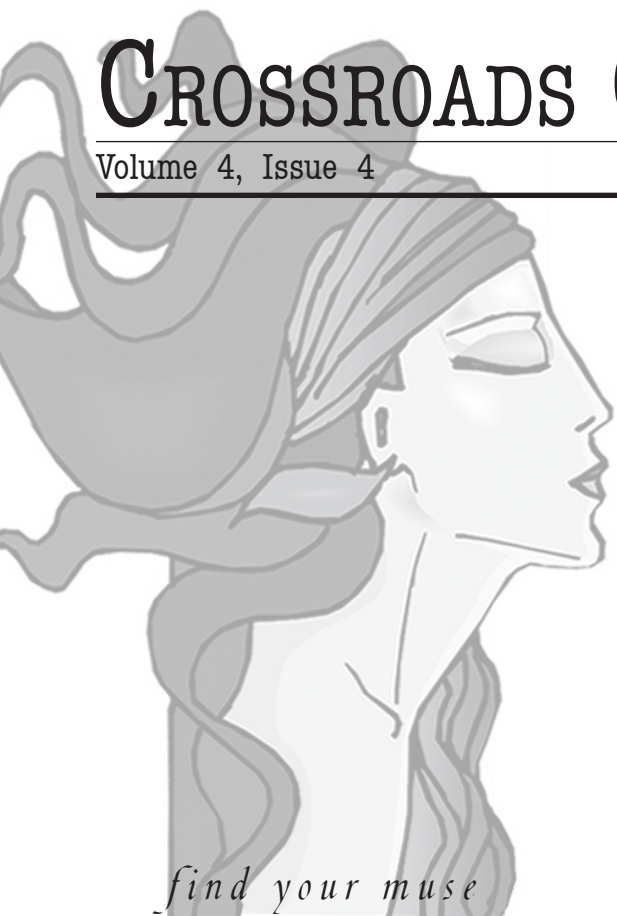


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DATES OF INTEREST

December 24: Crossroads Open 10am till 2pm. Merry Christmas

Closed Christmas Day

December 27: Crossroads 10% off After Christmas Sale-All Day!

December 29-31: Artist Pickup work at Crossroads

December 31: New Years Eve TAN Event-Details coming....

January 7: First Friday- Crossroads Student Show featuring the work of Middle School and High School artists and work created by Crossroads students of all ages.

January 19 at 7:00pm: Annual Meeting of Crossroads. All members of Crossroads welcome. Ballots must be turned in by 7:15 PM.

February 4: First Friday featuring Boise State University Adjunct Art Professor Sue Latta in a show of mixed media sculpture. Student show: Baker Middle School

March 4: First Friday featuring mixed media artist Robert Tomlinson and the 1st & 3rd Thursday Poets from Eugene, OR. Student Show: Brooklyn

April 1: First Friday Open Regional Show

CROSSROADS CARNEGIE WISH LIST

Bathroom Tissue, white vinegar, Windex, bubble wrap, white tissue paper, cases of white printer paper, tea bags (all varieties), creamer, sweeteners.

Our wonderful handyman Darrell Mayer moved away, so if anyone is interested in helping out at Crossroads doing minor repairs, touching up paint, and moving furniture please let us know.

Salt Lick, Titanic Gala, Feed the Arts, Make It and Take It... Whew!

What a busy fall and winter we have had at Crossroads!

September 25th we hosted the 4th Annual Great Salt Lick Auction and welcomed Oregon Public Broadcasting "Oregon Art Beat" who "tailed" Whit for two days. I check the OPB website every week and still no word on when they will have the episode featuring The Salt Lick Auction. Thank you to all who brought and purchased Salt Lick. We had 56 salt licks and our average price was \$135.00 per salt lick, with two salt licks selling for over \$500 each. We were able to give away over \$1000.00 in prize money, donated by local businesses and send checks totaling over \$8,000.00 to OHSU Parkinson's Research. I am profoundly blessed to have Whit Deschner in my life and what a good friend he has become. Andrea Stone who was our fellow committee warrior, I could not have done it without you. The Pennington's who did everything they were asked to do and then some, Michael McVey who had a clear vision of a sculpture garden of Salt Licks, Meb Dailey, auctioneer extraordinaire; we cannot do it without you. Baker High School FFA—WOW! You were amazing! Thanks to all who came and participated...it was an evening to remember.

