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ADVENTURES

*on Yukon time*

**Where to see and buy  
art in the Yukon**

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All of the products bearing the “Created in the Yukon” symbol have a basis in art and, in the process of being created, were touched by the hand of a Yukon artist. It is the mark of authenticity. As individual as snowflakes, Yukon arts and crafts make treasured keepsakes and glorious gifts.

# Welcome to the land of Art Adventures

As Minister of Tourism and Culture, I would like to welcome you to Yukon and to Art Adventures on Yukon Time, a guide to Yukon artists and their studios.

By visiting our artists and artisans, and viewing Yukon as captured through their eyes, you will come to experience a vast land of wide open spaces, natural phenomena and majestic scenic beauty where mountains meet the sky.

A Larger than Life experience exists for you, as portrayed in the many art forms ranging from traditional to contemporary forms of practice. By using this book as your guide, you will have opportunities to meet artists in their studios, or share in some of Yukon's cultural events and festivals.

I encourage you to seek out our artists and immerse yourselves in Yukon's cultural and artistic expression.

# Bienvenue au pays des aventures artistiques

*À titre de ministre du Tourisme et de la Culture, j'ai le plaisir de vous souhaiter la bienvenue au Yukon et de vous présenter À la Découverte de l'art au rythme du Yukon, le répertoire des studios et des artistes yukonnais.*

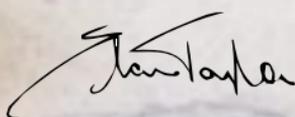
*Comment mieux apprécier les vastes étendues sauvages du territoire, reconnues pour leur beauté majestueuse et sites de phénomènes naturels incomparables, que de les découvrir à travers les yeux et les œuvres d'artistes qui se nourrissent au quotidien de la magie qui émane de pareils paysages?*

*Une expérience plus grande que nature vous attend, tandis que vous vous apprêtez à partir à la découverte des multiples formes d'expressions artistiques qui ont cours au Yukon, des plus traditionnelles aux plus modernes. Le présent guide vous mènera chez quantité d'artistes prêts à vous ouvrir les portes de leur studio et vous fera connaître les nombreuses manifestations culturelles – festivals et autres – qui ponctuent l'année au Yukon et auxquelles nous espérons avoir le plaisir de vous accueillir.*

*Je vous invite à profiter à plein de chaque occasion qui vous est donnée de rencontrer nos artistes et de vous mêler à la scène artistique et culturelle yukonnaise.*

*Bonne exploration!*

*La ministre du Tourisme et de la Culture*



Elaine Taylor  
Minister of Tourism and Culture



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## Art adventures...on Yukon time

This guide is your invitation to slow down, slip into the easygoing rhythms of “Yukon time” and discover something that is as good as gold: Yukon’s visual art.

For as long as people have lived in Yukon, they have interpreted their culture and the land around them through visual art forms. Today, Yukon visual artists are as diverse as the territory itself.



They range from whimsical to profound, austere to elaborate, utilitarian to decorative. Respecting both traditional and contemporary forms of expression, Yukon artists work in every conceivable medium and material. Locals and visitors alike can find countless opportunities to delight their senses, open their minds, and lift their spirits.

Whether you want to watch artists working in their studios, attend an annual Yukon art event, admire stunning public art, or purchase a precious piece to take home, each of the eight regions identified in this guide offers rewarding experiences.

For each region, the guide provides information about Yukon visual artists who encourage you to visit them in their studios. There, you can observe them at work, inquire about their backgrounds, learn about their materials, and discuss their artistic inspirations. Usually you can purchase work directly from them. Whether you are interested in watercolour paintings, stone carvings, folk art, gold jewelry, or decorative masks, you will always be able to find talented Yukon artisans willing to share their gifts with you.

The guide briefly describes places in each region where you can view visual art — from outdoor sculpture to paintings, carvings, or other media in galleries — that reflects the Yukon experience. It also lists places, besides artist studios, where you can buy a work of art that captures the essence of your unforgettable Yukon adventure.

