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OLIVE HYDE *Art* GUILD

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36th Annual Holiday for the Arts Show & Sale

Gala: Friday: Nov 30th, 5:30 pm to 9 pm

Show & Sale: Sat. & Sun., Dec. 1st & 2nd, 10 am to 5 pm

As Fremont's annual cultural gem and shopping extravaganza, "Holiday for the Arts," opens with a ticketed **Gala on Friday night, November 30**. Guests will be served gourmet delicacies, wine and beer in the tent covered courtyard. The festive **Show & Sale continues on Saturday, December 1, and Sunday, December 3, from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm**, with musical entertainment each afternoon. There is no charge to the public for either Saturday or Sunday.

Friday night's Gala on November 30 is held from 5:30 pm to 9:00 pm. Gala tickets are available to members at the price of \$15 until November 29. To non members, and at the door, all tickets will be \$20. **For tickets contact Lorrie Wong at 510/651-3015. A drawing for a Jennifer Wool designed Gourd Garden will occur at 8:30 pm.**

As Olive Hyde Art Guild's only fundraising event, Holiday for the Arts helps to fund the purchase of children's art books for the Fremont Library, art supplies for low income children, scholarships for Fremont high school seniors & Ohlone students planning to continue art studies, an art program for developmentally disabled adults, capital improvements at the Olive Hyde Art Gallery, gallery promotions, and other community art events. If you would like to encourage friends & family to support our event you may send a link to our colorful postcard: <http://olivehydeartguild.org/hsspostcard>.

Featuring the original art of over 100 artists, the Olive Hyde Art Gallery & Center will be filled with high quality, original, one of a kind pieces of jewelry, ceramics, glass, paintings, fiber, wood, and seasonal goods. As the largest Holiday Show ever offered at Olive Hyde Art Center, finding the perfect gift or treasure at a reasonable price is a great way to kick off the holiday season.

HOORAY for HOLIDAY SHOW 2018 SUPER "STARS"!

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FEATURED ARTIST JENNIFER WOOL

Jennifer will donate a Succulent Gourd Garden to the winner of the drawing to be announced at the Gala.

HERE'S TO A STAR STUDDERED 36th HOLIDAY SHOW!!!

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FESTIVE FEATURED MUSICIANS

Friday Night Gala: Guitarist/Singer/Songwriter
Michael Deneau

Saturday, 1:30-3pm, Classical Guitar Ensemble & Vocalist
Peter Denyer, Lucy Lanham & Mark Loy

Sunday, 2-3:30pm, Flute Fantasia
Alicia Unis, Joyce Tanaka, Roberta Brokaw and Sue Rudholm

Gourd Garden Raffle at the Gala By Jennifer Wool



Fremont Town Fair Plaza



TOWN FAIR PLAZA

What's happening in that geodesic dome at the corner of State Street & Capitol? Artists and Makers---there are opportunities ahead. Here's the scoop from Isaiah Wilson, who does Program Development for PSA (Public Space Authority)

Town Fair Plaza is a temporary communal space meant to enhance the developing downtown Fremont through hosting several events for the community. Our space provides exciting, free events such as food truck markets, beer tasting events, cultural festivals, live music showcases, wrestling shows, and so much more. Town Fair Plaza has ample activities no matter the event; the space has mini golf courses, games such as table tennis, pop-shot, and cornhole, a beer garden, ample seating, and a geodesic dome that is use as a enter of events.

Town Fair Plaza is a space that combines exciting family fun with enriching showcases that celebrate and cultivate Fremont's diverse cultures. One of the missions of Town Fair Plaza is to enliven and celebrate local culture by hosting events centered around wellness, health, education, and the arts. This is an outdoor space with boundless opportunities for creative minds who want to utilize the space for their artistic endeavors.

Since our opening in August, several organizations that have utilized the space to make engaging events at the space. Last month, we've had surrounding animal shelters host the Halloween dog costume competition as a way to promote local animal shelters and pet adoption. Cultural oriented events, such as Halal Fest and India Live, showcases and celebrates Fremont's diversity community. Coming in 2019, we will continue to host and showcase cultural events in our communal space.

Beyond nonprofits and cultural groups, we have had design firms help contribute to the beautification of the space as a whole. In October, San Francisco based interior design firm, Studio O + A brought out their 'food for thought' truck that was retrofitted to an office space to invite the community to help design our newest mini golf course as well as provide ergonomic seating in the space. And our space is always looking for artists to add their own ideas and concepts to the curation of Town Fair Plaza.

Through our upcoming events such as Small Business Saturday, Vendor Swap Meets, and vending at night markets, we facilitate a place for entrepreneurs and artists to sell their works at our space. On December 15th, the Weird Science Fair made up of makers, engineers, scientists, who will showcase interactive exhibits for children to engage in STEAM programs.

Town Fair Plaza is a space for the community and we encourage people to utilize the space for their visions. We invite creatives to come enjoy our events, either through acting as vendor to sell your work at a night market or weekend event, or by using our space to host an exhibition or create a showcase.'

Please reach us via info info@townfairplaza.com Or fill out the corresponding form on our website here <https://townfairplaza.com/be-a-part-of-town-fair-plaza>

Calling All Textile Lovers. Quilters. Repurposing Clothiers & the Curious

On October 28, I went to a FAB-Mo Textile Arts Boutique. I'd heard about Fab-Mo and it sounded like such a creative way to solve an environmental issue. This unique non-profit began in the 90's and is 100% supported by donations and run by volunteers. The founders of FAB-Mo (Fabric & More) realized much of the designer materials in the San Francisco Design District could be used rather than thrown out! Designer sample-sized textiles, wall papers, yarns, trims, notions and what-nots had been tossed because newer samples were provided year round. Fab-Mo began collecting, sorting and inviting others to reuse them in schools, after school and summer camp programs. In fact, their efforts divert more than 70 tons from landfills each year. The good news is they also allow you to make selections at set monthly events in the Bay Area. Fab-Mo does suggest nominal donations to help them pay their rent.

