

HAG participates in the 2017 Aberdeen Art Walk



The Harbor Art Guild booth shares the corner of Wishkah and Broadway with Moore's. Barb Shillinger demonstrates alcohol ink art as Jenny Fisher looks on.



Barb contacts LaMont and shows her set up for alcohol ink art.

Photos by Mary Lou Gregory

by Jenny Fisher

As a local artist, one of my favorite gatherings on the harbor is the Aberdeen Art Walk. The Harbor Art Guild (HAG) always has a booth and I usually volunteer to be there at the booth all day.

The weather was perfect July 22. The guild usually manages to be sitting in the sun in the a.m. and shaded by the p.m. There is always some tasty food to sup on and live music a block away; the musicians perform on a flatbed truck in front of The Kelp Forest mural. The talented performers make the mural look important somehow, sort of hip.

There are always plenty of HAG people there so I can slip away for my favorite part of the event, artist shopping. I love to cruise the booths and strike up conversations with the many and varied artisans at the event. I like to listen to their sto-



Dawn Huntsman and her daughter, Donna Reed, share the space next door to HAG's booth at the Aberdeen Art Walk, July 22.

ries about themselves and their art. Some people are just hawking their wares, but mostly the vendors love what they have on display and are happy to talk about their journey to the world of becoming an artist.

Many thanks to the city of Aberdeen and the organizers of the art walk and thousands of like minded folks who think it is important to celebrate the diversity of talent in our communities.

**Harbor Art Guild operates
Six Rivers Gallery at
200 W. Market St. in Aberdeen
360-532-9979
www.harborartguild.com
Open Thursday - Monday
Noon - 5 p.m.**

Harbor Art Guild

Membership/Donation Form

Guild Member

- Includes opportunity to sell approved items in gift shop with 20% going to HAG,
- Non-juried inclusion in special gallery shows,
- **Requirement to staff the gallery once per month.**

Guild Patron

For supporters of art who may or may not identify as an artist but want to be involved in the guild.

To join, please fill out this form, enclose it with a check written to **Harbor Art Guild**, and send to:

Harbor Art Guild
200 W. Market Street
Aberdeen WA 98520

For more information, see harborartguild.com or contact harborartguild@gmail.com

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Member Level:

___ Guild Member \$50* ___

___ Guild Patron \$50* ___

___ Additional Donation ___

Amount Enclosed: _____

[HAG is a 501 (c) (3) charitable organization] Thank you for supporting the Arts.

*Dues may be paid in two installments.

New member, Jennifer King, offers workshop on marketing your art

Could you use some fresh ideas for promoting yourself more effectively and selling more of your artwork? Then consider taking Jennifer King's hands-on, interactive art marketing workshop at the Aberdeen Art Center on September 23 and 24.

This fun and practical workshop is designed for artists of all levels, whether you only sell your work oc-

asionally or have multiple galleries representing you, and you'll walk away with a plan that's custom made for you.

The special introductory price of only \$50 includes a printed workbook! Visit connectartistmarketing.com to get a detailed list of the contents of the workshop and to sign up. Spaces are limited so please register soon!

Encourage Young Artists to enter YA Show

The Young Artists' Show hangs from October 11 through November 12. Check the HAG website <<http://www.harborartguild.com/young-artists-show.html>> for a letter, entry form and rules show

curator, Jenny Fisher, has prepared to encourage young people to enter in the show.

If HAG members know of an aspiring artist please let Jenny know. **Deadline for art to be in to Jenny at the gallery is September 25.**

Presented by
Harbor Art Guild

August 24 - October 8

EXPRESSIONS

Reception - Friday
September 1, 5 - 8 pm

Six Rivers Gallery
200 W. Market St., Aberdeen
Thur. - Mon. 12 - 5 pm

Reception - Friday
October 6, 5 - 8 pm

Ad by Cassie Andre

Salmonberry Band performs at Pacific Care Center



The Salmonberry Band celebrates its sixth anniversary in August. Beginning at Six Rivers Gallery in August 2011, the band continues to entertain themselves and others with their ukuleles and other instruments. Here is a group of band members on July 28 at Pacific Care Center. (l. to r.) Leader, Robin Moore; Bill Garrison; Sue & Phil Jennings; Barb Shillinger; Elaine Schnee; Marianne Lewis; Gordon Schnee; Mary Lou Gregory; Mike Bertoglio; Ken McDonald; Joe McBride; Janet Heikkila; and LaMont Shillinger.