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A Note from Executive Director Kia Liszak

Dear amazing people of Missoula,

We have opened our doors in our new facility in downtown Missoula and it is time to celebrate. We celebrate you. Thank you for contributing your ideas, your love, and your passion to the ZACC. For the last ten years you have delighted us with your creativity, challenged us to grow with your questions and concerns, showed us your hearts and your potential, and inspired us to keep building and growing and changing to meet your needs and be better.

The ZACC continues to be a work in progress and always will be. Many things will be unfolding over the next few months, many more over the next few years, or lifetimes. It is a project we will continue to build together so we can make sure it reflects all of us. The new ZACC offers easier access with a downtown location on the bus line and an ADA compliant building. More studio space for artists, galleries for adults and youth, an interactive youth exploration center, an all ages performing arts center, multiple classrooms and conference space, a home for our fellow arts organizations, a music school and recording center, a large community print shop, a retail space for handmade creations, a free community art supply closet, and a paintyour-own-pottery studio. It is a space that belongs to you and that I hope will inspire and connect us, and amplify our community's unique voices for generations to come. Thank you for inspiring and supporting this vision. Can't wait to see all the things we create together inside these walls!

Love, Kia

GALLERY OPENINGS THIS MONTH MAIN GALLERY & YOUTH GALLERY OPENING RECEPTION NOVEMBER 8, 5:30-8:30 PM PANEL DISCUSSION NOVEMBER 9, 12:15-2 PM

The ZACC, A VOICE, and David J. Spear are proud to present work by young photographers from Mexico, New York, Los Angeles, and Two Eagle River School in Pablo, Montana.

Thanks to these local businesses for their support of the Missoula Monster

Project!

amazingly delicious neighbor, Masala.

Thank you to our **Cthulhu Level Sponsors** of the 5th Annual Missoula Monster Project: **Liz Dye** of Portico Real Estate and our

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FLIP ME OVER FOR A FULL CALENDAR OF ZACC EVENTS IN NOVEMBER!

The Show Room

Lisa Prank: Perfect Love Song Tour Friday, November 1, 2019 / 7:30-11:00 PM All Ages / Doors 7:30 / Show at 8 / \$10 Tickets With openers Headband and solo artist Sarah Frazier!

Amateur Drag Night with ISCSM Saturday, November 2, 2019 / 7:00-9:30 PM All Ages / Doors 7 / Show at 7:30 / \$5 Donation

The ZACC is partnering with the Imperial Sovereign Court of the State of Montana (ISCSM) to bring you an all-ages Amateur Drag Night in the new ZACC Show Room! This event is open to all ages and performance levels.

Pink Dress Project Panel Talk Saturday, November 9, 2019 / 12:15-2:00 PM All Ages / Free

Hear from those who conceived of this international project and then brought it to life. The panel will share stories and anecdotes about the work in each community which includes, New York City, Los Angeles (CA), Chapias (Mexico), and the Flathead Nation. Don't miss this lively discussion on the power of art-making and collaboration. Panel participants are Jennifer Finley, Jennifer Sugg, Lyn Pentecost, and David J. Spear.

Meet Your MAMA

Friday, November 15, 2019 / 7:00-10:00 PM All Ages / Doors 6:30 / Show at 7 / \$10 Donation

Mark your calendars, tell your friends, MAMA is coming to town! Headliners MissAlaneous & the Caravan Band, Junior, Sandman, and The Vintage are playing on the brand new ZACC Show Room Stage. \$10 suggested donation with no one turned away. Don't forget to bring your mama!

ZACC Comedy Showcase Saturday, November 23, 2019 / 7:30-10:00 PM All Ages / Doors 7 / \$5 Tickets

August Ansley hosts the first ZACC stand-up comedy show, show-casing some of Missoula's best comedians. With Tim Miller, Sarah Aswell, Amy Carroll, Lenny Peppers, Nathan St. Onge, & Eden Solas. Tickets available online and at the door.

Main Gallery

The Pink Dress Project

Opening Friday, November 8, 2019 / 5:30-8:30 PM / Free

The ZACC and A VOICE are proud to present work by young photographers from Mexico, New York, Los Angeles, and Two Eagle River School in Pablo, Montana. This exhibition includes work from The Lower East Side Girls Club of New York City, Club Balam of Chiapas, Mexico, Las Fotos Project of Los Angeles, and A VOICE: Art Vision & Outreach In Community Education at Two Eagle River School.

