



PRESS RELEASE

Dry Canyon Arts Association
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These **DRY CANYON ARTS ASSOCIATION** artists will be participating in Redmond's First Friday Art Walk on **February 6th with winter hours of 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM**. Follow the large orange feather flags to find the venues hosting artists and their works.

AROME

432 SW Sixth St.
541-527-4727 ~ aromekitchen.com

Bill Hunt creates unique wood carvings from recycled fence posts and local juniper trees. See more of Bill's unique carvings at www.highdesertcarving.com

Rex Krueger loves to work with wood and "polish it until its natural character glows!" He creates pens, kitchen utensils, candle sticks, urns, toys and more. Each piece is unique with high quality design and construction including that highly polished oil-based finish.

Debra Roeder hand cuts stones and makes jewelry and knife handles which she will be highlighting at the First Friday event. Roeder is a retired teacher, published author, and Acorn Award recipient who works in many mediums.

CARES & WHOAS

436 SW Sixth St.
916-354-2119 ~ caresandwhoas.com

Carol Picknell is inspired by Central Oregon landscapes and enjoys painting mountain scenery *en plein air*.

CASCADE HASSON SOTHEBY'S INTERNATIONAL REALTY

535 SW Sixth St
541-383-7600 ~ cascadehassonsir.com

Gary McPherson loves the beauty that can be found in nature and tries to capture some of that beauty with his paint and brush on canvas.

Michael Weisker reproduces the brilliant watercolors of his late wife, Kimberlee, in colorful cards and keepsakes.

Joanne Muchille creates beauty to stimulate thought. She produces useful Faraday bags for cell phones to protect both the device from hackers and the body from unwanted electromagnetic fields.

HARCOURTS THE GARNER GROUP REAL ESTATE

444 SW Sixth St

541-383-4360 ~ thegarnergroup.com

Cody Clark is a published and contest winning wildlife photographer and enjoys using a variety of techniques and compositions to capture the beauty of nature.

Jay Lowndes creates unique, one-of-a-kind crafted, hardwood pieces that not only accent any room in your home but are also practical for everyday use. He has the knack and experience for creating durable wooden-wares such as charcuterie & cutting boards, coasters, Lazy Susans, small furniture pieces, quilt hangers, photo-boxes, and picture frames. He welcomes custom orders and can personalize a piece just for you.

SCP - REDMOND HOTEL

521 SW 6TH Street

541-26-3608 ~ SCPHotel.com

Erin Skeer has a love for gardening and takes the outdoors and turns it into art. She finds inspiration every time she is in nature.

Kerri Abney's work is eclectic and whimsical and includes acrylic paintings and jewelry. Abney says, "There's so much more to be discovered. I feel like I have not yet mastered my crafts, and I enjoy learning more every day!"

Trish Carlin focuses on wildlife in both sculpture and watercolors. Her style, mostly self-taught, can be both affectionate and whimsical.

DRY CANYON COMMUNITY ART CENTER

405 SW 6th Street

drycanyonarts.org

The February Featured Artist is Jack Perry. Jack grew up on wheat farms in the Palouse region near Pullman, Washington, and he has drawn on this experience for the rest of his artistic life. If the Palouse was Jack's muse, his method was shaped by years of mastering a variety of mediums—wood, glass, metals, paint, and handmade paper. Come by Dry Canyon Community Art Center during First Friday to participate in a reception in Jack's honor and experience some of his artwork.

Also in the Dry Canyon Community Art Center for February and March is a wide-ranging exhibition bringing together the incredibly varied works of the art and artisan guilds of Central Oregon, including the Central Oregon Metal Arts Guild, the Watercolor Society of Oregon, the Central Oregon Spinners and Weavers Guild, the Glass Artists of Central Oregon, the Plein Aire Painters of Oregon, the Fish Carvers Society, and the High Desert Quilt Guild.