

October 2018

Copper Country
Community
Arts Center
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Hancock, MI 49930

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Hours: Tuesday-Friday
10am-6pm
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Kerredge Gallery
LIFE AND COLOR
paintings by
Miguel Levy
October 4-31, 2018

Reception
Thursday, October 11
6-8pm

Party for the Arts

Friday, November 9
6-8pm
The CCCAC board is
throwing a "Party for
the Arts, during the
SHAFT reception. This
is a membership drive,
drawing, and state of
CCCAC address.

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BEST HAT EVER

SUNSET CRUISE ON THE ISLE ROYALE QUEEN IV SUNDAY, OCT. 7th @ 6PM

Wear your best hat for a chance to win prizes during a sunset cruise on the Isle Royale Queen IV. This cruise is a fundraiser for the Arts Center! Prizes for best hat. Dessert and libations will be available. The boat leaves from the Portage Canal (near Roy's Bakery) on the Houghton side on Sunday, October 7th at 6pm to sunset, approximately 90 minute cruise.

TICKETS: \$40 each or \$75/two and are available by advance purchase only. To purchase tickets or for more information stop by CCCAC or call 906-482-2333 by October 5th. CCCAC thanks the Isle Royale Line and the Kilpela family for their generosity.

MCACA GRANT NEWS! The CCCAC was awarded a \$20,000 grant from the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs for Operational Support. The grant was awarded through the MCACA peer review process and was one of 561 applications to compete for MCACA fiscal year 2019 funding. The MCACA peer review process allows for each grant application to be competitively considered by a panel of in-state and out-of-state arts and culture professionals. This ensures the taxpayers, who support this project through legislative appropriations, and all other visitors or residents in Michigan will have access to the highest quality arts and cultural experiences. The CCCAC also received \$1500 for Professional and Organizational Development.

The CCCAC was awarded \$30,200 for Regional Regranting (minigrants) awards and \$10,000 for Administration of the Regional Regranting program.

First Round FY2019 Minigrant Awardees Arts Projects:

- -Carnegie Museum of Houghton, Music at the Museum \$2050
- -Chassell Township, Afterschool Art Program/Summer Art Murals \$2000
- -Downtown Ironwood Development Authority, First Friday Music Series \$2000 Professional and Organizational Development:
- -Libby Meyer, Society of Composers National Conference \$1500
 The next deadline for the Regional Regranting program is January 15, 2019 for projects taking place March 1 through September 30, 2019. For more information or technical assistance contact: Cynthia Coté at 482-2333 or email cynthia@coppercountryarts.com.

Kerredge Gallery: LIFE AND COLOR paintings by Miguel Levy The Artist says about LIFE AND COLOR, "Life is not a single color, not even the many shades of one. Even as we are pushed towards atomization, it is the infinite connections of our social existence that give life its true meaning. And though we are often asked to stand in awe of individual power and celebrity, it is community and mutual care that reach beyond."

Miguel Levy was born in Lima, Peru. When he was 15 his mother arranged for an Argentinian artist living in Lima to paint with him. He mostly let the young artist paint at his leisure and offered comments about his work. Though he doesn't remember the artist's name Miguel does have this memory, "He drove me to the Pacific Ocean shore in Lima one afternoon and I painted the sunset. I wish I still had that painting. He taught me to appreciate color. Life taught me to appreciate a different kind of color." One painting in this exhibition was saved by his mother from that magical time. Miguel Levy lives in Houghton and is a Professor in the Physics Department at Michigan Tech University. Join us for a reception on Thursday, October 11 from 6-8pm.

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REGISTER EARLY FOR FALL ART CLASSES

ARTIST OPPORTUNITIES

The Shaft & Junior Shaft

Artists are invited to submit work inspired by mining in the Copper Country; the physical signs of its presence or the effect it has had on the area and its people. This is a non-juried community exhibit held in the Kerredge Gallery. Cash prizes will be awarded by public choice and voting will take place throughout the month. Deadline: Saturday, November 3 lpm. Entry fee: \$5 per piece, limit 3 pieces. JR SHAFT Entry fee: \$1 per piece, limit 3 pieces Reception: Friday, Nov. 9th, 6-8pm in conjunction with "Party for the Arts" membership drive with the CCCAC board.

43rd Annual Poor Artists Sale

Saturday, December 1, CLK Gymnasium, Calumet. Do your holiday shopping at our annual Poor Artists Sale. More than 60 artists and fine crafts persons will be selling their work.

Artists: applications for booth spaces are now available at the Arts Center or email us at ccarts@coppercountryarts.com.

6X6 CALL FOR ART

Paint, draw, collage, or use your imagination to create a work of art on a 6"x 6" canvas. Then bring it back to us by November 24 to be part of a fundraising exhibition for the CCCAC. Let us know by October 9th if you'd like to participate!

OCT.16-20 Pick up a blank 6"x6" canvas from the Arts Center.

 $\bf NOV.24$ Deadline to bring your finished canvas back to the CCCAC

THE DETAILS: The 6X6 fundraiser show will be up December 5-23, 2018 in the CCCAC Kerredge Gallery. We'll give out 60 canvases to artists and sell 60 canvas tickets to the public at \$40 each. Works of art are chosen at random, or may be bought outright for \$100 donation. Drawing date reception: December 15, 1-3pm. Contact bonnie@coppercountryarts.com or call 482-2333 by October 9th if you'd like to participate.