



Hotline

OCTOBER • 2010

ArtWorks Creative Mixer

Thur. Oct. 14 ~ 5:30 pm ~ Salida SteamPlant



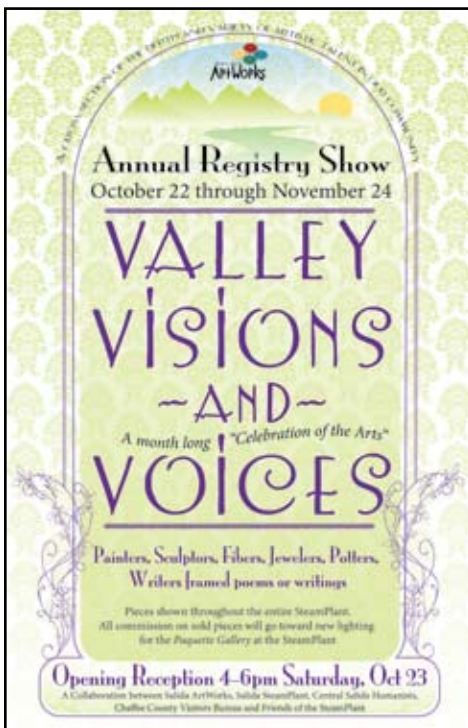
Everyone welcome! Announce your news and events! Hang out with fellow artists, writers, performers, musicians and creative types.

Free admission, free munchies, cash bar, networking, gossip & good times!

Calling all artists, writers & performers!

Oct. 22 Registry Show: it's not too late to get in!

There's still time to enter ArtWorks' all-Salida Registry Show "Valley Visions & Voices" --a month-long celebration of the depth and variety of artistic talent in our community. The show is a huge collaboration among Salida ArtWorks, Salida SteamPlant, Salida Humanists, Chaffee County Visitors Bureau and Friends of the SteamPlant—and will be widely promoted statewide.



If you are a Salida-area (including BV, Howard, Coaldale, etc.) painter, sculptor, fiber artist, potter, jeweler, crafter, performer, musician, writer or poet--YOU belong in this show! And if you haven't entered already—you have until Mon. Oct. 11 to join the scores of noted creatives who've already signed up. Find out how at SalidaArtWorks.org.

The Arts community is expected to show up en masse for the show's opening artists' reception, which will be held from 4-6 pm on Sat. Oct. 23 in the SteamPlant Annex. In addition to the Registry exhibit, which will take over the entire SteamPlant from Oct. 22-Nov. 24, there will be a Fiber Art Guild show, the Friendship Bridge Art auction, Second Saturday gallery festivities, a Salida Circus performance and several other events during the Celebration.

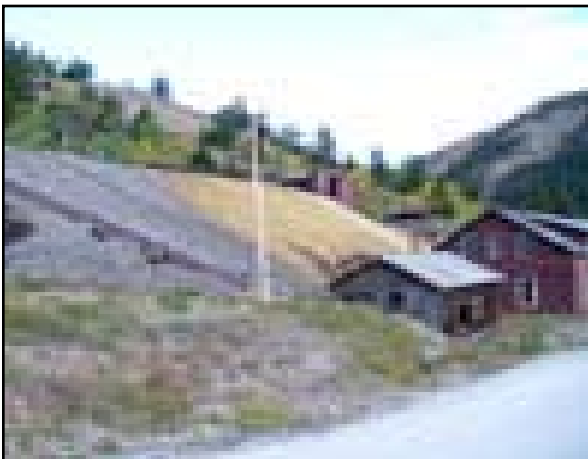
The Registry Show is open to all area creatives enrolled with ArtWorks' online Artist's Registry. If you are not yet listed on the Registry, you can do so at no charge on ArtWorks' website. The Registry is a free service that connects area artists, writers, photographers, performers, musicians etc. with patrons, galleries, media and educators throughout the US.

Show entry fee is \$10; and you can easily sign up on the ArtWorks website using PayPal--or print a registration form and mail with your payment. Deliver your entry to the SteamPlant between Oct. 15-18; and send an image of your work and an artist's statement to info@salidasteamplant.com for online viewing on their website (in lieu of what turned out to be, alas, a budget-bustingly expensive printed catalog!) All pieces will be for sale; with 80% profit going to you and a 20% commission to the SteamPlant's Paquette Gallery lighting fund.

