



# edmonds

## ARTS COMMISSION

### Arts Bulletin

## Fall 2019

### Free Literary Events During Write on the Sound

October is the time each year the Edmonds Arts Commission welcomes writers from across the state, U.S. and British Columbia to its annual Write on the Sound writers' conference. There are several opportunities for the general public to participate in free-admission conference related activities:

**Fri Oct 4, 5:00 - 6:00pm**, Edmonds Sno-Isle Library (650 Main St) hosts Judith Adams' presentation "**The Poetic Apothecary: Poems for Healing and Comfort.**" Presented as part of the Humanities Washington Speakers Bureau. Light refreshments provided.

**Sat Oct 5, 5:30 - 6:45pm**, Edmonds Plaza Room (650 Main St, above the Library): **Write on the Sound Book Signing Reception** is a great opportunity to mix and mingle with conference attendees and presenters. The "pop up" Edmonds Bookshop will have books by presenters and speakers available for sale at the reception. You can have your purchase signed by the author. For a list of presenters and speakers, go to: [WOTS Presenters](#). Light refreshments provided.

**Sat Oct 5, 6:00 - 8:00pm, Open Mic Night** (Cafe Louvre 210 5th Ave S): Come listen to conference attendees read from short selections of their fiction, nonfiction and poetry, or sign up at the door to read your work. All writers invited to participate. Presented by EPIC Group Writers.

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### Songwriting Workshop with Max Hatt & Edda Glass

Musicians Max Hatt and Edda Glass will review their songwriting process, and invite participants to share their songs for some constructive feedback. Bring pre-recorded accompaniment, or instruments and accompanist. The workshop is presented in partnership with the Edmonds Arts Commission, **Wed. Oct 9, 6:30-8:30pm**, Edmonds Plaza Room, 650 Main St. The workshop is free, but pre-sign up is required. RSVP to Katie Newbaum, ECA Education and Outreach Coordinator: [katie@ec4arts.org](mailto:katie@ec4arts.org) or 425-275-9485

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### Music at the Library



Native American Flutist, Peter Ali

The popular free-admission series returns for a third season in October. Presented by Edmonds Sno-Isle Library with support from Edmonds Friends of the Library and Edmonds Arts Commission. All performances are held in the Edmonds Plaza Room (above the library)

Thur Oct 17, 6:00pm: **Jim Basnight and Mikel Rollins Duo**

Thur Nov 21, 6:00pm: **Songs from the Heart by Peter Ali**, Native American Flutist

Sat Dec 7, 2:00pm: **Peter and the Wolf**, plus children's classics and holiday favorites, performed by Puget Sound Wind Quintet with soprano Elizabeth Johnson

Thur Jan 16: **Rich Cole Saxophone Quartet**

Sat Feb 8, 2:00pm: **Wintergrass Festival Preview and Jam Session**

Thur Mar 19, 6:00pm: **Musical Trip Around the World** with Miho & Diego

Thur Apr 16, 6:00pm: **Traditional Zimbabwean Music** by Mahonyera Mbira Ensemble

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## Edmonds Diversity Commission Film Series

Edmonds Diversity Commission presents a series of films that provide a better understanding of all peoples, and celebrates our differences. The series runs on select Saturdays, October through April, at 12:00pm at the Edmonds Theater, 415 Main St. Admission is free.

**Oct 19: *CinemAbility: The Art of Inclusion*** is a star-studded documentary exploring the portrayal of disability themes in entertainment. Presented in recognition of National Disability Employment Awareness Month

**Nov 16: *Lioness*** is the untold story of the first group of US women soldiers to serve in combat in Iraq. Also showing: ***Charlie & Sam*** - two squadron mates reunite for the first time since World War II for a final farewell. Both films presented in recognition of Veteran's Day.

**Jan 18: *The Florida Project*** This award-winning drama featuring actor Willem DeFoe is the story a single mother and her children eking out an existence as residents of a motel near Disney World. Presented in recognition of Poverty in America Awareness Month.

**Feb 15: *Thirteenth*** is the Academy Award nominated documentary that explores the intersection of race, justice, and mass incarceration in the United States. Presented in recognition of Black History Month.

