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“The Gathering” 2010

Forty-six artists displayed an array of 80 pieces of artwork at the Chequamegon Bay Arts Council’s member show, “The Gathering.”

The judge, April Lehman from Two Harbors, Minnesota, selected three artists to receive cash prizes and three to receive merit awards.

Robin Murphy of Bayfield won the CBAC award with her ceramic piece entitled “Girl With Birds.” Judges choice awards went to “Obligatory Crow,” a lithograph by Jason Terry, and to Kristin Tetzner for an untitled batik.

Merit awards were given to Richard Dillon for an acrylic and oil painting titled “Race Scrum,” Katie George for a woodcarving titled “Whimsical Fairy House,” and Gwen Baxter for her watercolor painting, “Patriotic Hollyhocks.”

An artists reception was held on Thursday, October 7. Lehman, after speaking about her selections, said “As an artist the work is like your soul. You put it up and invite people to look at it. How blessed you are to have a CBAC and all the people who are dedicated to art here.”



◀▲ Scenes from the “The Gathering” 2010

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**CBAC
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Meeting!**

CBAC Annual Meeting

The CBAC annual meeting will take place on Monday, January 24, 2011 on the 3rd floor of the Washburn Cultural Center. The potluck dinner begins at 5:30 pm and is followed by annual business meeting and 2010 grant highlights at 6:30. Wisconsin Arts Board representatives will be there to show the state level support for this local organization.

Come out of the cold and join your fellow CBAC members for an evening of good food, area arts news and fun!

Anyone interested in the arts is invited to attend. For more information call 715-373-5143.

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WE'RE COMING INTO the home stretch of 2010! Our grant season is about to kick off, and that coincides with the unveiling of our new website. After much work and forethought, we hope our new site does a great

job of representing our organization and supporting the artists and community members who use it. We have incorporated several suggestions from you, and we see our new site as a dynamic place designed to be updated and improved upon when you tell us what you are looking for from CBAC. And now you can even become a member or renew your membership on our site through Paypal.

Our artist directory is due to be updated and redone in 2011. The Board is currently looking at several options of how to do this. We need to stay up to date in terms of how we deliver information and how we can best serve our area. If you have any thoughts on how we can better our directory, please contact a board member (contact information is on page 7) or email us through the website.

PRESIDENT'S PAGE

Our upcoming spring community show comes a little early in 2011. We hope the February show "Out of Darkness" will inspire all of you to emerge out the darkness of winter and spring forth to share your creativity. It may be a little early for the real spring, but we might as well make the best of whatever season it is!

Our 2011 fundraising auction is in the beginning stages as well. *Art of the Elements: Earth, Air, Fire, Water* is taking shape for our 10th annual event. It's hard to believe we've been doing this for 10 years already! As always our event will coincide with the Bayfield Festival of Arts in late July. It's not too early to mark your calendar for this event.

And last but not least, please consider supporting local arts as you do your holiday gift giving this year. Whether you decide to purchase theater tickets, locally produced CD's, pottery, or anything available at our wonderful galleries, you will be supporting the artists, without whom which we wouldn't have such an enriching environment in the Chequamegon Bay.

Happy Holidays and . . . Enjoy the Arts.

-Christina

CBAC NEWS

Out of Darkness

Do you need an excuse to emerge from the darkness of winter? What have you been creating in your studio, basement

or garage during the depth of winter? Here's your chance to share your creativity.

Announcing . . . The CBAC Community Show

"Out of Darkness"

FEBRUARY 2011

Washburn Cultural Center

This show is open to everyone!

Applications available at cbayarts.org beginning December 15, 2010

LOCAL NEWS

Weaving Her Way Back to Chequamegon Bay

By Connie Cogger

WEAVING is one of Rose Maloof's artistic passions. At the Washburn High School Toni Pederson introduced her to weaving with a small, simple frame loom project. After high school, she attended UW-Superior thinking she wanted to major in Spanish education, and minor in art. She took weaving classes from Melvin Olsen at UWS and learned weaving on floor looms, ankle looms, as well as off-loom weaving techniques. Realizing she wanted to pursue art more than Spanish education she transferred to UW-Madison, where she broadened her education and focused on an art major emphasizing three-dimensional art forms and mediums such as ceramics, woodworking, and fiber.

