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FROM SOMMER CARTER, AMP PRESIDENT

Hello Anacortes Community,

On behalf of the AMP Board, I want to acknowledge a whole bunch of folks who helped bring musical life to the beautiful Eagles Ballroom for The Upstairs Music Fest and AMP Prom. Thanks to the vision of Jim Reeder, over the weekend of April 20, Spare Records and AMP hosted five regional bands and over 300 dancing people. Spare Records provided professional sound and lights in a venue designed for performance and dancing. We look forward to more events in this space. Thank you, Eagles!

And, thank you sponsors: Spare Records, Gere-a-deli, Johnny Picasso, Skagit Art Music, and Salt & Vine.

Thank you to our loyal volunteers—notice how beautiful all our events are, thanks to these folks: Mark and Marcy Perschbacher, Mary Staley, Raechel Anderson, Holly McBride, Patti Pattee, Lois Cassidy, Linda Lipke, Marlo Cooley, Carolyn Moulton, Janna Young, Ben Goe, and Rob Carter.

The year is turning to ever more opportunities to get out of doors and enjoy our community and landscape. I hope to see you out in it.

AMP board members pose for a celebratory photo as prom night gets underway. *This photo Courtesy of Lois Cassidy. All other prom photos courtesy of Corin Noronha.*



Interview With Cover Artist Dona Reed

Dona Reed is a local artist who creates limited-edition, hand-pulled relief prints as well as vessels and lamps made from gourds. She teaches classes in creativity, print-making, and gourds. For more information, please contact (360) 472-1690 or donareed@gmail.com.

WHAT WORK DO YOU MOST ENJOY DOING?

I enjoy researching the information needed to compose my designs. The subject itself, the environment it lives in, the mating behavior, etc. All are important to the final design. Creating a good design includes all these things, but the most important part of my compositions is the interaction between my subjects.

DID YOU ALWAYS WANT TO BE AN ARTIST?

I have always enjoyed art, but it wasn't until college that I thought of it as a career. I had an excellent design professor who inspired me to follow art. I started printmaking in 1972 while an art student in college. As a student, art teacher and artist I have been fortunate to

explore a wide range of media, but over the years I keep returning to printmaking as the best ways to express my designs.

WHAT IS THE PROCESS YOU GO THROUGH WHEN CREATING A PIECE?

To create my relief prints, I first develop a design on paper, from initial sketches to final drawing. I transfer the finished drawing in reverse onto a block of wood or linoleum, then carve away the wood or linoleum that will make the print's "white space". I then ink the remaining, or raised, portion of the carved block, and transfer the ink to paper using my Ettan press. In some designs, I apply a touch of color by hand once the ink has dried.

Alt Prom a Glamorous Success

BY LINDA LIPKE

A rollicking good time was had in the vintage ballroom at The Eagles Aerie on April 20th. The Anacortes Music Project hosted an Alternative Prom like you never experienced back in the day. Local favorites, The Mosstones, and regional hit-makers, Gin Gypsy, played to a standing-room-only full house. The historic ballroom was decorated prom-style including a balloon photo booth, fresh seasonal flowers, a mirror ball, and even a chocolate flowing fountain.

The prom goers danced the night away, sipping on beverages of their choice, munching on a most delicious buffet of food donated by local businesses, and capturing a moment in time in the photo booth. This event was a success thanks to generous sponsors Spare Records, Johnny Picasso's, Salt & Vine, Skagit Art Music, Gere-a-deli, and all the tireless hours put in by the dedicated AMP volunteers. Money raised at this event goes to support local music.



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Anacortes Music Project

Live Music on the Waterfront

May 11, 11:00 AM-5:00 PM

Come celebrate the start of the boating season with free boat rides, free BBQ, and live music from the Enthusiasts! The Pull and be Damned Small Boat Messabout has served as the season-opening event for the small boating community for the past several years. This free community event is aimed at gathering small boat enthusiasts together and creating an opportunity for non-boaters to experience being on the water.