**Mar 21: *In the Family*** chronicles the lives of several women undergoing genetic testing for breast cancer. Presented in recognition of National Women's History Month and International Women's Day

**Apr 18: *Fat Boy Chronicles*** - At age 14, Jimmy is 5'5" and 188 lbs. Life is a constant struggle, with cruel taunts from classmates and strangers. Also showing: ***On Beauty***, a story of challenging norms and redefining beauty.

For complete information about the series and the Diversity Commission, go to: <http://www.edmondswa.gov/diversity-commission-home.html>

## October is National Arts and Humanities Month

October is National Arts & Humanities Month (NAHM), a coast-to-coast recognition of the importance of culture in America. Established in 1993, NAHM is a month-long celebration focusing on the arts at local, state, and national levels.

The program encourages individuals and organizations to participate in the arts and offers a vehicle for local government agencies and businesses to show their support for the arts. The program's goal is to raise awareness of the integral role the arts and humanities play in our communities and daily lives.

At the October 1st Edmonds City Council meeting, Mayor Earling will declare October "Arts & Humanities Month in Edmonds". Residents are encouraged to participate in, or attend a humanities program or arts event in Edmonds. A representative list of events and presentations in October is on the right.

For more information about NAHM, go to:  
<https://www.americansforthearts.org/events/national-arts-and-humanities->

### Arts & Humanities Month of October in Edmonds

The following is a sampling of classes, events and presentations in Edmonds during October (listed by organization)

**ArtWalk Edmonds:** Oct 17, 5-8pm, third Thursday stroll through shops to enjoy artwork, music and more.

**ARTspot/Cole Art Studio:** Various adult art classes throughout the month (<http://artspotedmonds.com/adult-classes>)

**ArtWorks:** "Inktober" features a wide variety of art classes, open studio time and artist networking opportunities (<http://artworks-edmonds.org/>)

**Cascade Symphony Orchestra:** Oct 21, "Braham's Passion," Edmonds Center for the Arts ([www.edmondscenterforthearts.org](http://www.edmondscenterforthearts.org))

**Edmonds Arts Commission:** See listing below of art exhibits and free literary events during Write on the Sound.

**Edmonds Arts Festival Gallery:** through Oct 26, Coast Salish Art group exhibit (<https://www.edmondsartsfestival.com/foundation/arts-festival-gallery/>)

**Edmonds Bookshop:** Book Club gatherings and special author events featured in October (<https://edmondsbookshop.indielite.org/>)

**Edmonds Center for the Arts:** October presentations include Los Lobos on Oct 3; Max Hatt & Edda Glass songwriting workshop Oct 8; Film Cabaret screening of "Casablanca" Oct 10; Education Matinee presentations; violin soloist Kelly Hall-Tompkins Oct 12; Ukulele artist Jake Shimabukuro Oct 15; Tenor Jeremy Dutcher Oct. 26; and singer songwriter Smirit Oct 26. ([www.eca4arts.org](http://www.eca4arts.org))

**Edmonds Diversity Commission Film Series** kicks off its second season Oct. 19 with "CinemAbility". Information and series listed above.

**Edmonds Driftwood Players:** Oct 17-27, "Death Tax". ([www.edmondsdriftwoodplayers.org](http://www.edmondsdriftwoodplayers.org))

October is also the month in which the Edmonds Center for the Arts and Olympic Ballet Theater hold their annual galas.

For information on the ECA Gala & Auction on Oct. 25, go to: <https://www.edmondscenterforthearts.org/eca-gala-and-auction>

Olympic Ballet Theater's Dinner & Auction is Oct. 26. For information, go to: <https://www.olympicballet.org/obthome/performance-season/dinner-and-auction/>

**Edmonds Historical Museum's annual Scarecrow Festival:** Register your scarecrow and vote on your favorite (<https://scf.historicedmonds.org/>). Also, through Oct. 6, "Post & Parcel" exhibit

**Edmonds Phoenix Theatre:** through Oct 20, the comedy "Ladies Man" (<https://www.tptedmonds.org>)

**Edmonds Sno-Isle Library:** Oct 4, 5pm "The Poetic Apothecary: Poems for Healing and Comfort," presented by poet Judith Adams and Humanities Washington. Oct 19, artist and storyteller Liz Wong (ages 4-8). (<https://www.sno-isle.org/locations/edmonds/>).

