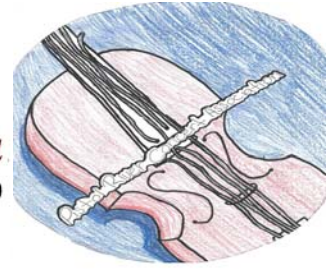


Pistol River Concert Association

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KIMO HUSSEY - CONCERT AND UKULELE WORKSHOP

The Pistol River Concert Association is proud to welcome Kimo Hussey, a master on the ukulele, to the Friendship Hall for two events in November. First, Kimo will be our regular monthly musical guest on Saturday the eleventh. Then on Sunday the twelfth, he will lead a workshop for interested ukulele players of all levels.

For those of you that only know the ukulele from idle strumming in the background of a luau, or alongside the high pitched voice of Tiny Tim a few decades back, be forewarned - Hussey's show will be nothing like those things!



Kimo is a native of Hawaii, and began playing ukulele when he was five. He has dedicated his time since retiring from the Air Force to perfecting his playing, and is on a quest to show the world how versatile and beautiful the instrument can be. His performance might bring images of palm trees to mind, as the sound of the strings do have a distinctive tone, but there is little doubt you will be in awe and appreciation of his incredible musical prowess. "Fly Me to the Moon," "Love Me Tender," "So Happy Together," "Scarborough Fair," "Blue Bayou," or Leonard Cohen's "Hallelujah" are just a few of Hussey's extensive repertoire of spot on covers that he may dazzle us with.

Kimo has become an Ambassador of the Ukulele. He has instructional videos on the web site Ukulele Review, and even his own tab on the home page titled Kimo Hussey Style. In addition to teaching at his workshops, he also promotes the builders of these fine instruments. To that end, Hussey will be playing a baritone uke made of Port Orford Cedar at the Friendship Hall that he purchased from Les Stansell.

The workshop will start at 1 PM on Sunday November 12th. Whether you are curious about giving the ukulele a try, or have been playing for years, this is an exceptional opportunity to learn from one of the instruments masters. The cost of the workshop is twenty dollars. Contact Les Stansell at 541-247-7636, or les@stansellguitars.com for more details or to reserve a space.

Mark your calendars for November 11th, at 8 PM at the Friendship Hall for a unique night of ukulele from Kimo Hussey, and join him again at 1PM on November 12th to learn from the master himself!

Shows on the horizon

Saturday, January 20, 2018
The Special Consensus
Bluegrass

Saturday, February, 17 2018
Laura Gibson
Folk/Indie Rock

March, 2018
Molly's Revenge
Acoustic Celtic



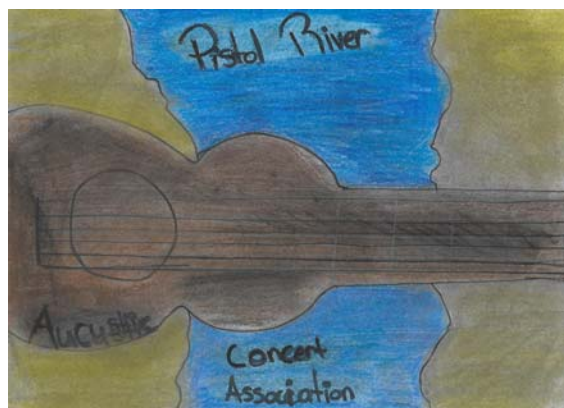
Tickets: All shows are \$15 and are available at:

Gold Beach Books 541-247-2495

Wright's Custom Framing 541-469-7900

Tickets can also be reserved at
www.pistolriver.com, or by calling 541-247-2848
and picked up at the door.

Tickets may also be purchased, if available at the door



Notes from the Board:

A BIG THANKS to all who came to celebrate our 35th anniversary. Great local musicians, cooks, sponsors and of course enthusiastic audience members made it a special occasion: and over \$2, 000 was raised to boot! Needed improvements never seem to cease! Next up is replacement of some lighting,. If you would like to contribute, donations are always appreciated.

THANKS TO MR. LENSING'S RILEY CREEK 7TH GRADERS FOR THEIR ARTWORK! We are looking into a new look for our logo, and these young artists provided some great ideas! We'll include a few of their works in the next few newsletters. Let us know if one fits the bill for you, or if you have a logo idea!

A SPECIAL THANKS TO GOLD BEACH BOOKS AND WRIGHT'SCUSTOM FRAMING for being our ticket outlets. We couldn't do it without you! If you purchase tickets for our shows from these businesses, please give them a hearty thank you for their continuing contribution to the arts in our area!

SPECIAL NOTE: Oasis House is no longer accepting unscreened used donations. Please do not drop off your softly used items at the Friendship Hall, but do take them to one of the local thrift stores in your community. Thank you!

Want to become a PRCA Member?

We welcome anyone as a member of the Pistol River Concert Association that has an interest in supporting the concert series. If you want to get a heads up on upcoming shows and wish to become a member or if it is time to renew your membership, please fill out, detach and mail the registration form below along with your check made payable to the Pistol River Concert Association. (It's tax deductible !!)

Please Print:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Membership: Individual \$15 ____ Family \$20 ____ Amount enclosed _____

Please choose one: I would like to receive newsletter notification via e-mail ____ or Postal Service mail: ____

Please mail this form to: Pistol River Concert Association, Post Office Box 6086, Pistol River, Oregon 97444 Thanks!!!