

# MJM&AG

## MOOSE JAW MUSEUM & ART GALLERY

May 1 to August 31, 2021

### SUMMER VIRTUAL PROGRAMMING

#### FAMILIES:

Meant for the whole family to do together! \$75 per family including materials (Up to 4 kids per household, additional kids \$25)

**EXPLORING THE WORLD**  
3-10 years, Online with Karigan Diggins  
July 5-9, 1:30 to 3:00 pm

**DOWN BY THE RIVER**  
3-10 years, Online with Karigan Diggins  
August 9-13, 1:30 to 3:00 pm

#### CHILDREN AND YOUTH:

##### AGES 3-5:

**GARDEN ART**  
3-5 years, Online with Karigan Diggins  
July 19-23, 9:30 to 10:30 am  
Cost: \$75, includes materials

**IMAGINARIUM**  
3-5 years, Online with Karigan Diggins  
July 26-30, 9:30 to 10:30 am  
Cost: \$75, includes materials

##### AGES 6-8:

**TIME TRAVELLER**  
6-8 years, Online with Karigan Diggins  
July 12-16, 9:30 to 11:00 am  
Cost: \$80, includes materials

**GARDEN ART**  
6-8 years, Online with Cora Melanson  
July 19-23, 1:30 to 3:00 pm  
Cost: \$80, includes materials

**IMAGINARIUM**  
6-8 years, Online with Cora Melanson  
July 26-30, 1:30 to 3:00 pm  
Cost: \$80, includes materials

##### AGES 9-11:

**TIME TRAVELLER**  
9-11 years, Online with Cora Melanson  
July 12-16, 1:30 to 3:00 pm  
Cost: \$80, includes materials

**ART IN NATURE**  
9-11 years, Online with Cora Melanson  
August 16-20, 9:30 to 11:00 am  
Cost: \$80, includes materials

##### TEEN:

**ART IN NATURE**  
12 & up, Online with Karigan Diggins  
August 16-20, 1:30 to 3:00 pm  
Cost: \$85, includes materials

#### Register Online:

All classes must be paid through our website at: [www.mjmag.ca/summer-artclasses](http://www.mjmag.ca/summer-artclasses)

Because this is a virtual program, families will need to pick up the kits a week prior to class and no later than the Friday before the class.

The kits will contain written instruction, zoom link to live online class, and all materials needed for the class.

For more details: Call: 306-692-4471 or email: [educator.mjmag@sasktel.net](mailto:educator.mjmag@sasktel.net)

Education Coordinator: Christy Schweiger or Karigan Diggins

Financial assistance available to families in need

Funded by: Young Canada Works, Community Initiatives Fund, City of Moose Jaw, Superannuated Teachers of Saskatchewan Moose Jaw Chapter



## CANADIAN ICONS



#### CLAY AT HOME:

Canadian Icons Mobile/Wind Chimes  
\$8 per kit, available starting May 25  
<http://www.mjmag.ca/clayathome>  
While supplies last

#### Seniors' Art Program with SCWW

(Seniors' Centre Without Walls)  
Phone program - Register at 306-631-4357 or email [seniorswithoutwalls2021@gmail.com](mailto:seniorswithoutwalls2021@gmail.com)  
June 3 – Rock painting  
June 17 – Wind Chimes  
June 24 – Fun ways to create a memory box  
No programs in July or August

#### Programs for School Groups

Teachers can book online for engaging virtual art classes and hands-on activities.

Guide available at [mjmag.ca/schools](http://mjmag.ca/schools)



#### PARKART

As it is not yet safe to hold large gatherings, we have made the decision to postpone ParkArt again this year. Stay tuned for other opportunities to support our work later in 2021.



#### YOUTUBE

Check out our YouTube channel! We've been posting our In Conversation Series Artist Talks, our Noon Hour Slides Virtual Travel Series, and a variety of Art at Home projects.

Search MJMAG on YouTube or visit our website for the link!

### IN THE GALLERY >



Herd, Detail

## Diana Thorneycroft: Herd

May 28 - August 15, 2021

This installation by Winnipeg-based artist Diana Thorneycroft depicts a herd of more than one hundred and fifty horses traveling up a slope, half of them being transformed or metamorphosed into fierce, mythological creatures to a state of complete "otherness." Thorneycroft acknowledges, "In the past, I have used animal carcasses and dolls to parallel the human form. With this new work, I chose the ubiquitous plastic toy horses made by companies such as Breyer and Mattel". Only here, she brings new meanings through transformation and context that transcend normative and move toward the dream-like world of mythology, fairytales and the imaginary—of storytelling from the less travelled world of the subconscious.

Diana Thorneycroft received her BFA from the University of Manitoba and her MA from the University of Wisconsin. She has received numerous grants and awards. Diana Thorneycroft has exhibited extensively both nationally and internationally.



Wholeness, 50.2 x 50.2 cm, 2020

## Hanna Yokozawa Farquharson: Wholeness

May 28 - August 15, 2021

*Wholeness* presents the beautifully, minimal fibre art works of emerging Saskatchewan artist, Hanna Yokozawa Farquharson. The exhibition features two different bodies of work, *Calling* and *Gaia Symphony*, with each series drawing on her Japanese culture, her family memories and the landscapes of her new home in Saskatchewan. The elegance and simplicity of form and an embrace of texture and chance in the works speak to the Japanese concept of *wabi sabi*, finding the beauty in imperfection. The abstract nature of the work also allows it to present as meditations, as quiet moments to pause and reflect, while alluding to symbolism and abstract concepts of time, memory, history, and states of being. The artist recognizes that her work, through these references, possesses another Japanese aesthetic concept, *mono no aware*, which refers to a gentle sadness or a wistfulness for the ephemeral nature of life. Both bodies of works, through their quiet and poetic beauty, present the artist's exploration of the wonder of life in all its interconnectedness and, yet, it reflects an acceptance of its impermanence, recognizing that only by embracing its fleeting nature can we truly come to embrace life with harmony and wholeness.

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