

Newsletter

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YAQUINA RIVER MUSEUM OF ART

collection of the Michael and Judith Gibbons Trust

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in partnership with the Toledo Community Foundation

MISSION : *The primary mission of the Yaquina River Museum of Art is the creation of an intimate, publicly accessible environment for the exhibition and appreciation of art and culture generated by, and about the Yaquina River watershed region.* YRMA Tax ID 83-03438197

INTRODUCING DON WELLER, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

Impressions: Hello. I am Don Weller, acting Chair. I believe my talents are in art appreciation and leadership. The former being a gift from my mother, who was an artist, interior designer, gallery owner and framer. The latter is derived from 20 years of service in the US Navy Nuclear Power Program. I also know (tolerate) computer programs - that's what I've been doing since 1990 when I retired from the Navy. I currently work for EDS (Electronic Data Systems), telecommuting full time from my home on the coast with Cynthia



Scott, proprietor of Ona Beach B&B. I volunteer with the Yaquina River Museum of Art because I believe that cultural education is the key to peace. What better way to make friends than to learn to appreciate their art - the expression of their individual humanity?

We, the board, intend great things for the Yaquina River Museum of Art, and for the community of Toledo and the entire Yaquina River watershed. Watch us grow, help us serve.

Don

The museum cordially invites the public to the

FIRST ANNUAL MUSEUM INVITATIONAL ART SHOW

14th Toledo Art Walk

A regionally acclaimed celebration focusing on the works of local and guest artists

Featuring the work of **ED YOUNG**

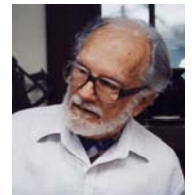
September 1, 2 & 3 10:00 am to 5:00 pm daily

THE SCHOOL HOUSE (circa 1887)

151 NE Alder Street

(directly across from Gallery Michael Gibbons)

Refreshments served by "Friends of the Museum"



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Art classes resume in the Fall of 2007 with Ken Hartwell, well known educator teaching a ceramics class in basic techniques of hand forming clay. During this class, Ken will present historic and cultural information as well as common uses for clay to 10 - 13 year olds from Toledo.

