

CALENDAR of EVENTS

ALL EVENTS ARE HELD AT THE CREATE PLACE UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. FOR MORE INFO: 447-9277 OR create@surf1.ws

APRIL

CREATE will be CLOSED April 4-8 for Spring Break

Open Mic Night

Friday, April 1; 7-9pm. Hosted by singer/songwriter, Stan Smith. A veritable showcase of talent put on by the local villagers! \$2.

Young Artist Exhibit: "Strut Your Stuff"

April 1-29. Young artists from throughout the community fill CREATE's gallery walls with their own creations.

CREATE General Meeting

Thursday, April 7; 3-5pm. Don't just sit on your creative ideas -- bring them to CREATE!



Jugglers • Brothers From Different Mothers

Friday, April 15; 6:00pm. You won't want to miss this incredible show of comedy and juggling! \$5 per person. Stratton Elementary Gym. See front page for more info.

Your Path to the Marketplace

Saturday, April 16; 8:30am-2:30pm.

Guest Event; sponsored by Sravati Abbey

"How to Cultivate a Loving Heart"

Tuesday, April 26; 6:30-8:30. We may wish to be loving and compassionate with our families and co-workers, but our impatience, irritation, and jealousy often interrupt our best intentions. Over three sessions, Thubten Chodron will give practical steps for learning to make our own lives and those around us happier and more peaceful; cont'd May 3&10.

MAY

Papier Mache Exhibit: "Giggling Goliards"

May 1-28. If you haven't thought of papier mâché since childhood, you've got to see this! Discover some of the wild and wacky forms this medium can take in the hands and imaginations of fine art sculptors Sherri Ballman, of Deer Park; Rhea Giffin of Coeur d'Alene; and Leata Judd of Bayview, Idaho. All members of the Northwest Papier Mâché Artists' Guild.

Guest Event; sponsored by Sravati Abbey

"How to Cultivate a Loving Heart"

Tuesday, May 3 & 10; 6:30-8:30. #2&3 of a 3-part series. For detailed information, see above; April 26.

CREATE General Meeting

Thursday, May 5; 3-5pm

Open Mic Night

Friday, May 6; 7-9pm. Come enjoy the local talent! Hosted by singer/songwriter, Stan Smith, on keyboard. \$2.

Well-Cured Hams/Senior Theater

Saturday/Sunday, May 14/15; 3:00pm each day. The 11th episode of this soap opera reveals the true nature of the Hams and this wild and crazy bunch of delinquent teenagers. Come enjoy a live, warm, friendly atmosphere — and sing a bit, too! \$3/seniors, \$5/kids under 60.

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"Giggling Goliards" Exhibit Reception

Saturday, May 28; 4-6pm. Join papier mache artists and their students to celebrate this ancient art form.

CREATE will be CLOSED Mon, May 30 for Memorial Day

JUNE

CREATE General Meeting

Thursday, June 2; 3-5pm

Open Mic Night

Friday, June 3; 7-9pm. Hosted by singer/songwriter, Stan Smith. Poetry, acappella, instrumentals, storytelling -- it's great! \$2.

"Exposed" Photography Exhibit

Looking through the lens of a camera and seeing a new perspective is the creative process. Work by regional photographers on display June 3-30.

"Miracles in Photography" Presentation

Thursday, June 16, 7-9pm. Guest speaker, Autumn Oscarson will present an up-close look from a photographer's eye.

Autumn's stories and strategies are not a foolproof way of capturing quality images or guarantee of success, but are sure to entertain and inspire you to open your creative thinking. \$5

Albeni Falls Dam 50th Anniversary Celebration

Friday June 24, 2005; 10:00am to 4:00pm. CREATE will be a participant at this event. There will be displays, demonstrations, a commemorative program and hands-on activities for all visitors. Join the festivities for a re-enactment of the first blast, time capsule placement, log chute demonstration, tours of the powerhouse and lots of entertainment. And don't forget to stop by the CREATE booth!

COMING IN JULY

Open Mic Night: Friday, July 1; 7pm

Lavender Festival: Sat/Sun, July 9 and 10. Come on up and join the fun! CREATE volunteers will be offering art activities for all ages in-and-around the old historic schoolhouse. See box below for more information.