The guide also provides details about Yukon arts activities and events. Why not plan your trip to coincide with an event like the Yukon International Storytelling Festival in Whitehorse or the Yukon Riverside Arts Festival in Dawson City? That way, you can enjoy the rich bounty of Yukon visual and performing arts at the same time!

## Yukon First Nations

The Yukon has been the traditional home of First Nations people for thousands of years. There are 14 First Nations throughout the Yukon. Currently, the First Nations people make up approximately 25 per cent of the territory’s estimated 30,000 residents.

Yukon First Nations people are well known for their artistic abilities, working in various disciplines such as carving, painting, beadwork, singing, dancing, drumming and storytelling.

There are eight aboriginal languages spoken in the Yukon: Gwich’in (Old Crow), Han (Dawson City), Kaska (Ross River, Watson Lake, Liard), Northern Tutchone (Mayo, Pelly Crossing, Carmacks), Southern Tutchone (Whitehorse, Haines Junction, Champagne, Burwash Landing), Tagish (Tagish), Upper Tanana (Beaver Creek) and Tlingit (Teslin, Carcross). Yukon First Nations people continue to teach, document and enhance their languages.

Such organizations as the Yukon Native Language Centre, Northern Native Broadcasting Yukon, and the Yukon Government’s Aboriginal Language Services Branch work to ensure the languages are not lost. They do this by developing programs, language curriculum for schools, adult literacy classes, and radio and television programming.



## À la découverte de l’art.... au rythme du Yukon

*Le présent guide est une invitation à ralentir, à vous abandonner au « rythme du Yukon » et de partir à la découverte de quelque chose d’aussi précieux que l’or : les arts visuels du Yukon.*

*Depuis l’arrivée des premiers peuples au territoire, les habitants du Yukon ont toujours cherché à donner forme à ce qu’ évoquaient en eux leurs milieux culturel et géographique. La production artistique dans le Yukon contemporain est aussi diversifiée que le paysage lui-même. Elle va d’œuvres fantaisistes comme le jaillissement des ruisseaux au printemps à des œuvres d’une profondeur égale à celle des nuits sans lune, de pièces d’une sobriété rappelant l’immuabilité du temps qui passe à des pièces aussi travaillées que les lacis de rosiers sauvages qui embaument les sentiers, et d’œuvres utilitaires comme le sont nos rivières à des œuvres purement décoratives créées dans le seul but de célébrer l’abondance de richesses qui nous entourent. Alliant la tradition et la modernité, les artistes visuels du Yukon n’hésitent pas à utiliser une gamme variée de matériaux, et l’ensemble de techniques représentées est impressionnant. Que vous soyez résident ou visiteur, les occasions ne manqueront pas d’avoir vos sens aiguisés et d’être emplis de ravissement, dans le cœur comme dans l’âme.*



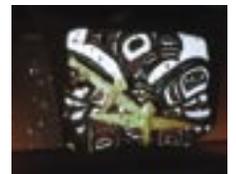
*Que vous soyez intéressé à voir des artistes à l’œuvre dans leur studio, à assister à une manifestation artistique annuelle, à voir des œuvres d’art exposées dans des lieux publics ou à faire l’acquisition d’œuvres pour la maison, vous trouverez de quoi vous satisfaire dans chacune des huit régions répertoriées dans ce guide.*



*Le guide présente pour chaque région une liste d’artistes qui invitent les membres du public à leur rendre visite à leur studio. Une telle visite est une occasion unique de les voir travailler, de vous renseigner sur leurs antécédents, de poser des questions sur les matériaux qu’ils utilisent et de discuter de leurs sources d’inspiration. Dans la*

*majorité des cas, vous pouvez acheter de leurs pièces sur place. Que vous soyez un amateur d’aquarelle, de sculpture sur pierre, d’art populaire, d’orfèvrerie ou de masques, vous pouvez être certain de trouver au Yukon un artiste de talent prêt à vous faire partager les fruits de son talent.*

*Vous trouverez dans le guide une liste d’endroits dans chaque région où il est possible de voir des pièces de création yukonnaise en montre – que ce soit à l’extérieur ou dans des galeries –, ainsi que les endroits, autres que les studios des artistes, où vous pouvez acheter une œuvre qui capture l’essence de cette aventure mémorable dans le monde des arts du Yukon.*



