



**GALLERY
of The
Woods**
AN AUTUMN ART HIKE

**Fundraiser for Plumas Arts
& FRC Foundation**

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Mountain Maidu

In acknowledgment of the Mountain Maidu people and recognition of their enduring connection to the land in the Feather River region of Northern California. We support the Mountain Maidu people's ongoing efforts to reclaim their land and protect their cultural heritage.

Representatives will be at basecamp, you are encouraged to observe their art and listen to their insights.



1 The Feather River Jubilation Trio

Comprised of Leslie Mink, Kenny Davis, and Barney Harchis, the trio is a miniature version of the full Orchestra that jubilates around Plumas County in unlikely places, at unpredictable times.

2 Rhythm & Grace

Rhythm and Grace Dance Studio is a local movement and fitness center for everyone in the community. They have joined us today to show the importance of pollinators in our ecosystem. Just as food, water and sunshine is vital to our well being, so is movement. Let's join them as we prepare for our adventure

3 Trixie Hollyhox (aka Tina Thorman)

Art has always been a part of Trixie's life, but they may not have expected it to become such an essential expression of who they are. In the spring of 2020, they found the time to create original paintings, which eventually led to murals in their small mountain community. That's when they discovered that painting isn't just a hobby or something to squeeze in when possible—it's a passion, and one they are eager to share with others. In their work, they add unexpected charm—something to make the viewer smile or feel a touch of warmth and comfort. When they create, they pour so much of themselves into each piece, and their art gives others a glimpse into their whimsical spirit.

4 **Bigfoot** (*Max Eggloff*)

Bigfoot, commonly referred to as Sasquatch, is a large, hairy mythical creature said to inhabit forests in North America. Bigfoot is featured in both American and Canadian folklore, and since the mid-20th century has become a cultural icon, permeating popular culture and becoming the subject of its own distinct subculture. There have been several documented sightings around Berkeley camp. Keep an eye out.

5 **Katerina Simonetti**

Katerina Simonetti is a local artist who works primarily in acrylic, blending mythic realism with visionary symbolism. Her work explores thresholds between worlds—the seen and unseen, the living and spirit. Fja and Wolves portrays her three children in spirit: Fja, who was stillborn, and her siblings Rain and Shilo, lost to miscarriage. Through luminous color and woodland imagery, Simonetti transforms grief into guardianship, offering a vision of enduring connection and gentle strength.

6 **Cecil the Unicorn** (*by Trixie Hollyhox*)

Cecil the Unicorn was inspired by a fantasy fair art show at Main Street Artist Gallery. He is made from an up-cycled riding horse, papier-mâché, then carefully bedazzled with mirror squares. Available for indoor rental.

7 **Dramaworks**

A non-profit theatre organization offering a safe space for individuals of all ages to learn, grow, and be entertained. Enjoy a spot of tea on your hike with the wacky and zany characters of Wonderland (played by the Magic Beanstalk Players at the West End Theater in Quincy, CA). You may find yourself just as confused as Alice, but don't worry, you're safe from a beheading by the Red Queen; at least until she finds you...

8 **Trisha Akin**

Trisha has been creating fiber Art with fibers for many years, using yarn, old lace, dollies, wood and other found objects. Her work has been around Plumas county galleries, fairs and markets. She will be displaying a unique blend of Spirit catcher hoops, luminaries, and fiber art branches. Her "Fiber Waterfall Hoop" loves hanging out in the woods and has traveled from the Tahoe Art Trails to this Plumas Art Trail. Enjoy standing inside the Fiber Hoop Fiberfall for a moment as you hike along the trails.

9 **Quincy High School** (*Instructor Danielle Frid*)

Quincy High School Art and Media Arts teacher, Danielle Frid, has been serving Plumas Unified School District for over 15 years. Art students of all levels will be displaying contemporary sculpture and installations, focusing on the elements of art: form, texture and color.

10 **FRC Ecosystem Restoration & Applied Fire Management**

This location is meant to give hikers an opportunity to reflect on the beautiful forest setting of the forestry camp and learn a little bit about the fire history of the landscape. FRC students from the new bachelor's program in Ecosystem Restoration and Applied Fire Management will share fire scars and tools that we can use to reintroduce fire to our landscapes.

11 **Jeff Kepple**

Jeff is a singer/songwriter and longstanding physician in Quincy, CA. Many of his songs are inspired by wild places, and particularly how these places inform us about ourselves. Jeff often writes how beauty—even tragic beauty—can move humans toward deep meaning and profound goodness.