At the annual Boutique there were all kinds of beautiful purses, tote bags, aprons, vests, jackets, dolls, jewelry, and all sorts of knitted and crocheted hats, scarves, and more! About 50 artist/entrepreneurs displayed their upcycled finished products for sale. I believe there is a minimum percentage of FabMo's original content that must be included to participate in this Boutique. If a field trip sounds interesting,, let me know. - Elaina Habel

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE FOR HOLIDAY SHOW & SALE

Please review the Volunteer Schedule posted on our website:

www.olivehydeartguild.org. You will see "Quick Links" on the right side of the page. Click on "Holiday Show & Sale" and you will see a link for "Volunteer Schedule". Please make note of your assignment. It is greatly appreciated if you arrive on time. If, for any reason, you are unable to make your assignment, please let us know. And, there's still time to sign up to help!



President's Message

Hello Dear Members!

The excitement is building and the artists are working feverishly. Our Ways & Means Team: **Judy Anglin, Karen Dobmeier, and Diane Leys** have been so busy 'fine tuning' the many tasks to orchestrate this year's 36th annual Gala, Holiday Show & Sale.

We await the arrival of beautiful paintings, ceramics and jewelry that dazzle and bring joy! We'll soon see our raffle prize crafted by this year's Featured Artist, **Jennifer Wool**. It's a showstopper—you might win it! Your help volunteering in our annual fundraiser is always appreciated and as a shopper too!

Did you know our Holiday Show & Sale, has become "legendary"? It's true. Our Gala Hostess of Hospitality, **Martha Mahuron**, looks forward to welcoming you and your lovely "plated" canapés and sweet treats. It will be another evening under the Big Top with colorful décor, music, fabulous food and delightful drinks.

Hope to see you soon, Dear Members--- let's participate & celebrate.

Cheers!

Elaina Habel, President OHAG

Louie-Meager Art Gallery Exhibit, Smith Center for Performing Arts, Ohlone College, Fremont

Recent Works from Southern California artists educators Richard Keely and Anna O'Cain, on view through February 14th, 2019. An artist reception and gallery talk will be held Tuesday, November 27th from 1:30-2:30. This event is free and open to the public.

Upcoming: Anna O'Cain's work often involves performative actions taken from daily life. On Monday, February 12 Anna will present a mending workshop at the gallery. You can participate by bringing your clothes to Anna on this day. Anna's only requirement is you stay and talk to her while she mends your clothes.

Gallery hours M/W 11-4pm and T/TH 12-4pm
For more information, please contact Dina Rubiolo at drubiolo@ohlone.edu or visit the gallery webpage at <https://www.ohlone.edu/artgallery>.

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How was that Book Arts Jam on October 21?

Thanks to our own book artist, **P Kay Hille-Hatton**, I became a first time attendee—and will definitely go back next year! This event is organized by Bay Area Book Artists. There were easily a hundred artists and vendors, displaying and selling their incredible books and all sorts of related supplies. It's difficult to describe these beautiful original books created with painstaking planning, design and final presentation. You are not allowed to photograph them, but you may carefully handle and enjoy them by wearing gloves they provide. I was quite taken by the handmade covers and the delicate pages with original artwork, prose and poetry. These books are absolutely made with great care and love. They are not all achingly beautiful, some actually become a delightful surprise in your hands as they pop open into a burst of bright silk flowers! Of course, there are all types of books.

Personally, I could not pass up a very funny one all about CHOCOLATE. Here's two of my favorite pages in the book:

"I'd Give Up Chocolate, But I'm Not a Quitter."

"Men Are Like CHOCOLATES, avoid the nutty ones....and the ones somebody else tried to put back."

-Elaina Habel

Upcoming Show – Mark your calendars

TBD (American Portraiture by James Mills)
Exhibition Dates: January 11- February 9,2019
Opening reception: Friday, January 11, 2019 (7-9 pm)



GALA NIGHT CANAPES & HOLIDAY TREATS

All members are asked to bring canapes or dessert for the Gala on Friday, November 30. If you are unable to attend, please drop off your food item any time after 4:30. All items should be ready to serve at the time of delivery. If the item is perishable and needs refrigeration, please so indicate with a note on the wrapping. Thank-you for helping make our one fundraising event of the year a success!

GALA PARKING

Parking is sometimes a challenge on the night of the Holiday Gala. There is a **public parking lot** on **Mission Blvd**, just north of the Olive Hyde Art Center (about 4 bldgs.), on the same side of the street. There is also parking **along Mission Blvd**. We have received approval to use the parking lot across from **Mission Coffee**, and **after 5:30 pm, the Montessori School** parking lot. . If you have an opportunity, please say "thank you" to these businesses. And do try and carpool too!

LAST CALL FOR WINE ... Opportunity is Waiting for You!!!

Wine pledges for Gala Night have been good but 3 more cases are needed. Great if any Guild members would like to donate a few bottles, a half or full case.

MONETARY DONATIONS from Guild Members have reached \$2,500!!! It's an immense help to our event. Huge thanks to all!

-Judy Anglin: jang95@aol.com, 510-651-2811

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