*Le guide vous renseignera également sur les activités et manifestations artistiques qui ont lieu durant l’année au Yukon. Pourquoi ne pas faire coïncider votre visite avec le festival international du conte narratif du Yukon de Whitehorse ou le festival des arts riverain de Dawson? De cette façon vous pourriez prendre un véritable bain de culture à la saveur yukonnaise.*

Page 4, top: Lara Melnick (#111); bottom: Ken Anderson (#68)  
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									326	68	444	717	281	Pelly Crossing
										539	283	370	360	Ross River
											537	809	354	Stewart Crossing
												272	183	Teslin
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kilometres (1 km = .6 mile)

 = Highway number



## How to use this guide

The *Art Adventures on Yukon Time* guide has eight regional sections, each with a wealth of information for art enthusiasts. Communities where you can see or buy art — or, better still, visit an artist's studio — are listed in the order in which you would encounter them if you were driving away from Whitehorse. Be sure to refer to the list of arts by region (p. 2), the map (pp. 6-7) and the list of artists by category (p. 92) and by name (p. 94) at the back of the guide.

## Annual events

These sections highlight events in each region. In some cases, tickets must be purchased. Be sure to get in touch with event organizers in advance to avoid disappointment. For more information about Yukon events, call 1-800-661-0408 and ask for extension 5036, or visit [www.touryukon.com](http://www.touryukon.com) and select the "Calendar of events" button at the bottom of the screen.

## Yukon visitor information centres

Yukon Tourism and Culture operates visitor information centres in Whitehorse, Dawson, Carcross, Watson Lake, Haines Junction, and Beaver Creek. Staff at these centres can provide information about Yukon attractions, activities, and accommodations, and add to the information contained in this guide. Feel free to ask for assistance with contacting artists or locating studios.

There are municipal visitor information centres in Carmacks, Faro, and Mayo and an un-staffed tourist information kiosk at the gas station in Stewart Crossing.

## Where to see art

The listings in these sections are not exhaustive. By consulting local residents, reading newspapers, and listening to the radio, you may discover other opportunities to view art. Some communities have self-guided "Artwalk" tour brochures that identify works of art and historical points of interest. These brochures are usually available at visitor information centres.

## Where to buy arts and crafts

These sections list places, besides artist studios, where you can purchase Yukon-made art, crafts, and other products. When purchasing works of art that contain animal parts, check with Conservation Officer Services at 867-667-5221 (Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. — 4:30 p.m.) to ensure these products are allowed into your country.

## Artist listings

The heart of this guide is information about Yukon artists in each community. In many cases, you will need to call ahead to ensure the artists are available or to get detailed directions to find them. Getting there can become part of your adventure! Even if a listing states the artist's business hours, you should call ahead to confirm details.

Please see the artist list at the back of the guide. Artists who speak French are indicated with an asterisk (\*).

## Abbreviations used in this guide

- D** Date
- L** Location (with directions, if necessary)
- H** Hours of availability or operation
- T** Telephone number
- F** Fax number
- E** E-mail address
- M** Mailing address
- W** Website address

## Comment utiliser le guide

Le guide *Art Adventures on Yukon Time* est divisé en huit régions, chacune renfermant une mine d'informations pour les passionnés d'art. Les collectivités où vous pouvez voir et acheter des œuvres d'art — ou mieux encore, visiter le studio d'artistes — figurent dans l'ordre où elles sont situées géographiquement par rapport à Whitehorse. Ne manquez pas de consulter la liste des artistes par région (à la page 2), la carte (pp. 6-7) et les listes des artistes par spécialité (p. 92) et par nom (p. 94).

## Manifestations annuelles

Sous cette rubrique, vous trouverez les manifestations qui ont lieu dans les différentes collectivités. Pour certaines d'entre elles, il faut se procurer des billets à l'avance. Il est donc conseillé de communiquer avec les organisateurs pour éviter les mauvaises surprises. Pour en savoir plus sur les manifestations qui ont lieu au Yukon, vous pouvez aussi composer le 1-800-661-0408 et demander qu'on vous transfère au poste 5036, ou consultez le calendrier des activités accessible à partir du site [www.touryukon.com](http://www.touryukon.com) (bouton Calendar of Events – en anglais seulement).

