

Gualala Arts • October 2019

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MANHATTAN PIANO TRIO, NIKITA BORISEVICH & MARGARITA LOUKACHKINA, ESCHER STRING QUARTET,  
ERIC KRITZ & FRIENDS, ALEX ZHOU, BORIS ADRIANOV & DIMITRI ILLIANAROV

## CHAMBER MUSIC SEASON OPENS WITH MANHATTAN PIANO TRIO Plus

PPQG QUILT CHALLENGE EXHIBIT AT GUALALA ARTS

DOLPHIN GALLERY EXHIBITS:

MELISSA MCCANN - FUSED GLASS

ANDREA ALLEN - CHINESE BRUSH PAINTING

JAZZ IN THE AUTUMN

CAJUN ZYDECO FEST

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## Festival of Trees



Santa Claus!

Caroling & Tree Lighting!

Crafts & Artisans

Friday, November 29, 10 am - 6 pm

Saturday, November 30, 10 am - 5 pm

(See page 11)

Please Call About Volunteer Opportunities!

We NEED you. 707.884.1138

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Another summer season comes to a close...

Hard to believe it, but we are now officially on the other side of another summer season. Hope you enjoyed it...I know I did!

As I write this it is the last day to pick up art for the 58th annual Art in the Redwoods exhibit...it always goes so fast.

Remember those summer days as a kid? How they seemed to go on forever...delivering papers in the dark mornings, long road trips in cars, hanging around the beach and pool, sitting by a lake fishing, cutting neighbors lawns, riding your bike around the neighborhood after sunset, watching fireworks at the park and the long never ending family picnics....oh those good ole loooong days of summer...

Well, there was 24 hours a day back then, and there is still only 24 hours a day today.

It seems like now I blink my eyes, and we are taking notes on how we could have improved this year. And we are setting dates and planning the next summer.

As one of my mentors said to me, "Sus, I hate to tell you this, but it will only seem to go faster and faster."



I said, how can that be a day is a day, week a week, etc...

He pointed out a simple fact. When you're 10 years old, 1 year makes up 10% of your life and experiences, when your 20 a year is only 5% and it keeps getting smaller and smaller of a percent...of course it seems faster when you compare it to what you have experienced.

AHA! A light bulb moment!

From that day forward, I learned I better enjoy the moment because before you know it you will be on the other side...I also learned that if there is something you are not enjoying....no worries...it will be over in no time!



So, if you are wondering why these summer seasons seem to be flying by faster and faster each year...you now have a reason besides "Time flies when your having fun!"

Thanks so much to all of you for making our summer so fun, creative, productive, memorable, encouraging and enlightening, full of love, art, tears, hard work, full bellies, Facebook moments and big thanks for just "being there!"

David "Sus" Susalla  
Executive Director

**Elaine Jacob Foyer  
and Burnett Gallery**

## **"One Red Square"**

### **Opening Reception**

Friday, October 4  
5 to 7 pm

Elaine Jacob Foyer and  
Burnett Gallery

### **Exhibit remains through**

Sunday, October 27, 2019  
Free



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## **PPQG Exhibit: "One Red Square" Opening Reception October 4**

Each year, Pacific Piecemakers Quilt Guild members are "challenged" to create a quilt that fits certain parameters.

For 2019, the theme is "One Red Square". Although no specific style nor size is required, each entry must include, at the minimum, a clearly visible finished 1-inch square of one of seven primary red fabrics, including two silk fabrics, a dupioni and a charmeuse! Inspiration can come from absolutely anywhere or anything. Members are challenged to consider applying the few simple Challenge rules and to stitch and/or quilt their own interpretation in fabric in one, two or three dimensions.



Quilts to be exhibited include traditional, modern & art quilts, clothing, and a variety of styles & techniques.

The show is not juried nor judged, so it encourages creativity at all levels. It is always a great thrill to see someone new to quilting/art quilts show their work alongside long-time quilters.