**EPIC Group Writers:** Oct 5, Open Mic Night at Cafe Louvre, 6-8pm. Sign up at the door (<https://www.epicgroupwriters.com/>)

**Live music** is a regular feature at many of Edmonds' pubs and restaurants. For a list of restaurants, go to: [edmondsdowntown.org](http://edmondsdowntown.org)

**Write on the Sound writers' conference Book Signing Reception:** Oct 5, Plaza Room, 5:30-6:45pm. An opportunity to mix and mingle with conference speakers, presenters and attendees ([www.writeonthesound.com](http://www.writeonthesound.com))

## Open Edmonds Arts Commission Position

The Arts Commission has an open position starting in 2020 for a person with professional experience in the visual arts. For information and application, go to: <http://www.edmondswa.gov/opportunities-contests-applications.html>

## Current Edmonds Arts Commission Exhibits



"How Mouse Moved the Mountain"  
children's book and illustrations by Ty Juvinel



"Balancing Act" by Meredith Regal

### Frances Anderson Center | 700 Main St Edmonds Arts Commission Display Case

**Through Oct 31:** "How Mouse Moved the Mountain" children's book and illustrations, plus other Coast Salish artwork by Ty Juvinel

**Oct 29 - Dec 13:** Seaview Weavers and Fabric Arts Guild group show

**Dec 16 - Jan 27:** ARTspot 365 Painting-a-Day group show

### Edmonds Sno-Isle Library | 650 Main St Art Wall Exhibits

**Through Oct 31:** Meredith Regal paintings

**Nov 2 - Dec 13:** Ben Groff paintings

**Dec 16 - Jan 30:** Judy Rayl photography

### On the Fence | various downtown locations

**Oct - Jan:** "Fish" by Mona Fairbanks and Mimi Sturman, Civic Field on 6th Ave N

**Nov - Jan:** "Green Bird & The Pot" by Morisawa Studio, Frances Anderson Center play field fence on Main St

For information on exhibits curated by the EAC, [click here](#)

## Arts Listing & Opportunities

Edmonds Arts & Culture

Current & On-going Opportunities

ALL ARTS AND DISCIPLINES

## Non-Profits and Galleries

**ArtistsConnect** <http://artists-connect.com>  
**ARTSpot** <http://artspotedmonds.com/>  
**ArtWalk Edmonds** [www.artwalkedmonds.com](http://www.artwalkedmonds.com)  
**ArtWorks** [www.artworks-edmonds.org](http://www.artworks-edmonds.org)  
**Cascade Symphony Orch** [www.cascadesymphony.org](http://www.cascadesymphony.org)  
**Cascadia Art Museum** [www.cascadiaartmuseum.org](http://www.cascadiaartmuseum.org)  
**Cole Art Studio** [www.coleartstudio.com](http://www.coleartstudio.com)  
**Christopher Framing/Gallery**  
[www.christopherframing.com](http://www.christopherframing.com)  
**Creative Age Festival** <http://www.creativeagefestival.org>  
**DeMiero Jazz Fest** [www.demierojazzfest.org](http://www.demierojazzfest.org)  
**Driftwood Modern** [www.driftwoodmodern.com](http://www.driftwoodmodern.com)  
**Edmonds Arts Festival** [www.eaffoundation.org](http://www.eaffoundation.org)  
**Edmonds Art Studio Tour**  
[www.edmondsartstudiotour.com](http://www.edmondsartstudiotour.com)  
**Edmonds Center for the Arts** [www.ec4arts.org](http://www.ec4arts.org)  
**EdCC Black Box Theatre** [www.blackboxedcc.org](http://www.blackboxedcc.org)  
**EdCC Continuing Education**  
[www.campusce.net/edmondsarts/Category/category.aspx](http://www.campusce.net/edmondsarts/Category/category.aspx)  
**Edmonds Cogworks** <http://thecogworks.org/>  
**Edmonds Driftwood Players**  
<http://edmondsdriftwoodplayers.org/>  
**Edmonds Frame Design** [www.EdmondsFrame.com](http://www.EdmondsFrame.com)  
**Edmonds Historical Museum** [www.historicedmonds.org](http://www.historicedmonds.org)  
**Edmonds in Bloom** [www.edmondsinbloom.com](http://www.edmondsinbloom.com)  
**Edmonds Jazz Connection** [jazzconnection.org](http://jazzconnection.org)  
**EPIC Group Writers** [www.epicgroupwriters.com](http://www.epicgroupwriters.com)  
**Gallery North** [www.gallerynorthedmonds.com](http://www.gallerynorthedmonds.com)  
**Garden Gear & Gallery** [www.garden-gear.com](http://www.garden-gear.com)  
**Joan Archer Aria Gallery** <https://joanarchergallery.com>  
**Maje Gallery** [www.majegallery.com](http://www.majegallery.com)  
**Olympic Ballet** [www.OlympicBallet.org](http://www.OlympicBallet.org)  
**Phoenix Theatre** [www.tptedmonds.org/](http://www.tptedmonds.org/)  
**Sno-King Chorale** [www.sno-kingchorale.org](http://www.sno-kingchorale.org)  
**Write on Calligraphers** [www.writeoncalligraphers.org](http://www.writeoncalligraphers.org)  
**Write on the Sound** [www.writeonthesound.com](http://www.writeonthesound.com)  
**Zinc Art + Object** <http://zincartobject.com>

