

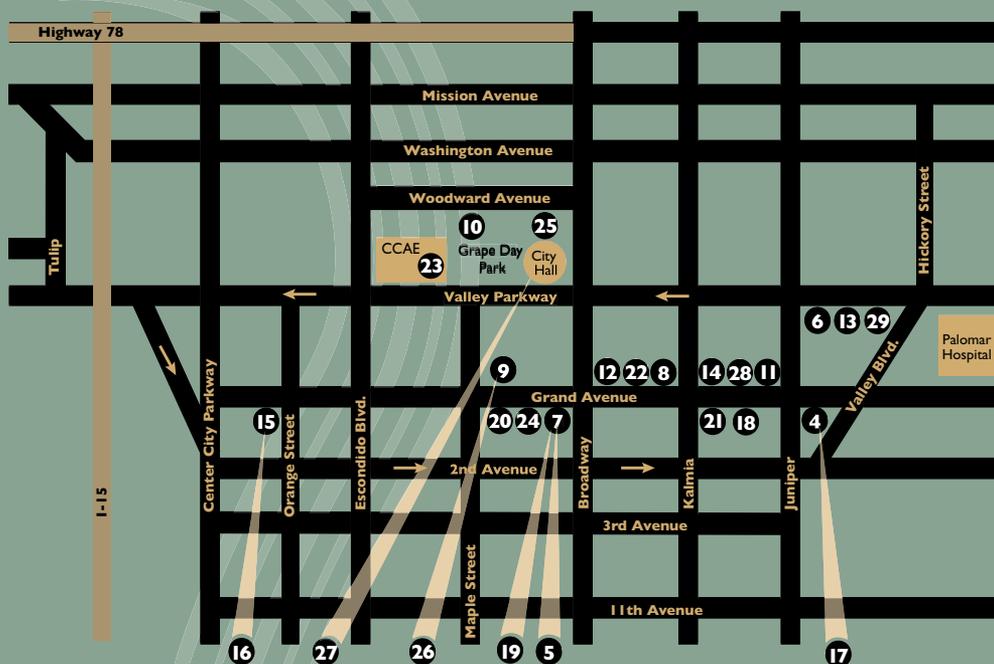
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A monthly event including four focused events throughout the year.

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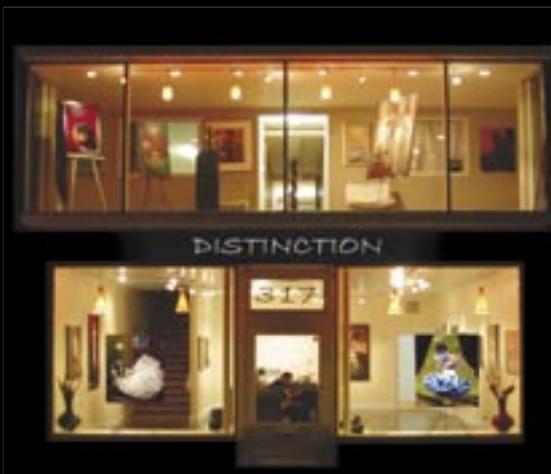
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DISTINCTION

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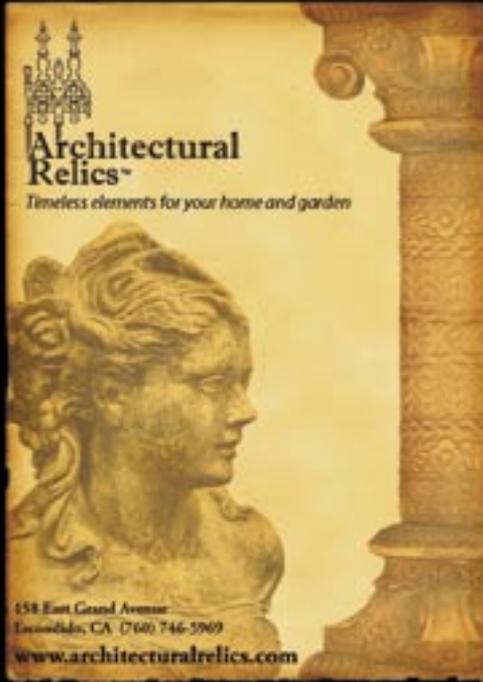
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The Escondido Municipal Gallery operated by the EAP is located at 142 West Grand Avenue in downtown Escondido. This unique venue presents eight juried shows each year, along with an annual exhibition of emerging young artists work. The Gallery is open Tuesday through Saturday, 11:00 am to 4:00 pm. Admission is free