Youth Gallery

In This Light

Opening Friday, November 8, 2019 / 5:30-8:30 PM / Free The Youth Gallery will host In This Light, in conjuction with the Pink Dress Project.

Art Out & About

Drink & Draw BUGS! at Western Cider

Wednesday, November 20, 2019 / 5:30-7:30 PM / Free

The ZACC, the Missoula Butterfly House and Insectarium, and Western Cider are teaming up to present Drink & Draw Bugs -- a creepy, crawly evening full of art, arachnids, beetles, butterflies, and everything in-between! The Butterfly House is providing live and preserved specimens of different species for observers of any age to sketch and learn about. Handouts describing the critters will be provided, and Insectarium staff will be on hand to answer questions. Ink and pencil sketching, coloring, and drawing materials will be provided for free by the ZACC. Bring your curiosity and let your imagination fly!

Youth Camps

Comics Camp

Thursdays / 3:00-5:00 PM / Nov 7 - Dec 19 / Ages 6 - 12 / \$125 Students will learn and develop their drawing skills to tell engaging stories filled with emotion, action and humor. They will also read and analyze great comics and graphic novels and have opportunities to learn from professional local guest comic artists.

My Pet Is/My Pet Was Camp

Tuesdays / 4:00-6:00 PM / Nov 12 - Dec 17 / Ages 6 - 12 / \$125 Students in this camp will make several unique projects that honor and celebrate their pets, memorialize pets that have passed, and create their own imaginary dream pets! Students will work in mediums like clay, acrylic paint, sculpture and collage.

Kiddomatic Day Camp

Friday / 10:00 AM-4:00 PM / November 15 / Ages 6 - 12 / \$71 Begins at the Roxy Theater and ends at the ZACC

Join the ZACC and The Roxy Kiddomatic Film Festival to explore the best international children's films of the year on this no-school day. For visit more: www.kiddomatic.org.

Radio DJ Camp

Mondays & Wednesdays / 4:00-6:00 PM Nov 4 - Dec 18 / Ages 8 - 16 / \$265

In this camp kids will learn all about community radio and the skills it takes to be a live DJ. Campers will tour stations like KBGA, KUFM and KFGM, create radio ads, make radio drama, learn how to create sound effects, review music, record and edit sound, and meet local musicians, sound artists and special guests from the world of Missoula radio.

Adult Classes

Beginning Screen Printing

Mondays / 6:00-8:00 PM / November 18 - December 16 / \$145

This dynamic three week class is the perfect introduction and further discovery into the world of screen-printing! Learn the fundamentals of screening on paper and fabric. A materials list will be handed out during first class.

Holiday: Calligraphy & Hand Lettering Monday / 6:00-8:00 PM / November 18 / \$45

Writing by hand is a surefire way to add meaning to notes, gifts, name cards for the Thanksgiving table, and other holiday ephemera. Attendees will learn the basics of using a calligraphic pen, and will create personalized holiday gift tags, notes, table place cards -- or all three!

Holiday: Beeswax Luminaries Sunday / 1:00-4:00 PM / November 24 / \$45

Back by popular demand! Let's light the winter up! Learn to make these easy yet beautiful beeswax luminaries. They can be decorated or left plain and will make beautiful gifts or light our way through the dark winter months. You will come away with multiple luminaries and the knowledge to keep making them year after year.

Holiday: Fused Glass Ornaments Tuesday / 6:00-8:00 PM / November 26 / \$45

In this holiday-themed glass fusing class students will create stunning, detailed flat glass ornaments by way of fusing glass. Create transparent designs that you can see your tree light through, or bold opaque ornaments sure to garner some compliments. Students can make two 2x3 inch ornaments, and are invited to make more for \$12* each!
*Special discounted pricing, available during class time only.

To register for a Youth Camp, Adult Class, or buy a ticket to a show, visit: **zootownarts.org**

The ZACC strives to provide accessible arts experiences for everyone, and we have scholarship funds available to help those who might need financial assistance. To apply for a scholarship email info@zootownarts.org or call us during open hours at (406)549-7555.