You'll find complete information on how to enter—including entry form and special instructions for performers, writers etc.—at SalidaArtWorks.org. If you have further questions, contact **Sue Mills** at 539.3657. But HURRY—don't be left out of this All-Salida art expo!

Unique "HardRock Revision" seeks Residency proposals

Next summer Colorado Art Ranch will be hosting a unique, trans-disciplinary Residency using the Arts to envision uses for the Ute Ule Mine, an inactive silver mine in Lake City. Professionals from the Arts, sciences and humanities are encouraged to apply. A diverse group of 5-7 applicants will be chosen to form a Collaboration Team, whose one-month Residency will run from July 15-Aug. 15, 2011.



The 2011 Colorado Art Ranch "HardRock Revision" Residency will challenge artists, scientists and humanitarians to create a new life for the inactive Ute Ule Mine in Lake City.

The Residency will end with an Artposium in which the participants' vision will be presented to a larger community. Art Ranch hopes for this to become a model for the Arts as a catalyst for change.

For general info, project description and downloadable application, go to coloradoart ranch.org/. For images of the Ute Ule Mine, visit ghosttowns.com/states/co/henson.html. There is a \$50 application fee; deadline for proposals is Jan. 15, 2011.

Join the folks who are joining ArtWorks!



A big thank-you to all of you who rushed to become Charter Members of ArtWorks—thereby supporting the innovative, all-volunteer nonprofit that’s making creative magic happen for our region...our economy...our future.

What?—you haven’t joined yet?!?! Get cracking!! In addition to the prestige of Charter Membership, the satisfaction of supporting a worthy effort, and the fun of belonging to Salida’s vibrant creative community, you’ll enjoy a slew of rewarding member perks: discounts, newsletters, “inside opportunities” and other goodies. These alone can more than outweigh the modest dues (only \$30 Individual Charter Membership, \$50 Business Charter Sponsorship). You can learn all the exciting details—and even sign up online—at ArtWorks website.

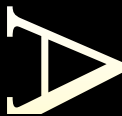
To learn more about ArtWorks and join all your friends who’ve already become Charter Members, just go to SalidaArtWorks.org. Don’t wait—join us today and help us make a difference for the Arts!

Colorado Art Ranch Artposium returns to Salida in 2011

Following this Spring’s wildly successful “Wade In The Water” Artposium--based at the Salida SteamPlant--Colorado Art Ranch in collaboration with Salida ArtWorks has announced that their 2011 Artposium will be held in Salida as well, on May 27-29.

Subject of Artposium 2011 will be “Dwellings: The Art of How We Live”. As many Americans are re-evaluating how they live in response to economic, lifecycle and environmental concerns, this Artposium will explore the home in terms of art, architecture and anthropology.

Artists and scientists across the US are invited to apply now for a one-month Residency in Salida, May 1-30, in conjunction with the Artposium. Those chosen as Residents spend a month living, working and learning in Salida, attend the Artposium...and in return give one day service to the community. Deadline to apply is Dec. 15, and there is a \$50 application fee. For info, visit coloradoartranch.org/residencies.htm



Salida Circus launches: "Circus Workshop Saturdays"



Bending over backwards to get on "America's Got Talent" are **Destiny Meseke** and **Manda Ellison** of Salida Circus. The Salida group has been invited to audition in November for the hit NBC-TV talent show.

At last!--here's your big chance to run away and join the circus!

Salida Circus has just announced a new series, "Circus Workshop Saturdays", to be held every Saturday from 10:30 to noon at the Salida Yoga Center, 112 F St.

All ages (4-104) are welcome, as are all skill levels. You can learn trapeze, lyra, unicycle, juggling, stiltwalking, acrobatics, clowning and more. No experience necessary, desire to have fun a must, red nose and big feet optional. Cost is \$8 per session (\$1 off with punchcard). **For info, visit thesalidacircus.com, or call 530.1494 or 530.1411.** Here's pie in your face!

2011 Residencies available at Carpenter Ranch

Colorado Art Ranch and The Nature Conservancy of Colorado will host three artists for a month-long Residency at Carpenter Ranch near Hayden, CO in Sept. 2011.



Three lucky artists will be awarded month-long Residencies to live and work at historic Carpenter Ranch next summer.

Selected Residents will live on the ranch and will enjoy a great deal of space to roam and work. Winners of the Carpenter Ranch Residencies for 2010 were **Susan Tweit, Richard Cabe, Paul Wood, Karen Olson, Amy Laugesen and Sonja Hinrichsen.**

Each new 2011 Resident will work on the ranch a few hours each week, and give a presentation of their work (current or past) at an "Artposita" on Sept. 25. There is a \$50 application fee; deadline for applications is June 1, 2011.