## Centres d'information touristique du Yukon

Le ministère du Tourisme et de la Culture a un centre d'information touristique dans six collectivités du Yukon, soit à Whitehorse, à Dawson, à Carcross, à Watson Lake, à Haines Junction et à Beaver Creek. Les préposés à l'accueil pourront vous signaler les choses à voir au Yukon, les activités qui ont lieu et les possibilités d'hébergement et vous renseigner plus avant sur les artistes et manifestations présentés dans les pages qui suivent. N'hésitez pas à vous adresser à eux pour savoir comment entrer en contact avec un artiste ou comment trouver son studio.

Les municipalités de Carmacks, de Faro et de Mayo administrent leur propre centre d'accueil et vous trouverez de l'information touristique à la station d'essence de Stewart Crossing.

## Où voir des œuvres d'art?

Nous ne prétendons pas avoir présenté dans ces pages tout ce qui se fait au Yukon. Vous pourriez entendre parler d'autres occasions de voir des artistes à l'œuvre ou leurs pièces en parlant aux gens de la localité ou par les médias. Certaines collectivités publient des brochures de visites auto-guidées présentant les attractions d'intérêt historique ou artistique de la région. Vous pouvez vous procurer la majorité de ces brochures aux centres d'information touristique.

## Où acheter des œuvres d'art et des pièces d'artisanat?

Sous cette rubrique, nous présentons les endroits autres que les studios d'artistes où vous pouvez vous procurer des créations d'art ou d'artisanat produites au Yukon. Si vous achetez quoi que ce soit qui contient des parties d'animaux, informez-vous à un agent de conservation de la faune (en appelant au 867-667-5221 du lundi au vendredi, de 8 h 30 à 16 h 30) pour savoir si vous êtes autorisé à importer de telles pièces dans votre pays d'origine.

## Répertoire des artistes

Le but premier de ce guide est de présenter les artistes établis dans les diverses localités du Yukon. Dans la plupart des cas, vous devrez communiquer avec l'artiste pour vérifier sa disponibilité et obtenir des précisions sur la façon de vous rendre à son studio. Se rendre fait déjà partie de l'aventure! Même si l'artiste a indiqué les heures d'ouverture de son studio, vous devriez appeler avant de vous déplacer pour vous faire bien expliquer le chemin.

Veillez consulter la liste des artistes qui se trouve à la fin du guide. Les artistes qui parlent français y sont identifiés à l'aide d'un astérisque (\*).

## Abréviations utilisées dans le guide

- D** Date
- L** Endroit
- H** Heures de disponibilité ou d'ouverture
- T** Numéro de téléphone
- F** Numéro de télécopieur
- E** Adresse courriel
- M** Adresse postale
- W** Site Web

## Johnsons Crossing, Teslin, Watson Lake

Southeast Yukon is traversed by wild rivers and few roads, with boreal forests that are lush by Yukon standards. Located in the Liard River Basin, the South Alaska Highway region is marked by rolling hills set in a vast valley of thickly forested lowlands.

The South Alaska Highway is a thoroughfare rich in scenery, stories and historic sites. From panoramic Teslin Lake all the way to Watson Lake's Sign Post Forest, past the Continental Divide — where the height of land extending through Canada and the United States creates the watershed for the Pacific and Atlantic oceans — there is abundant inspiration for the artists who live and work in this region.

*Dans le sud-est du Yukon sillonné par à peine quelques routes, les rivières tumultueuses rivalisent de majesté avec la forêt boréale particulièrement luxuriante pour la région. Le secteur que traverse la route de l'Alaska Sud appartient au bassin de la rivière Liard et se caractérise par la présence de collines vallonneuses frangeant un chapelet de basses terres peuplées de forêts denses.*

*La route de l'Alaska Sud mène les visiteurs dans un territoire aussi riche au plan panoramique qu'au plan historique, qui a inspiré quantité de légendes. Le tronçon qui va du lac Teslin, d'une beauté spectaculaire, jusqu'à Watson Lake, célèbre pour sa forêt de poteaux indicateurs, franchit la ligne continentale de partage des eaux qui traverse l'Ouest canadien et américain et, comme son nom l'indique, sépare les eaux qui iront alimenter le bassin hydrographique soit de l'Atlantique soit du Pacifique. Les artistes qui vivent en bordure de ce tronçon trouvent dans cet environnement toute l'inspiration dont ils ont besoin pour soutenir leur travail.*

### Annual event

#### Kaska Days

This traditional First Nations gathering features crafts, games such as stick-gambling, dancing, drumming and songs.

