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BIO:

MY LIFE HAS BEEN DEFINED BY ART, FAMILY AND AN ITCH TO TRAVEL. I GREW UP SHELTERED BY PENNSYLVANIA'S GREEN HILLS AND WENT TO PENN STATE WHERE IN 1970 I RECEIVED A B.A. IN ANTHROPOLOGY WITH VARIOUS HONORS. HOWEVER, I SOON RETURNED TO PAINTING AND TAKING WORKSHOPS AND ART CLASSES - AT PENN STATE, SHIPPENSBURG STATE UNIV., AND NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY. AT EVERY OPPORTUNITY I'VE SKIPPED OFF TO VARIOUS INTERESTING PLACES OVERSEAS, AND HAVE BEEN FORTUNATE TO HAVE LIVED FOR EXTENDED PERIODS IN FRANCE, ENGLAND AND NEW ZEALAND. IN 1980 I MOVED TO FLAGSTAFF, AZ., WITH HUSBAND AND KIDS, AND BECAME INVOLVED WITH MANY COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS, SERVING ON THE BOARDS OF FLAGSTAFF MASTERPIECE ART APPRECIATION, FETE RIDING THERAPY PROGRAM, SMART ART ACTION GROUP, DIABLO TRUST FORUM FOR THE ARTS, AND ARTISTS' COALITION OF FLAGSTAFF. SINCE 1985 I HAVE EXHIBITED EXTENSIVELY NATIONWIDE AND LOCALLY IN SOLO, JURIED AND INVITATIONAL GROUP EVENTS, SHOWING PAINTINGS, MONOTYPE PRINTS AND TEMPORARY INSTALLATION WORK OF PAINTED FABRIC.

AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES

2010 ARTIST IN RESIDENCE GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK, DEC. 2010
2009 INVITED ARTIST AT BIENNIAL SCULPTURE EXHIBITION, I-PARK, EAST HADDEM, CT.
2008 AWARDED ARIZONA COMMISSION ON THE ARTS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT TO ATTEND ARTISTS' RESIDENCY AT NEW PACIFIC STUDIO, MT. BRUCE, NEW ZEALAND
2005 TEACHING RESIDENCY AT MARSHALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
2003 AWARDED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT GRANT BY THE ARIZONA COMMISSION ON THE ARTS TO ATTEND ARTISTS' RESIDENCY AT I-PARK, EAST HADDEM, CT.

PUBLICATIONS/CATALOGUES

GRAND CANYON NEWS 12/8/2010 VOL. 120 NO. 49 "FLAGSTAFF ARTIST FEATURED AT CANYON" BY RENE WESTBROOK
REFLECTIONS ON THE LAND 2009, THE DIABLO TRUST AT THE NAU ART MUSEUM
MOUNTAIN LIVING, AUG, 2008 "SOMEWHERE IN THE TRANSITION" BY SETH MULLER
APPETIZERS TENTH ANNIVERSARY CATALOGUE 2007
SHEMER ART CENTER CALENDAR COVER 2006
BANNERS 2000, IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY SURFACE DESIGN CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION
EARTHBOUND CATALOGUE ARIZONA WOMEN IN CONTEMPORARY ART 1992

PUBLIC ART AND INSTALLATIONS:

2010 "THE FACE IS FAMILIAR.." GALLERY INSTALLATION, COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
2009 "POLLEN WINGS" ENVIRONMENTAL ART BIENNIAL, I-PARK, EAST HADDEM, CT.
"POLLEN WIND" SHOWSPACE GALLERY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
2008 "WEAVING IN TREES" NEW PACIFIC STUDIO, MT. BRUCE, NEW ZEALAND
2007 "FOLDED YEAR" TEMPE PUBLIC LIBRARY CONNECTIONS CAFE "FOLDED TOGETHER" TEMPE, AZ