Go With the Flow

July 1-29. Our well-received river themed art exhibit and sale is back. Come see what creative visions rivers bring to the hearts, minds and hands of artists. An opening reception will be held Friday, July 1st; 5-6:30pm preceding Open Mic Night at 7pm.

Lavender Festival

- Spokane Symphony Quartet
- Flutist Loren Swan
- Butterfly Gardening Class
- Gourmet Food & Beverages
- Juried Vendors, Local Growers
- Massage Therapy
- Lavender Distilling Demos
- Art Activities for all ages
- Pick Your Own Lavender
- Guided History Tours of 100 year old Homestead

Le Clerc Creek Lavender Farm
Sat/Sun, July 9 & 10; 9am-6pm
13401 Le Clerc Road, 13 miles north of U/Sk Bridge, 10 miles south of Tone Bridge. Follow the signs.

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FEATURED ARTISTS



Vanessa Kaelin



Duncan Heaney



Carlos Aguilar



Ann Glines



Steven Contreras



Michelle Clark

Here are just some of the un-and-coming artists in our community!



DRAGON
By Elspeth Knowles

ARTS CALENDAR

CREATE is very happy to announce the return of the biweekly **ARTS CALENDAR** looking for art?

Please watch for CREATE's ad on the LifeStyle page of the Newport Miner newspaper every other week. The ad will list CREATE's upcoming events, classes, exhibits, and performances.

This ad is proudly cosponsored by local Arts Supporter:



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CREATE is a nonprofit 501(c)3 organization with a mission to create opportunities for expression, enjoyment and appreciation of the arts and humanities through individual and community participation. CREATE's community art center is located at 900 West 4th Street (4th & Fea) in Newport.

OPEN HOURS:

Sept 13 - June 15 Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri; 1pm-5pm
Wednesday; 9am-5pm

June 16 - Sept 10 Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri; 9am-1pm
Wednesday; 9am-5pm

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"OUR STUFF" Young Artists Exhibit

Artists from Kindergarten to 12th grade are "strutting their stuff" in the CREATE gallery from now until Friday, April 29. The exhibit includes drawing, painting, clay, wire sculpture, and multi-media, with over 100 pieces on display.

BROTHERS from DIFFERENT MOTHERS

A Show of Comedy & Juggling

Friday, April 15; 6pm
Stratton Elementary
Newport

Be prepared to laugh when these guys are in the spotlight! This dynamic duo of juggling comedians shoulders the challenge of gravity time after time. See stunts that exceed the boundaries of the possible! Their high-energy wackiness and off the wall antics will stop nothing short of hilarity and amazement. Bring the extended family because this is a show for all generations.

Don't Miss the Opening Act!
Scotty Walsh, Storyteller

Tickets: \$5 all ages
\$20 for a family of 5



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ART CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

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C E M E N T



SANDCAST BIRD-BATH/PATIO DISH

Instr: Lucy Bauer/Phoenix Luby
Saturday, June 4, 1-3p. 2nd Sat TBA. \$35. Concrete means so much more than driveways, tennis courts, basements and swimming pools! Take this opportunity to uncover your own concrete creativity and fashion a birdbath using thubarb leaves. Spend two Saturdays at Lucy's home on the river, learning the art of matching nature with concrete.

F I B E R

SPINNING WITH NATURAL FIBERS

• Open Studio; no instructor
Wednesdays, 9am-noon. \$150 per session. Come share your spinning, weaving and needlework talents with others, enjoy conversation and laughter! Call 445-1326 for information. Newcomers are always welcome.

M U S I C

GIUITAR • Instructor: Milla

Tuesdays/Wednesdays, noon-8pm. Call for appt. \$11 per half-hour class. Subjects/instruments include: songwriting, improvisation, slide guitar, lap steel/dobro, mandolin, tenor banjo, 5-string bass, bass guitar, guitar, open tunings, finger style, chord solos.

