## DOLPHIN GALLERY

## Geoffrey Bolt Baskets

## JAN KRUNIC PAINTINGS

Opening Reception: Saturday, January 2, 2010, 5:00 p.m. Exhibit remains through February 3 Dolphin Gallery



The Dolphin Gallery presents an exhibit of Geoffrey Bolt's hand-crafted baskets and Jan Krunic's paintings from the opening Saturday, January 2 through February 3.

Geoffrey Bolt is a retired physician who practiced in Sebastopol, CA. When he retired, he studied with the famous Sebastopol wood turner, Chuck McLaughlin. From the very first lesson, Geoffrey felt that he had found a creative outlet that he enjoyed and could achieve some measure of satisfaction in doing. There was a great deal of pleasure in taking a rough block of wood and turning it into a thing of beauty such as a bowl, vase, goblet or lidded box.

After taking a class in Pine needle basket making from Gerda Randolph at the Gualala Arts Center, he realized that it would be possible to use some of his small turned bowls as a base for the pine needle baskets and he now uses a turned wood base for almost all his "hybrid" baskets. The baskets are beautiful as objects, with form and color from the waxed linen thread, beads and other embellishments that are added.

Jan Krunic is an accomplished athlete, received a Physical Science degree from California State University Long Beach in 1970 and taught math and physical education for 10 years. While traveling in 1980, she discovered a beautiful home with land in Annapolis and immediately relocated to the North. I established a successful cleaning business for 16 years.



Upon retiring from my cleaning business in 2000, I moved from Annapolis, CA. to Cloverdale, CA. At this time I decided to pursue my latent artistic talents and joined a drawing class for seniors. I soon discovered the joys of painting with water-based oils on canvas. I recently moved into a technique I developed of India Ink drawings on Yupo paper.

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