For information visit coloradoartranch.org.

7 Solidans recharge creativity at Burning Man Festival

Reported by Curtis Killorn



This year Nevada's annual creative arts festival known as Burning Man swelled to over 50,000 intrepid participants, including Solidans Bruce Carr, Hale Chambley, Gayle Anne Dudley, Curtis Killorn, Ken Lindstrom, Peter Mossman and Linda Osborn.



Known for its giant pyrotechnic displays and huge art, Burning Man is much more than just a week-long show. Those who attend are active participants in every sense of the word: they create the city, the interaction, the art, the performance and ultimately the "experience."

There is no end to what one can do or be out on the "Playa"—a 40-sq.-mi. patch of flat, dry lakebed in the Black Rock Desert north of Reno. The journey and effort required to reach Black Rock City is huge; and once there you must be completely self-reliant. The weather is hot and dry, with dust storms that last for hours. There is no commerce except for bags of ice and a coffee shop in Center Camp--you must bring everything you need with you.

Nevertheless, the creativity, independence and fellowship inspired by Burning Man have made this incomparable gathering a home away from home for all who return. **You can learn more about it at burningman.com**



Top: The Burning of the Temple Of Flux by Rebecca Anders, Jessica Hobbs, Peter Kimelman and Crew
Bottom: "Bliss Dance" by Lloyd Taylor and Marco Cochrane

Friends rally to support ailing artist



It could happen to any of us. Local artist Bob Parker is battling two formidable foes: life-threatening cancer...and an impenetrable corporate healthcare bureaucracy.

The entire Arts community is uniting in support of popular local sculptor/painter Bob Parker, who is facing massive medical expenses in his battle against cancer.

Bob is the widely admired sculptor who created "Emuly"—the whimsical roller-skating emu in the SteamPlant sculpture garden—and who operates Gallery ArtPost in Coaldale. The hard-working activist has been honored not only for his art, but also for his selfless efforts on behalf of social and community causes. Bob has long served as a volunteer firefighter; and in 2009 was named "Fremont County Democrat of the Year".

Bob's situation mirrors that of many—if not most—self-

employed artists and others without access to affordable health care. After aggressive cancer was discovered at last April's 9 Health Fair, Parker and his wife, Kay, have waged a 5-month struggle to find lifesaving treatment in a closed door health-care system.

Friends and admirers from BV to Canon City have set up a fund to help defray Bob's staggering medical expenses; and they're hoping that every reader of this newsletter will contribute whatever you can. Checks made out to "Robert Parker Medical Fund" can be delivered to Pueblo Bank & Trust, 200 F St., Salida 81201; or to any Pueblo Bank branch in Canon City, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Leadville, Denver or Boulder.

Our best wishes and hopes for a complete recovery go out to Bob and his family. As John Lennon said: *"Life is what happens to you while you're busy making other plans."*

Got News??!

Send your arts-related news, classified ads, photos etc. for Salida ArtWorks Hotline to: suzy@coaldale-co.us

Deadline for Nov. issue is Sun. Oct. 24



An exhibit of pastels by **Susan Mayfield** (LEFT) and oil paintings by **Cary Carlson** (RIGHT) will be October highlights at Art Matters Gallery.

Goof off on your computer and grow old instantly

Getting bored waiting for your Muse to appear?

From ArtWorks' Useless Information Department--here's a fun (and free) time-waster. Go to the website <http://in20years.com/>, upload a photograph of yourself...and get ready for a shock. This site uses face recognition and morphing technology to transform your photo into a picture of what you'll look like 20 or 30 years from now. (*Warning: not recommended for those over 80...*)

OPENINGS & SHOWS

Susan Mayfield:

A one-woman show of new pastel paintings by Salida artist Susan Mayfield will be exhibited Oct. 1-31 at Art Matters Gallery, 119A E. 1st St. Known for her deft use of color and light in oil and pastel landscapes, Susan has exhibited her work and taught workshops throughout the US. Artist's Reception and Art Matters 2nd Anniversary Celebration will be Sat. Oct. 9, 3-6 pm at the Gallery.

Info at ArtMattersGallerySalida.com

AVAC Gallery:

"Five Lines", featuring prominent area artists **Roberta Smith, Jude Silva, Mel Strawn, Rich Tyler and Nancy Vickery**, continues through Oct. 8 at the AVAC Gallery in Buena Vista. The inspiring and heavily attended exhibition portrays each artist's unique relationship to drawing.

