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### Kerredge Gallery SHAFT

November 3-20 annual community exhibition of mining history in the Copper Country

# 6x6

Nov 24-Dec 11 6x6 works of art by 30+ artists. Buy your ticket on November 24th to receive a random work of art!

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# 45th annual Poor Artists Sale

Saturday, December 4th ★11am-4pm CLK Gym in Calumet

2021 & 2022 Members get a special preview shopping hour from 10am-11am! The Poor Artists Sale is an annual juried holiday art fair hosted by the Copper Country Community Arts Council as a benefit for the Community Arts Center in Hancock. This year's sale offers the work of more than 40 artists. Shoppers will find handmade jewelry and pottery, ornaments, baskets, wood art, stained glass, fiber arts, photography and many other special items made by local artists. Shop and visit with friends in a relaxing, social atmosphere, renew your Arts Council membership and enjoy homemade treats at the hospitality table.

COVID precautions: The Poor Artists Sale will look a little different this year. We are kindly asking participating artists and attendees to wear a mask. Booths will have extra space around them to allow for distancing, and we will have free masks along with sanitizing stations. We will follow any CDC or CLK school regulations at the time of the event.

CAN YOU BAKE? We are always seeking bakers for our hospitality table at the Poor Artists Sale. This year we won't be able to have large uncovered plates of bakery. If can help us out by pre-wrapping goods individually or onto plastic wrapped paper plates, that will allow us to continue our tradition of our fundraising hospitality table. Please contact bonnie@coppercountryarts.com or call 482-2333 if you can bake. Thank you!

#### THE SHAFT-Kerredge Gallery, November 3rd-20th

Annual community exhibition of mining history in the Copper Country The 27th annual Shaft includes work by: Bob Dawson, Jeanne Houle Peters, Madhura Mehendale, Cynthia Cote, Phyllis Fredendall, Clyde Mikkola, Ray Ellison, Tammy Toj Gajewski, Deb Karppinen, Fredi Taddeucci, Daniel C Boyer, and Pamela Hecht. The public is invited to vote for their favorite pieces throughout the exhibition. To vote online visit our Facebook page at facebook.com/CCCAC and look for the 2021 Shaft Exhibition photo album. Community Choice Awards will be announced in December. The 27th annual Shaft exhibition is on display in the Kerredge Gallery through November 20th.

#### Permanent Collection 2022 Calendar

Purchase a beautiful 2022 Calendar that features work from our permanent collection! In 1998 the Copper Country Community Arts Council's Board of Directors made the commitment to establish a permanent collection. Artwork represented is this calendar is a fraction of the collection, which may be viewed on our website. This calendar was made possible by the time, talent, and enthusiasm of photographer and CCCAC supporter, Glenn Ierley. Calendars are \$20 and are a CCCAC fundraising item for sale in the Artists Market.

#### Permanent Collection Fund

2022 marks the 50th year of the Arts Council and 30th year of the Arts Center and to celebrate, the CCCAC is establishing a fund to help purchase work by local artists for the collection. Thank you to Jim and Mary Anne Schneider for their initial donation that started the fund. If you would like to help make it possible to purchase work significant to the history of art in the Copper Country, please consider contributing to our fund that will allow us to purchase work by local artists that capture the essence of the Copper Country or that document historic events, landmarks, or lifestyle.

## 6x6 November 24th-December 11th

Artists near and far have created original 6x6 inch works of art as a fundraiser for the Copper Country Community Arts Center. The public may view the 6x6 entries November 24th-December 11th. Purchase a \$40 ticket to receive a

work of art at random. The 6x6 drawing will be on Saturday, December 11th at 1:30pm. If there is a work you would like to buy outright, you can pay a \$100 donation before the drawing begins and choose your piece. Ticket purchasers do not need to be present during the drawing. Tickets are limited. Everyone that buys a ticket gets a 6x6! Watch our December newsletter for all the participating artists! Tickets will be available starting November 24th.



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# Poor Artists Sale Member Preview Shopping Pass CCCAC MEMBER HOUSEHOLD & ONE FRIEND

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10AM-11AM: YOUR SPECIAL PREVIEW SHOPPING HOUR

CURRENT MEMBERS! Bring this newsletter or your December newsletter to the Poor Artists Sale as your early admission ticket for special preview shopping 10-11am on Saturday, December 4 at the CLK Gym in Calumet. Need to Renew for 2022? Check the date on your label.

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The MCACA Minigrant deadline for applications is January 15, 2022 for projects taking place March 1 through September 30, 2022. For more information or technical assistance contact cynthia@coppercountryarts.com. Guidelines are available at www.michiganbusiness.org/industries/mcaca/mcaca-grants. Scroll down to Minigrant Program.

Summer Arts Camp We hope to hold Summer Arts Camp 2022 next year and would like to thank the family of Catherine Miron Kraatz, for establishing a scholarship in her name. This scholarship will provide financial support for local youth to attend camp.

# Secondhand Handmade Pottery Sale, November 16-20

We've received a wonderful array of donations for our secondhand pottery sale: mugs, cups, bowls, dishes, pitchers and more. The sale will take place in our classroom November 16-20 during our open hours. All proceeds of the sale will support our clay studio and the cost of its new flooring. If you still have handmade pottery you'd like to donate, you may drop it off by Friday, November 12th. Thanks to all who have already donated work to the sale.