P A P I E R M A C H E

PAPIER MÂCHÉ WORKSHOP

Instructors: Sherri Ballman, Rhea Giffin, Leata Judd
Saturdays, May 7 & May 28, noon-4pm. \$125 (includes \$45 supplies.) A rare and resourceful gathering of these three extraordinary artists will take place in the form of a two-part dynamic hands-on demonstration and workshop covering practically everything you could want to know about making your own papier mâché imaginings. This very thorough and fun workshop includes all materials; please dress for mess! Be sure to visit the website at <http://www.RheaGiffin.com>. Prepaid registration due to CREATE by May 2nd.

P A I N T I N G



PAINTED WOODEN (LION-TAMERS) CHAIR

Instructor: Dora Grantski
Sundays, April 17 & 24, Noon - 3pm
Dora (AKA: Miss Ruby) has mastered the painting of chairs, and will share her art through CREATE! Bring your own, or purchase one of six 'Lion Tamers' chairs when you register. Learn to prep and base coat your chair at the first session, then paint your selected design, and complete the chair a week later. Chair: \$10; class & supplies: \$20. Bring a lunch.

OIL PAINTING • Instructor: Vicki Phillips

Wednesdays, 6-9pm. April 27 through May 18. \$60
Beginner to Advanced. Express yourself through the Art of Color Composition. Learn the vocabulary of color, and then, using masonite "canvases," cheap brushes, and basic paints, learn how to mix colors to create a beautiful, expressive design that flows from your heart! Vicki supplies the masonite and some of the paints, you will need to purchase oil paints and brushes for the class. Supply list available upon registration.

W A T E R C O L O R S

PAINTING GREENS

Instructor: Shirley Wright
Wednesdays, April 13, 10am-4pm. \$35. Painting greens can be tricky. Let this dynamic instructor lead you on a journey you've wanted to take! Uncover the artist within, and be amazed by your own beautiful talent! The warm and cool of green is explained as we learn to paint the soothing colors of nature. The painting demonstration and hands-on exercises will clearly explain the challenges of the color green! Supply list available at registration. Bring a lunch.

WATERCOLOR FLORALS

Instructor: Shirley Wright
Wednesday, May 11, 10am-4pm. \$35
Learn some different ways of painting flowers and pick up special tips. There are many ways of approaching watercolor florals. Shirley plans to cover as many as she can in one class. Classes will be part demo and a lot of hands on painting. Supply list available at registration.

A COLLECTION OF TIPS AND TRICKS OF WATERCOLOR TECHNIQUES

Instructor: Shirley Wright
Thurs, May 12, 10am-4pm. \$35.
Topics include creating depth with value changes, leaving and creating white areas, textural effects for watercolor glazing with watercolor, hard, soft and lost edges in watercolor and a variety of brushwork.

BEGINNING WATERCOLOR

Instructor: Shirley Wright
Wednesdays & Thursdays, May 25 & 26, 10am-4pm. \$65 / 2 day class. Introduce yourself to the fun of watercolor painting! Easy fundamentals, methods and techniques, including what supplies and tools are used, how to handle brushes and paints, choosing a subject, design, layout, washes and more. Leave with a thorough understanding of this versatile medium! Supply list available at registration.

WATERCOLOR IN THE GARDEN

Instructor: Shirley Wright
Saturday, June 25, 10am-4pm. \$35
Students will work from the flowers and plants in the garden, enjoying a "plein air" day of painting. Composition, color, harmony, and techniques are discussed along with demonstrations. You will gain an understanding of what plein air painting is all about. Students complete at least one painting. Bring watercolor supplies, one or two full sheets of paper, a drawing board, folding chair, camera, and your lunch!

WATERCOLOR OPEN STUDIO

Fridays, 10-2pm in the CREATE basement.

D R A W I N G

BASIC FIGURE DRAWING

Instructor: Shirley Wright
Thursday, April 14, 10am-4pm. \$35
A brief overview of the proportions of the human figure. Start with gesture drawing to train you to look for the essential fluid lines in the various poses. You will learn more about the face and head, also. There will be no model at this class, so bring photos and magazines with figures in them (sport magazines, dancers, cutouts from the paper). An 11x14 drawing pad, pencil and kneaded eraser is all you need! Bring a lunch.

