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BMCC student art show opening reception set for April 1

PENDLETON, Ore. – Blue Mountain Community College students will show off their creative sides during the annual BMCC Student Art Show, April 1-22, in the Betty Feves Memorial Art Gallery in Pioneer Hall on the Pendleton campus. An opening reception, which the public is welcome to attend, is set for April 1 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Gallery.

The annual show highlights the work of art students at BMCC, and includes a variety of two-dimensional and three-dimensional pieces, including drawing, painting, sculpture and ceramics. This year's judge is Nika Blasser. Ms. Blasser has a Master's of Fine Arts degree in drawing and intermedia from the University of Alberta in Edmonton, Canada, and a Bachelor's degree in painting, drawing and printmaking from Portland State University. Awards will be given for Best of Show, 1st Place, 2nd Place, 3rd Place and Honorable Mention. Gallery visitors can also vote for the People's Choice Award.

This year, 22 students will present 74 pieces during the art show.

The show runs through April 22. The Feves Gallery is open Monday-Thursday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and by appointment by calling (541) 278-5952. BMCC is located at 2411 NW Carden Avenue. The Betty Feves Memorial Gallery at BMCC is a non-profit exhibit space connecting emerging and established artists and their work with students, staff and the general public in eastern Oregon.

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