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ArtWorks
Creative Mixer
Thur. May 13~5:30 pm
Salida SteamPlant



Be part of Salida's creative catalyst!

Join fellow artists, writers, performers, musicians and creative types.

Free munchies, cash bar, news, gossip & good times!



Award-winning poet Chris Ransick will perform in Salida Sat. May 16

Denver Poet Laureat highlights
"Poetry At The Plant" May 16

Renowned Denver Poet Laureate **Chris Ransick** will star in ArtWorks' third and season-finale presentation of "Poetry At The Plant", Sun. May 16 at 7 pm in the SteamPlant.

This is the third in a series of readings by locally and nationally prominent poets. Admission is free (donations are appreciated); and there will be a cash bar. Previous appearances by poets **Aaron Abeyta**, **Rosemerry Wahtola-Trommer** and **Kim Nuzzo** played to packed-house crowds--so arrive early for a seat!

A "Poetry Open Mic" for local wordsmiths also will be held after Ransick's Sunday performance. Signups for the open mic start at 6:30 pm; limited to the first ten to sign up, max of two poems each.

Chris Ransick's first book, *Never Summer*, won the 2003 Colorado Book Award; and his collection of short stories, *A Return*

To Emptiness, was a 2005 CBA finalist. He holds master's degrees in journalism and creative writing; and his most recent collection of poems, *Asleep Beneath the Hill of Dreams*, was published in November 2009.

Ransick also will conduct a poetry-writing workshop, Sun. May 16, 2-5 pm at the Salida Library. Limit 15 participants; advance reservations required. Cost is \$25/person, to be paid (cash only) at the workshop. For questions or to reserve your seat, email poetryworkshops@gmail.com

ArtWorks presents the Mother Of All Yard Sales
"Artists Junque Sale" returns!!
Signup deadline is May 7

Turn your "trash" into CASH! Sellers' booths are nearly all taken for ArtWorks' 2nd annual "Artists' Junque Sale", Sat. June 5, 9 am-12 noon at the Salida Scout Hut in Riverside Park. Your last day to reserve any remaining spaces is THIS FRIDAY MAY 7!



This giant, "artsy yard sale" lets you cash in on your recycled creative treasures of all kinds: excess studio furnishings & fixtures; unwanted art & craft supplies, "used" art; antiques & collectibles; photo stuff; housewares and décor; musical instruments; jewelry; and...well...junque! ArtWorks takes no commission--YOU keep 100% of your sale proceeds.

Selling table spaces inside the Scout Hut rent for \$15; outdoor spaces (BYO table) are \$10. Advance payment is required to confirm your slot. Setup of indoor tables is Fri. June 4, 5-7 pm at the Scout Hut. The sale will be heavily advertised to the public.

Applications for a selling booth at the Junque Sale are available at the Salida Library, downtown galleries, and salidaartworks.org. For info contact **Hannelore Gabriel** at hanneloregabriel@msn.com or 539.7962.

Affordable Farmers Market art-sale booths now available from ArtWorks

Want to display and sell your art at Salida's popular Saturday Farmers Markets this summer--at a tiny fraction of the usual cost?!

As a service to local artists and professional craftsmen, ArtWorks is absorbing the \$100 Market membership fee and making two 10'x10' sales booth spaces available to artists on a discounted, first-come/first-served basis.

- The choice is yours:
- 1/2 space, tent provided--\$15/day
- Whole space, tent provided--\$30/day
- Whole space, BYO tent--\$25/day

You can reserve your selling space for one Saturday or several. Dates available are June 19; July 3, 17 and 31; Aug. 7 & 21; Sept. 4 & 18; and Oct. 9. The Market--in Alpine Park at 5th & E St.--opens at 6:30 am and closes at 12:30 pm; and participants must be set up and ready to sell by 8 am. You can sell virtually any type of your original art or crafts--no imports, manufactured stuff, etc.

Payment is required to confirm your space; and you must be enrolled in ArtWorks' online Artists' Registry to participate. (The Registry is ArtWorks' free pro-

motional service for local talent--simply go to salidaartworks.org and sign up). Info flyers are available at the Salida Library; or call **Sue Keys** at 539.4649 for details. (But act now--this year's Market is bigger and better than ever; and these high-demand sales outlets fill up fast!)

2010 "Water" Artposium is May 21-23

Colorado Art Ranch Executive Director **Grant Pound** reports that registrations are flooding in for the group's first 2010 Artposium, Fri. May 21-Sun. May 23 at the Salida SteamPlant.

Titled "Wade in the Water", this popular creative thinkfest features speakers and workshops to "enliven, enlighten, and give you a fresh look at the way we see, use, enjoy, and control our water".

Participants will meet and interact with distinguished presenters; and learn how scientists and artists perceive the nature of water, and confront the factors that threaten this critical resource.

Featured speakers at this 7th Artposium are:

--Justice **Greg Hobbs** has been a member of the Colorado Supreme Court since 1996, and a practicing water, environmental, land use and transportation lawyer for 25 years before that. Hobbs is Vice President of the Colorado Foundation for Water





Education, and has authored several books and articles on water and the law.