BASIC DRAWING AND DEVELOPING QUICK DRAWINGS USING TODAY'S TECHNOLOGY

Instructor: Shirley Wright
Saturdays, June 11 & 18, 10am-4pm. \$65/2 day class.
First, learn the basics of freehand drawing, such as composition, color shading, shadow, and perspective. Then learn how to produce more accurate drawings, and to draw faster and more effectively using today's technology. Use the most current applications of cameras, copiers, and computers to create and reproduce your work and turn it into a great painting. Supply list at registration.

W R I T I N G

WRITERS' NETWORK FORMING!

Facilitators: Virginia White & Lisa Conger
May 21: 1-3pm. For all who doodle, write, or want to write... at this first session, we'll get acquainted before we write... then decide how often to meet to share our writings and experiences and learn ways to improve our work. Facilitators are Virginia White and Lisa Conger, masters of fiction and non-fiction, memoirs and poetry. Virginia developed the Writers Workshop at SCC 16 years ago, and currently teaches four classes through the Seniors program at the college; she has self-published two books, is a freelance writer and a former magazine columnist. She spends her summers at Bend Lake. Lisa writes poetry daily, has experienced the healing and insight that poetry gives, and belongs to the National Association for Poetry Therapy. Since 2000, she has taught poetry and life-writing to Seniors through SFCC. She has also combined her papier mache art with her poetry, resulting in beautiful "poetries." Join these inspiring teachers, meet other local writers, share and hone your own work, come for laughter, healing and friendship!

IMPORTANT CLASS INFORMATION:

Students will be registered ONLY upon receipt of payment. With respect to the time and energy which Instructors and Staff put into the development of classes and workshops, it is appreciated when students show the determination and sincerity needed to attend the classes they sign up for. Preregistration is required as classes may be cancelled when a minimum number of students are not registered. In the event that a class is cancelled, your money will be fully refunded. If a student must withdraw from a class, notification must be given 2 business days prior to the beginning of the class in order to receive a refund (minus 10% registration fee). Any later than 2 business days prior, we are not able to give a refund. **Thank you.**



ArtScape Afterschool Program

Call to register: 447-9277

7-12 th Art Club	Mondays/Oct 4-May 16	3-5:00	free/drop-in at NHS
3-5 th Pottery	Tuesdays/Apr 12-May 31	3-4:30	\$0 at CREATE
Kindergarten Visual Arts	Thurs/Apr 21-May 26	12-1:00	\$8 Stratton Elem

SUMMER PROGRAM • youth 9-13 yrs 9am-noon; Mon-Thurs

- Visual Arts June 20-30 \$24 (exception: Friday, July 8)
- Performing Arts July 5-14 \$24

Our Summer Program fills up fast so register right away! The first two weeks are an immersion in visual art mediums: clay, paint, fiber, tie-dye, and more. The second two weeks jump into the performing arts: learning and building performance techniques through games and activities guaranteed to provide hilarious results! Drama, music, costumeing, and makeup are all part of the fun. Participants are encouraged to bring their imaginations and individual talents to this fun-filled program of art and entertainment. Participants are asked to bring their own mid-morning snacks. Program held at CREATE.

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A Series of Outstanding Workshops for Artists & Entrepreneurs

Your Path to the Marketplace

OSPE and WSU Pend Oreille County Extension present a series of 3 workshops each year to enable artists, artisans, growers and entrepreneurs to learn how to develop their talents and interests commercially.

Continuing with quality presentations, this year's speakers and topics are all new.

Topics include the business sense of the Pend Oreille Valley; panelists who have developed a successful small business; putting your talent on hold versus devoting your life to it; successful business/customer relationships; rules to play by in e-commerce; loans and other small business development basics.

Workshop #3

Saturday, April 16; 8:30am-2:30pm

Expanding Your Horizons -

Opportunities Beyond County Boundaries

Register by Monday, April 11 \$30/workshop

Speakers:

The Artisans of Crawford Bay, British Columbia. Learn how this vibrant artisan community on the East Shore of Kootenay Lake has turned a cooperative effort into an entrepreneurial success.

Louise Shamy-Kodis, Fiber Artist

Lucy Bauer, Importer/Exporter

Carol Bezdil, Retired Extension Agent and Entrepreneur

Save the date on your calendar today!

To register or receive more information, call (509) 447-9277 or create@surfl.wa.

\$30 per person - catered lunch included.