### **About PPQG**

The members of Pacific Piecemakers Quilt Guild promote quilting locally and all along the Sonoma/Mendocino coast. PPQG offers monthly educational programs, lectures, and workshops for quilters of all skill levels as well as opportunities for members to give back to their community using those skills.

Monthly meetings feature programs to inspire quilters in all aspects of quilting ranging from traditional to contemporary art quilt techniques and development of textile and wearable art. Lectures and workshops are presented by world famous quilters as well as local talent. "Comfort quilts" are created by members and distributed to a variety of local assistance organizations and individuals as a means of service back to the community. Each year members create a quilt to be raffled by Gualala Arts Center during Art in the Redwoods. The proceeds provide art related scholarships to local students.



## Melissa McCann — “Fused Glass”

## Andrea Allen — “Chinese Brush Painting”

**Melissa McCann** states that “Fused glass is an ancient art form. It is also called warm glass to distinguish it from cold (stained glass) or hot (blown glass). Fused glass is heated in a kiln.”

Shapes of glass are cut from high quality, handmade sheets of colored glass. The shapes are assembled into a design that is at least two layers thick. It is then fired in a kiln to about 1500 degrees to fuse it together creating a solid sheet.



The sculptural pieces (table and wall hung) have been fired numerous times to show layers or specific textures in the final form. When a piece is displayed in a stand, that stand has been commercially purchased.

“I began my artistic exploration as a potter creating wheel thrown functional ware for over twenty years. Since 2001, glass fusing has become my primary means of expression. I love the way the light and the medium interact. The colors and brightness connect to my own discovery of spirit.”

As a Chinese Brush Artist, **Andrea Allen** has developed a unique style that combines the traditions of the Chinese Masters with a subtle, contemporary flair. She studied with a Chinese Master for six years, and has been painting and teaching in this style for over twenty years.

Andrea utilizes many ancient Chinese techniques such as grinding her own Sumi ink, often mixing it with watercolor, loading the calligraphy brush, and applying it to handmade rice paper, with a minimal number of strokes to complete each painting. She carefully balances the unpainted and painted spaces in each composition, creating a tranquil flow throughout each painting.

Ancient Chinese symbolism and philosophy influence her work, enhancing the feeling of vital energy and serenity. The inherent effect is for the viewer to be effortlessly invited into each painting and to experience a peaceful balance and harmony in a timeless continuum.



**Andrea Allen**  
**Melissa McCann**

### Opening Reception

Saturday, October 5

5 to 7 pm

Dolphin Gallery

### Exhibit remains through

Sunday, November 17, 2019

Free

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**Gualala Arts  
Redwood Grove**

**Friday, October 4, 2019**

**Dinner 6 pm**

**Music 7:30 pm**

In The Redwood Grove

**Concert:**

\$20 Advance,

\$5 more day of.

**Dinner:**

\$20 advance,

\$10 more if reserved after  
September 27.

Youth 7-17 Free with Adult.



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## 4th Annual Cajun Zydeco Fest Featuring Lloyd Meadows' Tri-Tip Trio

Once again Lloyd Meadows' Tri Tip Trio welcomes autumn to Gualala Arts with a Cajun flair. Enjoy Zydeco tunes and dancing,



Sus's New Orleans style Gumbo, and homemade desserts by local Soroptimists International, all in the Redwood Grove beneath the twinkly lights! There will be beer and wine at the no-host bar.

Lloyd Meadows has played the Arts Center several times, and the music and the fun is always the same, offering those Cajun boot-stompin' tunes that bring every last person onto the dance floor.

Meadows and his bandmates consistently pack the house up and down the West Coast and from California to New Orleans with sizzling root's rhythms that are timeless with the execution of them



relentless. One reviewer added "... Meadows' affable frontman personality oozes through; he is a natural entertainer. Rollicking stuff with plenty of second-line beats."