And JUST when Salt Lick wrapped up, on October 16th we had our yearly Crossroads Gala "A Titanic Evening!" What an amazing evening we had, enjoying the amazing collection of Titanic Memorabilia from John Lamoreau who shared with us the detailed stories of what happened to some of the passengers on the Titanic. We had an amazing meal, based on the final menu served on the Titanic, prepared by Tricia Everson and served by Baker High School National Honor Society. We made over \$18,000.00 for the day to day operations and programs at Crossroads. Thank You to our amazingly generous community who support our mission constantly. A huge Thanks to our amazing Gala Committee who work so tirelessly to make this event a success! We have already started planning for next year's gala which will be exciting...watch for upcoming details.

And JUST when we had Gala wrapped up, on November 13th we had our 1st Annual Feed the Arts fundraiser for the Hand to Heart Scholarship Fund! We had great participation for our first event with huge thanks to Jessica Wickert with Loving Oven Catering who donated her time to make the soups! The soup was wonderful and the smiles on people's faces as they carried "their" bowl that they had chosen home. A huge thanks to Paizano's Pizza who gave us \$1.00 for every bowl made for the Bowl Building Bonanza in June and then provided all the breadsticks with dinner-what a great community partner. We still have bowls for sale for \$10.00 a bowl in the gallery through the end of December and our community has raised over \$3200.00 for our scholarship fund to help people of all ages to take classes at Crossroads if they cannot afford to do so. Thank You!

And JUST when we had Feed the Arts wrapped up, on December 4th, we had our annual Make It and Take It Kids Craft day at Crossroads. We had over 95 kids come and make wonderful handmade ornaments, write their letter to Santa and have a wonderful time. Thank you to our volunteers: Pam Bingham, Roberta Donaldson, Judy Baker, Judy Brazofsky, Betty Ann Clark, Carol Koble, Terri Axness, Frances Langrell, Susan Sorenson, Judy Schroder, Jeanne Schroeder, and Sharon Bannister. A special thanks to the parents who jumped in and helped us out and to the Baker High School Choir who stopped by and sang to us. It was a truly wonderful day and just one way we truly live up to our mission...a welcoming place where people meet and the arts speak.

2011 Membership

If you have not paid your 2011 membership, please do so as soon as possible. Those dollars help cover the day to day operations of Crossroads and are vitally important to us.

Remember the Oregon Cultural Trust contributions are due December 31st! Donate \$500.00 to Crossroads and donate \$500 to the Oregon Cultural Trust and receive a tax credit. Details at www.culturaltrust.org

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT OF CROSSROADS; THE MEMBERSHIP DRIVE HAS BEEN VERY SUCCESSFUL!

Business Sponsorships: I don't know about you but I love Oregon Public Broadcasting. They have been so great to Crossroads when filming the Salt Lick Auction. I am sure you have all noticed at the beginning and end of every show "brought to you by the following sponsors" acknowledgment of the support OPB receives from the corporate and foundation world. Crossroads is excited to start our new business sponsorship program of our monthly First Friday shows. Many art centers do these promotions to engage the business community and to widen our reach about the amazing art we showcase each and every month. At the Gala we had four businesses and individuals step forward to sponsor a First Friday event. Their sponsorship of \$500.00 will help us cover the costs of posters and advertising; we will start a monthly mailing of postcards to members and friends inviting them to the show. We hope to encourage business to use this as an opportunity to entertain clients or thank their employees. Letters and personal contact from Board Members will start soon, but if you are interested in being a First Friday Sponsor or partnering with a fellow business contact Crossroads at 541-523-5369 and we can talk to you about your options. We are also looking for restaurants and catering firms to sponsor food for First Friday to showcase their business. Board Member Tricia Everson and I will be making personal contacts and talking about how our "foodies" can support Crossroads. So be checking those posters and postcards to see which business is "proud to sponsor Crossroads!"

For Your Safety

Please be very careful on the front steps during the winter months. In fact, please try not to use them. The doors into the downstairs studios are open and are much safer. They are also easier for us to care for. Also please wipe your feet at the door; any ice melt that we use is tough on the floors.

A huge Thanks to the Kinsman Foundation which will award Crossroads \$6,000 in 2011 to complete the engineering study on the steps so that we can start a multiyear process to have the steps rebuilt. I think that 2011 and probably 2012 I will be busy writing grants and will learn more about steps then I have ever wanted to learn. Please watch your newsletter and signage at the steps for directions.