--Writer **Craig Childs**

focuses on natural sciences, archaeology, and mind-blowing journeys into the wilderness. He has published more than a dozen acclaimed books on nature, science and adventure. He is a commentator for NPR's Morning Edition, and his work has appeared in the NY Times, LA Times, Outside and Orion.

--Artist **Basia Irland** is a sculptor and installation artist, a poet and book artist, and water issue activist. She is Professor Emerita, Dept. of Art & Art History, U. of New Mexico, where she established the Arts and Ecology Program. She is a guest lecturer at many prominent universities; and describes her work and philosophy in her book, Water Library.

Artposium participants may attend a choice of stimulating daily workshops as well, including: It's all Downhill: Water Event Mapping – **Sherrie York** River Rhythms – **Bones** Notes From the Fish

– **Amy Laugesen** The Properties of Water – **Linda Overlin**

The World In A Grain Of Sand: A Brief Immersion in Haiku – **Barbara Ford**

Listening to the Voice of the River – **Susan J. Tweit** Reflections: Photographing Water – **Kit Hedman**

Saturday Bird Walk – **Andrew Mackie**

Registration for the 3-day Artposium includes all events for

\$225; and ArtWorks Hotline readers can use the code word "Nomad" when enrolling to save \$30 on registration. Student rate is \$150; and you can elect to attend speaker's presentations only at an a la carte rate of \$35 each. For complete info visit colorado-artranch.org/current.htm Books by event participants Hobbs, Childs, Ireland, plus author **Susan Tweit** and artist **Sherrie York** will be available during Artposium at the SteamPlant, and at The Book Haven, 128 F St.

Salida ArtWorks and Colorado Art Ranch welcome 2010 Artists-In-Residence

Salida ArtWorks hosted a reception on Apr. 25 at the home of **PJ & Merrell Bergin** to welcome this year's seven Colorado Art Ranch Artists-In-Residence. The

Residents will live and work in the area from Apr. 24 to May 24.

Pictured below from left to right are Residents **Mary Beth Ellis**, creative non-fiction writer from Virginia; **Sarah Henson**, installation & eco-artist from San Francisco; **Hyeon Jung Kim**, installation artist from Illinois; **Grant Pound**, Executive Director of Colorado Art Ranch; **C. Maxx Stevens**, sculptor & installation artist from Boulder, Co.; **Cathi Schwalbe-Bouzide**, visual artist with agricultural interest, from Chicago; **Michael Frels**, visual artist/photographer from Texas; and **Wendy Pabich**, environmental scientist & painter from Idaho.

Not pictured are the Residents' "Art Buddies"—locals who have volunteered to help acclimate the newcomers with Salida. This years Art Ranch "Buddies" are **Ed Berg, PJ Bergin, Gloria Jean Countryman, Lisa DeYoung, Hannelore Gabriel, Ann & John Graham, and Marsha & EJ Sherry.**





New “Spring Fine Arts Collection” is May 29-30 at SteamPlant

The summer art-festival scene in Salida kicks off Sat. and Sun. May 29-30 with the “Salida Spring Fine Arts Collection”, to be held 10 am-4 pm at the SteamPlant. This indoor/outdoor mini art festival will feature the work of juried regional artists and artisans, plus a variety of tempting food and live music. The event is organized by Colorado Event Design, sponsors of the annual Salida Riverside Fine Arts Festival (which this year is scheduled for Aug. 14-15 at Riverside Park). For info see salidaartfestival.com, contact danna.tullis@yahoo.com or phone 221-1566.



GOT NEWS?

Send your arts-related news, announcements, classified ads, gossip, photos etc. to Salida ArtWorks Hotline, c/o suzy@coaldale-co.us

Deadline for June issue is: Monday May 24th!

“Emma’s Revolution” performs in Salida May 8



Popular activist singing duo and recording artists “Emma’s Revolution” (aka **Pat Humphries** and **Sandy O**) will return to Salida for a live concert at 8 pm on Sat. May 8 at the SteamPlant. Presented by—and as a fundraiser for—KHEN radio, the award-winning singer/songwriter/guitar twosome has wowed Salidans at their previous concert with often moving, sometimes hilarious compositions.

Pat and **Sandy** also will conduct a free singer/songwriter work-



shop at 4 pm in the SteamPlant the day of the concert, with a donation to KHEN's Adopt-a-Watt campaign suggested. Tickets for the concert are \$15 in advance, \$18 day of show, with proceeds going toward KHEN operating expenses. You can buy tickets at Salida Café, The Book Haven, Sacred Ground Coffee, Free the Monkey Consignment, and the SteamPlant box office. Info at khen.org or 530-0933.

Following in the tradition of **Pete Seeger**, **Phil Ochs** and **Holly Near**, Emma's Revolution has been described by Sing Out! magazine as "The epitome of great contemporary political music". Pushing the edges of folk and pop, their unique voice has been featured on NPR's "All Things Considered"; and their song, "Peace, Salaam, Shalom", dubbed the "anthem of the anti-war movement", is sung around the world.