**D** June 2007 (call closer to event for exact dates and times)  
**L** Upper Liard      **T** 867-536-2131 (Liard First Nation)

## Johnsons Crossing

Located just north of Teslin, Johnsons Crossing was first occupied by an army construction camp while bridging the Teslin River in 1942. The U.S. Army engineers named the camp after their commanding officer, Col. Frank M.S. Johnson; however, local people claim that the crossing was named after George Johnston, one of the chiefs of the Teslin Tlingits, who ferried the army men across the river when the bridge was being built. The bridge marks the beginning of the Teslin River and the area is known for its great year-round fishing.

*Situé juste au nord de Teslin, Johnsons Crossing a d'abord servi de cantonnement pour les militaires chargés d'ériger un pont en travers de la rivière Teslin en 1942. Les ingénieurs de l'armée américaine avaient baptisé le cantonnement en l'honneur de leur chef, le colonel Frank M. S. Johnson, mais les gens de la place prétendent que le nom aurait été donné en l'honneur d'un des chefs des Tlingits de Teslin, George Johnston, qui, avec son bateau, assurait le transport des militaires entre les deux rives pendant la construction du pont. Le pont est situé à l'embouchure de la rivière, un endroit prisé par les pêcheurs en toutes saisons.*

## Where to buy arts and crafts

### Johnsons Crossing Campground Services

The bakery is known for "the world's best cinnamon buns" and Yukon-made products can be purchased here.

**L** km 1347 (mile 842) Alaska Highway, just north of the bridge  
**H** Summer: daily, 7 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Winter: daily, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-390-2607      **F** 867-390-2607  
**M** km 1347 Alaska Highway, YT, Y1A 9Z0

### Artist listings

#### 1. Pansy Allen *Traditional garment maker, beader*

Pansy is well known for her beautiful beadwork. She tans her own moosehide, uses furs she traps on her trapline and takes special orders for mukluks, moccasins, hats, mitts, gun cases and other items. Pansy was born and raised in the Johnsons Crossing/Brooks Brook area of the Teslin Tlingit Traditional Territory.

**L** Johnsons Crossing, approximately 30 km northeast of Teslin  
**H** Call ahead      **T** 867-390-2245  
**M** P.O. Box 31, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0



#### 2. Lena D. Moon *Traditional garment maker*

Lena was born and raised by her grandparents in the Teslin/Johnsons Crossing area. Taught by her grandmother to sew and tan moose skin, Lena makes a variety of products, including jackets, slippers, vests, mukluks and fur hats, with her own home-tanned moose or caribou hides. Custom orders welcome.

**L** Johnsons Crossing  
**H** Call ahead      **T** 867-390-2429  
**M** P.O. Box 203, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0  
**E** lgmoon@yknnet.ca



## Teslin

The community of Teslin is named for its most prominent physical feature, Teslin Lake. The word "Teslin" comes from the Tlingit word "teslin-too" meaning "long narrow lake." On calm summer evenings, the lake's surface is like a mirror reflecting the majesty of surrounding mountains — a photographer's dream. The village of Teslin, located at the north end of the Alaska Highway's longest bridge, is the jumping off point for excursions onto the lake. The Nisutlin Delta National Wildlife Refuge is the most important waterfowl migration stopover in the Yukon.

Teslin's original inhabitants were coastal Tlingit who migrated inland. When they established their thriving community, they established a Yukon carving tradition to match. Today, the talented hands of their descendants nurture this tradition, to the delight of art lovers around the world. The Tlingit Heritage Centre is an ideal place to view this carving tradition.