Info at 395.8372.

PJ Bergin:

Salida felting and fiber artist PJ Bergin will be exhibiting four of her recent Network Tapestry™ in the ArtWork NetWork Gallery (no relation to Salida ArtWorks), 878 Santa Fe Dr. in Denver. She will be in the gallery on Fri. Oct. 1 to "meet and greet" visitors on Denver's First Friday Gallery Walk.

Info at feltinhand.com

Jimmy Descant:

The irrepressible Rocketman's "Deluxe Rocketships and JFK in Grand Rapids" is on exhibit through Oct. 10 in the international ArtPrize competition at the Grand Rapids Art Museum in Michigan. The unusual contest—in which visitors vote for their favorites and award \$449,000 in prizes--features Jimmy's bizarre "found object" sculptures, juxtaposed with rare photos of John Fitzgerald Kennedy taken by Jimmy's father. This year's ArtPrize includes 1,713 artists displaying at 192 venues; and so far voting has placed Salida's favorite Rocketman among the top 100.

Check it out at artprize.org

Fiber Arts show:

The Heart of Colorado Fiber Arts Guild will present its eighth annual Wearable Art fashion show and boutique luncheon, Wed. Oct. 13, 11 am-2 pm at the SteamPlant. Featuring fiber artist **Teri Inman** from Creede, the event will be a fashion show of beautiful handmade garments. Tickets for the luncheon and show are \$27;

info & tickets at 539.6455 or 395.3396.

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OPENINGS & SHOWS CONTINUED

Cary Carlson:

Plein air oil painter Cary Carlson is the featured October Gallery Artist of the Month at Art Matters Gallery, 119A E. 1st St. After many years with the National Park Service, Cary has evolved from a prolific watercolorist to an oil painter in depicting her love of the natural world. Cary's oils will be on display Oct. 1-31 at Art Matters.

Info at ArtMattersGallerySalida.com



Sherrie York:

"Overhead, Underfoot", a collection of cool new linocuts by Sherrie York, opened Sept. 11 and continues through Oct. 20 in the Paquette Gallery at the SteamPlant. Info at sherrieyork.com, and/or check out Sherrie's blog, brushandbaren.blogspot.com

Kiehn & Doyle:

The abstract paintings, prints & photographs of **Kathleen Kiehn and Sue Crosby Doyle** will be featured in the show "Together Again", Oct. 15-Nov. 12 at the AVAC Gallery in Buena Vista. Their work challenges viewers to see outside the box, to follow the flow of lines and color, and to inspire. Artists reception 5:30-7:30 pm Fri. Oct. 8 at the Gallery.

AVAC Holiday Showcase:

The Arkansas Valley Art Center will hold its annual Holiday Showcase from Nov. 19-Dec. 17 at the AVAC Gallery in Buena Vista. Great gift shopping with handmade ornaments, original paintings, photographs, 3-dimensional art, cards, candies, jewelry & garments made by members of AVAC.

Opening reception 5:30-7:30 pm Fri. Nov. 19 at the Gallery.

New Art Ranch "Saloon Salon" debuts Oct. 24

Colorado Art Ranch has announced a new creative thought and action program for rural Colorado: "*Saloon Salon*"—which will premiere Sun. Oct. 24 in Ridgway CO. This new event is a series of facilitated two-hour gatherings of people who like to explore and discuss the intersection of art, science and land/human issues.

Saloon Salons will be fun, relaxed get-togethers where important topics are handled in an engaging, non-threatening way. The Salons are open to everyone—artists and non-artists alike—with the goal of stimulating discussion, building community and making connections.

The first Salon will discuss topics related to Colorado Art Ranch's 2011 Artposium, "Dwellings". Topics of this year's Salons are "The Psychology of Home Design", "Homes Remembered, Homes Imagined", and "Your Home Ecology". In 2011, Salons will continue to discuss "Affordable Living in the

Rural West”, “Your Dream House”, and “Art in the Home” prior to the May 27-29 Salida Artposium.

The first Art Ranch Saloon Salon will be Sun. Oct. 24, 12-2 pm at Colorado Boy pub & brewery, 602 Clinton St., Ridgway CO. Bring a lunch if you like; \$10 suggested donation. **For info, visit coloradoartranch.org**

Stage Left presents “The Uses of Enchantment”

Salida’s Stage Left Theater Company will present the premier production of Jeffrey Neuman’s new play “*The Uses of Enchantment*” on Oct. 8-10 at the SteamPlant. An ensemble of eight actors--veterans and new talent as well—will bring a variety of characters to life under the direction of **Jan Justis** and **Greg West**.