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ESCONDIDO CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

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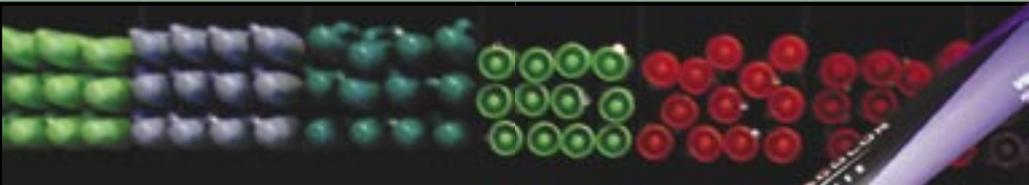


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We are open 7 days a week.

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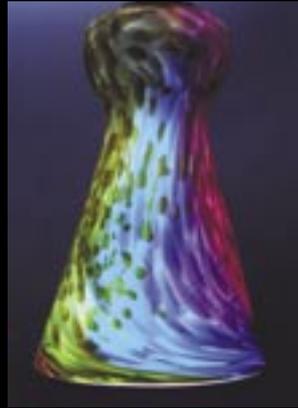
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He exhibits in national juried shows and plein air festivals. He is honored to have received awards for his work. His desire is to continue painting great places – “and what great places we have”.

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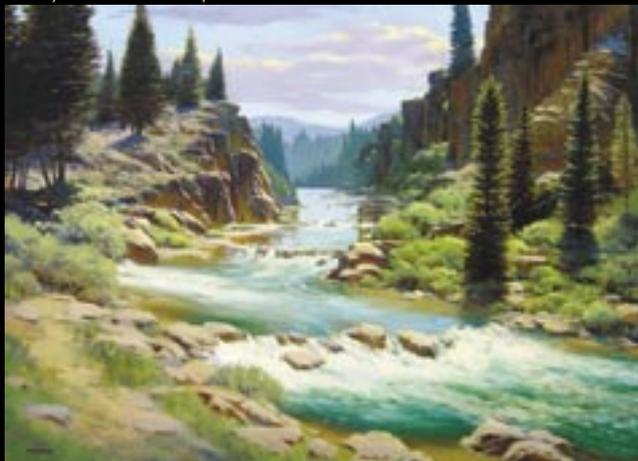
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Since 1994, the Museum has organized more than 35 exhibitions and published 10 catalogues. Group and thematic exhibitions have included the work of artists such as Ansel Adams, Niki de Saint Phalle, Harry Sternberg, Eloy Tarcisio, and Dale Chihuly.

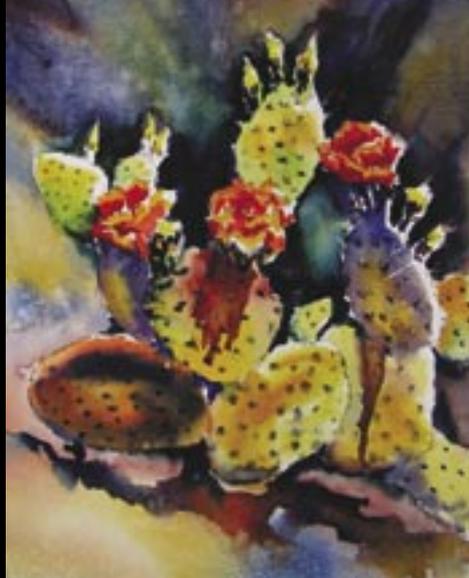
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ARTISTS GALLERY

OPERATED BY THE ESCONDIDO ART ASSOCIATION (E.A.A.) Founded in 1956,
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Mission Statement: To further the advancement of local arts and artists by helping to provide education, networking, exhibition and business opportunities to its members and the community. A registered non-profit 501c3.

Artists Gallery is the only all volunteer "co-operative" art gallery in Escondido with our members sharing all business responsibilities.

