



San Pedro artist Muriel Olguin was honored recently with a Lifetime Achievement Award in the Arts.

—Photo by John Stinson

State, County, City Honors Muriel Olguin

In celebration of Women in History Month, Muriel Olguin was honored with Lifetime Achievement Awards on March 28 at Medea Gallery. This elegant event recognized Muriel as one of San Pedro's master artists and community leaders.

The Honorable Bonnie Lowenthal, assemblymember for the State of California (54th District); Mike Gin, deputy to LA County Supervisor Don Knabe; and Gordon Teuber, director of economic development for Los Angeles Council Member Janice Hahn; were on hand to present certificates recognizing Muriel's "Lifetime Achievement Award in the Arts."

Many thanks go to all who attended the event to show support for Muriel. Thanks also go to The Whale and Ale, Ports O' Call Restaurant, Marcellos, Edible Arrangements and Slavko's Harbor Poultry, who provided appetizers and desserts for the event.

Special thanks also go to Harold Green (Chapman Stick), Raymond Lee (keyboards) and Rico Espinoza (guitar), who provided entertainment for the affair.

Finally, a big "mahalo" goes to local artist Eric Johnson, who created the beautiful artistic orbs that all attendees signed for Muriel.

A long-time resident of San Pedro, Olguin has designed quilts and banners and exhibited her prints in England, Paris, and Korea, as well as at many museums and galleries in southern California.

She received a B.A. from Occidental College and an M.A. in drawing, painting, and printmaking from California State University, Long Beach.

She also studied with artists Rico Lebrun and Howard Warshaw. She has taught art in the Los Angeles public schools and at Pepperdine University.

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Motor Officer Kyle Lee
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Motor Officer Ed Martinez
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Both officers may be reached by email or telephonically at (213) 485-7742.

Warner Grand Theater Coming Attractions

Scheduling information provided by Susan Gail Wilcox. For detailed information, visit <http://warnergrand.org> and click on "schedule"

Saturdays at midnight

The Rocky Horror Picture Show (1975) \$9

Saturday, May 2

The Year My Parents Went on Vacation (Brazil 2006)
Foreign Films Featuring Fearlessness, 7:30 p.m., \$10

Friday, May 8 and Saturday, May 9

Babes in Arms: Rolling Hills Prep School Spring Theater

Sunday, May 10

Mariachi for Mother's Day, 3:00 p.m. \$40/\$30/\$20,
Mariachi Los Toros are joined by Folklore Mexicano Del Sur De California, 14-year old musica ranchera sensation Mauree and Juan Carlos: La Imagen De Juan Gabriel

Saturday, May 16

Golden State Pops Orchestra Video Game Soundtracks, 8:00 p.m., \$25/\$15

May 22-24 and 29-31

Upton Sinclair's "The Singing Jailbirds" by the Relevant Stage company

Saturday, May 30

A Gathering for the Grand 6:30 p.m. \$100, Benefit for ceiling repair, honoring Supervisor Don Knabe at a private home near Portuguese Bend, (310) 833-4813

Saturday, June 6

Cal Arts Youth Video Festival, 2:00 p.m., \$5

Sunday, June 7

The Absent-Minded Professor (1961), 2:00 p.m. SUNDays are FUN days; The funniest discovery since laughter! \$5/\$2

Saturday, June 13

Golden State Pops Orchestra, John Williams, 8:00 p.m., \$25/\$15

Sunday, June 14

Wiener Takes All: A DOGumentary, 2:00 p.m., \$10/\$8
Proceeds to benefit Pedro Pet Pals and the new Harbor Animal Care Center on North Gaffey Street

Friday, June 19

Fright Night: It Begins!

Noah K, producer of the annual Bats Day In the Fun Park at Disneyland (www.batsday.net) brings his monthly spooky double features. Films under consideration are William Castle's original 13 Ghosts (1960), The Innocents (1961) and The Uninvited (1944). Your host for the evening, MC Spooky!

Coastal San Pedro Board Members Receive Volunteer Service Award

Costal San Pedro Neighborhood Council board members were honored recently by the President's Council on Service and Civic Participation. The President's Volunteer Service Award citation states, "This Award recognizes your dedication to volunteer service and signifies that you have served your community and your country with distinction. Through your volunteer efforts, you are demonstrating values that make our nation strong and you are helping to build a culture of citizenship, service and responsibility in America."

Board members received individual certificates and pins signifying their service to the community.



History Happened Here!

Learn more about the Harbor area's fascinating past, present, and future at these affordable attractions:



Banning Residence Museum

401 East "M" Street, Wilmington / 310-548-7777
Tour times: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 12:30, 1:30, 2:30 p.m.
Saturday, Sunday, 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30 p.m.
Closed Monday, Friday and all national holidays



Cabrillo Marine Aquarium

3720 Stephen M. White Drive, San Pedro / 310-548-7562
www.cabrillosmarineaquarium.org
Hours: Saturday-Sunday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Tuesday-Friday 12 noon to 5 p.m.; closed Mondays, Thanksgiving and Christmas
Accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums



Drum Barracks Civil War Museum

1052 Banning Boulevard, Wilmington / (310) 548-7509
www.drumbarracks.org
Learn about California's role in the Civil War.
Tour times: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 noon, 1 p.m.; Saturday-Sunday 11:30 a.m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30 p.m. \$5 donation requested for adults.
Reservations required for groups of six or more.

Fort MacArthur Museum

Angels Gate Park, 3601 S. Gaffey Street, San Pedro
310-548-2631 / www.ftmac.org
Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday, 12 noon to 5 p.m.
Old Fort MacArthur Days Saturday and Sunday, July 11-12.



Los Angeles Maritime Museum

Berth 84, foot of Sixth Street, San Pedro / 310-548-7618
www.lamaritimuseum.org
Discover the history of the harbor!
Hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10-5; Sunday 12-5; closed Mondays.
Kids are free!



Point Fermin Lighthouse Historic Site and Museum

Point Fermin Park, 807 W. Paseo del Mar, San Pedro / 310-241-0684
Hours: Tuesday-Sunday 1 pm-4 pm; guided tours at 1, 2, and 3 pm; closed Mondays, major holidays, holiday weekends, and during special events in the park;
call to inquire about specific dates. Admission is free.



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