Executive Director Report

Another year gone by, still can't figure out how it happened so quick. As you notice in the newsletter we created a Thank You page with hopes that we remembered everyone who have given so much to 2010 a very successful year at Crossroads.

At this time of year, we all reflect back and look forward.

Successes for Crossroads: Crossroads has navigated an extreme tough economic time and in the end we are ok. Thanks to prior and current Crossroads boards who, very wisely set money aside for that "rainy day." We have been so fortunate to have had Cynthia Jack Newman join us as our Community Art Director this year. Not a day goes by that I do not thank the stars up above for bringing Pam Bingham to Crossroads. What a wonderful friend and even more wonderful Volunteer Coordinator. What wonderful shows and programs we were able to bring you in 2010; what a pleasure all our artists have been to work with and I thank them for sharing their talent with all of us.

On the days that are the darkest it always humbles me those people who believe in me and in Crossroads. The Crossroads Board of Directors who work so tireless for this organization. Vice Chair Ann Mehaffy who is always a phone call away, Sharon Bannister our tirelessly spell checker, paper shredder and friend. Tricia Everson who always ask how can I help, Paul Hoelscher who has never once seen a chair or table that he wasn't willing to move for me and always with a smile on his face. Terri Bell and the whole staff at Clarke and Clarke Insurance, who always have time, a laugh and kindness. My mentoring team -Kathleen Chaves, Mary Tomlinson, Terri Bell, Terri Axness, Molly Wilson and Kristi Sandefur who are so giving of their time and support. Richard and Kathleen Chaves and the whole team at Chaves Consulting, I could not ask for a kinder more supportive corporate partner who is always willing to help out.

Opportunities for Crossroads: Looking at the shows coming to Crossroads in 2011 a couple of things jump out. First, you will see lots of new names and many of these artists do not come from our traditional regional footprint. Crossroads as the community art center has two over riding obligations to promote local and regional artists and to offer to you exciting, thought provoking and inspirational work. This year will be about inspiration. Shows that inspires us all, new styles of work, and we will get to meet new friends who have done their homework and see the promise in our growing arts community. One of the most exciting opportunities comes to Crossroads in 2012, when we will host a traveling show from the Missoula Art Museum entitled Montana Clay. This show will feature the work of the top clay artists in the State of Montana celebrating the 65th Anniversary of the Archie Bray Foundation, one of the country's premiere pottery training facilities. We are already starting the planning for this event as it will be a huge commitment and Crossroads will have some financial obligation. Yet more important we want all of Baker, Eastern Oregon and those who are passionate about Art to recognize what a wonderful chance we have to see in our own community national recognized art work. I am already working with Baker County Marketing and fortunately, through our great connections, we have had a personal invitation to apply for funding for a grant to improve our gallery space in 2011, all will be focused on Montana Clay. To quote that old commercial- Crossroads "you have come a long way baby!"

This has been a tough year for grant funding. I have made it a personal goal to be a better writer and more strategic in my planning. Crossroads has to build a stronger relationship with the Oregon Arts Commission and the Oregon Cultural Trust and if that fails, we need to deepen our existing relationship with the Idaho Commission on the Arts who have been so helpful to us this year. Goal for the staff is to streamline our paperwork so that we can spend more time engaged in programs. I am also committed to get out in the community to talk about what we can offer our community in programs, classes and engagement.

So on behalf of the Crossroads Family and the Savage Family we wish you the happiest of holidays and a joyous and prosperous 2011!

Ginger Savage
Executive Director

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If we have forgotten anyone,
please forgive us and Thank You!

Artist News

Suzanne Achilles has been accepted at the Blue Heron Gallery in Florence, Oregon and Breach the Moon gallery in Newport, Oregon. Her work is being represented on the east coast in Florida, Philadelphia and New York.

Sharol Chandler is "currently working on a painting of Hells Canyon commissioned by Canyon Outfitters," and has another commission for a Snake River/Hells Canyon painting.

