

EL MORRO AREA ARTS COUNCIL

VOLUME TWENTY ONE: ISSUE THREE

THIRD QUARTER

EMAAC THIRD QUARTER EVENTS

“It’s Going to be a Rock”

*A lecture by Geologist Bob Shafer
on the geology and history of the Zuñi Mountains.*

Sunday, July 8, 2-4 pm \$5 donation

One of our most popular lectures, this fundraiser is still in demand! Don’t miss out!



“Into the Zuñis”

Geologic Driving and Hiking Tour in the Zuni Mountains

Saturday, August 18, 10 am -3 pm

Bob will offer a guided journey into the Zuñi Mountains to visit a number of interesting geological sites. Bring water, sun screen, sun hat, lunch and any other items you may need to ensure an enjoyable day.



In the Artists’ Quarter “Altered States and Transformations”

by Pati Hays

In this show I will present pieces that have been altered or transformed in some way, as well as images representing transformation.

A lifelong fascination with metamorphosis and transformation and a love of Nature have inspired much of my art. This fascination, coupled with an insatiable curiosity, have led me on a journey exploring life forms and using insights gained to create my own biologically inspired organisms through my art. In experimenting with and altering 2-dimensional art to create a 3rd dimension, I have been able to create an interplay of light and shadow.

As a passionate environmentalist, it suits my life philosophy to use found objects as well as to find new forms of expression for old work. As exciting as this journey has been for me, my work does not generate much excitement. My palette is quiet. I often use muted colors. The mood is more contemplative than electric. In fact, it has been my goal to create a calm and meditative space for the viewer in these all too chaotic times.

Exhibition Runs: July 13-September 30

Opening Reception: Sunday, July 15, 3-5 pm

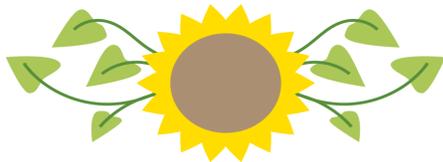
Letter from the President

We have just celebrated the 20th birthday of our organization, the El Morro Area Arts Council, (EMAAC)! The longevity of EMAAC is due to the thousands of hours in which many of our members created beautiful and dynamic art, assisted in the set-up activities for an event, volunteered to docent, rehearsed and performed in a play or musical performance, and performed numerous administrative tasks necessary to run such an organization.

Our member volunteers are what has made EMAAC thrive and what will make it continue to grow. We are only as good as our willingness to volunteer to assist in the activities required to implement the programs and keep the gallery open to the public.

What skills or time do you have to offer? We would love to have you join us!!

Sharron Dishongh, President



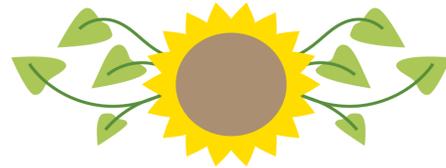
EMAAC conveys a very big

Thank You

to the ever-growing numbers that have taken our call to action seriously! Please consider joining this much appreciated group of volunteers.

WAVE RIDERS OF THE ANCIENT WAY

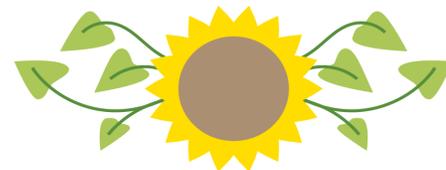
Redwulf and Standing Feather are fully available for healing work. Please call the Wave Riders' Yurt at 505-783-4039 with questions or to make an appointment.




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All materials for the 2018 4th Quarter Newsletter are due by Sept. 1st. Please submit to Redwulf for scheduling and approval by the programming committee at waveridersheal@yahoo.com

THIRD QUARTER EVENTS continued...



Your MIC is OPEN

July 21 @ 7 p.m.

Tickets \$5.00

We are graced by amazing performers in our area.

Come share a snippet of *your* talent!!

If you wish to perform call the gallery and sign up! 505-369-4047

MUSIC FESTIVAL *Ancient Way*

SON OF HWÉELDI

Pine Hill WARRIOR ROCK BAND

ALSO FEATURING:
Selections from area musicians.
\$10 ALL DAY PASS
Pizza by PEACE OF PIE

VENDORS WANTED
505.369.4047

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4 2-8 PM

AT THE OLD SCHOOL GALLERY
1 mile east of the El Morro National Monument on Hwy 53

Performance Schedule

2:00 pm

Pine Hill Warrior Rock Band

3:00 pm

Selections from Area Musicians

4:00 pm

Jeremy Mayne

5:00 pm

Meri Dean

6:00 pm

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THIRD QUARTER EVENTS continued...

Poetry Reading And book signing by Standing Feather

Feather will be reading selections from his new book, "*The Glowing Pink*". Various Zuni Mountain Poets will also be featured, as well as a special musical guest.

August 5, 1-2 pm at the Gallery

Karaoke

September 1, 7pm

We can find whatever you want to sing on *You Tube Karaoke* and put the lyrics on the big screen!

A fun and exhilarating experience. \$5 donation

Come Be A Star!