At Madison she took weaving classes with Diane Sheehan in addition to time spent in the UW-Madison weaving studio as work-study. She continued weaving on floor looms, a doobby loom, and a Norwegian jacquard loom called the TC-1 designed by Vibeke Visby. Her



◀ Rose Maloof

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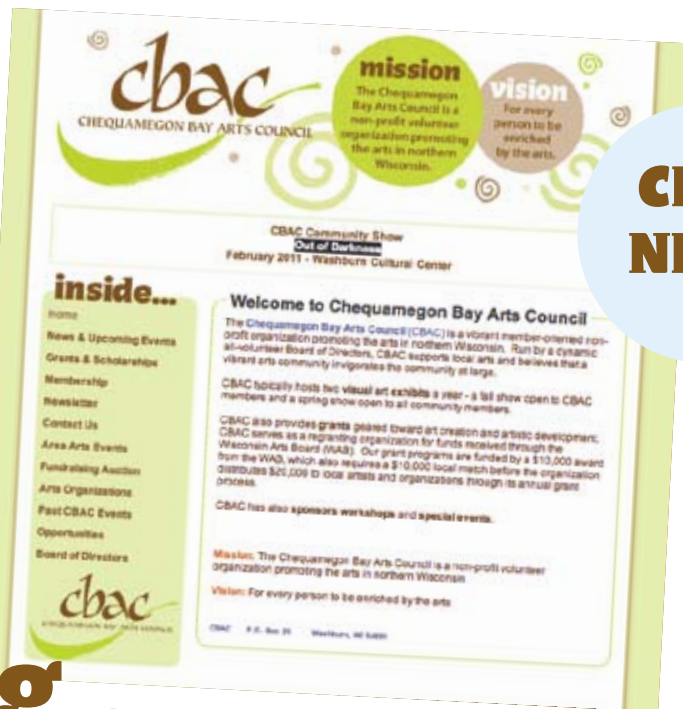
CBAC Unveils new Website

On November 22, CBAC launched its new website. It features information about the different ways CBAC supports and enhances the arts in the Chequamegon Bay area.

The newly updated grants and scholarship section offers downloadable applications and instructions for applying for a CBAC grant or scholarship. Membership information and the ability to renew your membership through PayPal is also available. Arts opportunities are listed so anyone can find out about what is available in the area and engage their creative side. Information about the annual fundraising auction as well as the various CBAC exhibits and special events are highlighted.

So come check us out . . .

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Annual Grant Funds Available

CBAC GRANTS

The Chequamegon Bay Arts Council serves as a regranteeing agency for the Wisconsin Arts Board. Through this partnership, CBAC offers three grant opportunities to artists and organizations in Bayfield and Ashland counties. Two grants focus on art creation while the third focuses on artist development. A total of \$20,000 is distributed annually through these grant programs.

The grant season begins now and continues into the spring with each grant type having a different application due date. These grants are offered once a year.

PROJECT GRANTS

Grants intended to support the creation of projects that may include public exhibitions, performances, publications, commissioned art and educational activities in a variety of disciplines.

Funding level: up to \$1,000

Applications available: December 1, 2010

Applications due: Friday, January 14, 2011

Grants recipients announced: February 18, 2011

CREATIVE COMMUNITY GRANTS

Grants intended to support the creation of projects similar to Project Grants. However, Creative Community projects should be larger in scale and scope, have a higher funding need, and their outcomes should have a greater community impact.

Funding levels: \$2,500 - \$5,000

Applications available: December 1, 2010

Applications due: Friday, February 11, 2011

Grant recipients announced: March 17, 2011

ARTISTIC DEVELOPMENT GRANTS

Grants to promote ongoing learning and to encourage area residents to further their artistic abilities for reasons of personal growth and enhanced community excellence.

Funding levels: Variable

Applications available: March 1, 2011

Application due: Friday, April 1, 2011

Grant recipients announced: April 14, 2011

Visit cbayarts.org to download instructions and applications forms. Applications will also be available at local libraries and the Black Cat Coffeehouse. For questions regarding the grant process contact Christina Sauer at 715-373-5143.

