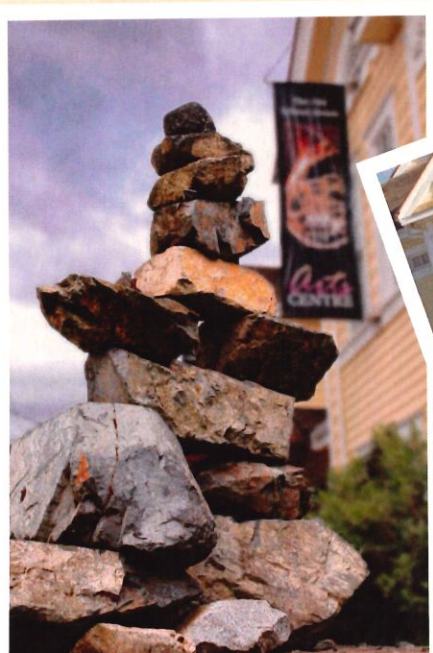


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FROM THE  
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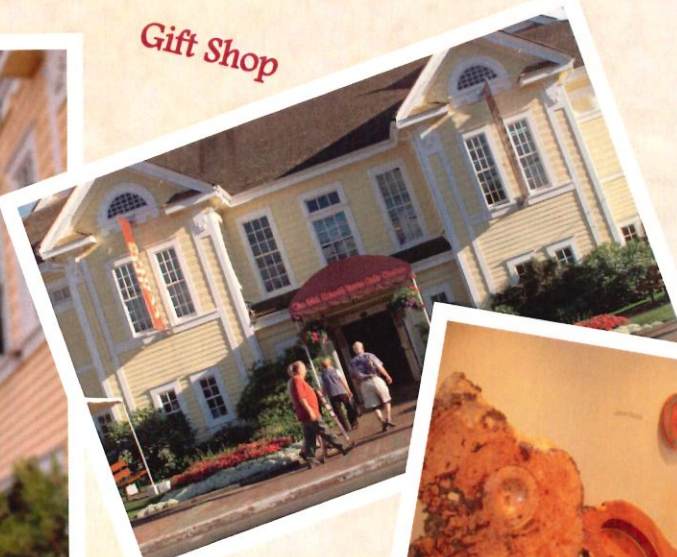
# Qualicum Beach 2010



## The Old School House Arts Centre



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Gift Shop



Exhibitions

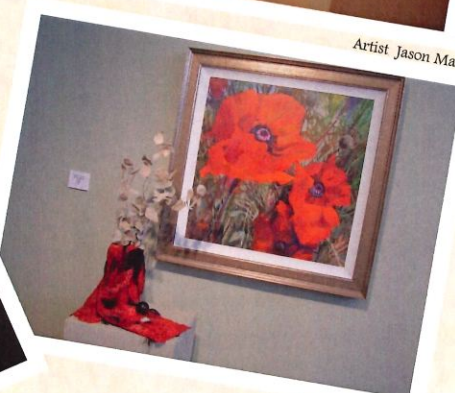
Artist Jason Marlow



Classes



Concerts



Artist Marilyn Timms

Resident Artists

The Old School House Art Centre (TOSH) was established in 1988 to encourage community members as well as tourists to participate in cultural activities. TOSH is open year round and offers diverse programming (education, exhibitions and music).

TOSH's art classes provide students with the opportunity to learn new skills, maintain an active and participatory lifestyle and socialize. The Kids' Summer Program at TOSH offers parents and children an affordable and high quality option for summer child care/cultural activities.

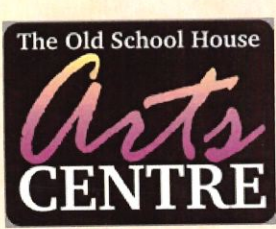
The Community Art Exhibition Program is designed to provide a venue for local residents and visitors to learn, appreciate and purchase Vancouver Island original works of art. It highlights West Coast culture and promotes the value of art to individuals of all ages. It also provides amateur and professional artists and craftspeople the opportunity to develop awareness of and promote revenue from their respective arts, crafts and guilds. TOSH offers monthly and/or bi-monthly exhibitions in three galleries, totaling at least 36 exhibitions annually.

The Music Program consists of the Music On Sunday Concert Series and the Harvest of Music annual festival event. The finest professional musicians from B.C. and beyond are scheduled to perform throughout the year. An eclectic variety of concerts is offered in order to appeal to diverse musical interests. Harvest of Music concerts and workshops are held in our main gallery, in elementary, middle and secondary schools, in senior citizens' residential facilities and other locations throughout the town.