“Enchantment” centers on a young man and a storyteller brought together in confinement. As various tales unfold, imagination brings the stories to life, demonstrating the triumph of the human spirit over adversity.

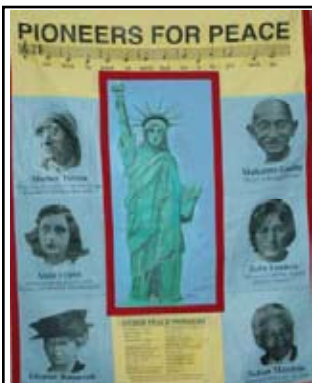
Jeff Neuman has developed several plays with Stage Left, including “Zeus’ Women”, which went on to garner numerous honors. Jeff’s award-winning plays have been produced in New York, Denver, San Diego, and various other venues around the US and United Kingdom.

“The Uses of Enchantment” will be presented at the SteamPlant Theater on Fri. Oct. 8 and Sat. Oct. 9 at 7:30 pm, and Sun. Oct. 10 at 2:30. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$8 for students and seniors, and are available at the Salida and Buena Vista Chambers of Commerce, and at the SteamPlant box office. The play contains mature themes. **For info, see stagelefttheatre.org, or call 539.8539.**

On Dec. 10-11 and 17-18 at 7:30 pm, Stage Left also will offer “Global Holidays”, a multicultural celebration of Christmas told through short plays, dance, and song. Details TBA.

“Tapestry For Peace” on display in Salida

The “Tapestry For Peace”—an amazing collaborative work of art co-created nationally over the past few years, is currently on display through Oct. 8 at the SteamPlant. Sponsored by the Central Colorado Coalition for Peace, the Tapestry is presented in conjunction with a celebration of Mahatma Gandhi’s birthday to be held on Oct. 2.



The huge Tapestry consists of 66 panels created by groups around the Country (including 2 from Salida) celebrating peace and love in the Gandhi tradition. You can view 42 of the panels

The Central Colorado Coalition for Peace is exhibiting the famous 66-piece “Tapestry For Peace” in Salida, in celebration of Mahatma Gandhi’s October birthday.

(limited by space availability) from 10 am-3 pm Mon.-Fri. and 11 am-1 pm Sat. through Oct. 8th.

The Peace Coalition also invites everyone to a celebration of Gandhi's birthday at 1 pm Sat. Oct. 2 at the SteamPlant. There will be birthday cake, and a panel discussion by three noted speakers. **David Barsamian**, award-winning founder of Alternative Radio, is an international journalist, author, and Middle East Expert. **Reverend Norio Rost** holds a Master in Divinity and a Certificate for Spiritual Direction, and has been a Unitarian minister for 19 years. And **Dakini Lynn Marlow** is a 30-year member of the Sufi Order International, and is ordained as a guide and interfaith minister.

Viewing of the Tapestry and the Oct. 2 peace event are free and open to the public, although donations are appreciated.

"Beauty and the Beast" to be staged by HCFAA

High Country Fine Arts Assn. will present its Fall Junior Production, Disney's "Beauty and the Beast", Oct. 29-31 at the Orpheum Theatre, 409 E. Main St. in Buena Vista. The production is directed by **Jim Oliver**, with **Debra Hogan** as musical director.

On Fri. and Sat. Oct. 29 and 30, the performances will be at 7 pm, with doors opening at 6:30 pm. For Sunday's matinee, doors will open at 1:30 pm for the 2 pm performance.

Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for youths age 12 and younger. Advance tickets are available at the BV and Salida Chambers of Commerce. **Info at hcfaa.org**

KINDRED SPIRITS

Salida has many special-interest groups where you can find like-minded creatives with whom to share ideas, companionship, inspiration and activities. To see a current list of these artistic "Kindred Spirits" visit our website, SalidaArtWorks.org.

NEW THEATRE GROUP: The newly-formed Poncha Springs Community Theatre is offering a series of theatre workshops for youngsters age 6-13, to be held from 4-5:30 pm every Fri. through Dec. 10 at the Poncha Springs Town Hall. Tuition is \$35 for twenty 90-minute classes, with family discounts available. Instructor is Saguache music/theatre teacher Laura Revelle Schwartz. For more info, visit the Poncha Springs Town Hall at 333 Burnet Ave., or call 655.2290.