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HOLIDAY EVENTS

DECEMBER 4

Bayfield Holiday Gallery Tour

Visit shops and galleries at various locations in and around Bayfield. Maps available at Bayfield Chamber Office. 10 am – 5 pm

DECEMBER 11 – 12

Merry Ol' Christmas Boutique

with over 30 vendors and their arts, crafts, bakery, housewares and more on first and third floors. Luncheon and desserts available for purchase. Washburn Cultural Center, 1 East Bayfield Street, Washburn. Saturday 10 am to 4 pm, Sunday 10 am to 3 pm.

DECEMBER 3 – DECEMBER 21

Wassail Dinner Concerts and Luncheon Concerts

The Old Rittenhouse Inn, 301 Rittenhouse Avenue, Bayfield. Call 779-5111 or visit rittenhouseinn.com for prices, further dates and package info.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4

Randy Sabien and Friends Holiday Show

Tickets \$15 in advance, \$18 at the door, parktheaterproject.com Park Theater, Highway 63 in Hayward, 7:30 pm.

DECEMBER 6

91st Annual Community Christmas Concert

Arranged and sponsored by the Ashland Wednesday Music Club, held at Presbyterian Congregational Church, 214 Vaughn Ave, Ashland. Yvonne Gilbert 682-6086 for more info. Event is free and open to the public. 4 pm.

DECEMBER 10

Endless Bliss

Chequamegon Choir presents their 39th annual holiday concert at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 311 13th Street West, Ashland. Refreshments after concert. Tickets at door, \$7 adult, \$5 senior, student, under 10 free. 7:30 pm.

DECEMBER 11

Chequamegon Symphony Orchestra

performs their holiday concert at Alvord Theatre at Northland College, Ashland. 7:30 pm.

DECEMBER 12

Endless Bliss

Chequamegon Choir at St. Louis Catholic Church, Washburn at 4 pm. Same info as above.

DECEMBER 18 - 19

Fa-la-la Follies Christmas Show

featuring Local Talent. Tickets \$12 and \$5 for students, Park Theater, Highway 63 in Hayward, 7:30 pm on the 18th and 2 pm on the 19th.

CONCERTS LIVE MUSIC

DECEMBER 19

Handel's Messiah Sing-a-long

Musical scores provided at the door. Accompanied by the Ashland Festival Orchestra and sponsored by Ashland Chamber Music Society. Our Lady of the Lake Church, 201 East Lakeshore Drive, Ashland, 3 pm. 682-5795 for info.

JANUARY 13

Michael Perry and the Longbeds Author and humorist and musician. Tickets \$15 in advance and \$18 at door, Park Theater, Highway 63 in Hayward, 7:30 pm.

JANUARY 29

Jim Ouska and Jane Alekson-blues

Tickets \$15 in advance and \$18 at the door, Park Theater, Highway 63 in Hayward, 7:30 pm.

FEBRUARY 12

Reverend Raven and the Chain-smokin Altar Boys Blues

Tickets \$15 in advance and 18 at the door. Park Theater, Highway 63 in Hayward, 7:30 om

FEBRUARY 12

Bay Area Chamber Ensemble

Presented by Ashland Chamber Music Society at Presbyterian Congregation Church, 214 Vaughn Avenue, Ashland, 7:30 pm

DECEMBER 3 -5

Nutcracker Suite

Annual Children's performance at Ashland High School Auditorium. 682-2455 for info.

FEBRUARY 12

Blue Moon Ball

Dress up in your vintage prom finery and dance to the music of the Big Woods Big Band at the Bayfield Lakeside Pavilion, 2 East Front Street, Bayfield. 779-3335 or chamber@bayfield.org.

DECEMBER 9 – 19

A Christmas Carol

Charles Dickens' classic tale at StageNorth, 123 West Omaha Street, Washburn. Adults \$16, Seniors \$14, Students \$9. stagenorth.com or 373-1194 for tickets. Performances 7:30 pm and Sunday matinee at 2 pm.

DECEMBER 13 – 14

Plaza Suite Auditions

Chequamegon Theatre Association's Rinehart Theatre, 210 5th Ave E., Ashland. cta-rinehart.org or call 715-682-5554 for more information.

AUDITIONS!

