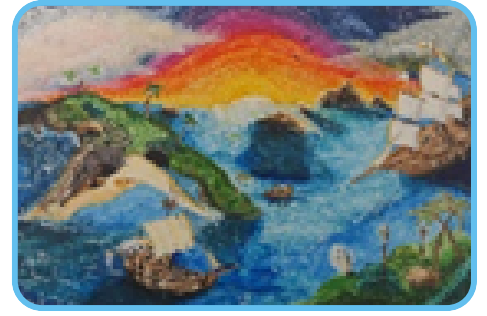
- Explore new techniques and creative approaches
- Share feedback in a supportive, constructive environment
- Exchange ideas, skills, and inspiration across disciplines
- Learn from both our breakthroughs and our challenges

Whether you're refining your craft or trying something new, this is your space to connect, create, and push your artistic practice forward. All disciplines are welcome—come curious, and bring what you know!





# Art at the PORT



# Check It Out!

## *Summer Boardwalk Exhibition*

### Theme - **Paradise by the Sea**

Exhibition begins **May 18** and concludes on **September 13**  
Located at **Port of Brookings Harbor Boardwalk**

Vote for the  
**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. If you can not make your reserved shift, please call President Jennie Graham at 775-297-6582.

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



Host Registration and  
Volunteer Hours Reporting  
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## Host Spotlight

Kai Voisin

Kai has been a regular artist in our gallery and is always lending a hand in our events and programs. You can usually find him at the Painting Workgroup on Tuesdays or Open Studio on Thursday. On Saturdays, Kai is usually hosting all day. This is a big shout out to Kai for helping out above and beyond!

THANK YOU Kai for volunteering your time to host in our gallery!

## Gallery Intake

Art of Music

Please bring additional Gallery Art that represents music for our Featured Wall. Intake will be on Sunday, June 7 from 10 AM until 1 PM. Contact Marti Winkler at director1@manleyartcenter.com.



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](mailto: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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