Passionate boat owners and local clubs come out to offer boat rides to the public and share their passion for the water. They are always looking for new ways to turn non-boaters into lifelong boaters and stewards of the waterfront. This year will feature paddle boards, kayaks, sailboats, and rowboats all for public use. Some light instruction will be available for folks who want to try something new.

The Old Anacortes Rowing and Sailing Society (OARS) will be present with multiple gigs and the classic longboat the Elizabeth Bonaventure, to offer community rides. Fiberglass supply will come out with boards and kayaks for community use as well as a demonstration of plywood boat building.

Come enjoy the Enthusiasts and experience springtime on the waterfront. Kids Games, Free BBQ, Music, and hopefully sunshine, are all part of the festivities!



Anacortes Music Channel

Do you know about the Anacortes Music Channel? One great pool of Anacortes music just churning away – 24/7! Each sound recording played at Anacortes Music Project online radio has an Anacortes tie-in, a story that, if not rooted in Anacortes, is affected by or involves a person from our town. Tune in day and night at ANACORTESMUSICPROJECT.ORG.

Fingerstyle Guitar Showcase on Guemes Island

May 15, 6:00 PM

On Wednesday, May 15th, three nationally celebrated American Fingerstyle guitarists—Peter Janson, Steve Davison, and Tracy Moore—will perform on Guemes Island. Join us at the Guemes Island Community Center for this special event.

Peter Janson is an award-winning contemporary solo guitarist, composer, and music educator whose recordings have reached No. 2 in Billboard. Janson's style of contemporary solo guitar music weaves together the common elements of Jazz, Folk, Celtic, European, and improvisational music.

Steve Davison is an award-winning guitarist and composer on 6 and 12-string guitar. Among his numerous honors, he's won the Ozark Folk Center Merle Travis Contemporary Competition and the solo competition at the Arkansas Acoustic Music Festival. Davison performs a mix of traditional and original contemporary guitar music.

Tracy Moore is one of the world's truly fine 12-string guitarists who has expanded the rich melodic tones and dynamic possibilities of the instrument beyond its former role as an accompaniment. Moore plays a mix of Celtic, old European lute works, and original contemporary music.

This event is being presented by The 4 Chicks and a Dude—the four-woman team of Cheryl Mansley, Suzie Gwost, Lorrie Steele, and Libby Boucher, with their friend, Andy Gladish. The 4 Chicks believe in creating community events with a "down-home" feel.

\$15 suggested donation at the door. For more information, contact Cheryl Mansley at 304-702-0554 or cherylmansley@gmail.com.

Get Out of Town!

May 4, 7:30 PM

Need an energy boost to your weekend? Look no further! Fanny Alger is bringing their brand of high-energy rock and The Dizzys will be keeping the party going with their upbeat covers from many genres, including country, rockabilly, blues, rock, and punk. Head out to the Conway Muse!

Fanny Alger: 8:00 pm - 9:15 pm

The Dizzys: 9:30 pm - 11:00 pm

Cover: \$10 at the door

Call for Contributors

Do you go to local music shows? Do you love to write or take pictures? Do you know about an upcoming show that could benefit from some hype? Show Chime is looking for volunteer contributors to help us cover the local music scene. Lend your skills and passion to help promote the homegrown music you love and help us grow this beloved publication. Cover one show or become a regular contributor.

Contact us at THESHOWCHIME@GMAIL.COM to start the conversation.