The Salida concert is sponsored by Laughing Ladies Restaurant, Hattie's Pub, Eliza's Bed, Gallery Artpost at Itty Bitty Lakes, and High Country Bank. For more info on Emma's Revolution (and to hear their latest song, the hilariously scathing "T.E.A.--Taxed Enough Already?!"), visit emmasrevolution.com.

Riverside Fine Arts Festival to feature 10 Salida/BV artists

The second annual Salida Riverside Fine Arts Festival will be Sat. and Sun. Aug. 14 and 15 at Riverside Park in Salida. Exhibiting and selling their wares will be more than 100 juried artists from all over the country and outside the US, including ten exceptional Salida-area creatives: sculptor **Christopher "Shark" Lambdin**, painter **Bailey Escapule**, potter **Ross Elgin**, ceramicist **Rachel Rice**, sculptor **Jimmy "Rocketman" Descant**, jeweler **Judy Staby Hoch**, painter **Carol Novak**, mixed media artist **Merry Cox**, wood artist **Gary Hand** (last year's Best of Show winner), and painter **Nora Larimer** of Buena Vista.

Jurors for this Chaffee County signature event include **Harold O'Connor**, internationally known goldsmith of Salida; **Mel Strawn**, Professor Emeritus, Denver University, Art Dept. of Salida; **Jude Silva**, notable fiber artist of Buena Vista; and **Clyde Tullis**, ceramicist and festival co-director. For more info including a list of exhibitors, visit SalidaArtFestival.com

"Macs in the Mountains" tech event will draw artists, writers, photogs

Creative types who use Mac computers (doesn't everyone?) are invited to a free tech gathering that will offer advice, troubleshooting, Mac demo equipment, presentations and entertainment—at 6:30 pm on Tues. May 4 at Salida Café. The event is presented by **Jacqueline Monroe** of Applejuice Consulting, and will include an Apple "Genius Bar"-style info station manned by Applejuice techs.

Featured will be guest tech **Rich Voelker** of Voelker Research in Colorado Springs, who will answer questions and demo some whiz-bang new Apple equipment, including the new iPad. Other presenters—**Bill Donovan** of the Salida Citizen, **Wes Stobbe** of Mercury Design, as well as **Jackie Monroe**, will show how they use everyday Apple equipment and software to do extraordinary things.

Event planners also hope to explore interest in creating a Salida area Macintosh Users Group.



For complete info, look for local flyers or go to applejuicetech.net/articles/free-special-event-may-4-macs-in-the-mountians.html

Alpine Orchestra performs May 23

The 40-member Alpine Orchestra will perform a concert of classical and popular dance music on Sunday, May 23, 3 pm at the Salida SteamPlant. Admission is free, although contributions are welcomed to help defray costs.

The concert also will be presented May 21 at 7:30 pm at Annunciation Catholic Church in Leadville, and May 22 at 7:30 pm at Mountain Heights Baptist Church in Buena Vista.

Concluding the Orchestra's 19th season, the May 23 Salida mati-

nee concert will be conducted by **Dr. Farrell Coy**, who has served as the group's conductor since 1999. The popular, all-volunteer orchestra was formed in 1991, and is composed of musicians ranging in age from 15 to 85 from throughout the upper Arkansas Valley. Info at alpineorchestra.org

Salida CMC jazz concert is May 10

The Colorado Mountain College Jazz Project, featuring guest drummer **Dick Cunico**, will present an instrumental and vocal concert Mon. May 10, 6:30 pm at the SteamPlant. The performance is free and open to the public.

The program will explore a variety of jazz styles from the

music of **Maynard Ferguson, Charles Mingus, Stan Kenton, Buddy Rich** and several others. Featured drummer Cunico has performed and recorded with many jazz greats over his 40-year career, and currently composes and arranges music for movies, tv and radio. The CMC jazz group also will perform an original work by arranger **Bill Murphy** of Salida.

On Fri. May 7 at 6:30 pm, the CMC Jazz Project will perform in Buena Vista at Valley Fellowship Church, 608 S. San Juan. Guest artists for this concert will be the BV High School Jazz Band, conducted by **John Topfer**.

2010 Studio Tour applications now available

Salida ArtWorks' second annual Artists' Studio Tour will take place Fri. Aug. 27 and Sat. Aug. 28; and application forms now are available for creatives who want to be included in this very effective self-promotion and sales opportunity.

The Studio Tour was created to give the public a chance to meet the variety of talented artists in our community, observe their creative processes, view their work...and to give local artists a powerful opportunity to show and sell their creations directly to patrons. Salida artists on last



"The Alpine Orchestra performs May 23 in Salida"



year's inaugural Tour pronounced it a solid success in terms of both visitor numbers, exposure and sales; and this year's event will be expanded to accommodate studios in Smelertown and Bighorn Sheep Canyon, including Howard, Coaldale and Cotopaxi.

Artists in all media are invited to apply; and the Tour will be a juried event to ensure a balanced variety of quality work. All studio spaces and sizes are welcomed, and on-site demonstrations are encouraged. The event will be publicized throughout Colorado and in surrounding states; and promotional postcards will be available for mailing to clients.