Purchasing dinner to enjoy before the concert allows concert-goers to find a seat 30 minutes before doors open, which could mean the difference in having a place to sit for the entire evening! (But who can ever stay seated when this band's on the stand?)

Whether you come for the music, or you come to dance or you come for dinner, you know it's going to be a great evening.

# 3rd Annual Jazz In The Autumn Jamie Davis Sings Blues & Standards Larry Vuckovich, piano — Jeff Chambers, bass

Global Harmony and Fred Adler present "Jazz In The Autumn" featuring Jamie Davis, vocalist on the Grammy-nominated album "All About That Basie", accompanied by Larry Vuckovich, piano, and Jeff Chambers, bass.



Jamie Davis, vocals

Adler added "I am grateful to have the opportunity to present three captivating and unique world class jazz talents in the intimate setting of the Elaine Jacob Foyer, for the third annual "Jazz in the Autumn" concert.

Classic vocalist Jamie Davis is one of the few jazz bass/baritone rich voices performing today. His sound evokes the timeless timbres of historic singers such as Billy Eckstine, Joe Williams (famous with the Count Basie band) and also the revered entertainer Lou Rawls.

Davis will be joined by the consummate accompaniment of world acclaimed pianist Larry Vuckovich. Both performers are music masters who have recently sold out shows at such prestigious Bay Area venues as Oakland's Yoshi's and Woodside's elegant Filoli on the San Francisco peninsula.



Larry Vuckovich, piano

Larry will also treat the audience to solo piano gems from his repertoire of enchanting, lyrical piano favorites.



Jeff Chambers, bass

San Francisco's versatile and sought after bassist Jeff Chambers' biography of collaborations reads like a virtual "who's who" in jazz. It includes accompanying legends such as trumpeter Dizzy Gillespie and pianist Les McCann. His taste and timing are impeccable.

*"I promise that this will be another historic, intimate and stellar jazz concert at Gualala Arts Center." Fred Adler, KTDE, 100.5 FM*

## Gualala Arts An Intimate Concert In the Elaine Jacob Foyer

Saturday, October 26  
6:30 pm

\$29 Advance,  
\$5 more day of.



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**The Opening Concert  
of the 2019-2020  
Chamber Music  
Series.**

Sunday, October 13  
4 pm  
Coleman Hall  
\$25 advance,  
plus \$5 day of  
Youth 7-17 free with adult.

Why not become a season  
ticket holder? Season  
tickets are \$125 and  
include all 6 concerts.  
It's like getting  
one concert free!



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**The Manhattan Piano Trio  
Opening the Chamber Music Season  
Sunday, October 13, 2019**

Hailed by critics as “a grand departure from the usual”, the Manhattan Piano Trio, now in its 15th season, is one of the most creative, exciting, and dynamic young ensembles in America. The Washington Post described the trio as “impressive” and “outstanding”, while the Sarasota Herald Tribune said “one seldom is privileged to enjoy music of such a wide range of styles performed with self-effacing skill and relaxed assurance.”

For this performance, veteran member and pianist Milana Strezeva joins forces with colleagues Solomiya Ivakhiv, violin, and Sophie Shao, cello, to thrill our audience with another brilliant performance.

Milana Strezeva is a Moldovan-American pianist, praised by the Boston Globe for her “technically fluid, dramatically convincing, and sonically full-bodied supportive collaborations”. At the age of 11 she began playing chamber music with her clarinetist father and her mother, a renowned soprano. Her love for family collaboration eventually grew into a passionate advocacy of vocal and instrumental chamber music.



Violinist Solomiya Ivakhiv has quickly earned a reputation for performing with “distinctive charm and subtle profundity” (Daily Freeman, New York) and a “crystal clear and noble sound” (Culture and Life, Ukraine). Known for her work as a soloist and chamber musician, Ivakhiv has performed at Carnegie Hall, San Jose Chamber Music Society, Old First Concerts in San Francisco, and at UConn’s Jorgensen Center for the Performing Arts.