William Ballassi Musical Quintet "*Cheap Shots*"

September 2, 6 pm \$10 (but no one turned away for lack of funds)

This is an energetic five person acoustic band that draws upon an eclectic mix of Celtic, Contra, Old Time, Folk, Country, Old Blues, Bluegrass, Swing, and Klezmer.

Intertwining instrumental and vocal music (including original songs), the band features hammer dulcimer, fiddle, guitar, mandolin, banjo, bass, and the occasional Bodhrán (Irish drum). For contra dances, the band enjoys playing both New England and Southern style contra music.



Cheap Shots won the Old Time Band contest at the 2006 Santa Fe Bluegrass Festival.

Pat Aruffo on fiddle

John Brinduse on keyboard, guitar & percussion

Bill Balassi on guitar & mandolin

Peter Esherick on hammered dulcimer, banjo & mandolin

Erika Gerety on bass, mandolin & vocals.

Bring your instruments and your voices for the **Anything Goes Acoustic Jam** after the concert. Everyone will get to chose at least one tune or song for the group to play (or listen to- for original songs).

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! TRYOUTS FOR THE PLAY "THE LOATHSOME LADY" A COMEDY ABOUT KING ARTHUR AND THE BLACK KNIGHT!

Tryouts will be on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 5:30 PM, at the Old School Gallery.

Rehearsals begin first week in October. Performances will be November 16th & 17th.

Many fun, easy parts (3-14 lines) and some fun, meatier parts (31-97 lines)!

No experience necessary!

Call Barbara Duncan at 505-495-0029 if you would like more information.



SECOND QUARTER EVENTS continued...

Our quarterly night of Bingo with great prizes to win!

Sept. 8, 7 pm A *Hoot* was had at the last one! Refreshments available!

We have daubers for sale and chips to use—but bring your own if you have them.

Cards are available for purchase at the front door and between each round.

We are always looking for great, new/un-used items, art works and services as winning gifts for Bingo.

Leave with the docent at the Gallery, Friday-Sunday 12-4, or Call RedWulf to donate 505 -717-7841

Poetry Synergy Festival Sept. 22nd, 7pm

In years past, painters, dancers, photographers, songwriter/singers, and others have joined as partners with a poet to widen the scope, depth and sensual experience of poetry.

If you are a poet, team up with another artist of another medium to widen the experience of your poetry, and then present your collaborative baby at our 7th Annual Poetry Fest. We need poetry lyrics two weeks ahead of time to create a complimentary program to read along with the offerings.

Contact RedWulf. waveridersheal@yahoo.com. or Redwulf.dancingbare on Facebook or 505-717-7841

EXHIBITORS' NOTES

Second Quarter Art Pick-Up Deadline: Sunday, July 8th

Third Quarter Theme: *Altered States and Transformations*

Third Quarter Art Submission Deadline: July 12th, 11:30 am (no later)

If you cannot meet these deadlines, please contact Rachel Schali at rachel.schali@gmail.com (505) 906-7216, or the Gallery (505) 369-4047, Friday-Sunday 12-5pm. to make arrangements.

Each exhibition has a theme/title which is chosen by the artist(s) featured in the Artists' Quarter. The themes are meant to inspire, are open to interpretation and are never mandatory.

Exhibition openings are in salon format and all exhibitors are encouraged to attend.

Exhibiting artists are asked to bring finger-foods to share.

In the Artists' Quarter:

“Altered States and Transformations”

Works by Pati Hays

Opening Reception

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Fourth Quarter Theme:

“Rewind”

with EMAAC Artists Group Show
in the Artists' Quarter

Third Quarter pick up and

Fourth Quarter submission deadline - **11:30 am**
Thursday, Oct. 4, 2018

Opening Reception Oct. 7, 3pm



Book Club - 3rd Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m.



The Plot Against America by Phillip Roth, 2004. "A cautionary tale of a right wing presidency set in 1940 – Roth at the top of his powers."

July 17, 2018 at the home of Caroly Jones 505-783-4864;

The Good Lord Bird by James McBride. 2013 National Book Award winner, a historical novel, a telling of John Brown's mission through the eyes of a slave child.

August 21, 2018 at the home of Sue McNabb 505-870-2780

How we Die: Reflections on Life's Final Chapter by Sherwin Nuland, 1994. In this book the reader realizes "how earnestly we have avoided this most unavoidable of subjects, how we have protected ourselves by building a cultural wall of myths and lies."

September 18, 2018 at the home of Rosalie Bianchi 505-783-4076



SECOND QUARTER WORKSHOPS



New Moon Yoga with Amanda

Old School Gallery 7-9pm All levels welcome

Thursday July 12th

Sunday August 12th

Sunday September 9th

\$10 suggested donation

For details please call 505-930-0277

Stay tuned for these Fourth Quarter Events and Programs!

☼ Bingo ☼ Plen Aire Workshop with Jane Chilton ☼ Karaoke ☼

☼ Fall Festival ☼ Winter Solstice Celebration ☼

☼ Holiday Crafts Fair ☼

COMMUNITY EVENTS

To Bee or Not to Bee?