JANUARY 13 – 23
Animal Farm

George Orwell's work gets a new twist. StageNorth, 123 West Omaha Street, Washburn. Adults \$15, Seniors \$14, Students \$9. stagenorth.com or 373-1194 for tickets. Shows at 7:30 pm and Sunday matinees at 2 pm.

FEBRUARY 17 – 20
Plaza Suite (Neil Simon)

Rinehart Theatre, 210 5th Ave E., Ashland 682-5554. Evening performance 7:30 pm, Sunday Matinee 2 pm. Tickets \$10.

FEBRUARY 17-27
Annie

A community production of the Broadway musical based on the comic strip Little Orphan Annie. Featuring a cast of your friends and community members! Visit stagenorth.com for dates, times and ticket information. Box office 715-373-1194.

FEBRUARY 21 & 22
Auditions for Charley's Aunt

AUDITIONS!

Chequamegon Theater Association Rinehart Theater. Directed by Renee Parent. 210 5th Avenue E, Ashland. cta-rinehart.org or call 715-682-5554 for more information.

FEBRUARY 29
Serendipity Players presents "Don't Hug Me"

Tickets \$15 in advance and \$18 at the door. Park Theater, Highway 63 in Hayward, 2 pm

DECEMBER 13 – 30
Photography by Christopher Gruhl

Washburn Cultural Center, 1 East Bayfield Street, Washburn. Open 10 am – 4 pm Monday thru Saturday. Reception date TBA. 373-5591 for info.

JANUARY 3 – 29
Textile Arts Exhibit

Washburn Cultural Center, 1 East Bayfield Street, Washburn. Reception Saturday January 15 from 4 to 6 pm. Winter hours 11 am – 3 pm Monday through Saturday. 373-5591 for info.

FEBRUARY 2 – 26
Out of Darkness – CBAC's Community Exhibit

Washburn Cultural Center, 1 East Bayfield Street, Washburn. Winter hours 11 am – 3 pm Monday through Saturday. 373-5591 for info.

JANUARY 22 – FEBRUARY 26
All Things Birch and Beautiful

Art show at Firefly Trading Company, 42785 US Hwy 63, Cable, reception January 23 from 3 to 5 pm. Open Friday & Saturday 10 am – 4 pm & Sunday 12 – 3 pm.

BAYFIELD & AREA EVENTS

Want a quick and easy way to find out about all the exciting events and happenings in Bayfield and the surrounding area each week? Sign up to receive the weekly **Chamber Community Blast** e-mail from the Bayfield Chamber and Visitors Bureau by calling the Chamber at 715-779-3335 or 800-447-4094 or by visiting www.bayfield.org.

STAGENORTH

For a complete listing of StageNorth's winter schedule of theater, dance, music and film, visit: stagenorth.com. Box office: 123 West Omaha Street, Washburn 715-373-1194.

BAY AREA FILM SOCIETY

Thursday films at StageNorth. Save the dates: January 6, February 3, March 10, & April 21. General Admission \$7, Students \$6, Northland College Students free, BAFS members receive a \$1 discount. Visit bayareafilmsociety.org for films.

Bayfield Arts Event

APRIL 14-16 · GETS A NEW NAME!

Six Bayfield B&Bs are busy planning the 6th annual arts weekend, April 14-16, 2011. One aspect of the popular event – its name – sets it apart from its five predecessors.

In an evaluation following the 2010 event, the innkeepers and artists felt it made sense to call it what it is...a weekend arts event in Bayfield...hence "**Bayfield Arts Weekend – A Superior Experience.**"

As in the past, the weekend is open to anyone interested in enhancing skills or learning new ones. Registration fees are based on attendees' lodging requirements, and the event will offer two full days of instruction in a choice of six activities: Basketry, Jewelry with Soul, Photography, Precious Metal Clay, Watercolor Painting and Weaving. The respective class leaders all are well-known area professionals: Tina Fung Holder, Mary Gardner, Don Albrecht, Donalee Kennedy,

France Austin Miller and Michele Auger.

Participating inns include: Apple Grove Inn, The Artesian House, Cooper Hill House B&B, Grey Oak Guest House, Pinehurst Inn and Rittenhouse Inn.