Cellist Sophie Shao, winner of the prestigious Avery Fisher Career Grant and top prizes at the Rostropovich and Tchaikovsky competitions, is a versatile and passionate artist whose performances the New York Times has noted as “eloquent, powerful” and the Washington Post called “deeply satisfying.” Shao has received critical acclaim throughout the United States. She is on the faculty of Vassar College and the Bard Conservatory of Music and plays on a cello made by Honore Derazey from 1855, once owned by Pablo Casals.



## Gualala Arts' Chamber Music Series Returns October 13 Season Tickets Now Available

The six-performance regular season begins October 13 and includes both artists new to our stage as well as the return of several all-time favorite ensembles. All performances are Sunday afternoons at 4 pm. Season tickets for all six concerts are available now for \$125. Individual tickets are \$25 for each concert. A season ticket is like getting one concert free. (And if you can't make it to one of the concerts, passing the ticket along to family, friend or business associate is a treat for them.)

**The Manhattan Piano Trio** opens the 2019-2020 season **October 13**. (See story on preceding page.)

Award-winning Russian violinist **Nikita Borisevich** and pianist **Margarita Loukachkina** perform **November 10**. Borisevich is known for the depth and sensitivity in his playing and utterly finessed technique. Loukachkina's style represents the best traditions of the Russian Piano School—flawless technique, impeccable sense of style and beautiful tone.



**Eric Kritz and Friends** take the stage **January 19**. Kritz is an outstanding clarinetist. Joining him are Carolyn Steinbuck, piano, Marcia Lotter, violin, Tammie Dyer, violin, Jeff Ives, viola, and Marcia Sloane, cello. Their concert will feature works by Mozart, Bernstein, Milhaud, and more.

On **February 16**, **Boris Andrianov and Dimitri Illarionov** offer the uncommon yet wonderful pairing of cello and guitar. Andrianov is considered one of the most gifted Russian cellists of his generation and Illarionov one of the most important classical guitarists emerging from Russia's younger generation of musicians.

The **Escher String Quartet (March 8)** has received acclaim for its expressive, nuanced performances that combine unusual textural clarity with a rich, blended sound. The ensemble serves as Season Artists of The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center. Members are Adam Barnett-Hart, violin, Brenden Speltz, violin, Pierre Lapointe, viola, and Brook Speltz, cello.



The season's final concert **April 19** features 17-year old **violinist Alex Zhou**, the 2018 Gold Medalist, Klein International String Competition. Alex Zhou studies under the tutelage of Zhao Wei at the San Francisco Conservatory of Music. He has won numerous awards and has performed with several orchestras including the California Youth Symphony.

## A Season Ticket Gives You 6 Concerts for the Price of 5.

### 2019-2020 Schedule

Oct. 13: Manhattan Piano Trio  
Nov. 10: Borisevich & Loukachkina  
Jan. 19: Eric Kritz & Friends  
Feb. 16: Andrianov & Illarionov  
Mar. 8: Escher String Quartet  
Apr. 19: Alex Zhou

Coleman Hall

\$25 advance, plus \$5 day of  
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*Escher String Quartet*

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**Gualala Arts  
Annual 70+  
Birthday Dinner**

**Gualala Arts Annual 70+  
Birthday Dinner**

**Honoring those turning 70, 80, 90, or 100 in 2019.**

Sunday, October 20  
5 pm Dinner  
Tickets are \$35, \$10 more if  
reserved after October 13.

Call the Gualala Arts Office to  
make a reservation.  
707-884-1138.

If you are celebrating your 70th, 80th, 90th or 100th birthday anytime in 2019, this is the gathering for you. The Birthday Celebration at Gualala Arts is always a heart-warming good time. Join us whether you are the celebrant, a family member, or a general member of our coastal community. The dinner is set for Sunday, October 20 in Coleman Hall. Make reservations now for you and your guests by calling Gualala Arts at 707-884-1138.

