

July Exhibit

On the Avenue Artisans Gallery
911 Central Avenue
Prince Albert, SK

Saskatchewan Woodcarvers' Carve-In

Woodcarvers from Saskatchewan and other provinces will gather at the Gazebo in Shell Lake on August 7, 8 and 9 to showcase their work and share ideas. Any and all carvers are welcome to participate! Friday, 10-5; Saturday, 9-5;

Sunday, 9-1. Visitors are welcome!



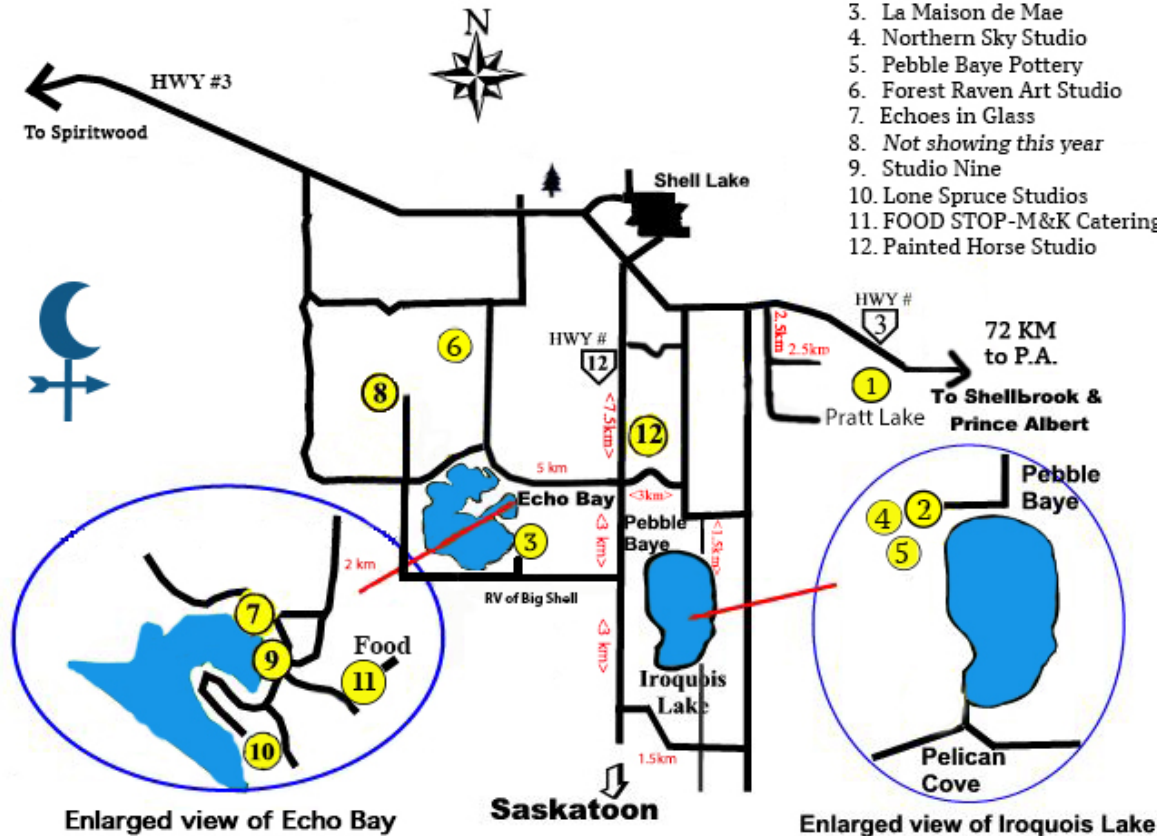
Welcome to Our World Class Trail!

Shell Lake is situated in the Parklands of Saskatchewan, on the edge of the scenic Thickwood Hills. On August 8 and 9, 2020, blue moon signs will mark the trail to the studios of artists/artisans exhibiting this year. You are invited to tour the studios, visit with the artists, purchase original art and in some cases watch the artist at work.

You may drive the trail in any direction, start at any studio, take the full two days, or just visit a few of the studios. However you choose to do it, we hope you have an inspiring and enjoyable time. "Passports" will be available for those who would like an opportunity to have their name entered in a draw for a \$100 gift certificate to be redeemed at the studio(s) of their choice. Pick up your passport at the first studio you visit and have it stamped at all 10 studios along the way. Drop your passport, along with your contact information, at the final studio.

With fresh air, adventure and a variety of artistic expressions, the Thickwood Hills Studio Trail creates an opportunity for a real Saskatchewan experience. Enrich your summer!

1. Studio 701
2. Skipping Stone Studio
3. La Maison de Mae
4. Northern Sky Studio
5. Pebble Bay Pottery
6. Forest Raven Art Studio
7. Echoes in Glass
8. *Not showing this year*
9. Studio Nine
10. Lone Spruce Studios
11. FOOD STOP-M&K Catering
12. Painted Horse Studio



2020 THICKWOOD HILLS STUDIO TRAIL



Follow the **Blue Moon** signs
on the
20th annual self-drive tour of
unique studios in the
Shell Lake Area.

Saturday, August 8, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sunday, August 9, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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1. Studio 701 - Carina Ong-Scutchings

Handcrafted functional and decorative pottery. Ceramic pieces are made using a variety of firing methods. Functional dinnerwares are microwave, oven and dishwasher safe, made with food safe glazes. Decorative pottery are one-of-a-kind hand-built pieces. Studio 701 is located at Pratt Lake, 6 km off Highway #3.