12 **Lynette Choate**

Creativity flows naturally through Lynette's life. From sketching landscapes in high school to experimenting with a wide range of mediums in college, their artistic journey has been one of constant exploration. Along the way, they've collaborated with visionaries in the world of theatre, shaping sets and bringing countless imaginative projects to life. Now, they invite you to step into the enchanting realm of Mythical Mossy Magic—a world they've crafted to spark wonder and delight as you wander through the woods.

13 **Natalie Landfield**

Natalie Landfield began her dance training at age six under the guidance of Glenda Carhart, former soloist with the National Ballet of Canada. Throughout her early career, she was fortunate to work with esteemed artists including David Allan and Clinton Rothwell of the National Ballet of Canada, as well as Darci Kistler, Peter Martins, and Katrina Killian of New York City Ballet. She furthered her training with Houston Ballet, San Francisco Ballet and Pacific Northwest Ballet before stepping into leadership as Dance Director of North Coast Dance. Today, Natalie is the proud owner and director of High Sierra Ballet Academy, inspiring dancers of all ages.

14 **Patty Llamas**

Patty takes inspiration from nature, making an assortment of paints, inks, and paper from rocks and plants to create various art pieces. This process grants her the opportunity to connect and build relationships with the natural world and experience the beauty of being human.

15 **Little Dove**

Little Dove's installation titled *For the Seasons* is an appreciation of the turning of the planet and the perfect latitude where we are lucky enough to live and thrive. This exhibit shows destruction of life's passions, and depicts having to eventually leave home and life behind using wood recovered from fire killed trees the Bear Fire.

16 **Sara Hoxie**

Sara Hoxie tells stories, writes and sings original songs about Northern California, people, rivers, mountains and wildlife. She is an alumna of Feather River College and Humboldt State University (Cal Poly Humboldt), and currently resides in Shasta County. She has 3 albums, *Prayer for Feather River*, *For the Time We're Here*, and *Waterfall Boy*. The proceeds from albums sold will be donated to the Will Hoxie Legacy Fund.

17 **Mike Kelly**

For the last fifteen years, Mike has dedicated himself to his construction business. His passion for high quality craftsmanship led him to explore custom woodworking, incorporating wood and epoxy into his remodels. In 2022, he made a significant investment in expanding his workshop in East Quincy, focusing on creating one-of-a-kind furniture and artistic wood pieces.

18 **Victoria Vajgrt-Guthrey & Saraha Enciso**

Viewers are invited to slow down, listen deeply, and engage with the intelligence of the forest. *A Conversation with Trees* offers a contemplative, sensory experience that encourages presence and reflection. It is both an offering and an invitation: to remember that we are not separate from nature. Through this work, participants are encouraged to let the trees speak, and to enter into quiet, reciprocal relationships as attentive witnesses to what the trees want to say.

19 **Lucinda Wood**

Lucinda Wood loves to paint in wild, beautiful places, especially by the clear streams and rivers that surround her home in Quincy, CA. In this year's Lost Sierra Plein Air Festival, her watercolors took first, for the Quick Draw, and third prize in the main event. She was Artist in Residence at Black Mt Lookout, in Plumas National Forest.

20 **FRC 3D Art Students** (*Fall 2025, Instructor Jason Damron*)

In this class, students learn the concepts, applications, and historical references related to three-dimensional design and spatial composition, including the study of the elements and organizing principles of design as they apply to three-dimensional space and form.

21 **Shelly Morrison**

Shelly has been a bead and fiber artist for over 20 years. She loves creating with natural fibers and nature's vast pallet of colors with her beautiful variety of plants. Displayed today is a botanically dyed alpaca shawl. Plants used were: eucalyptus and walnut leaves, smoke bush, staghorn lichen, marigolds, manzanita. The felted luminary lamps and small pod are made with Sierra Valley wool.

22 **Taylor Durgan**

A talented singer-songwriter based in the Lost Sierras. Taylor will perform a captivating blend of folk, country, and blues music. Their work is deeply inspired by the beauty of nature and the world that surrounds them.

23 **Jes Tamargo**

Born and raised in Plumas County, where their passion for glass art continues to grow and thrive. Inspired by the beauty of their forest home, they find awe in the way light and color come alive through glass. They share that same joy with the community, inviting others to discover the wonder that shines through every piece.

24 **Presley Alexander**

Founder of Manifest Station Studio, Presley creates award-winning torch cut lamps and bold, colorful paintings that have found homes in high-end restaurants and curated spaces across the globe.

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Proceeds from this event will be used for community arts programs through Plumas Arts, they aim to promote creativity, cultural expression, and communal engagement.

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Proceeds will also be used for student scholarships & grants through FRC Foundation. These grants are designed to alleviate financial burdens for students enabling them to focus on academic excellence and personal growth.

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Thank You!

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