For complete info and application forms, visit [works.org, call **Bonnie Pfeil** at 942.4887 or email Bonnie at \[purplebon@yahoo.com\]\(mailto:purplebon@yahoo.com\)](http://salidaart-</p></div><div data-bbox=)

Summer Salida Aspen Concerts announced

The 34th season of Salida Aspen Concerts will kick off Sat. July 10. All concerts are at 7:30 pm at John Held Auditorium, Salida High School, 10th and D Streets- except the July 31 performance, at Valley Fellowship Church, 608 S. San Juan St. in Buena Vista. Scheduled artists are:
Sat. July 10: **Ingrid Fliter**, piano, and **Anton Dressler**, clarinet
Mon. July 19: Conundrum Wind Quintet

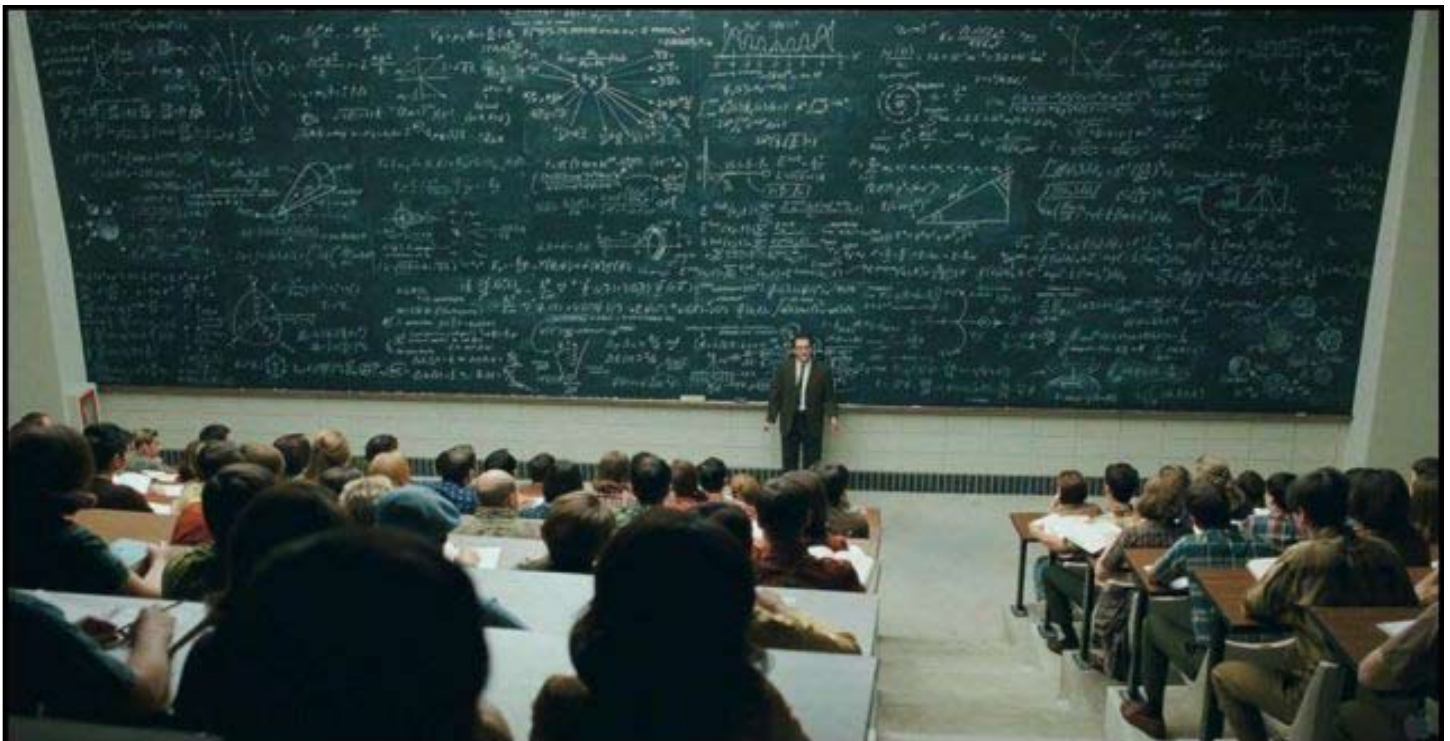
Tues. July 27: **Joyce Yang**, piano, and a chamber group to be announced

Sat. July 31: American Brass Quintet and Oracle Brass Quintet

Sat. Aug. 7: **Inon Barnatan**, piano

Sat. Aug 14: **Ben Pila**, classical guitar, and other musicians to be announced

Since its inception in 1978 the Salida Aspen Concerts series has partnered with the world famous Aspen Music Festival, where internationally acclaimed artists come to teach and perform with rising stars in their field. Tickets are \$15 online or at the door; and more details will appear in the next issue of HotLine. For info see salidaaspenconcerts.org or call **Earle Kittleman** at 539.6153.



"And thus, dear students, we have arrived at the formula for understanding women."



ARTPORTUNITIES

CALL FOR PROPOSALS—ARTISTS:

Paquette Gallery at the Salida SteamPlant invites proposals from regional artists for public exhibitions at the gallery during 2011. Both 2- and 3-dimensional art will be considered; deadline for application is June 30. For details and application form, visit salidasteamplant.com and click on "Main/Download Forms/Paquette Gallery Artist Proposal".