Linda Elliott is showing a series of 12 paintings of Union County wildflowers and medicinal herbs at the Union County Arts and Cultural Center (UCACC) in La Grande through January 13th. Linda created the series with the help of a grant from the Union County Cultural Coalition. Linda says "the exhibit includes information on the plants depicted – genus, species, current and historical medicinal and food uses as applicable. As a practicing herbalist, this has been a wonderful opportunity to allow my interest in herbs to cross over into my art world."

"Six of the pieces in the show are medium to large realistic works in oils (a couple were exhibited at Crossroads in June). The second set of 6 paintings are smaller more intimate works inspired by the oils but executed in experimental mixed media (oil pastel, acrylic, and watercolor) and more impressionistic in style. The mixed media paintings have given me a chance to work (play) in a different media and style and they have inspired an additional series – currently in progress that is an even bigger departure from my previous work."

Batik Convergence, artists Jan Clark, Sue Orlaske, Linda Peterson and Denise Elizabeth Stone, will be showing their work at UCACC in La Grande March 17th through May 16th.

Jan Clark will be teaching a watercolor basics class at UCACC February 19th and again April 23rd. Jan will be teaching Forest Fantasy, a watercolor class at Crossroads March 12th.

In the Gallery

NEW IN THE SALES GALLERY

Amy Van Gaasbeck of Baker City is currently showing a series of ballet related acrylic paintings.

Vernon Garrison, formerly from Baker City, is an artist working in wood. Vernon is showing hand carved diamond willow walking sticks that he paints and decorates with images inspired by the Native American southwest.

CALL TO ARTISTS

Three times a year, April, September, and December, we have an open regional art show in the main gallery at Crossroads. An "open show" is open to all artists around the region regardless of whether their work is currently juried into the sales gallery or not. Our April show has traditionally been a themed show and this year, April 2011, the theme is "Inspired By the Written Word." We are hoping that artists will create work that is inspired by literature, a book, a poem, a quote, a song or other written material.

Artwork accepted
Tuesday, March 29th, 2011
from 10am to 5pm

First Friday opening
Friday, April 1st from 5:30pm to 8pm

Show closing
Friday, April 29th, 5pm

Artists pick up unsold work
Monday, May 2nd from 10am to 5pm

OPEN STUDIOS TOUR

Several local artists decided to gather together and start up the Open Studios Tour again in September. Artists Terri Axness, Blue Mountain Fine Art, Ann Eriksmoen, Bill Huston, Rebecca Litke, Michael McVey, Tom Novak, Alyssa Peterson, Mary Sue Rightmire, Jeanne Schroder, Nanci Sheppard, Andrea Stone, Brian Vegter, Corrine Vegter, E'Jay Weber and Gene Yates opened their studios to the public for demonstrations and tours. Thank you to all of you that attended the tour. The artists are in the beginning stages of planning a tour early in October of 2011.

2012 FEATURED ARTISTS

We have put out a call for proposals for featured artists in the main gallery for 2012. The applications are due January 15, 2011, and are available on our web-site at www.crossroads-arts.org.

UPCOMING 2011 FEATURED ARTIST SHOWS

January 2011: Student Art show. This show will feature Junior High and High School student artwork from around Baker County, as well as the artwork of Crossroads art class students and will represent a variety of media. The show opens Friday, January 7th, with the opening reception from 5:30 to 8pm. The show will run through Monday, January 31st.

February 2011: Sue Latta. Sue is a mixed media sculptor from Boise who uses "steel, rubber, resin, rawhide, cast aluminum, wood, glass, found objects, photographs, paper and iron." Sue says that "the goal of the work is to create sculptural forms that are emotive as well as visceral. Work that pulls you in and asks more than it answers and requires something of you." Sue is an adjunct professor of art at Boise State University. You can see Sue's work at www.suelatta.com. The show opens Friday, February 4th, with an informal artist talk at 4:30pm and the opening reception from 5:30 to 8pm. The show will run through Saturday, February 26th. Sue will be teaching a resin casting class at Crossroads, Saturday, February 5th.

February student gallery: Baker Middle School

March 2011: Original Weather: 1 Artist/8 Poets. Robert Tomlinson and the 1st & 3rd Thursday Poets. "A show dedicated to ekphrasis – the wondrous connection between the conception of an artwork and large, mixed media drawings on paper and photo-based collages." Robert is the brother of Jim Tomlinson of Baker City. Robert will be joined by the 1st & 3rd Thursday Poets, "a group of poets from Eugene, Oregon gathered to examine more complex, experimental, longer forms of poetry/flash fiction." The show opens Friday, March 4th, with the opening reception from 5:30 to 8pm. The show will run through Monday, March 28th.