For complete details, visit their website: www.bayfieldartsweekend.com



← Participant in the Basketry class

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OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS



New Art Show at Firefly Trading Company

42785 US Hwy 63, Cable
Theme: “All Things Birch
and Beautiful!”

Looking for: paintings,
sculpture, original
photography, fiber arts,
baskets, pottery that
interpret the theme “All
Things Birch and Beautiful”

Each piece should be a new work of art – not exhibited in our area. Art Show Dates: January 22–February 26, 2011. Visit cbayarts.org and click on ‘opportunities’ for more information.

Folk Arts Apprenticeship Program

Folk Arts Apprenticeship awards are \$3,000 grants that support respected master traditional folk artists in teaching their skills to committed and talented apprentices. If you would like to study with a Wisconsin traditional artisan, musician, singer, dancer or storyteller, or if you are a locally respected traditional folk artist who would like to teach your knowledge to others, the Wisconsin Arts Board may be able to support this activity. For more information visit the Wisconsin Arts Board at artsboard.wisconsin.gov. Applications available beginning Feb 7, 2011. Applications due March 21, 2011.

Wisconsin Book Festival Poetry Contest

Wisconsin People & Ideas—the magazine of the Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters—regularly publishes some of the best poetry and fiction from around the state, and now Wisconsin literary artists can enter to become a part of Wisconsin’s new literary canon. Enter your poem in our annual contest, which runs from September 15 to December 15, and receive up to \$500 and other prizes along with publication in Wisconsin People & Ideas and a reading at the 2011 Wisconsin Book Festival in Madison. For details and rules, visit the 2011 Poetry Contest page at wisconsinacademy.org.

Wisconsin Book Festival Short Story Contest

Enter your short stories in the annual contest, which runs from this September 15 to December 15, and receive up to \$500 and other prizes along with publication in Wisconsin People & Ideas and a reading at the 2011 Wisconsin Book Festival in Madison. In addition, first-place winners will receive a one-week stay at Edenfred creative arts residency in the Madison Highlands, courtesy of the Terry Family Foundation. For details and rules, visit the Academy’s 2011 Short Story Contest page at wisconsinacademy.org.

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senior year at Madison was finalized with an on-campus exhibition called, *Collection*, where she displayed a variety of original pieces from college; and wore her final weaving project which was fabric double woven with fine cotton and hemp then self-tailored into a dress.

When asked how long it took, she replied she really didn’t know because when she watches the clock it always takes more time, and weaving is so enjoyable that time is irrelevant. Around graduation in the spring of 2006, Rose purchased a used 4-harness Gilmore floor loom and decided to remain in the Madison area.

Shortly after graduating with a Bachelors of Science she received third place for textile design at the 4th annual Fiber to Fashion Student Design Competition sponsored by the Alpaca Owners and Breeders Association (AOBA). Receiving third place for an alpaca woven scarf, recognition was celebrated at the AOBA conference in Nevada. At this time she was also awarded a work-study scholarship for a three-week weaving workshop at Haystack Mountain School of Crafts in Maine. There, she studied more weaving with Christy Matson.

While involved in woodworking courses, Rose found making furniture a challenging and fun endeavor. Networking at a furniture conference in Indianapolis the summer after graduation, she found work at the Zazen Gallery in Paoli, Wisconsin, a small studio furniture shop/gallery. She also taught a class entitled “Introduction to Woodworking for Women” at the woodshop in the Madison Woodcraft. She also spent some time working for the Madison Museum of Contemporary Art.

In the fall of 2008, Rose decided to give up the rat-race lifestyle to move back to where she grew up and enjoy the natural beauty that the Chequamegon Bay area has to offer. Currently she works for the Chequamegon Book and Coffee Company, Wild Rice restaurant, and weaves when she can. In April of 2010, she was able to take a weaving workshop with professional rug weaver, Jason Collingwood from England at Woods Hall on Madeline Island thanks to local weaver Kimberly Jones and La Pointe Center and Art Guild.

With the help of a CBAC artistic development grant, Rose was able to revisit her passion of weaving in September 2010 through a basketry class at the North House Folk School in Grand Marais, Minnesota with local artist Tina Fung-Holder. Each student wove a “Harvest Basket” with red osier dogwood.

When asked “what’s next?” Rose replied she is thinking about going back to school or trying to teach weaving locally.



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THANKS to all our new and renewing members for this quarter. We couldn't do it without you!

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