SHOWSCHEDULE

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

ANACORTES 2019

			1 7:00PM The Rockfish Grill Joan Penney Entertaining Jazz All Ages	2 7:00PM The NeXt Show Featuring Gin Gypsy with DJ Todd & KDUG Listen live at anacortesmusicproject.org	3 6:00PM Ristretto Wine Bar Weslee Jones Solo Acoustic 21+ 7:30PM The Rockfish Grill Nathan McCarthy and The Petulant Children Classic Covers All Ages 7:30PM Depot Arts Center Cantabile Chamber Choir present Coming Home! Vocal Ensemble All Ages 9:00PM Swinomish Casino BroHamM Funky Grooves 21+ 9:30PM Brown Lantern Bootleg Sunshine Mountain Funk 21+	4 7:00PM Depot Arts Center New Uniform, Enduro Spring Fever All Ages 9:00PM Swinomish Casino BroHamM Funky Grooves 21+
5 7:00PM Swinomish Casino 5 de Mayo Latin Fiesta Gran Baile 18+ Banda Zeta y mas! 7:00PM Anacortes Westminster Presbyterian Church Russian Men's Quartet Russian Vocals All Ages	6	7	8 7:00PM The Rockfish Grill Blues Union Smooth Grooves All Ages 9:00PM Brown Lantern Havilah Genre Troubadour 21+	9 6:15PM Anacortes Middle School Gym Free Public Masterclass with Dr. Jose Valentino Ruiz 7:00PM Anacortes Middle School Gym AHS Jazz Band with Dr. Jose Valentino Ruiz All Ages 7:00PM Guemes Island Store Pearl Tottenham, Luuk Honey, Laura Hickli, and 36? Regional Showcase All Ages	10 6:00PM Seafarer's Park The Enthusiasts Small Boat Messabout All Ages 7:00PM Guemes Island Store Savage Blues Band Family Blues All Ages 7:30PM Anacortes Eagles Scratch Daddy Beyond Blues 21+ 9:00PM Rockfish Grill Taproom The Dizzys Eclectic Rock 21+ 9:30PM Brown Lantern The Enthusiasts Energized Locals 21+	11
12 2:00PM Anacortes Public Library Second Sunday Jazz Hot Club of Troy Swing Jazz All Ages	13	14 6:00PM The Rockfish Grill Andre Feriante Flamenco Guitar All Ages 6:00PM Guemes Community Center Peter Janson, Steve Davidson, Tracy Moore Fingerstyle Guitar All Ages	15	16 9:00PM Swinomish Casino Aaron Crawford Cascade Country 21+	17 11:00AM Depot Arts Center An Evening of Laughter Stand-up Comedy All Ages Your Story Foundation Fundraiser 7:00PM Guemes Island Store Yogoman Burning Band Dance Rhythms All Ages 7:00PM The Rockfish Grill Little Bill and The Bluenotes Blues Legend All Ages 7:30PM Swinomish Casino Aaron Crawford Cascade Country 21+ 9:30PM Brown Lantern Three for Silver Goosecore 21+	18
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HOW IT WORKS



Manieri Endowment



RINGING THE BELL FOR ANACORTES MUSIC



MANIERI SECOND SUNDAY JAZZ CONCERT

The Hot Club of Troy

May 12, 2:00 PM

Join us for an afternoon of live jazz at the Anacortes Public Library. The Hot Club of Troy plays music in the style of the renowned Quintet of the Hot Club of France and its legendary leader—guitarist Django Reinhardt. The Hot Club of Troy's music swings with a wild abandon that allows sparkling melodies to rise from the pulsing rhythm guitars and bass. Guitarist Troy Chapman, joined by the outstanding musicianship of guitarist Keith Bowers and bassist Kristi O'Donnell, will leave you enthralled, inspired and tapping your toes.

This free concert series is sponsored by the Anacortes Public Library Foundation Manieri Jazz and Swing Endowment.

Jazz with Jose Valentino

**May 10, AMS Gymnasium
6:15 PM Masterclass, 7:00 PM Concert**

The Anacortes High School Jazz Band will perform a free concert with EMMY® Award Winner, and multi-GRAMMY® Award-nominated artist-producer-engineer, Dr. Jose Valentino Ruiz.

Dr. Ruiz will coach Anacortes Band students during their classes on May 10th, lead a free Public Masterclass in the evening, and then perform in concert with the AHS Jazz Band. To get a glimpse of Dr. Ruiz's artistic work, check out his website at josevalentino.com.

This concert is the headlining event of the Jazz Education Series, which aims to educate and inspire Anacortes School District students with professional jazz experiences. The Series is sponsored by the Anacortes Public Library-Foundation Manieri Jazz Endowment.



