



# Artists' E-Newsletter

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The Horse Barn Arts Center

If you know of opportunities for artists, please call Steven at 977-2002 or email at [barn@siouxempireartscouncil.com](mailto:barn@siouxempireartscouncil.com).

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING ITEMS FOR THE JUNE NEWSLETTER IS WEDNESDAY, MAY 19.**

Horse Barn Arts Center Hours:  
Wed - Sat  
Noon to 5 PM  
Closed Sun, Mon & Tues



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## **\*CALL FOR CLOWN ART!!**

### The Exhibit

Portfolio Gallery, Horse Barn Arts Center: June & July 2010

David Warren has been working on an installation piece for this exhibit. Called "The Collectors", it features a living room scene with a photograph of a couple sitting quietly on a sofa surrounded by their art collection -- clown art!

This call is for two dimensional clown art that is gallery ready for hanging, created within the last 2 years and not previously shown in the HBAC.

Screw plates and wire required; NO SAW TOOTH HANGERS.

Deadline to notify the HBAC: Wednesday, May 19 by 4 pm.

An image (jpg or photograph) of your work is required by the deadline date of May 19.

Work must be delivered to the HBAC by Saturday, May 29.

The exhibit will be installed Tuesday, June 1.

The reception is a First Friday Event, June 4, 5:30 to 7:30 pm.

The complete Call for Art/Registration form is also attached to the accompanying email:

Steven Larson, Gallery Director  
Horse Barn Arts Center  
[barn@siouxempireartscouncil.com](mailto:barn@siouxempireartscouncil.com)  
605-977-2002

## **2010 Summer Art Classes at the Horse Barn**

***June 1-4 (Tues-Fri)***

***1-3p.m Drawing Den, ages 8-12***

Learn to draw all kinds of things in this class featuring the power of paper and pencil! We will draw abstract designs, objects, people, real and imaginary creatures and more. If you love to draw or want to learn how, come draw with me!

Instructor: Lisa Vande Vegte

***June 5 (Sat)***

***Noon-3 p.m. Altered Art Mix, ages 13 to Adult***

Come sample different art media and start an art journey this summer! You will get a book to create and learn techniques in altering. We will complete three pages/techniques in class. All supplies included – feel free to bring photos, papers, collage treasures and a favorite scissors. Beginners and experienced artists all welcome! Sign up with a friend!

Instructor: Lisa Vande Vegte

***June 7-10 (Mon-Thurs)***

***10-noon Painting Place, ages 5-8***

Kids will paint their own tempera painting on canvas to take home and display proudly! Learn how to mix colors, create textures, and paint a beautiful scene. Draw and paint water-color critters, too! Wear or bring a paint shirt for this active class.

Instructor: Zigrid Larson

***June 7-10 (Mon-Thurs)***

***1-3 p.m. Amazing Acrylic Painting, ages 9-13***

Imagine painting colorful brushstrokes on your own stretched canvas. Learn to use acrylic paint to create an original work of art. We will explore the creation of color mixes and use photographs to paint landscapes, pets and more. Paint shirt is recommended.

Instructor: Lisa Vande Vegte

***July 26-29 (Mon-Thurs)***

***2-4 p.m. Nature Drawing for Kids, ages 5 ½ - 9***

Bugs, trees, shells, animals, rivers.....Inspired by Emily Dickinson's nature poems, students will explore drawing animals and landscapes through line, shape, and texture drawing techniques. The class will draw out doors (weather permitting) as well as learn about the art displayed in the Horse Barn Galleries.

Instructor: Rita Stoel

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**August 2-5 (Mon-Thurs)**

**10-noon, Parrots and Pet Rocks, ages 6-9**

Make cool critters in this fun art adventure. Paint a colorful parrot using the color wheel. Create a solid pet rock with paint and texture. Imagine a habitat for each of your newly hatched pets. Fun hands-on art activities inside and outside in Falls Park.

Instructor: Zigrid Larson

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\* If you are a member of the Sioux Empire Arts Council and would like to have your work featured in this newsletter, please send 3 or 4 jpg images that are indicative of your current body of work to [barn@siouxempireartscouncil.com](mailto:barn@siouxempireartscouncil.com). Include a brief artist's statement & bio, and if you have a website, or your work is represented in a gallery, include the appropriate links and contact information.

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## Summer Porch Series at Strawbale Winery

Strawbale Winery is looking for visual artists to display and sell their work during this summer-long series.

The Summer Porch Series is every Thursday, 5:00 to 8:00 pm, from May 27 through August 26, 2010.