That is The Question

*An introductory class in Beekeeping is being offered at the
Work in Beauty Learning Center in Candy Kitchen*



Saturday, July 7th
2:00 - 4:00 PM

For questions and directions
call Kate Wilson (505)783-4704 or
email: timberlakewilson@gmail.com.



The Ramah Farmers Market is now Open!

Ramah Farmers' Market is located in front of the RAMAH MUSEUM.

One block north on BLOOMFIELD Rd from HYW 53 in downtown Ramah. Follow the signs!

Every Saturday - June 16 to October 6

10:00 am to 1:00 pm

Greens, Vegetables, Herbs, Cut Flowers, Plant Starts, House Plants

Eggs, Honey, Organic Chicken

Baked Goods – Crafts – Coffee & Breakfast Snacks

Gardeners: Bring Your Produce for the Community Table

**Debit Cards Accepted! EBT Cards Accepted! EBT Double-Up
Bucks Program, WIC and Seniors Checks honored!**

To Set up Produce or Craft Booths or with questions

Contact Jackie 783-4440 or ramahfarmersmkt@gmail.com

Please consider becoming a member of the El Morro Area Arts Council.

We depend on your support to bring the Arts to our community. Thank You

ON-GOING GROUPS

Are free and meet at the Old School Gallery unless otherwise noted

Wu Family Long Form Tai Chi with Reed

Sundays, 9:30 at the Gallery
Come and learn the Wu Family Tai Chi form.
Chi Gung practices as well.
Beginners are especially WELCOME!
Call Reed at (505)658-5444
for more information

T'ai Chi Ch'uan

White Crane Form
Sun, Moon, Circle Shao'lan

Taught by Monika and Urs Gauderon
Mondays, 5 p.m.—\$60/4 sessions
For information call (505)775-3045

Poetry Group

Most Sundays at 11 a.m.

Poets at all levels of development meet to share poetry and support each other. Call Jack at (505)783-4007 for location and information

Yoga

Thursdays @ 9:30 am

This group begins anew each time. Bring a mat, blanket and strap, if you have them.

For more information call (505)369-4047



Science Group

Join the lively discussion!

The third Sunday of each month 1:30 p.m. In The Loft at Inscription Rock Trading Post.

Join us to talk about Quantum Mechanics, the Speed of Light, Uncertainty, Entanglement, etc. and celebrate all the jiggling atoms within us.

"Not only do we live among the stars, the stars live within us"

Call Jane (505) 783-4551 or Rosalie (505)783-4076 for more information



"So You Think You Can't Dance?"

The First Friday of each month

7:30 pm at the Belly Button Ballroom

Informal Dancing and Dessert

Lessons for non-dancers, or bring your favorite dance to teach us all.

FREE Call Will (505) 783-4138 for directions or questions

On Going Monthly Groups:

So You Think You Can't Dance—First Fridays 7:30pm
 Science Group—Third Sundays 1:30pm
 Book Discussion Group—Third Tuesdays 7:30pm

July 2018

On Going Weekly Groups:

T'ai Chi Ch'uan—Mondays 5pm
 Yoga—Thursdays 9:30am
 Wu Family Tai Chi with Reed—Sundays 9:30am
 Poetry Group—most Sundays 11am

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8 Geology Lecture 1pm <u>Art Pick up/drop off</u> <u>Deadline</u>	9	10	11	12 New Moon Yoga 7pm	13	14
15 Art Opening 3 pm	16	17	18	19	20	21 Open Mic 7pm
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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				1	2	3	4 Ancient Way Music Festival 2-8 pm
5 Poetry Reading- 1pm	6		7	8	9	10	11
12 New Moon Yoga-7pm	13		14	15	16	17	18 Into the Zunis Tour-10am
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September 2018

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

						1 Karaoke -7 pm	
2 "Cheap Shots" Concert-6 pm	3		4 Play Try-outs 5:30 pm	5	6	7	8 Bingo -7 pm
9 New Moon Yoga -7 pm	10	11		12	13	14	15
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22 Poetry Synergy Festival -7 pm
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EMAAC Membership Form

The El Morro Area Arts Council (EMAAC) is a vibrant organization that celebrates diversity, thrives on the sharing of creative ideas through programs, exhibitions and workshops. EMAAC supports The Old School Gallery, a community-centered activity hub for traditional and contemporary arts. EMAAC membership is open to all artists and individuals who share a love of the arts and the Ramah/El Morro community. The membership term is from January 1 to December 31. Please Join Us!

Full Name _____

Email Address _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Web or Facebook Page _____

Receive Newsletter: Postal _____ or Email _____

New Member _____ Renewal _____

Membership Level:

_____ Student (\$12)

_____ Friend of EMAAC (\$37-\$99)

_____ Individual (\$24)

_____ EMAAC Champion (\$100-\$249)

_____ Family (\$36)

_____ EMAAC Sponsor (\$250 or More)

Interested in Volunteering? Y N How? _____

Mail this form with your comments or suggestions to:

EMAAC, PO Box 296, Ramah, NM 87321 * 505-369-4047 * www.theoldschoolgallery.org

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