The Old School House Arts Centre is a tourist attraction that generates revenue for the community and contributes to a positive impression of BC communities. Approximately 35,000 visitors attend our programs and exhibits annually. TOSH is proud to showcase the talent and culture of Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

Community commitment and support is demonstrated by the extent of volunteerism, corporate and/or individual financial contributions and volume of visitors who participate. Over 100 volunteers actively contribute to and participate in the ongoing success of TOSH.

All TOSH funds are raised through the many volunteer-based activities in combination with sponsorship donations from local businesses as "Partners In Art" and private individuals. As virtually all small arts organizations lost their Provincial grant support in 2009, and TOSH was no exception, contributions and donations in support of our diverse activities and initiatives are always appreciated and qualify for tax receipts.



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January



John Hofman, 2009 Grand Prix d'Art Winner

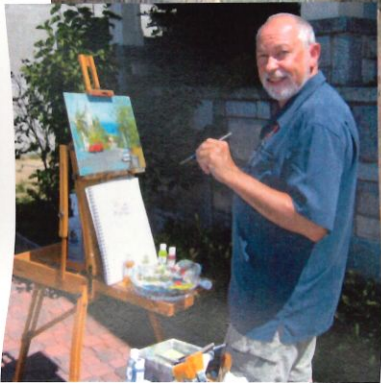


Fay St. Marie

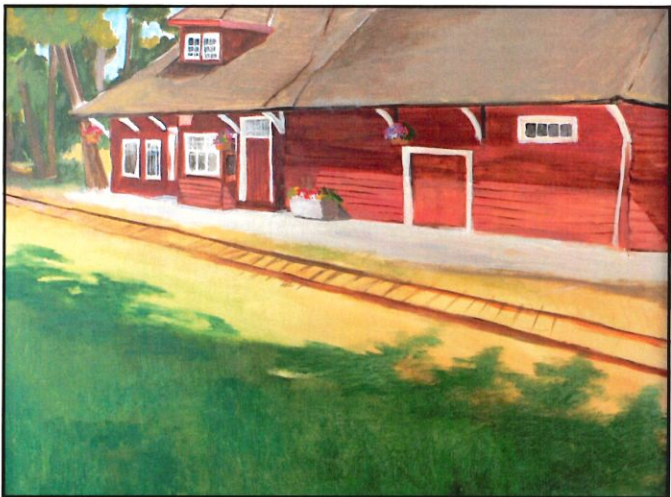


Nicole Poy

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	31	1 New Year's Day	2
3	4	5	6	7	8 New Exhibition	9
10 Music On Sunday	11	12	13 Opening Reception	14	15 Life Drawing Starts	16
17 Music On Sunday	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 Music On Sunday	25 Robbie Burns Day	26	27	28	29	30
31 Music On Sunday	1	2	3	4	5	6



Arnie Fisk, Past Grand Prix d'Art Winner



Jody Schneider



Carmen Gehring

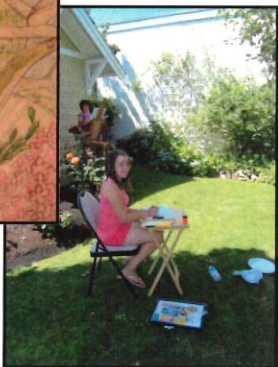
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1 New Exhibition Art Classes Begin	2 Groundhog Day	3	4	5	6
7 Music On Sunday	8	9	10 Opening Reception	11	12	13
14 Music On Sunday Valentine's Day	15	16	17 Ash Wednesday	18	19	20
21 Music On Sunday	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Music On Sunday	1	2	3	4	5	6