The vendor fee is \$50.00 for the entire summer.

If interested, contact Don South at 605-543-5071 or email to [strawbalewine@alliancecom.net](mailto:strawbalewine@alliancecom.net).

Strawbale Winery  
47215 257th St  
Renner SD 57055



Sioux Falls Jazz & Blues announces a 5K run and 1 mile fun walk as the latest addition to events at the newly expanded Sioux Falls Jazz & Blues Festival, scheduled for July 15th, 16th, and 17th at Yankton Trail Park in Sioux Falls, SD.

The JazzFest 5K will be held Saturday, July 17th at 9:00 a.m.

“A 5K event has been on the JazzFest back burner for quite some time and we are very excited to make it a reality this year,” said Katrina Lehr-McKinney, Executive Coordinator for the organization. “Funds raised from the event will support our educational outreach programs that serve thousands of children every year.”

“We are pleased that the Sioux Falls Area Running Club is a partner of this event, and will assist us with event coordination,” said Lehr-McKinney.

#### EVENT DETAILS:

- Timing services will be provided by Sioux Falls Area Running Club. Each participant will be given a race number at packet pickup.
- Registrants can pick up packets the day of the race starting at 7:30 a.m. at Yankton Trail Park.
- Race begins at 9:00 a.m. at Yankton Trail Park. All entrants are guaranteed a t-shirt if registered by July 7th.
- 5K run: \$20 or \$25 after July 7th
- 1 mi. fun walk: \$20 or \$25 after July 7th
- Team run or walk: \$50 or \$60 after July 7th (up to four team members)
- Age categories for run: m/w 19 and under; m/w 20-30; m/w 31-40; m/w 41-50; m/w 51+
- Awards and refreshments immediately following race. Music starts at Noon on both JazzFest stages!

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER ONLINE!](#)

For more information, contact Katrina Lehr-McKinney at 605-335-6101 or [Katrina@sfjb.org](mailto:Katrina@sfjb.org).

WHAT: JazzFest 5K run/ 1 mi. fun walk

WHEN: Saturday, July 17th at 9:00 a.m.

WHERE: Yankton Trail Park, Sioux Falls, SD

REGISTRATION INFO: \$20 per individual; \$50 per team of 4. (Late registration after July 7 is \$25 per individual or \$60 per team.) [CLICK HERE](#) to register online or call 605-335-6101.

# ARTability

**The Mayor's Disability Awareness Commission (DAC) is hosting an exhibit for local artists with disabilities to show their work during June and July 2010 at the Museum of Visual Materials (MoVM) in Sioux Falls.**

## Requirements

- \* Original in concept, composition, and execution, no copies wholly or in part from any published or copyrighted work.
- \* Be ready to hang using screw plates and wire. No sawtooth hangers will be allowed. If the artwork is heavy, the artist is responsible for secure installation.
- \* Submit a brief artist statement about your piece and the technique used in its creation. Include how you feel having a disability has influenced your art. This should be submitted by the May 14th entry deadline. This will be included in the gallery guide for visitors.

## Timeline

- \* Call for Art published – Monday, November 16, 2009
- \* Notice of Entry deadline – Friday, May 14, 2010
- \* Art delivered to MoVM – June 1-2, 2010, between 1 & 4 PM  
Please contact the MoVM to make other arrangements if you can't deliver during these times. Please submit your work prior to 4 PM on June 2, 2010, to be included in the exhibit. Entrants are responsible for transportation of their work to and from the MoVM and any shipping cost is the responsibility of the artist. The MoVM is located at 500 North Main Avenue in Sioux Falls, 605-271-9500.
- \* Exhibit – Thursday, June 3 through Friday, July 30, 2010.
- \* Artists' Reception – Thursday, June 24, 6 – 8 PM.
- \* Retrieval – Please pick up your work on Monday, August 2, 2010, between 9 am and 4 PM or contact the MoVM for other arrangements.

## Other information

- \* There is no entry fee and you may sell your art if you wish.
- \* Due to the space limitations of the MoVM's gallery only artwork that can be hung will be displayed. The MoVM is a multi-purpose venue and has visitors of all ages. It is at the MoVM's discretion if the submitted work is appropriate for exhibition in this public venue. If the number of pieces submitted exceeds the allowed gallery space, artwork will be rotated out during July. All pieces submitted will be displayed during the artist's reception on June 24th. If multiple pieces from one artist are submitted, we reserve the right to limit the number displayed as gallery space allows.
- \* The DAC and the MoVM reserve the right to photograph any exhibited works and to use the photographs for promotional, educational and/or publicity purposes. The DAC and the MoVM or their personnel will not be responsible for loss or damages to artwork, however caused. Artists are responsible for insuring their own work. Submission of an entry into the exhibit indicates agreement by the artist to the conditions of this call for art.