CALL FOR ENTRIES--ARTISTS:

Arkansas Valley Art Center has announced the first annual Fine Arts & Fine Crafts Festival, Sat. July 10,

9 am-4 pm at McPhelemy Park in Buena Vista. The juried event will showcase artists and craftspersons from around the region. Artists interested in applying should contact Karen at 719.395.8372 or email AVAC at artinfo@avacgallery.com

CALL FOR ENTRIES--ARTISTS:

Art Matters Gallery invites non-members of the gallery to apply for two juried exhibits to be held during 2010. They are: Body Language (Aug 4.-Sept. 25); entry deadline July 7; and Fiber Art Exhibit (Nov.-Dec.); entry deadline Oct. 7. Contact the gallery at 539.2383, or email artmatters@earthlink.net

Kindred Spirits

BOOK CLUB: "The Haven Readers" book club meets the third Thur. of every month, 5:30 pm at The Book Haven, 128 F St. Info at 539.9629.

PLEIN AIR PAINTERS: Plein air artists are invited to join the "Tuesday Painters", a group of oil, acrylic, watercolor and pastel enthusiasts that gets together at outdoor locations throughout the Valley. To get on their email list, contact Cary Carlson at edandcary@salida.net

ARTISTS' CRITIQUE GROUP: Artists are invited to bring 1-2 pieces of their work for a free, informal critique and mentoring at Art Matters Gallery, 119 E. First St. The critique group meets the second and fourth Wed. of every month from 9:30-11 am. No fees; open to the public.

CLASSICAL GUITARISTS: The Classical Guitar Society of Chaffee County meets the third Thurs. of every month at 7 pm in the meeting room of the Salida Regional Library, 405 E St. Info at 539.3709.

LIVE DRAWING GROUP: The Salida Art Guild invites artists of all abilities to an open drawing/painting/sculpting session Wednesdays from 10-2 at the Studio Garage on 12th St. between H and I. The session is uninstructed with a live model either nude or costumed. \$10 per 4-hr. session. For info email jenld68@yahoo.com or call 207.4169.

OLD-TIME MUSIC JAM: Arkansas Valley Music & Dance sponsors an open music jam the last Tues. of every month, 6:30-8:30 pm at the Salida Café. Fiddler Andrea Earley Coen will lead the jam--BYO instrument(s). All abilities are encouraged to join in. Info at 221.2074

SALIDA WRITERS: "Salida Writers" meets at The Book Haven, 128 F St., on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 7 pm. The group is dedicated to exploring the craft of writing: insight, inspiration, commitment. For info contact Eduardo at 539.9332.



OPENINGS & SHOWS



Jude Silva's "Net Drawing 8" is part of an exhibit at the Steam-Plant through May 26

An artist's reception for **Jude Silva** is Sat. May 8, 4-6 pm at the SteamPlant's Paquette Gallery. During the reception, an original work by Silva will be up for silent auction to benefit the Paquette Gallery Lighting Fund. The exhibition, titled "Net Drawings", remains on display through May 26.


Canon City oil painter **Corey Hendershott** is the May "Artist of the Month" at Art Matters Gallery & Studio, 119 E. 1st St., and will be featured at a gallery reception Sat. May 8, 3-6 pm. Also at the gallery May 5-June 26 is the juried exhibit "Dancing in the Moonlight", with works depicting night, early morning or late evening. You are invited to meet participating artists at the May 8 reception.

The Arkansas Valley Art Center's "Self Portrait" member challenge show remains on display through May 15 at the AVAC gallery, across from the airport in Buena Vista. Featured are pieces AVAC members have created to represent themselves in all media. Gallery hours Tues.-Sat. 12-4pm.

Worth a road trip: the **Denver Botanic Gardens** currently is exhibiting 20 monumental sculptures by Henry Moore (1898-1986). The sculptures are on display at both the 10th & York St. and Chatfield locations; and an indoor exhibit at York St. will include a display of Moore's maquettes and tools. Lectures, guided tours and other informational programs are available. The exhibition continues through Jan. 31, 2011; info at botanicgardens.org or 720.865.3500.

Salida artist and ArtWorks board member Sue Keyes, Colorado Art Ranch Director Grant Pound, and author Laura Hendrie were among those at an ArtWorks reception welcoming 2010 Colorado Art Ranch Residents to Salida.





WHO'S DOIN' WHAT.....