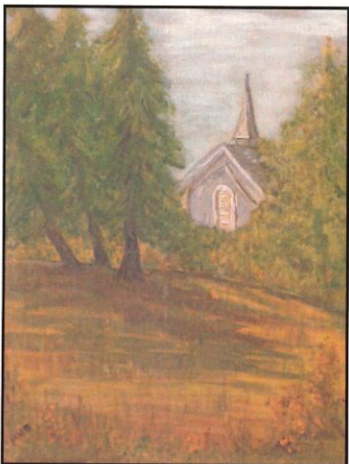
Peter Kohut



Leigh Buchanan



Brianna Ostrander

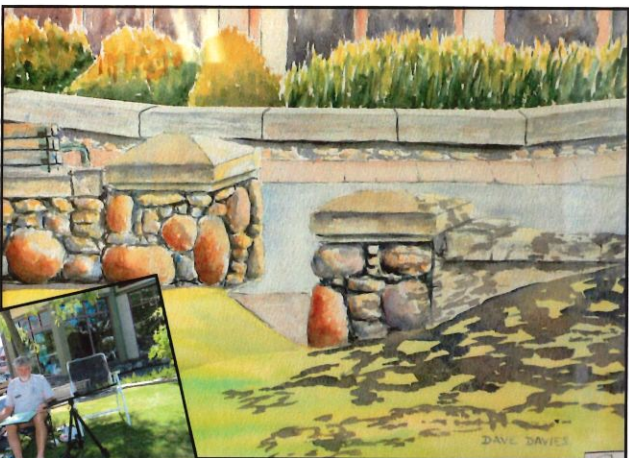


Melanie Barnatt

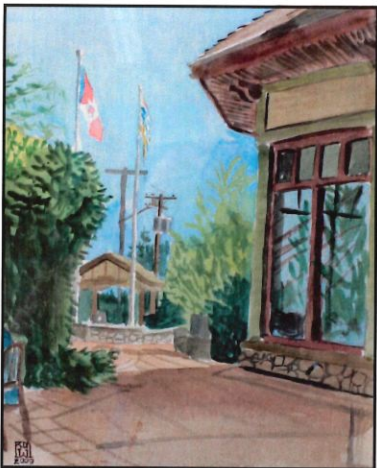
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 Music On Sunday	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Music On Sunday	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20 Spring Jazz Cabaret
21 Music On Sunday	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Music On Sunday	29 Sunday Painters Exhibition	30	31	1	2	3



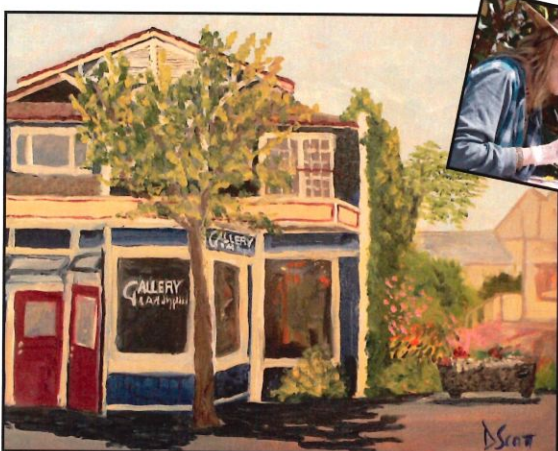
Brian Buckrell , Past Grand Prix d'Art Winner



Dave Davies



Matthew Wolferstan

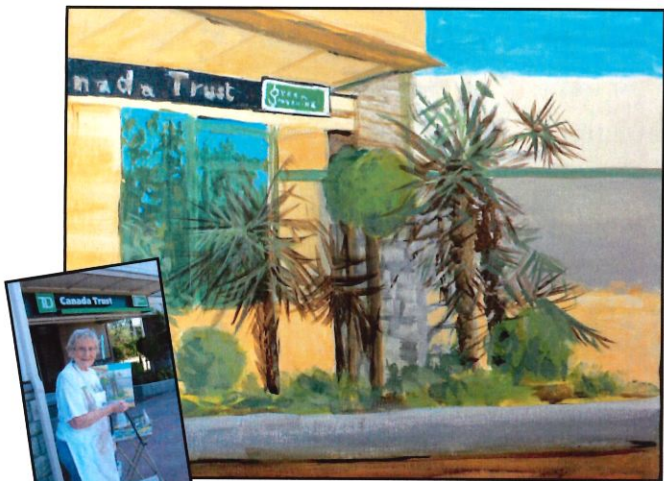


Debbie Scott

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	31	1	2 Good Friday	3
4 Easter Sunday	5	6	7	8	9	10 Art From the Attic sale
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Earth Day	23	24
25	26 Photography Exhibition	27	28	29	30	1



Ivor Cohen, Grand Prix d'Art Honourable Mention



Sheila Symington



Lynn Orriss



Pauline Pike

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9 Mother's Day	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24 Victoria Day	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Art in Bloom	1	2	3	4	5



*Dan Grey, Past Winner & 2009 Grand Prix d'Art Third Place*



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 New Exhibition	15	16	17	18	19
20 Father's Day	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	1	2	3