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ESCONDIDO HISTORY CENTER

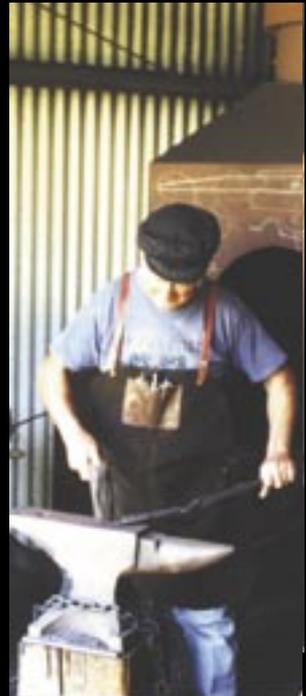
STEP BACK IN TIME on an afternoon tour of the Escondido History Center. Imagine life 100 years ago in the seasonally decorated Victorian Country Home. Watch a blacksmith working in the Bandy Blacksmith Shop and explore Escondido's agricultural past in the barn. Learn about the city's development in the 1888 Santa Fe Depot. Delight in a H-O scale model train housed in a lifesize Pullman railroad car. View photographs in the Center office, housed in the city's first public library. Located in Grape Day Park, the History Center has something for everyone, and every age.

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VICTORIA HUCKINS

VICTORIA ESTACIO HUCKINS is a Southern California artist working in mixed media. She is also the Executive Director of the Escondido Arts Partnership.

Victoria was born in the Philippines, her roots come from the diverse cultures of Spain, China, Japan and India.

Victoria's work sometimes represents these cultures in fresh ways along with daily life experiences. Victoria experiments with different media in addition to painting.

In addition, Victoria's paintings are part of corporate and private collections nationally.

A select list of local collections include: The Grand Colonial Hotel, Nine-Ten Restaurant, Franklin Croft, and Graham Downes Architecture.

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THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO

THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO'S PUBLIC ART COMMISSION, and its award-winning Public Art Program, have been at the forefront of the City's commitment to the arts, since its inception in 1986. The Public Art Program creates projects that enhance the economic vitality of the city, encourage cultural tourism, commemorate local history and develop community pride and identity. Financed by developer fees and overseen through a nine-member Public Art Commission, over 20 major projects are now located throughout Escondido.

The Public Art Commission oversaw the development of *Queen Calafia's Magical Circle* by internationally-renown artist Niki de Saint Phalle. The sculpture garden opened in October 2003. It is Saint Phalle's last major project before her death in 2002, and her only large-scale sculptural environment in the United States.

A listing of public art projects can be found on the City's website at www.ci.escondido.ca.us/depts/cs/publicart/projects/html. The website for Queen Calafia's Magical Circle is www.queenalfia.org.





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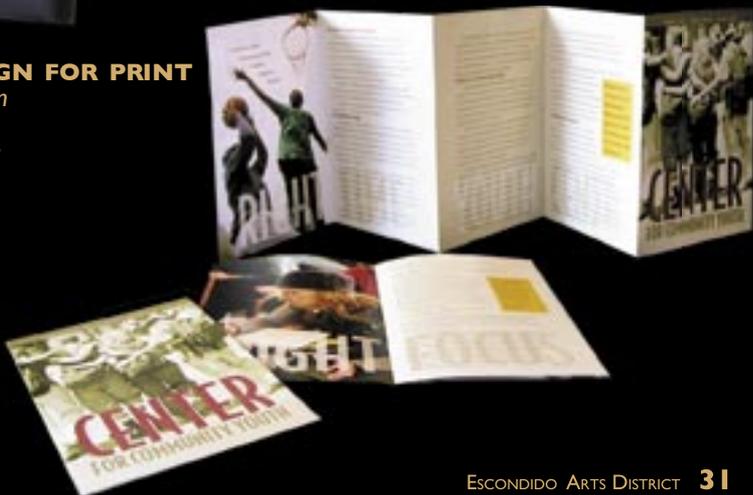
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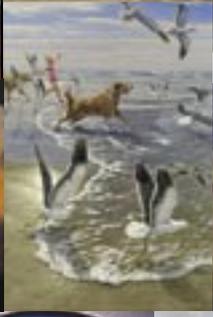


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