



# Newsletter

## A Message from the Board

November 1st, 2006

Whew!! October has been another busy month.

Cavalcade of Stars - BAC's annual event to profile and show to the public all the wonderful talent that we have in the lower mainland was a huge success. The well-attended show ran very smoothly, had great entertainment and cultural value, and performed to an appreciative audience.

This year we were extremely fortunate to have six members working with the committee from Katimavik—the national youth work and community development program. As well as helping us with set-up and decore, these young individuals were responsible for such important jobs as stage hand, DJ, hostess, lighting, and videography.

Thanks to all who came out to support this very special annual event, held for the benefit of the Performing Arts. Thanks also to Bill Zeng, who painted a unique piece of artwork that was awarded as the main door prize.

As part of our affiliation with the Katimavik project, we are also fortunate to have working with with us in the office, Emmy Tomkins—who was introduced to you last month. Under the direction of Monica, our Office Manager, Emmy is responsible for answering the phone and greeting visitors to the gallery, as well as helping out with other office tasks. She has also taken on the job of editing the Cavalcade video. Please be patient if her verbal responses are a bit slow, as her first language is French.

Congratulations to our current Gallery exhibitor, Lauraine Russell for having a super successful opening on Oct. 21st. She sold six paintings!! Remember to stop by before November 12.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the opening reception on Saturday, November 18 of a watercolour exhibition by Shahla & Majlessi.

The Burnaby Arts Council's annual Christmas Craft Fair is also in the works at Shadbolt Centre on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays November 10 to 12 and 17 to 19. See you all there!!

Sincerely,

*Harriet Tuey*

for - The Board of Directors

### 35th Annual Heritage Christmas Craft Fair



November 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19

Fridays 12 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Saturdays 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Sundays 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Shadbolt Centre for the Arts  
6450 Deer Lake Ave, Burnaby

*Free Admission*

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Monica Macdonald

## Deer Lake Gallery pre-

To November 12: **Lauraine Russell**, an exhibit of acrylic paintings featuring landscapes, boats, flowers, and abstracts. Lauraine accepts commissions for animal portraits, houses, vintage cars, and murals. In 1995, Lauraine became a member of the Federation of Canadian Artists. She has exhibited her paintings at a variety of galleries in BC, and has buyers as far away as Sweden and Japan.



*Reflections* by Lauraine Russell

November 18 to December 10: **Shahla Majlessi** watercolours. Shahla was born and educated in Iran. She is a graduate in fashion design. Among her favorite subjects are floral and nature scenes. "I have always had a passion towards flowers, which gives me the energy and enthusiasm to draw them on paper...". She has exhibited in Iran, France, and Greater Vancouver.

**Opening Reception:** November 18, 2-4 p.m.



*Autumn Flowers* by Shahla Majlessi

## Calls for entry...

The **Coquitlam Public Library** invites all local artists to exhibit in the Poirier Branch. No fees. For info call Barbara at 604-937-4140, local 234.

**Blackberry Artists Society** submissions being accepted for gift shop. Contact: 604-936-0743.

Foyer Program, **Langley Centennial Museum**, artists are invited to display their work. Contact: 604-888-3922 or Lisa Codd at lcodd@tol.bc.ca.

**Centennial Theatre** is seeking 2D works of art for exhibit in lobby. Contact: 604-983-6457.

**Amelia Douglas Gallery at Douglas College** is seeking artists for exhibition. 604-527-5465.

**North Vancouver Community Arts Council & CityScape Community Art Space** invites submissions to the second annual "Anonymous Art Show", an exhibition which includes emerging & established artists. Exhibition runs Nov. 30-Dec.16. **Deadline November 18.** For information call 604-988-6844 or email: nvartscouncil@telus.net.

**North Vancouver Community Arts Council** is seeking 2-D artists to submit for the annual intake of new artwork for the Art Rental Programme. Artists may bring up to 5 pieces of art, framed & wired, to CityScape Community Art Space, 335 Lonsdale Ave, Sunday November 26, 9:30-11:30am. Accepted work will remain within the Art Rental Collection for a minimum of one year. Royalties for art rented are paid semi-annually. For information, call Sabina at 604-988-6844 or email nvartscouncil5@telus.net. **Deadline November 26.**

**Room of One's Own** seeks original art created by women relevant to the female experience, to be published in a quarterly women's magazine. Call 604-687-0398.