Salida ArtWorks and Colorado Art Ranch folks gathered at **PJ & Merrell Bergin's** artistically awesome F Street home/gallery/loft on April 25 for a reception welcoming our seven new Artists-In-Residence for 2010. Soho, eat your heart out.... Popular local novelist **Laura Hendrie**--whose books *Stygo* and *Remember Me* are available at Book Haven—has just landed a prestigious gig teaching writing for the MFA program at Pacific University near Portland OR. Laurie claims to be stoked about the school and students; but admits to being “especially interested in exploring the seafood.” Yaaaaah....Salida still is recovering from the wacky April Fools Day bash at **Rebecca Durham's** In The Current Imports and Duke Epperson's Tribal Rugs stores on 1st St. Straaaange people, odd costumes, “Kitty Litter Cake” munchies--and a cool door-prize rug, won by Coaldale's Gallery ArtPost owner/artist **Bob Parker**....Check out Salida's new kid on the block, Art and Salvage Gallery, which opened at 121 F St. on Apr. 22. Owner **Jessica Vogel** has amassed lotsa' cool art, antiques, santos and icons, jewelry, tapestries—yum!....There is absolutely no truth to the rumor that **President Obama's** recent visit to Asheville NC was to discuss a beer-stimulous package with Salida expatriate **Michael Parry**. Just to be sure, Salida artists **Roberta Smith** and **Sally Mather** also are headed for Asheville to check it out—and maybe visit a few friends and galleries....Lots of new faces at ArtWorks' jam-packed April Creative

Mixer—the talent in this town is getting downright impressive!.For fear of scaring them off, we do try to avoid telling newcomers about local artist/raconteur **Rich Tyler**, however. Alas, Rich has been seen haunting local haberdasheries in search of a filmy negligee in his size—he claims it's for a Salida Circus skit...(and he used to be so butch, too...it's all very sad.....)



BRAIN FOOD

POETRY WRITING WORKSHOP:

Denver Poet Laureate **Chris Ransick** will conduct a poetry-writing workshop, Sun. May 16, 2-5 pm at the Salida Library. Cost is \$25/person to be paid (cash only) at the workshop. Limit 15 participants; reservations required. For info or to reserve your seat, email poetry-workshops@gmail.com. Prior to the workshop, participants are asked to write down a specific subject you have always wanted to explore—an object, place or thing—and bring it to the class. The day of the event, carry a notebook and jot down anything you observe that you find unusual—and bring that to the workshop as well.

WATERCOLOR CLASSES:

Nationally recognized artist **Nora Bushong Larimer** will conduct a landscape-focused watercolor workshop at the AVAC classroom, Buena Vista, on May 22, 9:30 am-4 pm, and May 23, 12-4pm. \$85 AVAC members; \$110 non-members; signup deadline May 7. Info at arkansas-valleyartcenter.org. Artist info at noralarimer.com



WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP:

A one-credit Beginning Watercolor Painting workshop will be taught by Salida artist **Donna Wagle** June 7-8, 8 am-5 pm at Western State College. Cost is \$135; for information call 800.876.5309 ext. 7, or visit western.edu/extendedstudies

PAINTING CLINICS:

Santa Fe artist **Lindy Teresi** will hold a series of "Intuitive Painting" sessions May 28 and June 27, 2-5 pm at Salida Community Center, 3rd & F St. Cost is \$50 per session, including all materials and snacks. Info at paintinginnervoice.com or 505.820.0603

DRAWING CLASS:

Artist **Linda Frances** of Four Winds Gallery is teaching an ongoing class in basic drawing techniques, Tuesdays from 6-8 pm at the gallery, 118 F St. Info at 539.6075

BREAK DANCING CLASSES:

Nate Calderone is setting up "Don't Play With Fire, Dance With It" break dancing classes this summer, and is looking for interested participants. Call **Nate** at 221.3085

COLLAGE CLASS:

Nationally recognized artist **Karen Lawrence** will teach a Tissue Paper Collage Landscape Workshop on May 29, 9-3 pm at Art Matters Gallery, 119 E. 1st St. Class limited to 5 beginning-advanced

students, registration deadline May 27. For info, call 539.2383

OIL PAINTING WORKSHOP:

Award-winning Littleton artist **June Carbone** will present an Oil Portrait Workshop on May 14, 15 & 16, 9:30 am-3:30 pm at Art Matters Gallery, 119 E. 1st St. Class limited to 6 intermediate-advanced students; \$180 plus \$5 model fee; registration and payment deadline May 10. For info call 539.2383.

CREATIVE DANCE CLASSES:

The Salida Dance Academy, 146 W. First St., offers adult creative dance instruction on Mondays at 2 pm. Classes are open to dancers of all experience levels; donations are requested for use of the studio. For info call **Felice Larsen** at 539.7318 or 539.5225.

TANGO INSTRUCTION:

Beginning dance classes are every Sat. from 7-8:30 pm at Casa Tango Salida dance hall, 7595 CR 150 in Smelertown. Lessons are \$10 ea., \$40 for a series of 5 lessons, \$5 for practice sessions. For info and schedule, call 539.7595 or email dvora@casatangosalida.com

MUSIC INSTRUCTION:

The Salida School of Stringed instruments, 121 G St., offers private music lessons by appointment. Beginner, intermediate and advanced instruction is offered by **Brian Rill** (guitar

and mandolin) and **William Boddy** (bass). Cost is \$30/half hr. Info at 539.4801.