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Call for Artists

Please contact CREATE (447-9277) or create@surfl.wa to receive information regarding this call. We are interested in artists who are currently practicing their craft and are interested in exhibiting their work in a public space.

EXPOSED: PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT - Looking through the lens of a camera, and seeing your perspective is the heart of the process. We will celebrate the art of photography through an exhibit of work by regional photographers. June 3-30. Delivery Date: Tuesday, May 31, 1-5pm.

OWN THE FLOWN - This river theme exhibit is open to all mediums. Delivery Date: Monday, June 27, 1-5pm.

EXHIBIT ENTRY FORM please print legibly and attach to back of art.

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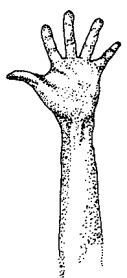


RABBIT by Tony Mikhailenko; 4th Grade

Pend Oreille Arts Education Consortium Project • 2004-2005 • Integrating the Arts

The chart below lists recent (and upcoming) lessons that Consortium Artists have taught in school classrooms this school year. Each project teaches specific arts concepts and core understandings that enable students to communicate their ideas and connect with the world around them. By demonstrating and teaching specific artistic techniques students are able to control and use art materials more effectively. The artistic process teaches students to conceptualize, gather information, develop their ideas, organize their work, reflect and refine their art, and finally, to present their art. Each grade level in the Newport School District has been gifted to hours of art instruction each year. Director: Ann McGretick

Newport School Teachers	Grade Level	Teaching Artists	Project
• Vickie Downie	1st grade	Dora Grantski	painted rocks
• Suzy Gamma, Susan Rowan, Candy Betz	2nd grade	Katie Parker	clay
• Sandee Meade, Rhea Burkett, Vicki Bronson	2nd grade	Katie Parker	clay
• Susan Prussack, Eloise Opp, Janice Cameron, Trudy Orth	3rd grade	Riet Westphal	woven wall hangings
• Leroy Bishop, Janet Kobylarz, Jennifer Ellersrick, Cheryl Pelleberg	5th grade	Susan Peterson, Becky Gordon	abstract animals/writing
• Renee Sloan	8th grade	Dora Grantski	slate painting
• Roberta Clausen, Cheryl Pelleberg, Sally White, Adam France	6th grade	Becky Gordon, Dora Grantski, Milla Javier, Kate Drum	poetry and collage with music
• Cindy Hoisington	High School	Riet Westphal	spinning & knitting evolution of Spanish music
• Ann McGretick	High School	Mila Javier	folded J-hooks
• Travis Stott	High School	Pawnee	evolution of Spanish music
• Cindy Hoisington	High School	Clare Clark	t-shirt designs
• Kathleen Carr	High School	Bob Rowan	portraits



Raise Your Hand!

To volunteer with CREATE call 447-9277 or create@surfl.wa

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CREATE NEEDS you!

Your membership dollars are the economic base of our organization. A large and vibrant paid membership allows us to plan for future projects as well as to show potential grantors that we have strong support from the local community. If you support CREATE and enjoy the programs we have offered in the past, you can show your support by either renewing your membership or becoming a new member today. Thank You!

- Subscribing Member: \$25 annual donation per household
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Please check your mailing label and look for a date to the right of your name. This date indicates when your membership year ends. An "*" indicates you are a lifetime member.

www.createarts.org
email us : create@surfl.wa

Check out our websites for further information on projects, events, & artists living in the Pend Oreille Valley, and more. You'll also find photos and links to other great websites.

CREATE General meetings are open to the public and held on the first Thursday of each month; 3-5pm. Please call ahead if you wish to be on the agenda. 447-9277

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The CREATE Board is pleased to welcome to the staff of CREATE Lucy Wilson who will take over as our Business Manager. Lucy comes to us with a work history of working as the Administrative Coordinator of School Age Programs for the Northshore YMCA. The Board believes she has many of the skills and qualities that will enhance the future of CREATE. Lucy moved to our area last spring and is still getting settled but is excited to meet all of our wonderful CREATE supporters. Please come by CREATE after April 1st and meet Lucy and let her meet you. Please drop by: Bev Numbers, President



Next Newsletter Deadline: June 9

TURTLE by Cody Bradley; 4th grade