LIVE DRAWING SESSIONS: Salida Art Guild sponsors a live-model drawing session on Wednesdays from 10 am-1 pm at the Garage Studio on 12th St. between H and I Sts. Admission is open to all artists; fee is \$10 per session. For details contact jenid68@yahoo.com

ART PORTU NITIES

CALL FOR ARTISTS—ONLINE CO-OP: Susan Fox, owner of the former Green Plum home furnishings boutique, is launching a new online art and décor venture featuring a co-op for Colorado artists. For a one-time development fee of \$90/page, you can establish an online presence and/or enhance your current one. Showcase and sell your original paintings, pottery, textiles and hand-made wares; and cross-link to your own website for better visibility and sales. For complete info, call Susan at 539.2362 or email susan@thegreenplum.com

CALL FOR ENTRIES—FIBER ARTISTS: Art Matters Gallery invites non-members of the gallery to apply for a juried Fiber Art exhibit to be held during November & Dec. Entry deadline is Oct. 7; prospectus available at artmatters-gallery.com (exhibits/events). Contact the gallery at 539.2383, or email artmatters@earthlink.net

CALL FOR ARTISTS: Original work is being sought for juried art exhibits during 2011 at Art Matters Gallery, 119A E. 1st St. This is a unique opportunity to be exhibited for two months in a fine art gallery in downtown Salida. Info and prospectus at ArtMattersGallerySalida.com/EVENTS/Events.html...or call 539.2383.

CALL FOR ARTISTS & SCIENTISTS: Colorado Art Ranch invites applications from artists nationwide for a one-month Residency in Salida in conjunction with the 2011 Artposium "Dwellings". Deadline for applications is March 1, 2011; application fee is \$50. For info visit coloradoart ranch.org/residencies.htm

INVITATION TO GO TO POT: The Maverick Potter, 123 F St., has handmade pottery available for you to paint yourself. Bench fee of \$6 covers glaze and firing costs; bisque-fired pottery ranges from \$6 to \$30. By appointment only; call 539.5112.

WHO'S DOIN' WHAT...

Everyone in ArtWorks (and, we're sure, the entire community) sends best wishes to popular Coaldale artist and gallery owner **Bob Parker**, who undergoes cancer surgery Oct. 5 at Denver Medical Center. Bob's friends are rallying to help with medical expenses—if you'd like to join in, see the article in this newsletter. Get-well wishes can be sent to: Bob at PO Box 147, Coaldale CO 81222.... **Wondering what all the barking and growling's about?** Through Jan. 16 you can see for yourself at the Denver Museum of Contemporary Art's new exhibit "Over the River: A Work in Progress." Sixteen preparatory collages and drawings by Christo & Jeanne-Claude will be on display, envisioning how their proposed installation would look. Info at mcadenver.org or 303.298.7554.... Mixed media fiber artist **PJ Bergin** is still buzz-

ing over the 5-day workshop she attended in Fall River MA, taught by internationally known felt-artist bigwig **Jorie Johnson** of Kyoto, Japan. PJ and 13 other artists from across the US and Denmark learned mind-bending new fiber techniques; check it out on PJ's



blog <http://blog.felthinhand.com/>That doggone **Emile' Dubia** is up to good again at her wildly popular Free The Monkey Consignment shop at 119 F St. This time she's donating proceeds from her \$2.99 "Give Back Rack" to Friends of the SteamPlant (what a great excuse to go shopping!).... **Interesting trivia:**

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EVENTS CALENDAR

OCTOBER (Squirrel Awareness Month)

- 1 – Acoustic/folk music concert with Jill Cohn, 8 pm, Salida Café, 300 W. Sackett Ave.
- 2 – Old-time & new Americana/Folk music concert with the **Chris McGarry Band**, 8 pm, Salida Café
- 3 – Americana music concert with Kevin Higgins & Barbara Malteze, 7 pm, Salida Café
- 8 – Traditional & original contemporary bluegrass concert with Spring Creek Bluegrass, 8 pm, Salida Cafe
- 8 & 9 – Stage Left Theatre presents “The Rules of Enchantment, 7:30 pm, SteamPlant;
info at stagelefttheatre.org or 539.8539
- 9-- Second Saturday Art Gallery Event “Artoberfest”, downtown Salida galleries: salidaartists.com
- 9 – Happy Birthday John Lennon! (1940)



