MISSION

The Sioux City Art Center’s mission is to enrich our region’s quality of life by bringing the excitement of the visual arts to our community through education, exhibitions and permanent collection.
Even though most COVID-19 restrictions have been lifted, many of us are still feeling the effects of the pandemic. *Facing a Changed World* is an exciting partnership between the Sioux City Art Center, Siouxland Public Media, and photographer Ron Johns. The exhibition provides a platform for Siouxlanders to share their stories about living through the pandemic; the good as well as the bad. Intimate recorded interviews and beautiful portraits will be your guides as you walk through the exhibition. We hope you’ll see some friendly faces and hear some familiar stories about living, coping, hope, and recovery.
Facing a Changed World is a collaborative installation between Siouxland Public Media and photographer Ron Johns. For the past few months, Studio Manager Mark Munger has been interviewing a diverse group of our regional citizens, opening a welcoming space to share and reflect on their experiences of living through the COVID-19 pandemic. Some of their stories are heartbreakingly familiar and others are intensely personal. Their recorded stories will be accompanied by Johns’s beautifully spare black and white photographs. Together, the interviews and photographs that comprise Facing a Changed World, will give voice and presence to our community. It will also be an important opportunity to learn more about the pandemic that we all lived through while looking towards some of the short- and long-term changes that our neighborhood, region, state, and the world have endured.

Ron Johns
Terry Brooks, 2022
Archival pigment print
30 x 20 inches

MARCH 16 – JULY 30, 2023
Reception: Thursday, March 16, 5:00 – 7:00 pm
The Sioux City Art Center is pleased to present the newest installment of *Briar Cliff Review*. This annual exhibition of artworks by local, regional, and national artists, were selected for the 2023 edition of *The Briar Cliff Review*, Briar Cliff University’s award-winning journal. This long-running and well-respected annual publication, now celebrating its 35th and final year, focuses on poetry, fiction, non-fiction, and visual art. The artworks included in this exhibition were selected in a collaborative effort between Jeff Baldus, professor of art at Briar Cliff University, who serves as the art editor of *The Briar Cliff Review*, and Christopher Atkins, curator of the Sioux City Art Center. The artists represented in both the journal and the exhibition are active professional artists with connections to Iowa, Nebraska, and South Dakota, as well as art students at Siouxland area colleges and universities. The diversity of work in this exhibition is deliberate, allowing viewers a chance to see a variety of artists who are connected by their commitment to produce work of high quality. The artwork in *The Briar Cliff Review Exhibition* features different materials, sizes, and artistic visions—collectively they represent many of the ways in which artists are working today.

**APRIL 20 – SEPTEMBER 3, 2023**
*Reception: Thursday, April 20, 6:00 – 8:30 pm*

**YOUTH ART MONTH EXHIBITION:**
**MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Celebrating Youth Art Month, the Sioux City Art Center will feature its 34th annual *Youth Art Month Exhibition* from February 25 – April 9, 2023. This year’s exhibition features work by middle school students and is juried by Morningside University professor Shelby Prindaville. Youth Art Month is an annual, nationwide observance celebrating art education for children and encourages public support for quality school art programs. Created in 1961, Youth Art Month began as Children’s Art Month for the purpose of emphasizing the value of all children participating in art.

**FEBRUARY 25 – APRIL 9, 2023**
*Reception: Sunday, February 26, 1:30 – 3:00 pm*
JOIN US
for the Art Center's Spring Gala

Through the Looking Glass

March 31, 2023 6 to 9 pm

For ticket and sponsorship information,
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Dana Rand
Carol Ratcliff
Lou Roach
Elizabeth “Anne” Smith
Richard Steinbach
Linda Vandiver

SPECIAL THANKS

The Mad Hatter's Tea Party
April 1, 2023
11:00 am – 1:00 pm

A family event featuring
Costumed Characters
Themed Refreshments
"Mad" Activities
Art Activities
$20 / person

Tickets: enterthelookingglass.org

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Having a Business Partner Membership means your business is part of an organization that enriches our community. You are part of a group of individuals that strengthen our mission and increase our ability to bring the excitement of the visual arts to our community through education, exhibition and permanent collection.