This informal evening offers a Salmon dinner menu as originally created by Rosemarie Hocker for the first community birthday celebration on Sea Ranch back in 1998. Birthday celebrants receive their dinner for free, and, for family or friends wishing to join in on the festivities, the dinner is \$35. Raise a glass with friends to those commemorating this momentous milestone and enjoy a flavorful salmon dinner prepared by Gualala Arts' culinary crew.



The 70+ Birthday Party is one of the lasting legacies of Rosemarie Hocker. It has taken place almost every year since the first celebration and continues to bring together a wide selection of people. Many find that friendships are made and/or renewed during the evening and a happy consequence is a strengthened bond with the local community.

Tables are provided for birthday gals and guys to share meaningful memories and memorabilia about their lives. For many, this is the most enjoyable part of the evening! Bring photo albums, medals and certificates of achievements, pictures and any other memorabilia that is meaningful to you. During dessert, each celebrant is invited to share a story or a memory.

"This is honestly one of my favorite events here at Gualala Arts because it is honoring those in our community who are so generous," said David "Sus" Susalla, Gualala Arts Executive Director. "Each year I am always impressed with the stories and memorabilia that people choose to share. We learn so much!"

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Volunteers help prepare and serve a full course dinner with birthday cake for dessert! If you would like to volunteer as a waiter or chef at this special event, call 707-884-1138. This is a community celebration, and you do not have to be a member of Gualala Arts to participate!

**Gualala Arts Presents  
The 16th Annual Festival of Trees  
November 29-30, 2019**



Gualala Arts' Annual Festival of Trees is held every year on the Friday and Saturday of Thanksgiving weekend, kicking off the Holiday Season on the Mendonoma Coast. Admission is free. Mark your calendars: Friday, November 29, 10 am - 4 pm. and Saturday, November 30, 10 am to 5 pm.

The annual Tree Lighting Ceremony with caroling will once again be Friday evening at 5 pm. Santa Claus visits throughout both days.

Artists and food artisans fill the Arts Center with handcrafted goods, homemade pies, chowder, chili and the like... wonderful tree ornaments and gift items to choose from just before the holidays!

Children love shopping at the Kid's Depot, where they can choose gifts for their family and friends from lightly loved donated items that fall within a child's budget.

Uncle Sus's Attic offers adults the same experience, with a collection of carefully curated artwork, fine furnishings, small appliances and more!

Mrs. Claus Bake Shoppe is filled with home-baked goodies such as candies, pies and cookies made from family recipes, a great addition to the holiday weekend dessert tables when family and friends abound!

Ornate Christmas trees decorate the Coleman Hall stage and are available for purchase, and Santa and Mrs. Claus will be making a list of children's wants and wishes throughout both days of this old fashioned, Winter Wonderland event! It's cozy, cheerful fun for the family that puts everyone in the holiday mood!

**Gualala Arts  
Family Fun,  
Great Shopping,  
Good Friends!**

Friday, November 29,  
10 am to 4 pm  
Saturday, November 30.  
10 am to 5 pm  
Gualala Arts Center and  
Grounds

Admission is Free

**Seeking Volunteers!**

Call: 707-884-1138.

**Seeking Donations!**

Call Sus at 707-884-1138.



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## Gualala Salon and Salon des Refusés

Opening Reception  
Friday, December 5  
5 to 7 pm  
Burnett Gallery  
Elaine Jacob Foyer

Exhibit Remains through  
Sunday, January 5, 2020



## 7th Annual Gualala Salon and Salon des Refusés

The 7th annual Gualala Salon & Salon des Refusés is a juried and judged fine art exhibit showcasing outstanding visual art and artists without regard to the type of media.

The annual Salon & Salon des Refusés is the largest exhibit at Gualala Arts aside from Art in the Redwoods; it has the greatest number of entries of any other open call show and fills both the Burnett Gallery and Elaine Jacob Foyer. Many artists save their best new art for this exhibit.