9 – Celtic/cowboy/country/blues/swing/Irish music concert with Small Potatoes, 8 pm, Salida Café

10 – Stage Left Theatre presents “The Rules of Enchantment”, 2:30 pm, SteamPlant;

info at stagelefttheatre.org or 539.8539

12 – International Moment of Frustration Scream Day

12 – Appalachian-style string band/folk/Americana/roots music concert with **Ken Waldman**, 7 pm, Salida Café

13 – Heart of Colorado Fiber Arts Guild 8th annual Wearable Art Fashion Show & Boutique Luncheon, 11 am-2 pm, SteamPlant. Tickets \$27 before Oct. 6; then \$32. Info & tickets at 539.6455 or 395.3396.

- 14 -- ArtWorks Creative Mixer, SteamPlant, 5:30 pm; SalidaArtWorks.org
- 14 – Swing-grass/progressive chamberjazzgrass music concert with the Expedition Quartet, 7 pm, Salida Café
- 15 – National Grouch Day
- 15 – Acoustic folk to rock and more—open mic hosted by **Clyde Tullis**, 8 pm, Salida Café
- 16 – Happy Birthday Eugene O’Neill! (1888) & Oscar Wilde! (1854)
- 22 – Salida ArtWorks annual Registry Show, SteamPlant; info at SalidaArtWorks.org
- 22 – Folk/country/Americana/Jug music concert with Haunted Windchimes, 8 pm, Salida Café
- 23 – ArtWorks all-Salida Registry Show gala opening reception, 4-6 pm, SteamPlant Annex; catered hors d’oeuvres, cash bar, entertainment, FUN!
- 23 – 30th Annual Holiday Sampler Arts & Crafts Bazaar, 9-4:30 pm, Chaffee County Fairgrounds. Arts, crafts, handwork, baked goods, “40 unique vendors”. info at 539.3802.
- 23 – Americana/Shoegaze music concert with the Jalan Crossland Band, 8 pm, Salida Café
- 24 – Two-Step dancing with the Bill Hearne Trio, 3 pm, Salida Café
- 25 – Happy Birthday Pablo Picasso! (1881)
- 26 – Worldwide Howl At The Moon Night: moonhowlevent.com
- 29 – Indie folk rock music concert with Teresa Storch, 8 pm, Salida Café
- 29-30 -- “Beauty and the Beast” presented by High Country Fine Arts Assn., 7 pm, Orpheum Theatre, 409 E. Main St., Buena Vista; doors open 6:30 pm. Info at hcfaa.org
- 30 – Indie/folk/acoustic/Celtic music concert with **Ricko Donovan**, 8 pm, Salida Café
- 31 – “Beauty and the Beast” presented by High Country Fine Arts Assn., 2 pm, Orpheum Theatre, 409 E. Main St., BV; doors open 1:30 pm. Info at hcfaa.org

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NOVEMBER (Peanut Butter Lover's Month)

- 7 – Friendship Bridge “Caring Hearts Sharing Art” art, jewelry & Guatemalan crafts sale, 3-7 pm, SteamPlant; details TBA. Got a donation? Email **Dana Porter** at dana@porterhamel.com
- 12 – National “Men Make Dinner” Day
- 11 -- ArtWorks Creative Mixer, SteamPlant, 5:30 pm; SalidaArtWorks.
- 11 – Happy Birthday Kurt Vonnegut (1922)
- 13 – Salida Circus performance, SteamPlant; details TBA; info@salidacircus.com
- 13 – Second Saturday art event, 12-7 pm, downtown Salida Galleries; salidaartists.com
- 15 – Happy Birthday Georgia O’Keeffe (1887)
- 18 – Married To A Scorpio Support Day
- 19 – thru Dec. 17 – AVAC Holiday Showcase; AVAC Gallery, Buena Vista
- 24 – Last day to view “Valley Visions & Voices” all-Salida Registry Show, SteamPlant
- 25 – Happy Thanksgiving!
- 25 – Opening Day at Monarch Mtn. ski area (weather permitting) yeehaw!
- 26 – Christmas kick-off celebration & Parade of Lights, 6 pm, downtown Salida
- 26 – SteamPlant Holiday Open House,
- 28 – Walden Chamber Music Society concert, 3 pm, SteamPlant Theater; informance at 2 pm. Details TBA; visit waldenchambermusic.org



DECEMBER (Bingo's Birthday Month)