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*with Chello Sherman* | Tuesdays, 4:00 – 5:00 pm | (5 weeks) April 4 | Adult | Member $50 – Non-member $65 |
| | **SCULPTED FANTASTICAL CREATURES**  
*with Chello Sherman* | Wednesdays, 4:00 – 5:30 pm | (5 weeks) April 5 | Adult | Member $75 – Non-member $95 |
| | **MIXED MEDIA**  
*Playful Art: Mini-Books*  
*Painting With Torn Paper*  
*Creative Writing & Art*  
*Drawing and Painting*  
*Open Studios* | Mondays, 6:00 – 7:30 pm | (4 weeks) April 3 | Adult | Member $95 – Non-member $125 |
| Ages 9 – 13 | **“MUD” FOR KIDS**  
*with Pete Licht* | Tuesdays, 4:00 – 5:30 pm | (5 weeks) April 4 | Adult | Member $75 – Non-member $95 |
| | **PAINTING WITH TORN PAPER**  
*with Chello Sherman* | Tuesdays, 5:30 – 7:00 pm | (5 weeks) April 25 | Adult | Member $72 – Non-member $90 |
| | **CREATIVE WRITING & ART**  
*with Chello Sherman* | Saturdays, 12:30 – 2:00 pm | (5 weeks) April 29 | Adult | Member $72 – Non-member $90 |
| HS – Adult | **CERAMICS**  
*Beginning to Intermediate Wheel Throwing*  
*Intermediate to Advanced Pottery*  
*Beginning Watercolor Painting*  
*Intermediate & Advanced Watercolor*  
*Glass*  
*Open Studios* | Mondays & Thursdays, 6:00 – 7:30 pm | (5 weeks) April 3 | Adult | Member $140 – Non-member $175 |
| | **GLASS**  
*Beginning to Advanced Stained Glass*  
*with Pete Licht* | Thursdays, 6:00 – 8:00 pm | (6 weeks) April 6 | Adult | Member $96 – Non-member $120 |
| | **MIXED MEDIA**  
*Playful Art: Mini-Books*  
*Painting With Torn Paper*  
*Creative Writing & Art*  
*Drawing and Painting*  
*Open Studios* | Mondays, 6:00 – 7:30 pm | (4 weeks) April 24 | Adult | Member $76 – Non-member $96 |
| | **PAINTING WITH TORN PAPER**  
*with Chello Sherman* | Tuesdays, 5:30 – 7:00 pm | (5 weeks) April 25 | Adult | Member $72 – Non-member $90 |
| | **CREATIVE WRITING & ART**  
*with Chello Sherman* | Saturdays, 12:30 – 2:00 pm | (5 weeks) April 29 | Adult | Member $72 – Non-member $90 |
| | **DRAWING AND PAINTING**  
*Beginning Intermediate & Advanced Watercolor*  
*Beginning Watercolor Painting*  
*Open Studios* | Tuesdays, 6:00 – 8:00 pm | (5 weeks) April 11 | Adult | Member $95 – Non-member $125 |
| | **OPEN STUDIOS** | Fridays, 1:00 – 4:00 pm | Saturdays, 10:00 am | Adult | Member $72 – Non-member $94 |

For a complete list of classes and workshops, visit siouxcityartcenter.org and click the "CREATE" tab.
WORKSHOPS

ALCOHOL INK SILK SCARVES with Paula Crandell
Saturday, 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm
(1 week) April 15
Tuition: Member $40 – Non-member $48

ALCOHOL INK WITH COLLAGE with Paula Crandell
Saturdays, 12:00 noon – 2:00 pm
(2 weeks) May 13 | May 20
Tuition: Member $50 – Non-member $65

NEUROGRAPHICAL DRAWING 101 with Paula Crandell
Saturday, 12:30 – 3:30 pm
(1 week) May 6
Tuition: Member $28 – Non-member $37

SCULPTURAL VASES WORKSHOP with Chello Sherman
Thursdays, 5:30 – 8:00 pm
(2 weeks) April 20 | April 27
Tuition: Member $47 – Non-member $62

POLYMER CLAY WORKSHOP with Chello Sherman
Thursdays, 5:30 – 8:00 pm
(2 weeks) May 18 | May 25
Tuition: Member $50 – Non-member $65

SATURDAY YOUTH ART LESSON

Saturdays, 10:30 am – 12:00 noon
(Except April 29 for Family Spring Fling Day)
Tuition: $7 per project

- March 4: "One Fish, Two Fish, Clay Fish" Bowl
- March 11: Salt Painting
- March 18: St. Patrick’s Day Rainbow Suncatcher
- March 25: Keith Herring Pop Art Inspired Outlines
- April 1: “Stained Glass” Art
- April 8: Tie-Dye Easter Egg
- April 15: Monet Inspired Torn Paper Flower Painting
- April 22: Embossed Tin Art
- April 29: SPRING FLING FREE WORKSHOP
  - Jewelry Making
- May 6: Van Gogh Inspired Flowers
- May 13: Newspaper Animals
- May 20: Shibori Style Dyed Bandana
- May 27: Shibori Style Dyed Bandana

HANDLING WITH CARE: A NATURAL HAIR CARE SERIES

In March the Gilchrist Learning Center is pleased to welcome Handling with Care: A Natural Hair Care Series. The series will educate caregivers on braiding and other options to handle curly hair texture with the utmost care. The event coordinator, Semehar Ghebrekidan, Sioux City Community Inclusion Liaison, notes this will be the first Siouxland program where parental figures of different backgrounds will learn how to handle their child’s curly hair without turning to relaxers and chemicals. Master barber, Clyde Shinall, will teach barber basics on Saturday, March 11. Two sessions are available, 10 am and 12 noon. Natural hair stylist, April Coleman, will teach box braids (no extensions) on Saturday, March 18 at 11 am and cornrows on Saturday, March 25 at 11 am.

Spots are limited and registration is required. If you would like to learn more about this series, please contact Semehar Ghebrekidan at (712) 203-7738 or sghebrekidan@sioux-city.org.
UPCOMING EVENTS...

OPENING RECEPTION
Facing a Changed World
Thursday, March 16, 2023
5:00 – 7:00 pm
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

OPENING RECEPTION
The Briar Cliff Review Exhibition
Thursday, April 20, 2023
6:00 – 8:30 pm
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

SPRING FLING FREE WORKSHOPS
Gilchrist Learning Center
Saturday, April 29, 2023
10:30 am – 12:15 pm
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