- 2006 "AURORA" INSTALLATION FOR "NIGHT VISIONS EXHIBITION" PART OF THE SMITHSONIAN CULTUREFEST AT COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- 2005 "WOODLAND GATE" FOR "ART INSIDE THE PARK" INVITATIONAL FESTIVAL OF TEMPORARY WORK, JEFFERSON CITY, MO.
 "GATEWAY" BANNER INSTALLATION, SHEMER ART CENTER FOR JURIED EXHIBIT "COLORING OUTSIDE THE LINES," PHOENIX, AZ.
 "EARLY SPRING" TEMPORARY BANNER INSTALLATION COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS "RECYCLED" SHOW, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- 2004 "SUMMER LAKE AND MOUNTAINS" RESIDENT COMMUNITY MURAL PROJECT AT LOYALTON ASSISTED LIVING, FLAGSTAFF AZ.
- 2003 "CT TRANSITIONS" TEMPORARY BANNER INSTALLATION AT I-PARK ARTISTS' ENCLAVE AND RESIDENCY PROGRAM, EAST HADDEM, CT.
- 2003-04 "OUTRAGEOUS SUNSETS" ONE YEAR BANNER INSTALLATION/LEASE FOR SCULPTURE IN THE STREETS, DOWNTOWN PARTNERSHIP, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO.
- 2002-03 "COLORADO SKIES" ONE YEAR BANNER INSTALLATION/LEASE FOR SCULPTURE IN THE STREETS, DOWNTOWN PARTNERSHIP, COLORADO SPRINGS, CO.
- 2001 "VIRTUAL REFLECTION" TEMPORARY SCULPTURE INSTALLATION AT DEAD HORSE STATE PARK, COTTONWOOD, AZ.
- 2000 "COTTONWOOD REQUIEM" TEMPORARY BANNER INSTALLATION AT DEAD HORSE ST. PARK, COTTONWOOD, AZ.
 "BANNERS INTERNATIONAL 2000" JURIED EXHIBITION, IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY, AMES, IA
 "DESERT SAILS" TEMPORARY BANNER INSTALLATION FOR ART DETOUR 12 AND GARFIELD NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS, ALWUN HOUSE COMMUNITY CENTER, PHOENIX, AZ.
- 1999 "SAILS ALONG THE VERDE" TEMPORARY BANNER INSTALLATION AT DEAD HORSE RANCH STATE PARK, COTTONWOOD, AZ. AND THE COTTONWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS:

- 2010 "STRATA" SELECTED WORK FOR GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK HEADQUARTERS
 "THE PEAKS: EARTH, AIR, FIRE & WATER" LABELAVIA RESTAURANT, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "GIMME SHELTER" DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- 2009 "LITTER & OTHER DISTRACTIONS" SOLO SHOW, NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIV. SUN SCENES GALLERY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "ALPHABET RUINS" SOLO BURTON BARR LIBRARY, @CENTRAL GALLERY, PHOENIX, AZ.
 "REFLECTIONS ON THE LAND 2009" NAU ART MUSEUM, FLAGSTAFF, AZ
 "ART AND THE HEART" WEST OF THE MOON GALLERY INVITATIONAL, FLAGSTAFF AZ.
- 2008 "LANDSCAPE AT RISK" COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE JURIED EXHIBIT, FLAGSTAFF, AZ
- 2007 "ART AND POLITICS" GALERIA LA SIRENA CURATED INVITATIONAL,, TUCSON AZ.
- 2006 "TRANSITION ZONES" SOLO SHOW OF PAINTINGS AND MONOTYPES, WIL McNABB FINE JEWELRY GALLERY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "SALIENT LANDSCAPES" SOLO SHOW DARCY FALK TEXTILES AND FINE ART, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "THE SKY IS FALLING" ORGANIZED & INSTALLED INVITATIONAL SHOW FOR COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE, LONETREE CAMPUS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "AIR CONDITIONED" JURIED SHOW, SHEMER ART CENTER, PHOENIX, AZ.
 "DANGEROUS LIASONS" JURIED SHOW, COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE, FLAGSTAFF
- 2004 "ARTS OF THE PARKS" WUPATKI NATIONAL MONUMENT INVITATIONAL, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "REFLECTIONS OF THE LAND: THE DIABLO TRUST FORUM FOR THE ARTS - 2004" NAU ART MUSEUM, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "HIGH ALTITUDE SUMMER" JURIED EXHIBIT, COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- 2003 "NATURAL IMPRESSIONS" SOLO SHOW OF MONOPRINTS, UNITY CHURCH, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "MEETING PLACES" ACF MEMBERS EXHIBIT, BRANDY'S, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
 "CAPTURING THE WILD" JURIED EXHIBIT AT SKY HARBOR INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, PHOENIX. AZ.
- 2002 "NATURESCAPES" SOLO EXHIBIT, AVENUES OF THE WORLD, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.