Are you an Edmonds-based arts group or organization and wish to be listed? Contact our office at 425-771-0228 or [eac@edmondswa.gov](mailto:eac@edmondswa.gov).

## Thank you to our Community Sponsors!

### Summer Concert Sponsors



**ZINC | Edmonds** is accepting applications for a handful of motivated individuals looking for a unique, creative co-working space surrounded by an ever-changing selection of artwork from contemporary artists from the Pacific Northwest and beyond. Go to: <http://zinccontemporary.com/creativecoworkingzincdmonds/>

**Ongoing:** ArtsWA Snap Grants are designed for small groups or organizations with an annual operating budget of \$25,000 or less. Non-profit status not required. Up to \$1,500 of support. Applications reviewed monthly. <https://www.arts.wa.gov/grants/grants-to-organizations/snap-grants->

**Ongoing:** The Edmonds Arts Festival Foundation accepts applications for community grants to local non-profit organizations that provide arts-related programs or services in visual, performing or literary arts. Go to [www.eaffoundation.org](http://www.eaffoundation.org) for information.

**Rolling Annual Deadlines:** ARTS at King Street Station is a new cultural hub that promotes cultural participation, celebrates diversity, builds community connections, and enhances the visibility of artists of color. The Portal is a rolling application for exhibitions and events that will take place at ARTS at Seattle's King Street Station. <https://www.seattle.gov/Documents/Departments/Arts/Downloads/Calls/2019%20ARTS%20at%20KSS%20Portal%20APPLICATION.docx>

### VISUAL / CRAFT ARTISTS

**Sound Transit** seeking a Public Art Project Manager. Information: <https://recruiting.ultipro.com/SOU1036SOUND/JobBoard/dcc5dbca-875e-4cd1-bfd2-8e046cecc54f/OpportunityDetail?opportunityId=7fd6651a-3420-4fb8-8626-88e46300414f>

**Deadline Oct 14:** Schack Art Center is seeking 3D artists who work primarily in glass, ceramics, wood, ornaments, and jewelry, etc., for the 2019 Holiday Exhibit. Contact Josey Wise, [jwise@schack.org](mailto:jwise@schack.org) for submission information

**Deadline Oct 14:** Bellingham's Make.Shift Gallery is now accepting proposals for solo and group shows in 2020. [www.makeshiftproject.com/gallery-application](http://www.makeshiftproject.com/gallery-application)

**Deadline Oct 19:** Confluence gallery and art center in Twisp is taking submissions for art, craft and jewelry to be sold in our successful year-round gift shop. <https://confluencegallery.com/exhibits/call-to-artists/>

**Deadline Oct 31:** The Shoreline-Lake Forest Park Arts Council is looking for local artists to show in 2020 at The Gallery at Town Center in Lake Forest Park. <http://www.shorelinearts.net/eventsprograms/gallery-at-town-center/apply/>

**Deadline Nov 22: Create & Make Workshop Proposals** from artists who wish to teach during Spring 2020 Create & Make Workshop Series for adults, held on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm in Shoreline. <http://www.shorelinearts.net/event-program/call-for-artists-create-make-workshop-proposals/>

**Deadline Nov 27:** The Arts Commission has an open position starting in 2020 for a person with professional experience in the visual arts. For information and application, go to: <http://www.edmondswa.gov/opportunities-contests-applications.html>

**Deadline Dec 13:** The City of Maple Valley Public Arts Commission invites Pacific Northwest artists working in 2 dimensional art or custodians of such artwork to apply for the Lake Wilderness Lodge Art Exhibition program. <http://maplevalleywa.gov/PAC> today to complete an application.