**Ya Ya Divine Art & Gifts** in Agassiz invites new submissions for display & sale. Contact 604-796-2273.

**Terry Fox Library** in Port Coquitlam is offering display space for artists. Contact 604-927-7999.

Congratulations to Rolfe Isberg for winning the *Celebration of Fall 2006 People's Choice Award* for "Marshlands".

# Member News...

The Burnaby Writers' Society's workshop meeting will be held Thursday, November 9 at 7:30 p.m. in Studio 211 at the Shadbolt Centre. Drop-in visitors are welcome. For information, email [info@bws.bc.ca](mailto:info@bws.bc.ca), or call Diane at 604-421-4931. Workshops continue on 2nd Thursdays throughout the year. The BWS monthly readings at Myles of Beans Coffee House, #1-7010 Kingsway in Burnaby, is scheduled for Nov. 15 at 8p.m. This event is free and open to the public. 604-522-7272.

The Japanese Canadian National Museum presents **Sea Stealth and Suzuko: Suian Maru Centennial Exhibition**, marking the daring 1906 Suian Maru voyage of Japanese immigrants to the Fraser River. October 13-December 16, 2006. Opening Reception: October 13 6:00-8:00 p.m., 6688 Southoaks Cres, Burnaby (Kingsway at Sperling). Call 604-777-7000.

The Burnaby Rhododendron & Gardens Society holds its monthly meetings at 7:00 p.m. at the Burnaby Village Museum in the Discovery Room, 6501 Deer Lake Ave, Burnaby. Doors open at 6:30.

Nov 1: June Hunter—*Photography on Garden Tiles*  
Visitors and new members are welcome. For information, call Maureen 604-299-6800 or visit [www.braggs.ca](http://www.braggs.ca)

The **Donna Fishwick Piano Ensemble** presents ...

Tea & Two Pianos recital Nov. 5 at 6:00pm & 10:00pm in room 103 at The Shadbolt Centre for the Arts, 6450 Deer Lake Ave, Burnaby. Free Admission. Info: 604-431-6700.

Circle Craft Christmas Market on Nov. 12 at 12noon & 2pm at Canada Place. The Ensemble will be performing on two pianos.



and the Shadbolt Centre for the Arts  
proudly presents  
Christmas Concert & Carol Sing-a-long

Featuring the *Burnaby Lyric Opera Chorus* & Special Guests  
Sunday, December 3 at 3:00 p.m.

The Shadbolt Centre for the Arts, 6450 Deer Lake Ave, Burnaby  
Tickets \$10 available at the door or Box Office : 604-205-3000

The Burnaby Potters Guild

Biannual Show & Sale

Saturday, Dec. 2 and Sunday, Dec. 3

10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Capitol Hill Hall

Hastings & Howard St, North Burnaby [www.vcn.bc.ca/bpg](http://www.vcn.bc.ca/bpg)



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the tbc opera ensemble

under the direction of nancy hernston

sunday, november 26 at 2:00 p.m.

shadbolt centre for the arts  
6450 deer lake ave, burnaby

adults \$10 seniors/students \$5

members no charge

for information call BARBARA 604-421-5765

Footlight Theatre Company presents

**fiddler on the roof**

November 10-26, 2006

Shadbolt Centre for the Arts  
6450 Deer Lake Ave, Burnaby

Wed. to Sat. @ 7:30pm

Sunday matinees Nov. 12, 19, 26 @ 2pm

For tickets: 604-205-3000



Fugue Free Theatre presents

**Lillie and Flynn**

A musical tale of discover, hope and humour ...

November 15-18, 2006 at 8:00 p.m.

Shadbolt Centre for the Arts  
6450 Deer Lake Ave, Burnaby

Box Office: 604-205-3000

Email: [boxoffice@burnaby.ca](mailto:boxoffice@burnaby.ca)

For information visit [www.fugue.biz](http://www.fugue.biz)

# November 2006

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[info@burnabyartscouncil.org](mailto:info@burnabyartscouncil.org)  
**604-298-7322**



## Royal City Youth Ballet

Presents...

*The Nutcracker*

this November and December

For details see Flyer enclosed

Contact: 604-521-7290 or

[rcyb@telus.net](mailto:rcyb@telus.net)

Council mailing address:

6584 Deer Lake Avenue, Burnaby, BC V5G 3T7

Hours: Tuesday to Friday 11:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

NB. The Royal City Youth Ballet will also be performing excerpts from The Nutcracker Ballet on Sunday, November 12 at Circle Craft Christmas Market at Canada Place. Performance times: 11am & 1pm.