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Guest Artist: Theresa Fisher - Ceramic Artist. High fire stones to create spirit totems for positive energy and possibilities. Jewelry and stone accents.

2. Skipping Stone Studio - Colleen Teague

Quilting - both modern and traditional - is the main passion of this artisan. Her quilted art pieces are designed and created by combining her excellent choice of patterns, colours and specialty fabrics. Her finger-knitted cuddle blankets, encaustic paintings (using hot coloured waxes) and various items created with alcohol ink or items using fluid art techniques may also be on display.

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Guest Artist : Danielle Pastushok - Paper Birch Pottery

3. La Maison de Mae - Mae Buday

At Studio 3, Mae, Maureen & Mary Anne are delighted to show you their one-of-a-kind works of art. Jewelry - sterling and fine silver, as well as wire wrapped, semi-precious stones. Included are jade bracelets and other stone work. Also there will be textile art in quilts, bags and rugs. Plus many styles of wind catchers to enchant your outdoor enjoyment.

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Guest Artists: Mary Anne Broom - Stone carver; alabaster, soapstone, marble, jade and granite

Maureen Johnson - sterling & fine silver jewelry
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4. Northern Sky Studio - Annette Henbid

Annette loves working in her newest medium, pyrography (usually wood burning) in addition to watercolour, oil, acrylic, ink and charcoal. Subjects can be varied but often include wildlife, pets, florals, farm themes and landscapes. Some images are available as reproductions and art cards. She also designs and hand-knits lacy shawls and warm felted items.

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5. Pebble Bay Pottery - Elaine Gusta

This year Elaine has expanded her production to include more and unique horse hair firings. The passing of Elaine's beloved dog "Romer" inspired her to make animal urns. She has a large variety of chicken cookers, yarn bowls, coffee mugs and colourful snakes. Many items will make great gifts for special occasions. All functional wares are lead-free, dishwasher, oven and microwave safe. Demonstrations will be available throughout the two days. Watermelon, popcorn and juice will be served.

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Guest artist: Barbara Schmidt - Fibre art - hand felted hats, jewelry and wearable items; felt sculpture and eco painted silk scarves.

6. Forest Raven Art Studio - Rigmor Clarke

The Thickwood Hills Studio Trail is pleased to welcome **Rigmor Clarke** back to the trail, to celebrate the 20th anniversary! Rigmor brought the idea of the studio trail home from Ontario 20 years ago and it flourished!

Rigmor Clarke has been a serious painter for 50 years, has been included in group shows and has had numerous solo shows. Rigmor's paintings are impressionistic renderings of the forests and lakes of Northern Saskatchewan, painted on her exploration trips into the northern wilderness. Her paintings are found in collections - both private and public - around the world.

Do not miss this opportunity to visit **Forest Raven Art Studio**, located on Rigmor's farm, five miles southwest of Shell Lake.

Guest Artists : Joan Martodam, the Wood Woman, uses dead fall from the forest to create rustic furniture pieces.

Norm Thomson fashions rock and rebar yard art.

Mavis Belisle paints in oil and watercolour.

7. Echoes in Glass - Dianna Sutton & Leona Wieler

Studio 7 takes a novel approach to stained glass, creating decor for homes and gardens. Reflections of nature are captured on bird houses, bird baths, decorator plates and reclaimed windows, along with some traditional... and not so traditional sun catchers. Driftwood and barn wood enhance many of these pieces. For stained glass with a twist, visit Studio 7, on the shores of Echo Bay.

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Guest Artist: Julia Wieler - Art cards - watercolours and acrylic

8. Stoney Acres Studio - Karen McMillin - Not showing this year.

9. Studio Nine - Stan Cameron

The noise you hear in your wood box may not be a raccoon or squirrel, but rather, this artisan at Echo Bay, seeking unusual exotic and/or domestic wood - his medium of choice. The results are handcrafted, creative works of unique three dimensional Intarsia - mosaics of sculpted wood. Perhaps as interesting, are the pens, pencils, knives and widgets crafted from brass bullets, acrylic, antler and wood.

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Guest Artist: Clifford Cameron - handcrafted silver/gold wire wrapped gemstone jewellery. cec1@sasktel.net
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10. Lone Spruce Studios

By day, Michael is an Energy Products Operations Coordinator. Come night, unleashed is his inner creativeness, delving into the world(s) of photography, art and music.

In 2011, the urge to further develop his creative side saw Michael pursue a Certificate in Art and Design through the University of Saskatchewan. Upon completion, Michael has continued to experiment with acrylic painting, printmaking and is always found with a camera in tow, specializing in live music, portrait and wedding photography.

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11. The Quonset at Echo Bay

M&K Caterers are back on the trail by popular demand! They'll be serving up burgers, hot dogs, tacos in a bag, salads, desserts and beverages at the Echo Bay Quonset, from 11-4 both days. Take home a delicious homemade pie!

12. Painted Horse Studio - Nadine Jones

Nadine's art reflects her many interests - travelling, country living and the beauty of things new and old. Using watercolour, alcohol inks, pen and ink, oils, acrylics and pencil, she creates still-life, landscapes and western art and some abstracts. Her studio is located on Hwy #12 - 7km south of the junction of Hwy #3 and 12.

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Guest Artist: Kathy Jackson, KayJay Studio - Abstract artist, art printed scarves, apparel and decor
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