



Annual Report

2014 - 2015

Mission

The Edmonds Arts Festival Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to education and the cultural enrichment of our community through the arts.

Vision

As a dynamic force in promoting the arts, the Edmonds Arts Festival Foundation envisions a vibrant arts community in which every person has the opportunity to access and appreciate the arts.

EAF Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit arts organization.

*Thank you for celebrating
the arts in our community!*



Edmonds Arts Festival Foundation Programs include:

- University-level Scholarship Program for Visual Arts Students
- Visual Arts Idea Grants – Arts in the K-12 Classroom
- Community Grants – Support of other community arts organizations
- Public Art Opportunities
- ArtWorks – a gathering place for artists
- EAF Foundation Gallery

Your contributions allow the growth of these programs.
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click DONATE in the top navigation.



Alice's Adventures in Wonderland, presented by Book-It Repertory Theatre and ECA, was one of the main stage presentations at Kidstock! 2015. According to Gillian Jones, Education & Outreach Manager for ECA, 580 families attended this year, which throughout the day came out to over 2,000 people at Edmonds Center for the Arts. Supported by a Community Grant from EAF Foundation.

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These community art programs will continue to grow.

University-level Visual Arts Scholarship Program

This program began in 1983 with a \$1,000 award to one student. In 2013-14 seventeen students received assistance and for 2014-15 eleven students were awarded funding. These scholarships are available to students within the Edmonds School District boundaries seeking full-time post-secondary education in the Visual Arts. For more information on this program please go to www.eaffoundation.org



Spencer Shores is currently a senior at Cornish College of the Arts where he majors in Visual Communications. This is thanks to the teachings of Amanda Amsel-Wood at Meadowdale High School, where Spencer studied painting and printmaking. He then found his home in the Design Department at Cornish where he fell in love with the critical thinking and problem solving aspects of design. Through the four year program he has studied typography, branding, packaging, publication design, web design, and illustration. Spencer will be graduating in May 2015 and will continue his freelance design practice as well as pursue a career in a design firm environment. Spencer has been a scholarship recipient annually since 2011. View more of Spencer's work at www.spencershor.es



"Worn Memories Broken Habits"
by Spencer Shores



"Flower and Garden Show"
by Spencer Shores

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This program will continue to support the needs of visual arts students.

Community Grants

Funding is provided to non-profit arts organizations including the Edmonds Community College Visual Arts Department, City of Edmonds Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services, Edmonds Center for the Arts and other non-profit organizations that have the ability to work with arts needs which enhance the educational opportunities for various segments of the community.

EAF Foundation Community Grants approved for 2014:

- Support of 2014 Bird Fest Poster Contest
- Alpin Hong Residency at Edmonds Center for the Arts
- Kidstock! 2015 at Edmonds Center for the Arts
- Jim Ballard at Edmonds CC; materials and classes
- Frank DeMiero Jazz Festival
- Edmonds Arts Commission Public Art Maintenance
- 4th Avenue Proposal by artist Benson Shaw



2014 Alpin Hong Residency at Edmonds Center for the Arts

Alpin Hong returned to Edmonds Center for the Arts in 2014 for a 3-day residency with local schools. 64 students from 9 middle and high schools across the Edmonds School District made up the All-Star Orchestra performing with Mr. Hong on March 26th.

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More art opportunities are provided to members of our community.

Right: Ann, one of the blind artists who came to experience art, feels “mitten in snow” embossment during class with Edmonds CC Visual Arts students working with artist/instructor Jim Ballard.



Jim Ballard at Edmonds CC

Left: Becky touches spoons in a bas relief bowl as a visual arts student explains the intent of the project.



Below: Instructor Audi Asaf tries out the large sumi-e brush work during her class time with Ballard.



Above: Edmonds CC Visual Arts students work on crumpled paper assignment, a study in textures.

Visual Arts Idea Grants - Art in the K-12 Classroom



Artwork from the project "Glass Sculptural Tiles, an exploration of kiln carving with colored glass inserts" - work done by students in Gail Summerfield's classes at Lynnwood High School.

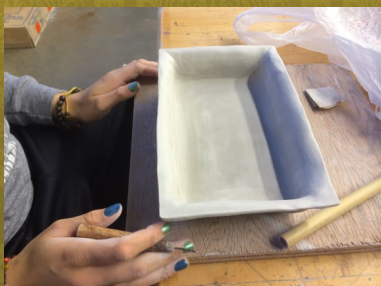


"On behalf of Westgate Elementary we wish to express our gratitude for your financial support of our volunteer program. Nine volunteers and one teacher attended the Schack Art Docent Fair and each of us were able to attend four of six high quality art training sessions."