- 5 – Bathtub Party Day
- 5 – Alpine Orchestra Concert, 3 pm, Mtn. Heights Baptist Church, BV. Info at 719.966.2302.
- 9 -- ArtWorks Creative Mixer, SteamPlant, 5:30 pm; SalidaArtWorks.org
- 10 – The Noteables women’s choir holiday concert, 7:30 pm, Mtn. Heights Baptist Church, Buena Vista
- 10-11 – Stage Left Theater Co. presents “Global Holidays”, 7:30 pm, SteamPlant; info at stagelefttheatre.org or 539.8539
- 11 – Second Saturday art event, 12-7 pm, downtown Salida Galleries; salidaartists.com
- 11 – The Noteables women’s choir holiday concert, 7:30 pm, United Methodist Church, Salida
- 12 – The Noteables women’s choir holiday concert, 2 pm, First Presbyterian Church, Salida
- 16 – National Regifting Day (<http://nationalregiftingday.com>)
- 17-18 – Stage Left Theater Co. presents “Global Holidays”, 7:30 pm, SteamPlant; info at stagelefttheatre.org or 539.8539
- 21 – National Haiku Poetry Day
- 26 – National Whiners Day



Brain Food:

Local and visiting experts offer a wealth of classes and workshops to help you hone your creative skills. Here's a current listing of scheduled, date-specific offerings. For a complete look at Salida's many ongoing creative learning opportunities, visit SalidaArtWorks.org

POTTERY WITH MARK RITTMAN:

The Maverick Potter owner **Mark Rittman** has limited openings for Beginning Wheel Throwing pottery classes beginning in October. For info call 539.5112 or 684.6418.

BASKETWEAVING WITH SIMONE SOUCY:

Multi-faceted artist **Simone Soucy** is planning a basket weaving class, probably in early Nov., limited to 6 participants with all materials provided. Cost will be \$60; if interested, call her at 942.3397 or email simone81223@earthlink.net.

FELTING WITH PJ BERGIN:

Noted Salida fiber artist **PJ Bergin** will host two workshops on Sun. Oct. 10 & 24, in the Fringe classroom, 139 F St. The first workshop will explore how to create one-of-a-kind fabrics with the "Nuno" or Hybrid Felt techniques using silk, chiffon and wool fiber. The second will study advanced techniques using various fibers and fabrics. For info call Fringe at 539.4006.

WHO'S DOIN' WHAT...

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the Colorado Boy Brewery in Ridgway--site of the Oct. 24 Art Ranch Saloon Salon described in this newsletter—is owned by **Sandy & Tom Hennessy**. They're the very same folks who started our own Amicas brewpub restaurant in Salida, lo these many moons ago....The Big Time is knocking on **Jennifer Dempsey's** door in the form of NBC's "America's Got Talent" show! Casting Producer **Shweta Thakur** has approached Jennifer's Salida Circus to try out for the television talent blockbuster's November auditions in Denver. Thakur also mentioned that anyone else interested in auditioning can contact her at 303.312.9520 or email her at shwetaAGT@gmail.com. Well...what are you waiting for??!!



SAY
WHAT?!

*"Wag more,
Bark less."*

Anonymous

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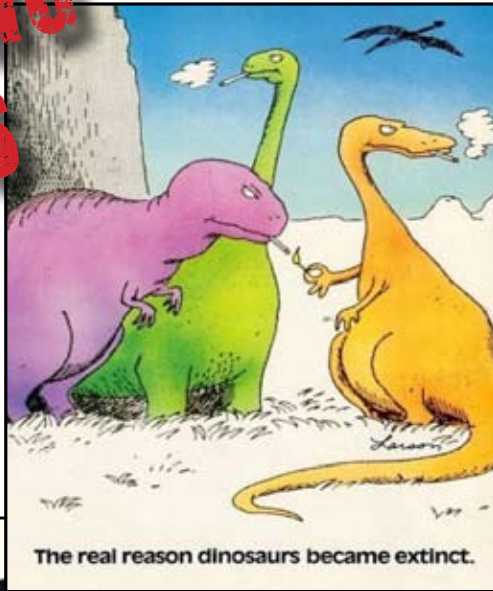
Canon Rebel 2000 EOS camera, brand-new; ultra-sonic zoom EF lens, 28-105 mm, 1:3-4.5; complete with camera bag, filters, manual etc.; \$125. Call 942.3757.

PERSONALS: Don't join dangerous cults. Practice safe sects.

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, susanmayfieldart@gmail.com

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