- F "APPETIZERS" FLAGSTAFF OPEN STUDIOS 2002, COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "CAPTURE THE WIND" KITE EXHIBIT, COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ
- "EMBRACING TIME" TOURING GROUP EXHIBIT, COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, YAVAPAI COLLEGE GALLERY, SEDONA, AZ., AND ASU WEST LIBRARY, GLENDALE, AZ.
- "ANNIVERSARY" MAIN STREET GALLERY INVITATIONAL, COTTONWOOD, AZ.
- 2001 "NIGHT VISIONS": JURIED EXHIBIT AT THE COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, "WAIT UNTIL DARK:THE NIKES AT THE FLAGSTAFF PLAYHOUSE "SOLO SHOW, FLAGSTAFF, AZ
- 2000"COLOR THE AIR: SAILS AND OTHER FLIGHTS OF FANCY" SOLO EXHIBIT OF BANNERS, PAINTINGS, MONOTYPES, PEARSON & COMPANY, SCOTTSDALE, AZ.
- "FLAGSTAFF OPEN STUDIOS 2000" AND "APPETIZERS" PARTICIPANTS EXHIBIT, FLAGSTAFF, "REFLECTIONS OF THE LAND: DIABLO TRUST FORUM FOR THE ARTS" OLD MAIN ART GALLERY, NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "NOT JUST ANOTHER DOG AND PONY SHOW" PAINTINGS, MONOTYPES AT HIGH DESERT GALLERY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "CRITTERS, VARMINTS AND VERMIN" PAINTINGS, MONOTYPES AT BRANDY'S RESTAURANT, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "PASSAGES OF THE HEART" MIXED MEDIA AT MAIN ST. GALLERY, COTTONWOOD, AZ.
- "NEW PAINTING" INVITATIONAL, MAIN ST. GALLERY COTTONWOOD, AZ.
- "IT'S PHAT, IT'S REAL, IT'S TIGHT" AZ. WCA JURIED SHOW, KERR CENTER, SCOTTSDALE, AZ.
- 1999" 2ND ANNIVERSARY" INVITATIONAL, MAIN STREET GALLERY, COTTONWOOD, AZ.
- "WORKSHOP '99" MONOTYPES, A. P. TELL GALLERY, GRAND CANYON UNIVERSITY, PHOENIX,AZ.
- "FOREVER FAUNA" SOLO EXHIBIT, OCTOBER, LA BELLAVIA, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "FLAGSTAFF OPEN STUDIOS99" AND "DESSERTS" PARTICIPANTS EXHIBIT, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "RAGING HORMONES" ASU DOWNTOWN, CURATED GROUP EXHIBIT & FOR ART DETOUR 11, PHOENIX, AZ., LATER EXPANDED AT HIDDEN BEAUTY GALLERY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- 1998 "NO BIG HEADS" JURIED EXHIBIT SELF PORTRAITS, UNIV. OF ALASKA, ANCHORAGE, AK.
- "SMALL EXPRESSIONS" ACF MEMBERS EXHIBIT, NORTHLAND GRAPHICS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "FOS98" AND "APPETIZERS" FLAGSTAFF OPEN STUDIOS 98 AND PARTICIPANTS EXHIBIT, FRONT STREET GALLERY, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "REALITY, WHAT REALITY?" SOLO SUMMER SHOW AT THE UNITARIAN FELLOWSHIP, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "TWO IS COMPANY, THREE IS A TRIPTYCH" SOLO SHOW AT ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY, DOWNTOWN CENTER, PHOENIX, AZ.
- 1998"ART DETOUR 10" EXHIBITOR AT THE LUHRS BUILDING, PHOENIX, AZ.
- "FIRE AND ICE" ARTISTS' COALITION OF FLAGSTAFF SHOW, OLD TOWN SHOPS, FLAGSTAFF.
- 1997"NIKE COLLECTION-PAINTINGS AND STUDIES" SOLO SHOW, STILLION GALLERY, FLAGSTAFF, "VIEWPOINTS" ARIZONA WOMEN'S CAUCUS FOR ART JURIED SHOW, TEMPLE GALLERY, TEMPLE OF MUSIC AND ART, TUCSON, AZ.
- "THE LAND" AWCA JURIED SHOW, ARIZONA GALLERY, UNIV. OF AZ., TUCSON, AZ.
- "VESSELS: REAL AND METAPHORICAL" ARTISTS' COALITION OF FLAGSTAFF JURIED SHOW, COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- "ANIMALS IN ART" SEDONA ART CENTER INVITATIONAL, SEDONA, AZ.
- FEATURED ARTIST FOR JANUARY, FEBRUARY, CENTER STAGE GALLERY, COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
- 1996" PREDATOR AND PREY" AWCA JURIED SHOMAUW, CAFE MAGRITTE, TUCSON, AZ.
- 1995"WO-MEN'S EXPRESSIONS" DE KERN'S ART CENTER JURIED EXHIBITION, EUGENE, OREGON.
- 1994"ART FOR ART'S SAKE" COCONINO CENTER FOR THE THE ARTS JURIED EXHIBIT, FLAGSTAFF, "AWCA JURIED" PHOENIX CITY CENTER, PHOENIX, AZ.
- "LANDSCAPES OF MY MIND"CASA GRANDE ART MUSEUM JURIED EXHIBIT, CASA GRANDE,
- 1992-1993 "EARTHBOUND" AWCA JURIED SHOW AT THE CAPITOL BUILDING, PHOENIX, AZ., AND ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY. UNION GALLERY, TEMPE, AZ.