As per tradition, the judges decide what artwork is accepted into the Salon and then exhibited in the Burnett Gallery. The art not juried into the Salon by the judges is displayed in the Salon des Refusés (Rejected) located in the Elaine Jacob Foyer. Thus, all artwork submitted into the show will be exhibited at Gualala Arts.

*Images:*  
**Top:** "Charles X distribuant des récompenses aux artistes à la fin du Salon de 1824."  
François Joseph Heim (1787 - 1865)  
**Middle:** "Le Déjeuner sur l'herbe" by Edouard Manet (1832-1883)  
**Bottom:** "Symphony in White, No. 1: The White Girl" by James Abbott McNeill Whistler. (1834-1903)

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This year's monetary awards are first prize of \$1000, second prize of \$750, and third prize of \$500. The People's Choice awards in the Salon des Refusés are first prize of \$100, second \$75 and third \$50. The award for Emerging Artist Under 18 years of age is \$100.

In the spirit of the original Paris Salon des Refusés, all visitors will be able to vote for the "People's Choice" awards. In fact, many artists prefer to be selected as a "reject" to receive the public's opinion!





## Sweatshirt to Jacket

With instructor Kalynn Oleson. A PPQG Workshop

**Wednesday and Thursday, October 16 & 17, from 9:30 am - 4 pm**

Gualala Arts Center

\$30 for GA Members & \$40 for Non Members. **Sign up now.** 707-884-1138

"Fabric, sewing, clothing construction and quilting have been focal points in my life except when work got in the way. Quilting is still a love of mine, but I do like working outside the block. Clothing construction is also a love of mine and provides me one more aspect of "outside of the block". I have found that a simple sweatshirt provides a loose fitting jacket. I aim to create a very wearable article of clothing that has a unique and timeless look.- Kalynn Oleson



## Day Oil & Acrylic

with instructor Elio Camacho. A Painting Workshop.

**Friday, December 13, 9 am - 4 pm**

Gualala Arts Center

\$95 for GA Members; \$110 for Non Members, No materials fee. **Sign up by Dec.6.** Call 707-884-1138.

This workshop will focus on helping students develop the tools needed for growing as a painter and artist. The class is structured for both beginner to advanced students who want to develop their skill understanding and using color. Students will learn the foundation necessary to be creative and to assist students in capturing the particular mood of the moment and express themselves in a bold and colorful way, while capturing the beauty and spontaneity of life.



## Chinese Brush Painting

A workshop with instructor Andrea Allen.

**Thursdays, January 9 - February 13, from 2 pm - 4 pm**

Gualala Arts Center

\$120 for GA Members & \$135 for Non Members, \$32 Materials Fee to be paid to instructor. **Sign up by Jan. 2.** Call 707-884-1138.

Learn the ancient art of Chinese Brush Painting, including grinding your own Sumi Ink, loading the Calligraphy Brush & applying the Dynasty-old brush strokes to rice paper, creating bamboo flowers & more. This class includes Asian symbolism & philosophy, enhancing the serenity that comes from ancient, Asian traditions.



## Instant Pot 101

With instructor Jill Nussinow

**Sunday, January 12, from 1 pm - 4 pm**

Gualala Arts Center

\$55 for GA Members & \$70 for Non Members. \$13 materials fee. **Sign up by Jan 5.** 707-884-1138

The Instant Pot (and electric multicooker, etc.) is one of the best-selling kitchen appliances of all time. This class will help you learn how to effectively use the Instant Pot (or other pressure cooker) to make easy and tasty meals. This class will be based solely on the good-for-you plant foods such as beans, whole grains, vegetables and fruit, and you will learn how the cooker can make more than one dish at a time. Students will receive a recipe packet and have samples of all the food that is cooked.

## GUALALA ARTS CENTER | WORKSHOPS



### **Instant Pot: Beyond the Basics**

With instructor Jill Nussinow

**Tuesday, January 28, from 1 pm - 4 pm**

Gualala Arts Center

\$55 for GA Members & \$70 for Non Members. \$13 materials fee. **Sign up by Jan 21.** 707-884-1138

Designed for you if you already have an Instant Pot, or other pressure cooker, and know how to use it but feel like you could learn more and do more. In this class, Jill will show you how to cook pot in pot, making multiple dishes at once, and share other tips and recipes for more experienced users. The menu will include Mixed Vegetable Curry and Rice, how to make broth, Winter Veggie Soup, Cornbread and Cashew Cheezecake. Come ask questions and to sample what is made.



### **Fermentation Basics**

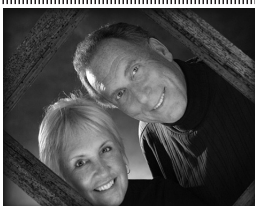
A Cooking Workshop with instructor Jill Nussinow

**Sunday, February 2, 1 - 4 pm**

Gualala Arts Center

\$55 for GA Members, \$70 for non Members, \$15 materials fee to be paid directly to instructor. Call 707-884-1138 to **sign up by January 26.**

Fermented foods are good for you, and they are also easy to make right in your own home with just a few easy-to-purchase items. You will learn to make your own sauerkraut—flavored to your taste, kimchi and fermented nut and/or seed cheese. This is a hands-on class and materials will be provided. You will be taking home a jar of each ferment that you have made.



### **Basic Digital Photography**

With instructors Susan and Neil Silverman

**Saturday and Sunday, February 8 & 9, from 9 am - 4 pm**

Gualala Arts Center

\$185 for GA Members & \$200 for Non Members. **Sign up by Jan 26.** 707-884-1138

Learn how to “make” a photograph instead of “take” a photo. We will cover the technical (focus, exposure, clarity, lighting), as well as the compositional and artistic elements. The instructors, Susan and Neil, forever seek “the Image, the Light and the Moment” through their camera lens, and their photographs cover a multitude of subject matter: people, nature, landscape, weddings, special events, travel, commercial and industrial sites.

### **WORKSHOP REGISTRATION INFORMATION:**

#### **Sign up in person**

at the Gualala Arts Center  
46501 Old State Hwy  
Gualala, CA 95445

#### **Sign up by phone**

707-884-1138

Classes must be paid in full at sign-up. Credit cards accepted. Payments can be refunded (minus a \$25 non-refundable fee) until the “Sign-up by” date after which no refunds will be provided. If class does not fill, full refund provided. Remember to sign up early as many workshops sell out quickly!

#### **Propose or teach a workshop:**

Now accepting workshop proposals for 2021. Deadline September 1, 2020.

#### **Be a Workshop Docent**

Behind every successful Gualala Arts workshop is a successful workshop docent! Docents guide the process, facilitate communication, help with set-up and ensure the instructor understands procedures and requirements.

***Visit [GualalaArts.org/workshops](http://GualalaArts.org/workshops) for more details!***

## ANNOUNCEMENTS | GUALALA ARTS CENTER

### Gualala Arts Readers Theater

Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2019 at 7 pm.

Readers Theater will be reading "Playing with Fire, After Frankenstein" by Barbara Field. An exhausted and dying Victor Frankenstein has finally tracked down his Creature in the lonely, frozen tundra of the North Pole. As their fascinating confrontation develops, it is evident that the Creature has become a pathetic, lonely and even sensitive being who wanting to find love and that he, Frankenstein, is truly the evil one. For info contact: Jane Simmonds, 707-886-5148.

*New members and listeners are welcome to attend Reader's Theater meetings the first Tuesday of every month. Location: Conference Room, Gualala Arts Center.*

### Gualala Arts Book Club

October Book Club selection: "The Overstory" by Richard Powers.

Wednesday, October 2, at 10 am at the home of Carole McQuarrie. Phone Carole at 707-785-2198 if you plan to attend (RSVP).

Thursday, October 17 at 1:30 pm at the home of Alice Combs. Phone Alice at 707-884-3471 if you plan to attend (RSVP).