### Other information, continued

Please email or mail the attached entry form along with a quality photograph or an electronic image (200 dpi and no larger than 2 MB) of your work along with an artist statement by Friday, May 14, 2010, to the following mailing or email address: DAC Office, City Hall, 224 West 9th Street, PO Box 7402, 57117-7402.

Telephone – 605-367-8745,

Email – [humanrelations@siouxfalls.org](mailto:humanrelations@siouxfalls.org)

The Call for Art is available on the DAC's website – [www.siouxfalls.org/relations](http://www.siouxfalls.org/relations) and the Sioux Empire Arts Council website – [www.siouxiempireartscouncil.com](http://www.siouxiempireartscouncil.com). Contact the DAC at 605-367-8745 with questions.

### ENTRY FORM. Email or mail with a photo or electronic image of your artwork.

Be sure to mark the check boxes to make sure you've met the requirements.

Artist Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Artwork \_\_\_\_\_ Year Created \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Sale Value \_\_\_\_\_

Dimensions \_\_\_\_\_ Insurance Value \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the entire Call for Art  My entry is attached to my work

My work has screw plates and wire

### ENTRY FORM. Attach to the back of your original artwork.

Be sure to mark the check boxes to make sure you've met the requirements.

Artist Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Artwork \_\_\_\_\_ Year Created \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Sale Value \_\_\_\_\_

Dimensions \_\_\_\_\_ Insurance Value \_\_\_\_\_

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## ART CLASSES With GARY HARTENHOFF

I am offering art classes in my art studio in Craftsman Creek Gallery at 420 East 8th St. in Sioux Falls. Each Saturday I will instruct two three hour sessions. One from 9 AM to 12 Noon and one from 1 PM to 4 PM. The art classes will be offered in packages of three 3-hour sessions ( You may choose these three sessions from any of the 8 sessions each month )

Plus:

A demonstration three Sunday mornings from 9 AM to 12 Noon each month  
A ten course program to extend your technical art knowledge.  
Use of a professional easel  
All supplies furnished including paint.  
Brushes from my own brush rack  
Four stretched Canvases ( one each 8 x 10, 11 x 14, 12 x 16, 16 x 20 )  
Storage of your paintings in progress  
Free critiques of finished work or work in progress by appointment  
Access to my art library including many how to books  
Access to the monthly issues of the top 6 art magazines  
Access to my reference files  
Display finished paintings in the Craftsman Creek Gallery for one month  
Periodic receptions in the Craftsman Creek Gallery for your finished paintings

The fee for this 9 hour, all inclusive class is \$200

If you have any further questions please contact me .

Gary Hartenhoff Artist In Oils  
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Sioux Falls SD 57103  
605-553-0744  
[ghartenhoff1@aol.com](mailto:ghartenhoff1@aol.com)  
[www.garyhartenhoff.com](http://www.garyhartenhoff.com)

## Yankton Area Arts

is pleased to announce the 2010 theme selected for the Mighty Mo Photo Show. This year's theme is "Through the Seasons". The Mighty Mo Photo Show is an area photographic competition designed to compliment Yankton's Annual Riverboat Days celebration and to encourage and recognize the talents of area photographers. You are invited to participate. The exhibit will run from July 28 through Sept 7.

### Eligibility and Requirements:

Open to all photographers living within a sixty mile radius of Yankton  
All photographic media, techniques and styles accepted  
Entries must relate to the exhibition theme: Through the Season  
All entries must be framed, wired for hanging and labeled with the artist's name, address, title of work and sale price  
Artists may enter up to four photographs in the competition  
Accepted works will not be withdrawn from the exhibition before the show ends

For further details please go to [www.YanktonAreaArts.org](http://www.YanktonAreaArts.org) or call Yankton Area Arts at 605-665-9754.

The G.A.R. Hall Art Gallery and Yankton Area Arts are located at 508 Douglas. The gallery is open to the public free of charge from 1 to 5 p.m. weekdays and from 1 to 3 p.m. on Saturdays.

For more information

call 665-9745, email [Pam@YanktonAreaArts.org](mailto:Pam@YanktonAreaArts.org) or see [www.YanktonAreaArts.org](http://www.YanktonAreaArts.org).