Jim McFarland, Past Winner and 2009 Grand Prix d'Art Second Place



Janet Tullis



Shenna McCorquodale

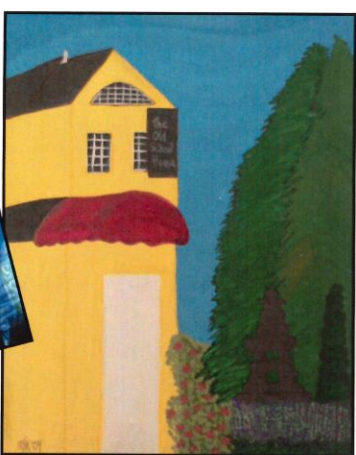
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	1 Canada Day	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 New Exhibition	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24 The Grand Prix d'Art Painting Race
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



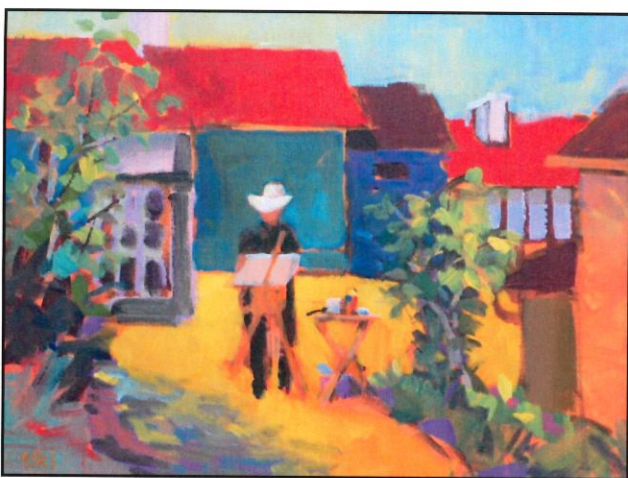
Kim Hancock



Ken Faulkes



Mary Kennedy



Tiki Westnedge



Roger Kemble



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 B.C. Day	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 New Exhibition	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4



Judy Jordison, Past Grand Prix d'Art Winner

Fern Pittendreigh



Loretta Novak



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6 Labour Day	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 New Exhibition	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26 Music On Sunday	27	28	29	30	1	2



Perrin Sparks

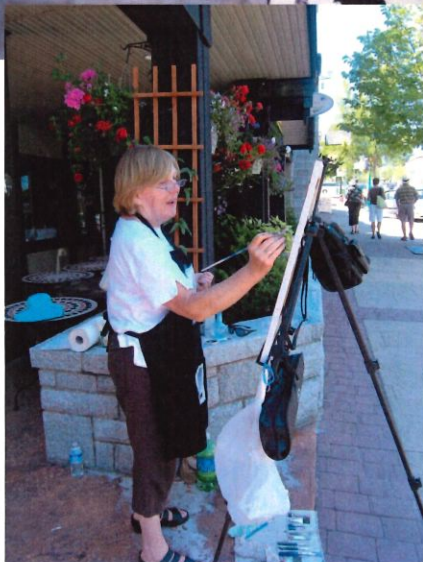


Diane Hay

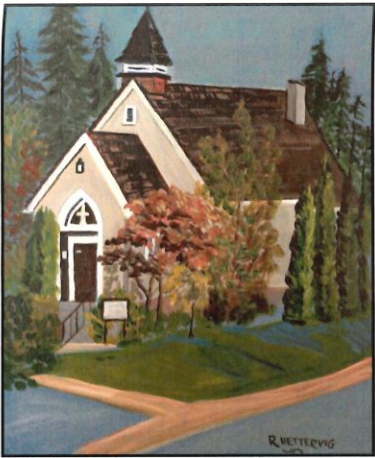


Sierra Pike

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3 Music On Sunday	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 Thanksgiving Day	12 New Exhibition	13	14	15	16
17 Music On Sunday	18 Art Classes Begin	19	20	21	22	23
24 Music On Sunday	25	26	27	28	29	30
31 Music On Sunday Halloween	1	2	3	4	5	6



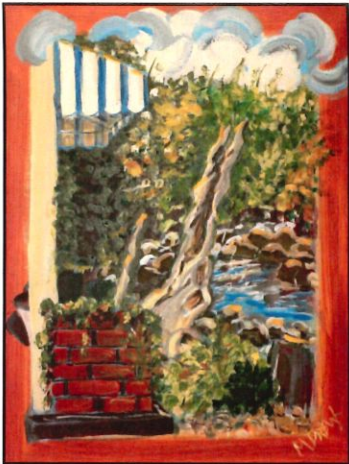
Gerda Hofman, Past Grand Prix d'Art Winner



Ruby Hettervig



Terri Bowen



Maureen Drew

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 Music On Sunday	8 New Exhibition	9	10	11 Remembrance Day	12	13
14 Music On Sunday	15	16	17	18	19	20
21 Music On Sunday	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Music On Sunday	29	30	1	2	3	4