March student gallery: Brooklyn Elementary

April 2011: National poetry month and "Inspired by the Written Word."

April student gallery: Haines Elementary

Community Art Director Report

I want to thank the Gallery Committee members for a great year of hard work and support of Crossroads. Gallery Committee members include: Pam Bingham, Violet Clay, Marcia Cook, Ann Eriksmoen, Carol Koble, Ivy Nelson, Mary Sue Rightmire and Nanci Sheppard. Ann Eriksmoen and Marcia Cook decided to resign from the Committee at the end of this year after years of volunteering; we will miss them on the committee, and really appreciate their help and artistic expertise for so many years.

Jacki Harris has been working behind the scenes entering membership data into the computer that will help us to manage our member list. We really appreciate her dedication and cheerful nature.

I also want to thank the artists that entered their artwork in the September and December open shows, the open shows are always dynamic with the work of new and emerging artists as well as the artists that we represent in the gallery. If you are an artist, keep these open shows in mind as a great way challenge yourself to create new works of art.

In October we were pleased to welcome the talented Wreden family; Phil, Ivy, Minden, and Keegan from Halfway and their diverse body of work. In November we enjoyed the work of long-time Baker County resident and teacher, Terri Axness and her large collection of work and pieces from private collections.

If you haven't been in to check out the new lending library, I would encourage you to do so. Claire Duncan, a Crossroads volunteer and retired school librarian, is in the process of cataloging all of the art books in our newly formed lending library. We started the new library with a generous donation from the Clara Hall Hutchinson estate. The books are available for a one month check-out to Crossroads members. We will be sharing our book list with the Baker County library to avoid duplicate purchases. If you have art related books that you are interested in donating to the library we would be very interested in talking with you.

The first annual Feed the Arts in November was a great success due to the creative thought and hard work of Corrine Vegter and a large group of volunteers. The Bowl Building Bonanza and Feed the Arts are an excellent example of a community art event that brings together a wide variety of people to participate in the arts. We welcome fresh ideas such as Corrine's that provide opportunities for the community to experience art in its many forms.

Cynthia Newman
Community Art Director

Volunteer Corner

We love our volunteers at Crossroads. Thank you for all you do. Our 2010 volunteers include Judy Baker, Sharon Bannister, Tommy Barger, Amy Bowman, Violet Clay, Chris Cantrell, Marcie Cook, Claire Duncan, Deanna Davis, Sarah Dennis, Kelsey Eastman, Ann Eriksmoen, Rose Fisher, Jacki Harris, Nova Sue Harrison, Paul Hoelscher, Carol Koble, Sandy Lewis, Jessica McBroom, George Mauer, Darrell and Marla Mayer, Mary Nicolson, Pam Petterson, Nathan Pointer, Judy Schroeder, Nanci Sheppard, Susan Sorenson, Judy Chamard, Barbara Turner, Scott Ungerecht, Kim Ward, Tori Wirth and Wanda Williams. A huge thank you to Sarah Dennis for all the time she gives to Crossroads. Sarah is a senior at Baker High School and volunteers nearly every Saturday at Crossroads. She is also giving of her time during Christmas break, great job!!

We are always looking for more volunteers; one need we are looking to fill is a hostess for First Fridays. The hostess would be responsible to set up and refill refreshments and make coffee and punch and clean up after. We could also use more help in the "housekeeping" of Crossroads and shopkeepers. If you have a desire to volunteer please call us at 541-523-5369.

Thank you,
Pam Bingham
Volunteer Coordinator

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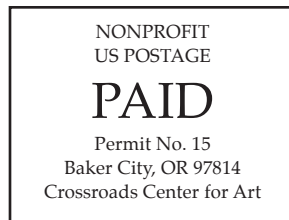
Mark Your Calendar

Annual Meeting of the Corporation will be January 19, 2011 at Crossroads in the upstairs gallery at 7:00pm. All members are welcome to receive the "state of the organization" message and to meet the new board members selected by you. The current Board of Directors is trying to grow the board and is meeting with potential applicants for the board as this newsletter goes to press. Your ballot will come to you via postcard within the next few weeks. Please vote and return to Crossroads on our before January 19th.



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