Who was Dominic Manieri?

Did you ever wonder why the Anacortes Public Library has such a fabulous jazz collection? You can thank the Dominic Manieri Jazz and Swing Endowment, a generous bequest from the estate of Patricia Manieri, a former librarian, in honor of her husband, Dominic Manieri.

Dominic Manieri was born July 30, 1911, in New York, of Italian immigrant parents. His love for music, particularly jazz, developed when he was a young boy. He taught himself to play the clarinet as a teenager and later played both the saxophone and clarinet with a local swing band, traveling through the New York area and beyond. The income he earned by playing helped pay for his college tuition at St. Bonaventure University where he received his Master degree in Chemistry.

Dominic went on to marry Patricia Claire and his career took him to Sunnyvale, California. There he worked for Lockheed on the Challenger project, amongst others in the top secret and high security "Skunk Works" division. Retiring in the 1980s, he and Patricia moved to Anacortes. Besides being a chemist and a jazz enthusiast, Dominic was an avid gardener. Friendly and outgoing, Dominic possessed a natural curiosity and fascination with life, never ceasing to ask questions of everyone he met in every walk of life.

The generous bequest in his name continues to cultivate an ever-growing passion for jazz and swing throughout the Anacortes community.

Anacortes Venues

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| Anacortes Eagles | 901 7th St |
| Anacortes Middle School | 2202 M Ave |
| Anacortes Public Library | 1220 10th St |
| Brown Lantern | 412 Commercial Ave |
| Depot Arts Center | 611 R Ave |
| Guemes Island General Store | 7885 Guemes Isl Rd |
| Guemes Community Center | 7549 Guemes Island Rd |
| Ristretto Wine Bar | 416 S 1st St, Mt Vernon |
| The Rockfish Grill | 320 Commercial Ave |
| Seafarer's Park | 601 Seafarers Way |
| Swinomish Casino | 12885 Casino Dr |
| Westminster Presbyterian Church | 1300 9th St |



Buffet rocks to a full house during their record release party at Bikespot last month. Photo courtesy of Corin Noronha.

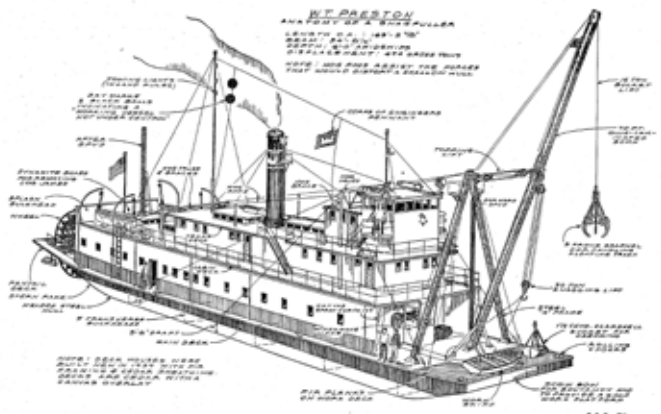
New Artist in Residence Program in Anacortes

Calling all PNW creatives! The Anacortes Museum is pleased to announce an artist residency for two regional artists to create new site-responsive artwork for our National Landmark sternwheel steamboat in Anacortes, Washington. This opportunity will support the creation of a work of art that responds to the history, environment, and stories about the W.T. Preston and its current surroundings.

The W.T. Preston is a 160 foot long, three-deck snag boat that once cleared the local river ways and is now located next to Cap Sante Marina and Anacortes Maritime Heritage Center. It is the descendant of a long line of snagboats that worked the Puget Sound and its tributary rivers, clearing the waterways of navigational hazards. Until her retirement in 1981, the Preston was the only large, active sternwheeler remaining in the Sound.

This residency is open to artists who work in varying media: sculptors, musicians, sound artists, writers, playwrights, painters, videographers, dancers, textile artists, and others are welcome to apply. Visit the Anacortes museum website for details.

Applications are due May 6, 2019





REPRESENT!