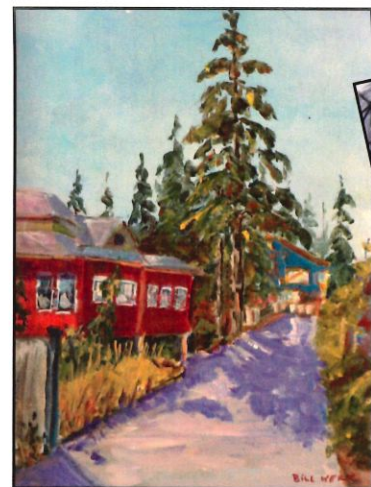
Jill Owen - Flood



Adrienne Moore



Eunni Conacher



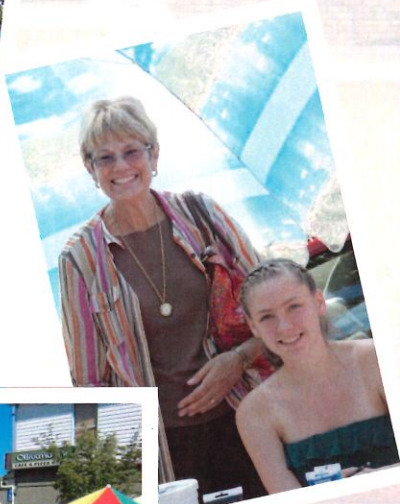
Bill Kerr

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28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5 Music On Sunday	6 Festival of Trees	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas Day
26 Boxing Day	27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve	



The artists pulled a location  
"out of a hat"

and starting painting at  
11:00 am.



It was one of the  
hottest days on  
record in  
Qualicum Beach.



That didn't stop the community and many visitors  
from coming out to cheer the artists on.

The 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Grand Prix d'Art was held on  
July 25, 2009.

Forty-four artists from Vancouver Island and the Vancouver area left their studios to converge in Qualicum Beach for a day of painting "en plein air". The Grand Prix d'Art is a "race"; competing artists must complete a work of art in three hours. Each artist is assigned a zone in the picturesque town of Qualicum Beach by lottery. A panel of three judges then determines the winners.. The 2009 Judges were artists John Barton, Merv Brandel and Janice Bridgman.

Thank you to the photographers for the calendar :  
Ivor Cohen, Sandy Gray, Al Westnedge, Arlene Angelo  
and Don Emerson.

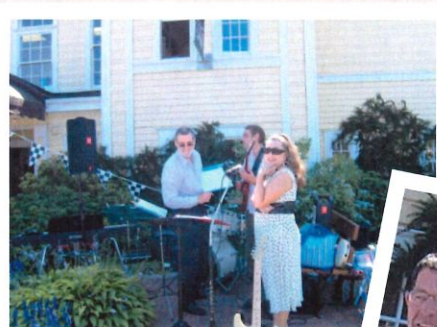
A huge thank you to the Grand Prix d'Art Volunteers:  
Deb Fraser, Mike Green, Noni Clark, Joan Green,  
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Mary Brouillette, as well as the staff: Jane Ayers,  
Vicki Huxtable, James Hartwick and Liam Hockley.

Thank you as well to the 2009 Event Sponsors:  
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This calendar has been created with the  
2009 Grand Prix d'Art Artists' outstanding work .

Calendar Concept and Design:  
Corinne James, Executive Director  
The Old School House Arts Centre

The Artists stopped painting at 2:00pm,  
and the framing and music began.



Ribbons and prizes were awarded by  
Corinne James, Executive Director of TOSH and  
Tennis Westbroek, Mayor of Qualicum Beach



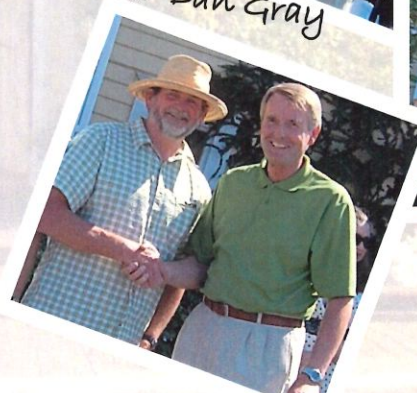
The paintings were displayed, and  
many were purchased.

First Place,; John Hofman



Second Place:  
Jim Mc Farland

Third Place: Dan Gray



Honourable Mention:  
Endriene Sheperd  
Brian Buckrell and  
Ivor Cohen

Join us for  
Grand Prix d'Art 2010  
on July 24th