**On-going:** Artist Trust lists opportunities around the state and the US: <https://artisttrust.org/index.php/for-artists/opportunities>

**On-going:** SeattleArtist.com: <https://www.seattleartists.com/forums/forum/calls-for-artists/>

**On-going:** ArtWalk Edmonds seeks artist, musician and merchant applicants for monthly event. For information contact [artwalkedmonds@gmail.com](mailto:artwalkedmonds@gmail.com). <http://artwalkedmonds.com>

**On-going:** Edmonds Arts Commission seeks artists for "On the Fence" Temporary Artworks for three City chain link fence locations. Stipend available. More information under Opportunities at [www.edmondsartscommission.org](http://www.edmondsartscommission.org)

**On-going:** Edmonds Arts Commission Library Exhibit seeks artists for 2020 exhibits in the Edmonds Library. Send up to 10 digital images, or link to a website, and a professional resume to EAC Exhibits, 700 Main St, Edmonds 98020 or email: [eac@edmondswa.gov](mailto:eac@edmondswa.gov)

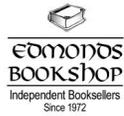
### PERFORMERS / MUSICIANS

**Application for Performers** for the Edmonds 2020 Summer Concerts opens in December. Go to [EAC Opportunities Page](#) for information.

**On-going for musicians:** Gigs4U  
<http://gigs4u.org/gigs-for-musicians-seattle/>

**On-going auditions:** Olympic Ballet Theater company dancers and trainees: <https://www.olympicballet.org/obthome/employment/>

## Write on the Sound Community Sponsors and Program Partners



**On-going auditions:** Sno-King Community Chorale <http://sno-kingchorale.org/index.php/about/join>

**On-going auditions:** Edmonds Driftwood Players Auditions: <https://edmondsdriftwoodplayers.org/participate/auditions/>

**On-going auditions:** Theatre Puget Sound Auditions: [http://tpsonline.org/auditions/auddb.php?action=active\\_list](http://tpsonline.org/auditions/auddb.php?action=active_list)

**On-going auditions:** Online directory of casting calls and auditions in the Puget Sound region: <https://www.backstage.com/casting/open-casting-calls/seattle-auditions/>

### WRITERS

**Oct 5, 6-8pm:** EPIC Group Writers Open Mic Night. Cafe Louvre, 210 5th Ave S. Sign up at the door.

**On-going:** Writers groups regularly meet in Edmonds on a variety of topics. Go to EPIC Group Writers for information: [www.epicgroupwriters.com](http://www.epicgroupwriters.com)

**On-going:** Sno-Isle Libraries Write Now writing and publishing workshops. Go to Sno-Isle Events Calendar: <https://sno-isle.libnet.info/events?term=write+now&r=thismonth>

**On-going:** Seattle Writes is a series that offers writers time and space to try out a new form, improve skills and polish manuscripts. A program of Seattle Libraries. <https://www.spl.org/programs-and-services/learning/seattle-writes>

**On-going:** Poets & Writers Listing of Grants, Awards & Contests: <https://www.pw.org/grants>

**Various deadlines:** Writer's Digest Contests: <http://www.writersdigest.com/writers-digest-competitions>

**On-going:** The Write Life Listing of Cash Award Writing Contests: <https://thewritelife.com/writing-contests/>

**On-going:** The Authors Guild monthly listing of contests, grants and residences <https://www.authorsguild.org/category/contests-grants/>

## City of Edmonds Arts Commission

The Edmonds Arts Commission (EAC) exists to ensure that the arts are integral to our community's quality of life, economic vitality, and central identity. Edmonds Arts Commission meets at 6:00pm the first Monday of each month at the City of Edmonds Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Department, Frances Anderson Center, 700 Main Street, Edmonds.

The Arts Bulletin is a quarterly newsletter covering the programs and activities of the City of Edmonds Arts Commission. The newsletter includes a list of regional artist opportunities and occasional highlights of the Edmonds arts community at large. The Arts Bulletin is published in January, April, July and October. Email inquiries and announcements to [eac@edmondswa.gov](mailto:eac@edmondswa.gov).

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