## Horse Barn Arts Center Opportunities

***"If you could say it in words,  
there'd be no reason to paint."***

***--Edward Hopper***



**Exhibit in the  
Horse Barn Arts Center**

***American Indian Youth  
Photovoice Project***

**Through May 31, 2010**

***HBAC Hours:  
Wednesday -- Saturday  
Noon to 5 PM  
Closed Sunday, Monday & Tuesday***

### **Watercolor Group Meets**

An informal gathering of watercolorists meets the fourth Tuesday of each month from 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM. There is no cost. Bring your painting materials and come to enjoy the camaraderie of other painters, and to share experience in techniques and styles. No instruction will be offered—this is an informal group formed to share in the love of watercolor painting. Everyone interested is invited!

### **Writers' Group**

This group meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM. Writers meet to share and critique each other's work. This group is always accepting new writers. Free and open to the public.

### **Open Mic Poetry Night**

Poets meet the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM. Share your original poetry with other poets, read from a favorite poet's work or just sit back and enjoy the readings. Free and open to the public.

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## Plein Air Paint Out

A quick blast about the Silver City Volunteer Fire Department's second Plein Air Paint Out.....It is on!!! July 8-11 in the Silver City area of the Black Hills. Last year we sold about \$3300 worth of art from \$25 to \$600 and raised close to \$900 for the SCVFD. We charge a 20% commission on all work sold. This event is in combination with the SCVFD's annual ice cream and pie social, the major fund-raiser for the organization.

A view of last year's event.....

<http://www.silvercitysd.com/pleinair2009.html>

More details are to follow...but write this on your calendars and pass this around to other artists.

## MEMBER GALLERIES

*Listed are members of the Sioux Empire Arts Council*

Prairie Moon Gallery

105 S McKenzie St

Luverne MN

507-449-4ART (4278)

Tues – Thurs: 2 PM – 7 PM

Friday: 2 PM – 5 PM

Saturday: 10 AM – 3 PM

Contact Sandra Dowie for more information.

[priariemoongallery@mchsi.com](mailto:priariemoongallery@mchsi.com)

[www.priariemoongallery.com](http://www.priariemoongallery.com)

*Press releases will no longer be accepted as input for the Artists' E-Newsletter. The time it takes to comb through all of this material, edit and print only what we can accept to keep the number of pages in the newsletter to a reasonable number, and to meld so many different formats, text types, etc. together has just become unmanageable.*

*All that will be accepted is What, Where, When, How Much, Contact Info – in WORD format only please -- so it can be cut and pasted. Material submitted as a PDF will not be used.*

*If you are a paid 2010 member of the Sioux Empire Arts Council, you may add a short paragraph with further explanation of the event – 75 words or less; a web site address which we will link; and one photo and/or logo.*

*Getting events in sooner than later always helps to make sure they're included.*

*Thanks for your understanding and continued support of the Arts in Sioux Falls. Please call if you have any questions or concerns.*

EastBank Art Gallery & Studio

401 E 8th St Ste 116

Sioux Falls SD 57104

Mon - Fri: Noon to 5 PM

Sat: 10 am to 5 PM

Closed Sundays

605-977-2667

Email: [ebag116@hotmail.com](mailto:ebag116@hotmail.com)

[www.eastbankartgallery.com](http://www.eastbankartgallery.com)

SEAC Members at EastBank Art Gallery & Studio include:

Robert Aldern: <http://www.aldernartstudios.com/>

<http://www.exmac.com/Gallery6.htm>

Cathleen Benberg: <http://www.sdartists.net/members/cbenberg/>

Gary Hartenhoff: <http://garyhartenhoff.com/>

Cheryl Longseth: [Cheryl Bohlman Longseth at Eastbank](#)

Carol Wright: [www.eastbankartgallery.com](http://www.eastbankartgallery.com)

**Sticks and Steel**

401 E 8th St # 118 (8th & Railroad Center)

[www.sticksandsteel.com](http://www.sticksandsteel.com)

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# ***Battle for the Arts!***

Club David  
214 W 10th St  
First & Third Thursdays at 9:00 PM

## **So...what is Battle For The Arts?**

In a nutshell, Battle For The Arts is a way for art to become fun again (in the event that its become "unfun"! Battle For The Arts is a concept new to this area, providing an interactive art experience while enjoying an evening out.

Artists are set up in a bracketed tournament to go head to head. Each night of the tournament, two artists create large scale drawings armed only with a marker. No sketches or additional materials are allowed. The crowd watches and cheers them on, ultimately determining the victor.

