

Donalda Gallery for the Arts 2022 Review



WELCOME

At the crossroads of creation and appreciation of art, is the Donalda Gallery for the Arts. It is located in the historic 1928 Imperial Bank of Canada Building with a commanding view of the Meeting Creek Valley. Today, this wonderful building provides a beautiful space for exhibiting art from professional, emerging and beginning artists from Donalda and surrounding area.

ART SCHOLARSHIP

June 13 – June 19, 2022

BASHAW ART CLUB EXHIBIT

June 24–July 18, 2022



BETH RICHARDSON EXHIBIT

July 19 - August 2, 2022

ECHOES OF NATURE

August 3–August 17, 2022

LOCAL ART SHOW

August 19–September 9, 2022

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Take a look back at all the amazing artists and their beautiful works featured during the 2022 season!



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-Anni Albers



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Opportunities

The Donalda Community Arts Society is continually looking to host art lessons in all mediums. If you are interested in learning or teaching a class, please reach out to us.

Interested in exhibiting your artwork? We are currently accepting application for the 2023 summer exhibition season.

Be sure to follow us on Facebook at for class and exhibit updates.

www.facebook.com/donaldartgallery

Next Annual General Meeting: March 2023

New members always welcome!

FEATURED; Donalda School Art Scholarship



Each year, the Donalda Gallery for the Arts hosts an art scholarship for the students of Donalda School. Open to all students, submissions are featured in the gallery for a special exhibit when three category winners are chosen. Winners are chosen based on originality, creativity, and skill. There were many amazing pieces this year, making it a close vote! **The Donalda Art Society congratulates our three 2022 scholarship winners and thanks every student who participated in this year's show!**



**Category
winner
Grades 1-3**

Weston S.
Grade 1



**Category
winner
Grades 4-6**

Michael R.
Grade 5



**Category
winner
Grades 7-9**

Mercede M.
Grade 9



FEATURED;

Bashaw Art Club

The Bashaw Art Club consists of a number of members from five communities and four counties surrounding the town of Bashaw.

“Creating art is not scary; it is like anything else you learn. Everyone learns at their own speed.” – Bashaw Art

Club

The Bashaw Art Club meets from 10 am – 3 pm on Tuesdays from September to June above the Happy Gang Centre on Main st. Bashaw, Ab.

For more info on classes and meetings, contact Gail Skjaveland at [780.877.2393](tel:780.877.2393) or dgskj2011@gmail.com.



Gail Kerr, *Gallardia in the Gravel* (Acrylic)



Mary Kinsella, *Stay with the Hear* (Oil)



FEATURED;

Beth Richardson

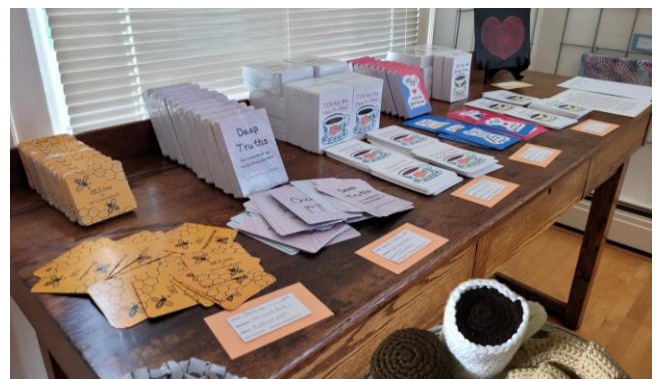
This exhibition showcased Beth's journey from her very first painting (acrylic), through various artistic explorations.

This amazing exhibit explored various mediums such as baskets made out of old newspapers; crochet food (patterns used from "Tasty Crochet" by Rose Langlitz and "Yummi 'Gurumi" by Christen Haden & Mariarosa Sala); acrylic paintings; Crayola wax crayons and Sharpie/Posca paint pens; 2-panel cartoon strips; card decks; printed canvases showcasing a selection of her unique digital sky drawings; watercolour; and archetype dolls in crochet. It was truly a fun exhibit!

To sign up for Beth's monthly Artist Voice e-newsletter, or for more information, please contact: *Beth Richardson*

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FEATURED; Dayna Muscoby & Zoe's Heartstrings Art

Featuring the multi-media works of Dayna Muscoby and Zoe DeCnodder, this Aunty-Niece duo have a passion for everything art!

Zoe is an avid birder who was excited to debut her watercolour and acrylic bird paintings, as well as a number of needle-felted pieces.

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Dayna, also inspired by the natural world, has a particular talent for pottery, painting and lampwork. Her beautiful pieces were truly a welcome addition to the Gallery!



FEATURED; Local Artists



Barb Todd, Donalda

Along with her exquisite acrylic landscapes, Barb shared a number of hand-crafted native beaded and leather creations from the Todd's local business, *Buffalo Lake Creations*, including her beautiful dream catchers!

Quinnlyn Holt, Bashaw

Our youngest participant this season at 15 years old, Quinnlyn's collection included a number of dragon drawings and fan-based art. Including her crowd favorite figures based on "Cookie Run Kingdom." (Dev Sisters)



Marlene Conibear, Donalda

Having experimented with acrylics, acrylic pours and watercolour over the years, Marlene's love of art and inspiration continues to come from the beautiful and never-ending landscapes that surround the area.



FEATURED; Local Artists

Continued:

Wanda Ryan, Bashaw

Truly outstanding and full of originality, Wanda's personal collection were a sight to behold. Their sheer magnitude and composition was a definite eye grabber!



Zoe DeCnodder, Pelican Point

Deciding to extend her stay, Zoe continued to display a select few favorites from her bird collection!



Margot Blox, Donalda

As an aspiring photographer, Margot's beautifully framed pieces showcased local subjects and themes and added a welcomed touch of variety to this year's exhibit.

