THE DE PRIMA TERRACE - FINAL CONCRETE POUR.

Please notice the absence of caution tape!



The De Prima Terrace has been built by a dedicated group of volunteers led by Art Dreyer.

CLAY STUDIO UPDATE

Gualala Arts would like to thank Jan Maria Chiappa for close to four years of Clay Studio Management! Jan Maria has done a fabulous job managing, teaching and sharing her wonderful talents with Gualala Arts and many students. Jan Maria is opening a home studio where she will be carrying on her classes, creating wonderful art and may even join the Studio Discover Tour! We wish her all the best and are grateful for her generosity in sharing her time and talents.

The Open Clay Studio Classes will take a break for the month of February. During this time we are going to reorganize, rearrange, restock, refresh and retool the clay studio. We hope to have a wide array of teachers, styles, techniques and something to offer all levels from beginner to seasoned veterans.

With that goal in mind, Gualala Arts is looking for donations of ceramics equipment such as potter's wheels, slab roller, plaster molds, plaster of Paris, clay tools, tall sturdy shelving, buckets, mops, big broom and dustpan, microwave (to dry small clay slabs), underglazes, small chest of drawers or tool box with drawers, etc... So if you have a stash collecting dust and taking up space, please consider a tax deductible donation that many students will enjoy! Of course, cash donations for the clay studio would be greatly appreciated.

Donations can be delivered to Gualala Arts between Monday through Sunday, February 1 - 7 during office hours. Drive to the front of the building and follow the signs to the delivery area at the back of the building. Please call the office at 884-1138 to schedule a delivery. If you have additional questions please call Barbara Tocher at 884-3720 or Jane Head at 884-1874 or Gualala Arts 884-1138.

The studio presently has materials, equipment and instructors for hand building and wheel throwing...and near future plans for raku. The open studio is planning expanded hours, including two evenings each week with instructors Barbara Tocher and Jan Head. Additional instructors are being considered; please call Gualala Arts if you or someone you know are interested in getting involved.

This is also an invitation to come celebrate the Clay Arts Studio reopening on Sunday, February 28 from 3 to 5 p.m. The studio is a gathering place for artists and craftsmen to network in a creative and encouraging atmosphere. If you haven't been to the studio, please come and visit the airy work place with its view of the redwoods.

And, again,

Thank You Jan Maria!

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