November's selection for discussion is "News Of The World" by Paulette Giles.

New members are always welcome! More information is available from Paula Gordon at 707-884-3823.

### Collage User Group

This group meets the second and fourth Tuesday of the month in the Upstairs Classroom from noon to 4 pm. There is a \$5 fee per meeting.



All levels and mixed media styles welcome. The goal of the Collage User Group is to promote the building of a community of artists who enjoy exploring mixed media techniques for self-discovery and artistry.

## ONGOING CLASSES

**AEROBICS** - Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays 8 am – 9:15 am with Debbie Langwell

**COLLAGE INTEREST GROUP** - Every Second & Fourth Tuesday of the month, 12 pm - 4 pm in the classroom.

**CREATING GREETING CARDS** - Third Thursdays of the month 1 - 3 pm with Susan Schultz.

**EXPLORING DRAWING & PAINTING** - Tuesdays & Thursdays 1:30 – 3:30 pm with Genny Wilson.

**FOPO Pizza Group** - Tuesday, September 24.

**GUALALA ARTS CLAY STUDIO** - Monday, 10 am – 4 pm. Volunteer instructors available. (Newcomers must first meet with volunteer Jane Head on Monday.)

**LIFE DRAWING** - Wednesdays, 2 pm - 5 pm. Open to all skill levels (including beginners) on a drop-in basis.

**MARTIAL ARTS** - Mondays & Wednesdays 6 – 7:30 pm with Lini Lieberman-Erich

**SWING DANCE** - Tuesdays, Lesson 6 to 7 pm with Dance following until 8:30 pm with instructors Al Mayberry and Mary DeLave.

**TAI CHI** - Mondays 3 – 4:30 pm, with Justine Rosenthal.

# Mark Your Calendar

## Gualala Arts Center Exhibit

**PPQG: "One Red Square" Quilt Show**

Burnett Gallery & Elaine Jacob Foyer

Opening Reception Friday, Oct. 4, 5 pm - 7 pm

## Dolphin Gallery Exhibit

**Andrea Allen, "Chinese Brush Painting"**

**Melissa McCann "Fuse Glass"**

Opening Reception Saturday, Oct. 5, 5 pm - 7 pm

## Events

### Cajun Zydeco Concert Featuring

Lloyd Meadows' Tri-Tip Trio

Friday, October 4, 6 pm Dinner, 7:30, Redwood Grove

### Remembrance & Celebration of Ron Sackman

Saturday, October 5, 5 pm, Coleman Hall

### Manhattan Piano Trio Chamber Music Concert

Sunday, October 13, 4 pm, Coleman Hall

### 70th+ Birthday Celebration

Sunday, October 20, 5 pm, Coleman Hall

### Jazz in the Autumn

Jamie Davis, with Larry Vuckovich and Jeff Chambers

Saturday, October 26, 6:30 pm, Elaine Jacob Foyer

## Purchase Tickets

At [BrownPaperTickets.com](http://BrownPaperTickets.com) or 1.800.838.3006  
or in person at Gualala Arts Center or Dolphin Gallery

## Coming Events

### November Events

#### "We Are Animals" and

#### "Witness: Portraits of Endangered Species"

Opening Reception Friday, November 1, 5 pm

Elaine Jacob Foyer & Burnett Gallery

#### Improv Comedy Show

Jim Cole and Friends

Saturday, November 9, 7 pm Performance

#### Nikita Borisevich & Margarita Loukachkina

Chamber Music Concert - Coleman Hall

Sunday, November 10, 4 pm

#### Paul Brewer: Photography

Opening Reception Friday, November 23, 5 pm

Dolphin Gallery

#### Festival of Trees

Friday, November 29, 10 am - 6 pm

Saturday, November 30, 10 am - 4 pm

### December Events

#### Gualala Salon & Salon des Refusés

Opening Reception

Friday, December 10, 5 pm - 7 pm



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