Your support amplifies the music and musicians of Anacortes. In addition to the promotion, publication, and distribution of the SHOW CHIME music calendar, AMP is committed to creating events featuring local musicians, developing a scholarship and mentoring program, continuing the development and collection of archives past and present, and shaping exciting visions for the future, such as a physical space for our community's very own radio station and music space.

Your contribution is uplifting the culture of art and music in our town. We're doing this together!

GO TO ANACORTESMUSICPROJECT.ORG AND CLICK ON THE SPONSORSHIP BUTTON.

AMP Swag for Sale

AMP t-shirts and stickers are now available! Support your local music scene by sporting some swag. Shirts and stickers can be purchased at AMP events or by becoming an AMP sponsor at ANACORTESMUSICPROJECT.ORG.

Stay in Anacortes

Coming to Anacortes for a show? Stay the night! Check out the range of options at Anacortes.org/stay/

Get in Touch!

Want your music projects or shows mentioned in the Show Chime? Want to submit a piece of art or an article? Have ideas for Show Chime you'd like to share? Please get in touch!

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Thank You!

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Music Resources

THE BUSINESS

The Business cultures Anacortes and the world with its selection of fiercely independent new music. They offer music subscriptions, curate local shows, and offer label operations and mail-order fulfillment for many self-releasing artists and labels. Located at 216 Commercial and thebusinessanacortes.com.

THE CONNEXION

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HOOPLA

Hoopla is a digital media service provided by the Anacortes Public Library with support from the Manieri Endowment. Access over 300,000 music titles, 40,000 audiobooks, 13,000 movies, 180,000 ebooks, 9,000 comics, and more, all in an incredibly user-friendly interface. Sign up with your library card at hoopladigital.com.

KENNELLY KEYS MUSIC

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MANIERI JAZZ & SWING COLLECTION

The Anacortes Public Library features the Manieri Jazz & Swing Collection—specially chosen books, CDs, and DVDs on the uniquely American art of jazz and swing music. Sponsored by the Dominic & Patricia Manieri endowment, the entire collection is accessible for check-out with your library membership.

Opportunities to Make Music!

OPEN MICS

Last Wednesday of every month at Guemes Island Store. All Ages.

Every Thursday at Brown Lantern from 8:30 pm. Ages 21+.

Second and Fourth Saturdays 7:00-8:30 pm at the Anacortes Public Library. Sign-ups at 6:30. Acoustic and Poetry. All ages.

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

The Anacortes Eagle's Club is looking for bands who play rock, blues, or bluegrass 7:00 to 10:00 on Saturday nights. Call or text 360-770-0144.

Moon Raw Improvisational Orchestra meets and extends its welcome to those curious to join—bring your instrument or just your ears to Christ Episcopal Church next to Causland Park. This secular, yet spiritual, practice meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 7:00 pm.

Acoustic Music at the Library happens every third Sunday at 2:00-2:30 pm and third Tuesday 6:00-6:30 pm. Experienced musicians interested in playing should inquire at the library circulation desk. 1220 10th Street.

Anacortes Harmonaires meet weekly on Thursdays at 7:00 pm. Ladies of all ages who enjoy singing and the sound of Barbershop Harmony, come and join in the fun. Call 360-293-0950.

An-O-Chords Men's Barbershop Chorus meets every Thursday evening from 7:00 to 9:30 pm at Bethany Covenant Church in Mount Vernon. For more information visit anochords.org or call 360-202-2424.

Guemes Island Drum Circle meets Thursdays at 6:30 pm at the Guemes Island Community Church to study and practice traditional and non-traditional African and Cuban rhythm ensembles. No prior experience required. For questions, call Bill at 360-826-2714.



The NeXt Show

Please join us on the first Thursday of every month for The NeXt Show, the live show where you hear the music and thoughts of artists from Anacortes and beyond. Our May guest is GIN GYPSY.

May 2, 7:00-9:00 PM. To listen live and access archived podcasts go to ANACORTESMUSICPROJECT.ORG.