WRITING WORKSHOP IN MEXICO:

Salida author **Susan Tweit** will conduct her second small-group writing workshop, "Words to Live By", on Isla Espiritu Santo Dec. 16-Jan. 1. Workshop blends writing with desert hiking, sea kayaking, and snorkeling off Baja California. Email susan@susanjtweit.com

CONTINUING ART CLASSES:

Ongoing watercolor classes and more occur throughout the month at Art Matters Gallery, 119 E. 1st St. For info email artmatters@earthlink.net, call 539.2383 or visit the gallery (closed Mondays).





EVENTS CALENDAR

May

(Borderline Personality Disorder Month)

- 1 – Stage Left Theatre Company presents “The Jungle Book” with the Salida Circus, 7:30 pm, SteamPlant
- 1 – Electro/acoustic/folk music w. **SHEL**; 8 pm, Salida Café; salidacafe.com
- 1-30 – 63rd Annual Blossom Festival, Fremont Center for the Arts, Canon City; 719.275.2790 or fremontarts.org
- 2 – Stage Left Theatre Company presents “The Jungle Book” with the Salida Circus, 2:30 pm, SteamPlant
- 2 – Folk rock/acoustic music w. **Kenny White**, 7:30 pm, Salida Café
- 7 – No Pants Day (nopantsday.com)
- 7 – Folk/jazz/French pop music w. **Jessica Fichot**, 8 pm, Salida Café
- 8 – KHEN presents Emma’s Revolution in concert, 8 pm, SteamPlant. Info at khen.org or 530-0933
- 8 – Second Saturday Art Gallery Event, downtown Salida galleries. Many will feature special attractions and reduced “Spring Cleaning” prices. Info at salidaartists.com
- 8 – Artist’s reception for **Jude Silva** “Net Drawing” exhibition, 4-6 pm, SteamPlant Paquette Gallery
- 8 – Old time/Celtic music w. the Pond Hoppers, 8 pm,

- Salida Café
- 10 – Colorado Mtn. College Jazz Project concert, 6:30 pm, SteamPlant; free admission
- 10 – Roots/rock/acoustic music w. **Megan Burtt & Adam Tressler**; 7 pm, Salida Café
- 11 – Happy Birthday Salvador Dali! (1904)
- 13 – ArtWorks Creative Mixer, SteamPlant, 5:30 pm; SalidaArtWorks.org
- 13 – Bluegrass/Americana/rock music w. The Luv Brothers; 7 pm, Salida Café
- 14 – Denver author **Paul Myrant** will sign and discuss his new book *The Challenge of Evolution*; 5-7 pm, The Book Haven, 128 F St.; 539.9629
- 14 – Folk rock/acoustic/progressive music w. **Jeremy Dion**; 8 pm, Salida Café
- 15 – Community Contra Dance and dessert potluck, 7-10 pm, Salida Scout Hut, Riverside Park; \$6/adult, \$3/youth; salidarec.com
- 15 – Contemporary mountain Americana music w. Local Honey; 8 pm, Salida Café
- 16 – Salida ArtWorks “Poetry At The Plant” performance by Denver Poet Laureate **Chris Ransick**; 7 pm, SteamPlant Paquette Gallery; free admission
- 20 – Acoustic folk & bluegrass music w. **Anne & Pete Sibley**; 7 pm, Salida Café
- 20 – The Haven Readers book club will discuss *The Giver* by **Lois Lowry** and begin reading *Remarkable Creatures* by **Tracy Chevalier** for June’s



"Wet Mountain Sunrise" photo by Gary Benson of Westcliffe.



meeting; 5:30 pm, The Book Haven,
128 F St., 539.9629

21 – Open mic hosted by **Clyde Tullis**, 8
pm, Salida Café

21-23 – Colorado Art Ranch Artposium “Wade In
The Water”, SteamPlant; info at
coloradoart ranch.org/current.htm or 303.279.5198

22 – Concert w. **John Dillon & Vivian Nesbitt**; 8 pm,
Salida Café

23 – Alpine Orchestra concert, 3 pm, SteamPlant

27 – Folk/blues/roots music w. **Cahalen David Morri-
son**; 7:30 pm, Salida Café

28 – Bluegrass w. Wild Mountain; 8:30 pm, Salida Café

29 – Original bluegrass, folk, rock, jazz, reggae; pre-
CD-release celebration w. **Elephant Revival**;
8:30 pm, Salida Café

29-30 – Salida Spring Fine Arts Collection, juried re-
gional artists, 10 am-4 pm, SteamPlant
Convention Complex; arts, crafts, food, live music. Info
at salidaartfestival.com

30 – Salida Rotary’s annual “Bluegrass on the Arkansas”
featuring **Heidi Claire and Lonesome Cowboy Hobo
Wyoming Slim**; 12-6 pm, Riverside Park; live music,
food & drink; free admission/donations appreciated.