1988 "NATIONAL WOMANART" TRIANGLE GALLERY JURIED EXHIBIT, WASHINGTON, D.C.
"3RD SOUTHWEST CONTEMPORARY COMPETITION" YAVAPAI COLLEGE, PRESCOTT, AZ.
1987 "ART ZONE" JURIED SALES EXHIBIT, DENVER, CO.
"GALLERY '76/ALCOA ANNUAL" JURIED EXHIBIT AT GALLERY '76, WENATCHEE, WA.
1986 "IMAGES AND REFLECTIONS OF NORTHERN ARIZONA" JURIED PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT,
COCONINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS. FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
1985 "WOMANART WEST" GRAND JUNCTION CENTER FOR THE ARTS JURIED EXHIBIT, GRAND
JUNCTION, CO.
1977 SOLO SHOW, KENDALL, FUNK AND BISMARCK GALLERY, CHAMBERSBURG, PA.

ORGANIZATIONAL AND CURATORIAL EXPERIENCE

2006-2007 ORGANIZED AND INSTALLED "THE SKY IS FALLING" EXHIBIT OF POLITICAL ART AT
COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE, LONETREE CAMPUS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ. AND GALERIA LA
SIRENA, TUCSON, AZ.
2003-2007 CHAIR, "REFLECTIONS ON THE LAND, THE DIABLO TRUST FORUM FOR THE ARTS
2003" ART EXHIBIT AND PERFORMANCE NIGHT, NAU OLD MAIN AND ASHURST AUDITORIUM,
BAR T BAR RANCH AND FLAGSTAFF CULTURAL PARTNERS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
2003 ART IN THE PARKS, WUPATKI NATIONAL MONUMENT, ORGANIZING COMMITTEE
2002 ORGANIZED "DESSERTS '02" MEMBERS EXHIBIT FOR ARTISTS COALITION OF FLAGSTAFF
2000 ORGANIZING COMMITTEE "REFLECTIONS ON THE LAND, THE DIABLO TRUST FORUM FOR
THE ARTS" WITH NAU'S OLD MAIN ART GALLERY, THE DIABLO TRUST., AND THE CITY OF
FLAGSTAFF.
2000-1997 ORGANIZED "APPETIZERS," "DESSERTS" AND OTHER YEARLY MEMBER SHOWS FOR
ARTISTS' COALITION OF FLAGSTAFF'S IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE OPEN STUDIO TOUR,
NORTHLAND GRAPHICS, OLD TOWN SHOPS, BRANDY'S RESTAURANT AND THE COCONINO
CENTER FOR THE ARTS.
1999 "RAGING HORMONES" INVITATIONAL GROUP SHOW, ASU DOWNTOWN, PHOENIX, AZ.
ORGANIZED AND HUNG. EXPANDED AND MOVED TO HIDDEN BEAUTY GALLERY,
FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
1993 - 2002 FOUNDING BOARD MEMBER ARTISTS' COALITION OF FLAGSTAFF
1991 -2006 FOUNDING BOARD MEMBER MASTERPIECE ART APPRECIATION PROGRAM OF
FLAGSTAFF

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2002 - 2010 MONOTYPE AND MIXED MEDIA WORKSHOPS FOR BOTH ADULTS AND
ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, INCLUDING "AT RISK"
CHILDREN
2005- "TIME IN A BOTTLE" PROJECT WITH NEW START STUDENTS FOR DISPLAY AT COCONINO
CENTER FOR THE ARTS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
2005 - "PERSONALITY PORTRAITS" MIXED MEDIA COLLAGE PROJECTS FOR MARSHALL SCHOOL
4TH GRADERS, FLAGSTAFF, AZ.
1991 - 2006 FLAGSTAFF MASTERPIECE ART APPRECIATION PROGRAM - ART APPRECIATION
PRESENTATIONS AND HANDS-ON ART EXPERIENCES IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS