

### **HOCKADAY MUSEUM of ART**

Gateway to Montana's Artistic Legacy

### THE SKETCH PAD

A Newsletter for Members 1st Quarter 2009

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### Donald Baughman REDLODGE

Sept 13, 1956 - Dec 23, 2008

When you were born,
you cried
and the world rejoiced.
Live your life
so that when you die,
the world cries
and you rejoice.

White Elk

The Hockaday Museum of Art will forever cherish Donald Baughman for his generous spirit, depth of character and knowledge, kind perspective, and wonderful humor and style. Hockaday Museum staff appreciated his faithful attendance at Museum functions, insights and advice on matters of art and culture, and willingness to help in any way that he was needed. Donald would sweep into the galleries on a breath of high interest energy, and leave us with some new gem ... a curious detail on a painting, the story behind an artist, a glimpse into the culture or politics that influenced a work or style of art. We are never ready to say good-bye to our best people and Donald was one of those Best. We miss him very much.

Farewell dear friend, with our love and memories and respect.

At the Baughman family's request, the Hockaday Museum of Art has established a Donald Baughman Memorial Fund. Gifts to this memorial fund will support the development and enhancement of the Hockaday Museum's Native American Perspectives Exhibition Program. Donations may be made to the Hockaday Museum of Art, Attn: Donald Baughman Memorial Fund.

The Hockaday Museum of Art is a registered 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization - EIN810303038.

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# FRIDAY, MAY 1 4:00PM—9:00PM HILTON GARDEN INN, KALISPELL

Sparkle up your private art collection in an upbeat, upscale evening at the beautiful Hilton Garden Inn

Join the competitive bidding fun for fabulous Miniatures paintings, glass work and pottery created by more than seventy of the Northwest's finest artists.

You will love the "Wall of Real Miniatures," postcard-size works and small pieces offered for sale by artists as a 100% donation to the Hockaday!

#### **TICKETS**

\$50 / MEMBERS \$60 / NON-MEMBERS \$375 / RESERVED TABLES OF 8 PLEASE CALL HOLLY 755-5268

### **PROGRAM**

4PM SILENT BIDDING BEGINS
HORS D'OEUVRES
CASH BAR
LIVE MUSIC
SPLIT-THE-POT TICKET SALES

6PM DINNER SEATING BEGINS
EXECUTIVE CHEF MATT ISRAEL & CULINARY STAFF
COMPLIMENTARY DINNER WINES

8PM SILENT AUCTION TURNS LIVE (LOT #1 FIRST TO CLOSE) AUCTIONEER - BILL DAKIN

Proceeds from the Miniatures Auction benefit Hockaday Exhibition & Education Programs. Thank you very much!

SNEAK A PEEK
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!
FREE MINIATURES PREVIEW PARTY
FRIDAY, MARCH 27 FROM 5-7PM
HOCKADAY MUSEUM OF ART

### AN INVITATION TO MEMBERS

### HOCKADAY MUSEUM OF ART ANNUAL MEETING

Tuesday, March 31 5pm - 7pm

### Agenda

BUSINESS MEETING
INTRODUCTION OF STAFF
ELECTION OF BOARD OFFICERS
MEMBERS' RECEPTION

The Annual Meeting will be held at the Hockaday Museum of Art in the Ace Powell Memorial Gallery, lower level. A highlight of the meeting will be an update to "Answering the Call," the Museum's capital campaign to expand the Hockaday Museum of Art.



### RE-MEMBER THE HOCKADAY ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Be a greater part of the Arts in your hometown!
Renew your membership and encourage a
friend to join the Hockaday Museum of Art by
April 11 for special gifts and drawings. Celebrate
the Arts and learn more about the benefits of
membership at our 1st MEMBERS ONLY PARTY

APRIL 23 FROM 5PM - 7PM.

Artists demonstrations
Guided gallery tours
Live music
Book-signing by author Carol W. Guthrie
Gourmet appetizers and beverages
Drawings for prizes and gifts

### An Evening with Author Alan Weltzien

Wednesday, March 11 5 - 7:30pm

Admission: \$10 / adults, \$5 with student ID, Museum members free

Join us Wednesday, March 11 for **An Evening with Alan Weltzien**. The author will be introduced by his literary colleague and friend Lowell Jaeger, himself an award-winning writer. Jaeger teaches creative writing at FVCC, and is the founder of Many Voices Press. Weltzien will present his latest book, *The Norman Maclean Reader* and his personal memoirs, *A Father and an Island: Reflections on Loss*. The evening will include a catered reception with music by the popular duet "Betty and the Boy", readings by Weltzien and Jaeger, and a book-signing session.

'Weltzien provides a broad and chronological selection from nearly four decades of Maclean's writing, and new biographical insights into one of the most remarkable and unexpected careers in American letters.'

### Dan Fagre Presentation returns by popular demand

Losing a Legacy: A Photographic Story of Disappearing Glaciers

5 - 7pm Thursday, April 2

Admission: \$10 / adults, \$5 with student ID, Museum members free

Losing a Legacy: A Photographic Story of Disappearing Glaciers The exhibition, which blends the science of climate change research with the aesthetic of landscape photography from Glacier National Park, opened at the Hockaday Museum on January 29 with a reception and artist's presentation to a standing room only crowd. Since then, so many have visited the exhibition and expressed interest in hearing Dan Fagre speak, that we have asked him for an encore presentation on April 2. Fagre is Research Ecologist and Climate Change Research Coordinator for Northern Rocky Mountain Science Center, USGS. He is stationed at Glacier National Park.

### Montana on the Move / New Artists 2009

Opening Reception Thursday, April 16 5 - 7pm

**Admission: Free** 

Impressive, charming, inspiring! This annual family favorite features elementary students' interpretations of the theme: Montana on the Move; and New Artists 2009, the selected works of area high school art students. Opening reception and Student Art Scholarship Awards sponsored by the Guild of the Hockaday Museum.

### Three Seconds and So Many Lifetimes

Opening Reception 5 - 7pm Thursday, May 7

Admission: \$10 / adults, \$5 with student ID, Museum members free

Familiar and beloved faces from the Flathead Valley captured by Larry Johnson in photographs of his customers taken in the early 1990's when Mountain Valley Foods was on 1st Ave East. At a shutter speed of .016 seconds, that's a total of 172 precious lives in 3 fleeting seconds. Opening reception sponsored by Mountain Valley Foods.

## Senior Tour & Tea Days 2nd Thursday of each month 10 am - 4pm

Free admission for Senior Citizens ages 60+ (Visitors of all ages are welcome, but Seniors are admitted free)
Docent-guided Gallery Tour at 10:30am
Coffee, Tea and Cookies served all day

Thank you, 2009 Sponsors! Medical Arts Pharmacy Stoick Drug Sykes Pharmacy

### Crits & Croissants

A Saturday Morning Artists' Critique 2nd Saturday of the month, September- May 10:30am - 12pm

Enjoy coffee, croissants, and a professional artist's feedback! Bring one piece of your recent artwork for a professional critique by the month's guest artist.

March 14 - Trevon Baker, photographer

April 11 - Susie Brown, painter

May 9 - Tim Carlburg, potter

Thank you, Guild of the Hockaday Museum, Sponsors of Crits & Croissants!

**Crown of the Continent: Glacier National** Park Permanent Exhibit - Featuring artists from the turn of the century to present day

Ace Powell Memorial Gallery - Gifts of the McClarty, Claridge, Nelson, Masa, Kellogg and Baughman families

First Nations Artists - Salish-Kootenai artists Corky Clairmont, Linda King and Jay Laber

Losing a Legacy: Photographic story of disappearing glaciers - Dan Fagre / Lisa McKeon Sponsored by GNP Fund, USGS, BNSF Railway

**Seldom Seen -** Selections from the Hockaday Permanent Collection that few have seen

Re-Member the Hockaday - Membership Drive Renew your membership and encourage your friends to join you at the Hockaday!

Alan Weltzien Book Signing: The Norman Maclean Reader - Biographical insights into one of the most remarkable careers in American letters. 5-7:30pm Wed, March 11

**Auction of Miniatures - Free Preview Party** Sneak a Peek! 5-7pm Friday, March 27

Hockaday Museum Annual Meeting, Election of Officers and Members Reception 5-7pm Tuesday, March 31

### **Dan Fagre Encore Presentation**

Learn more of the story behind the exhibit, "Losing a Legacy..." 5-7pm Thurs, April 2

Montana on the Move / New Artists Shows Elementary / High School student artistry. Opening reception 5-7pm Thursday, April 16 Sponsored by the Guild of the Hockaday

Members Only Party! - Celebrate Museum membership! Artist demonstrations, tours, refreshments, music! 5-7pm Thurs, April 23

Benefit Auction of Miniatures - An elegant and lively evening of art, bidding, and dining in support of Hockaday Museum programs. 4-9pm Friday, May 1 - Hilton Garden Inn

### **Three Seconds - So Many Lifetimes**

Larry Johnson's photographic collection of Flathead Faces. Also on exhibit, portraits from the Hockaday's permanent collection. Opening reception 5-7pm Thursday, May 7 Sponsored by Mountain Valley Foods



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