June

(Celibacy Awareness Month)

1-July 31 – **John Fielder** photography ex-
hibit, Fremont Center for the Arts, Canon City;
719.275.2970 or fremontarts.org

3 – Romantic/blues/acoustic folk music w. **Claude
Bourbon**; 7:30 pm, Salida Café; salidacafe.com

5 – Craig author **Scott C. Lang** will sign his mys-
tery/thriller Original Sin, 5-7 pm, The Book Haven,
128 F St.; 539.9629

5 – “Bad ass lady grass” music, **Tina Collins** w.
Quetzal Jordan; 8 pm, Salida Café

6 – Walden Chamber Music Society presents Viv-
aldi’s “The Four Seasons” and light opera buffa “La
Serva Padrona”; 3-6 pm, Valley Fellowship Church,
608 S. San Juan, Buena Vista; informance
at 2 pm. Tickets \$15 adults, \$8 students, at the
Salida & BV Chambers of Commerce and at the
door. Info at waldenchambermusic.org

10 -- ArtWorks Creative Mixer, SteamPlant, 5:30
pm; SalidaArtWorks.org

12 -- Second Saturday Art Gallery Event, down-
town Salida galleries: salidaartists.com

13 – Happy Birthday Christo! (1935)

17-20 – FIBArk Whitewater Festival, Salida; fibark.net

18 & 19 – FIBArk Late Night Dance with live mu-
sic, 10 pm-2 am, SteamPlant Ballroom;
salidasteamplant.com

19 – World Sauntering Day

19 -- Community Contra Dance and dessert pot-
luck, 7-10 pm, Salida Scout Hut, Riverside Park;
\$6/adult, \$3/youth; avmad.org/dancing

19-20 – Art on the Arkansas, Veterans Park, Canon
City; 719.275.2790 or fremontarts.org

25-27 – 18th Annual Salida Art Walk; salidaArt
Walk.org, 877.772.5432 or 719.539.2068

25-27 – “Quilting the Fourteeners” show & sale
presented by the Monarch Quilters; Salida Middle
School, 520 Milford St.; info at 966.5081

25 & 27 – Stage Left Theater Co. presents “Scenes
From Shakespeare”, SteamPlant; info at
stagelefttheatre.org or 539-8539.

26 – Salida Art Walk miniatures art auction; 8 am-
11:59 pm, SteamPlant; salidasteamplant.com

July

(National Hot Dog Month)

1-U.S. Air Force Academy band concert of patri-
otic and show-tune music; 7-8:30 pm, Riverside
Park Bandshell. BYO-blanket seating.

8 -- ArtWorks Creative Mixer, SteamPlant, 5:30
pm; SalidaArtWorks.org

9, 16 & 23 – Salida Recreation presents free
“Moonlight Movies” at Riverside Park; showings
begin approx. 9-9:30 pm, weather permitting.

Popcorn & snacks available; BYO lawn chair or
blanket. Info at 539-5703 or salidarec.com

10 – Salida Aspen classical music concert featuring
Argentine pianist **Ingrid Fliter** and Russian
clarinetist **Anton Dressler**; 7:30-9 pm, Held Audi-
torium, Salida High School, 10th & D St.
Tickets \$15 at the door or SalidaAspenConcerts.
org. Info at 539-6467

10 -- Second Saturday Art Gallery Event, down-
town Salida galleries: salidaartists.com

10- 30th Annual Antique Alley Show & Sale,



Chaffee County
Fairgrounds, Poncha
Springs; Sat.

9 am-5 pm; Sun. 10 am-4
pm; admission \$3. For info call
Dea or Sandy at 530-0544 or
breyernut@gmail.com

16-18 – Colorado Metalsmithing
Assn. conference, Steamplant;
info at salidasteamplant.com or
530-0933

19 – Salida Aspen classical
music concert featuring the
Conundrum Wind Quintet;
7:30-9:30 pm, Held Auditorium,
Salida High School, 10th & D
St. Tickets \$15 at the door or
SalidaAspenConcerts.org. Info at
539-6467.

27 – Salida Aspen classical mu-
sic concert featuring celebrated
Korean pianist Joyce Yang; 7:30-
9:30

pm, , Held Auditorium, Salida
High School, 10th & D St. Tick-
ets \$15 at the door or SalidaAs-
penConcerts.org. Info at 539-
6467.

27 – National Take Your
Houseplant For A Walk Day

31 – Salida Aspen Concert
featuring the American Brass
Quintet with the Oracle Brass
Quintet; 7:30-

9:30 pm, Valley Fellowship
Church, 608 S. San Juan St.,
Buena Vista. Tickets \$15 at the
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VENDORS WANTED:

Salida Riverside Fine Arts
Festival is accepting applica-
tions for food vendors. Email
clyde.tullis@gmail.com

WANTED TO BUY:

Used Rosetta Stone lan-
guage course, Spanish
(Latin America), Levels 1-3
or 1-5. Call 942.3757

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

Art Walk" 2010 still needs
help with all aspects of
staging this year's event—
scheduled for June 25-27.
Everyone in Salida's cre-
ative community is urged to
volunteer—make phone calls,
help with fundraising, deliver
flags, brochures, etc. For
more info, email Susan Beth-
any at susanbethany@hot-
mail.com or call 221.3214.

STUDIO FOR RENT:

Light, roomy Sandusky Bldg.
artist/writer studio in center
of downtown Salida; great
light, privacy, free internet,
utilities and exhibit space;
no deposit, no lease. \$250/
month. Susan Mayfield, su-
sanmayfieldart@gmail.com

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know.”*

- Louis Armstrong



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