That artist continues to move up the ranks until there is an ultimate showdown between the two favorites. On the last night of competition, an overall winner is declared!

This year the battle will culminate in a gallery style open house. The art will be auctioned off to raise funds for the Sioux Empire Arts Council.

Battle For The Arts is every 1st and 3rd Thursday at 9 PM at Club David! There will be a DJ and dance music, as well as drink specials during the Battle.

## **Music, Dancing and Art in one!**

For more details on becoming a participating artist or just interested in battle dates, check [www.site.battleforthearts.org/Home.html](http://www.site.battleforthearts.org/Home.html)

## ***Prairie Star Art Gallery***

207 S Phillips Ave  
Sioux Falls SD 57104

Donald Montileaux created several small pieces with varied themes: Night Visitors (wolf protectors) When Spirits Fly (horses), and 3 Moons (buffalo hunt), all on old ledgers and with floating ledger art in black frames.

Jim Yellowhawk, award winner in multiple categories in Santa Fe and at NPIAM, did a wonderful small original on Homestake Mining paper, another depicting the Great Race of Animals in the Black Hills with the magpie passing the buffalo, and a third piece with a 1932 Indian Motorcycle on 1932 ledger paper. He also did a couple of double-sided heavy glass paperweight style originals called Lakota Warriors.

Keri Fischer, a nursing student at USD, has become a prize-winning raku, horsehair and slip pottery artist, after only a year at the wheel and kiln. She took first and second in pottery at the local market. Many new and affordable pieces are shown at the gallery from functional mugs and vases to fun table pieces.

Melvin Miner, from the Black Hills, brought in tiny painted medicine bags, as well as earth painted rawhide rattles and a large medicine wheel shield with painted feathers and trade cloth.

Antone Le Beau, Michael Haskell, Mitchell Zephier as well as the Szabo family: Paul and Bryan Szabo and Matt Tucker have done some amazing turquoise beaded, silver and antler, horn pieces for your favorite female.

An up-and-coming Arikara artist, Lauren Good Day Frank did some great ledgers of females and couples framed on a gingham background and a beautiful fully beaded bag in 13 cut glass beads for the collector or anyone wanting a tiny art piece to be an heirloom.

New sculptures include pieces by Bruce Contway (IACA winner in 1998) who has started bringing back some older pieces: Wanagi (free spirit), a large standing buffalo and a one-foot tall version of the Buffalo Robe seen in our front window and outside in the Cherapa Place sculpture garden. Chris Powell has miniature kinetic energy sets of the Monarch butterflies seen in front of our store as well as King butterflies, mini eagles and buffalo skull paper weights.

Alfred Decoteau has excelled again in doing a great bear out of ancient Alaskan alabaster and an elder and soaring eagle in diamond willow. Besides these great juried artists, there's something meaningful and smaller for every pocketbook. Stop in and treat your senses!

Hours 6-10 PM; closed on Tuesdays and Sundays. Call 338-9300 for information; visit our historic building with timeless indigenous art in the heart of downtown, or visit our web site: [www.prairstar.com](http://www.prairstar.com).

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Be sure to check out the calls for art at South Dakota Artisans Connection:

[www.southdakotaartisans.com](http://www.southdakotaartisans.com)

*Remember that we also offer SEAC members the opportunity to have a link to their own website or online galleries posted on the SEAC website. We can also post SEAC members links here in this artists' newsletter.*

## GRANTS

South Dakota Arts Council

For more information and application pages, go to  
[www.artscouncil.sd.gov/guide/grantstoartists.asp](http://www.artscouncil.sd.gov/guide/grantstoartists.asp)

Bush Foundation

[www.bushfoundation.org](http://www.bushfoundation.org)

## OTHER WEB SITES

The Painter's Keys

[www.painterskeys.com](http://www.painterskeys.com)

South Dakota Arts Council

[www.artscouncil.sd.gov](http://www.artscouncil.sd.gov)

South Dakota Artisans Connection

[www.southdakotaartisans.com](http://www.southdakotaartisans.com)

South Dakota Artists Network

[www.sdartist.net](http://www.sdartist.net)

South Dakotans for the Arts

[www.sdarts.org](http://www.sdarts.org)

Made in South Dakota

[www.madeinsouthdakota.com](http://www.madeinsouthdakota.com)

Springboard for the Arts

[www.springboardforthearts.org](http://www.springboardforthearts.org)

ArtPerk

[www.ArtPerk.com](http://www.ArtPerk.com)

Women Artists

[www.womenarts.org](http://www.womenarts.org)