Karen Fritz, volunteer & art docent coordinator

"This advanced class is great; students are attentive, respectful, knowledgeable and talented."

Julie Perrine, studio potter



The brand new kiln at EWHS, funded partially by an EAFF Grant, loaded with work from the Advanced Pottery Class.

Tanya Johnson, Art Department Chair at Edmonds Woodway High School, was awarded funding for her Advanced Pottery Class to learn functional slab pottery techniques with guest artist and studio potter, Julie Perrine.



Students glazing their pieces of slab pottery.

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Visual arts education remains new and exciting.

Public Art Program

EAFF has a history of supporting the community with funding assistance for public art to the City of Edmonds Arts Commission. Each project has been an effort to give back to our community in order to further the identity of Edmonds as an Arts Community.



4th Avenue Cultural Corridor Temporary Art & Enhancements

With a Steering Committee of residents, merchants, members of EAC & EAFF, this project proposal has moved through the approval process to a call for artists whose ideas will be evaluated in early 2015. A cohesive design is intended to draw attention to this corridor and provide elements for safety and continuity for an interim period of five years.

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Edmonds, as an arts community, is continually enhanced.

ArtWorks - a gathering place for artists



Artist Earl Debnam at the
NW Special Artists' Exhibit



Swiss artist, Bea Grob,
teaches a workshop at
ArtWorks, May 2014.



Artists attending an Artists
Connect meeting, 2014

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Growth opportunities are available to artists in our community.

EAF Foundation Gallery



Collaborations,
members of Artist Connect



from the EAFF Collection, Lois Silver



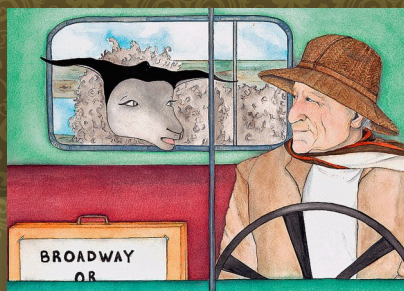
The Spirit of the Human Figure
Al Doggett



NW School Art: the Edmonds Connection



The Spirit of the Human Figure
David Varnau



The Art of the Story
author/illustrator Robyn Chance

The EAFF Gallery provides quality art exhibits by Northwest Artists, an ongoing arts education opportunity since 1980. For a listing of 2015 EAFF Gallery Exhibits, please visit www.eaffoundation.org/eaff-gallery/

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Art is accessible throughout the year to the various faces of the Frances Anderson Center and our community.

2014 Sponsor Level Donations - \$1,000+

Banner Bank	Swedish Hospital	Edmonds Community
AXIS Physical Therapy	Harbor Square	College
1st Security	Athletic Club	Port of Edmonds

2014 Patron Award Sponsors

Dewar Meeks + Ekrem PC CPA	Sue & Dave Earling	In Honor of O.A. "Bud"
Cheryl Mac Donald & Jon F. Nelson	Thomas Morgan	Eklund by Suzanne Eklund-Grayum
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2014 Platinum Level Donation - \$250 - \$999

Denise Bossieux	Stephen E. Beck	Jeri Hamilton
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2014 Gold Level Donation - \$100 - \$249

Jerry & Marji Stiffler	Leif & Audree Bentzen	Pat & Barb Fahey
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2014 Silver Level Donation - \$26 - \$99

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Lynda Hughes		

2014 Scholarship & Special Donations

Anna E. Sambataro Fine Arts Memorial Scholarship	Union Bank	Pederson Family Award
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We celebrate the arts in Edmonds

www.eaffoundation.org
www.artworks-edmonds.org

ArtWorks annual fundraiser, the *Previously Loved*

Art Sale, will be October 3, 9 am to 4 pm.

Donations are welcome year round. Art books, prints, original art, sculpture or other art related items (no frames, please), may be brought to ArtWorks at 201 2nd Avenue S., Monday, Thursday, Friday, 11 am to 2 pm.

The pARTy – a Benefit for the Arts in Edmonds

June 17, from 7:00 pm

Edmonds Arts Festival June 19, 20 & 21

*“The support from the EAF Association,
sponsors and patrons is most appreciated.”*

D McEllan, EAFF President



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