A free walking tour booklet is available at the George Johnston Museum. This self-guided tour offers a brief history of Teslin, with artist's sketches and descriptions of interesting historic structures.

*La localité porte le nom du lac en bordure duquel elle est située, lequel vient du mot tlingit teslin-too qui veut dire « long lac étroit ». Par une calme soirée d'été, le lac est comme un miroir dans lequel*

se reflètent les montagnes qui le ceignent – une vue à couper le souffle. C'est au village de Teslin, établi à l'extrémité nord du plus long pont construit le long de la route de l'Alaska, que commencent la plupart des excursions sur le lac. La Réserve faunique du delta de la rivière Nisutlin est la principale halte sur la route migratoire de la sauvagine au Yukon.

Les Tlingits, originaires de la côte, ont été les premiers à s'établir à Teslin. Ils y ont prospéré aussi bien au plan économique qu'artistique, et au fil des ans, se sont acquis une solide réputation pour la qualité de leur sculpture. Leurs descendants ont maintenu le flambeau jusqu'à ce jour, pour le plus grand plaisir des amateurs d'art de partout dans le monde, et leurs œuvres sont en montre au Centre culturel tlingit.

On peut se procurer au musée George-Johnston un exemplaire de la brochure Teslin à pied (bâtiments historiques), un petit guide touristique donnant un bref aperçu de l'histoire de la localité et de son patrimoine bâti illustré de dessins d'artistes locaux.

## Where to see art

### Dawson Peaks Museum

Explore the Yukon's history through a diverse collection of artifacts and artwork. The museum features artifacts from the Klondike Gold Rush era, such as antique stoves, tools and kerosene lamps. First Nations art and artifacts include snowshoes, ice-age artifacts, stretched beaver hides, Tlingit masks, and a variety of beaded artifacts from the Teslin area. Everyone is welcome.

**L** km 1232 (mile 770) Alaska Highway  
**H** May 15 to September 15: daily, 8 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
**T** 867-390-2244 or toll-free 866-402-2244  
**E** info@dawsonpeaks.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 80, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

### George Johnston Museum

View Yukon's largest collection of Tlingit artifacts on display and learn the inspirational story of George Johnston.

**L** km 1294 (mile 809) Alaska Highway  
**H** Mid-May to September 1: daily, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-390-2550 **E** gjmuseum@ykn.net.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 146, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0  
**W** www.gjmuseum.yk.net

### Tlingit Heritage Centre

The Tlingit Heritage Centre provides a venue for local artists and craftspeople to demonstrate their styles and abilities. At the entrance, five magnificent carved clan poles greet visitors. Each pole represents a clan of the Teslin Tlingit Council. Inside the centre, the gift shop showcases First Nations art and culture, with special emphasis on Tlingit and other Yukon First Nations products. Call or drop by or consult the centre's website.

**L** Fox Point, 3 km north of Teslin (watch for the signs)  
**H** Mid-May to end of August: daily, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-390-2526 or toll-free 866-854-6448  
**W** www.tlingit.ca

### Teslin Tlingit Council offices and Yukon College

Panels above the Teslin Tlingit Council offices and Yukon College depict the five clans of the Teslin Tlingit.

**L** South side of the Alaska Highway, approximately 2 km north of the Teslin Bridge

### Yukon Motel Wildlife Museum

Outside are life-size replicas of a moose and caribou by Chuck Buchanan of Carcross. Inside are wildlife photos by Alaskan Eherhard Brunnier and Canadian Terry Berezan, and wildlife paintings by Tom Mansanarez of Utah and Des McCaffrey of Grande Prairie, Alberta.

**L** North side of the Teslin Bridge, east side of Alaska Highway  
**H** Drop by **T** 867-390-2443

## Where to buy arts and crafts

### Dawson Peaks Resort and RV Park

Locally-crafted beadwork, moccasins, snowshoes, some carvings and moosehide work are for sale. These licensed fur traders also take custom orders for moccasins, gun scabbards, fur hats and more.

**L** km 1232 (mile 770) Alaska Highway  
**H** May 15 to September 15: daily, 8 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
**T** 867-390-2244 or toll-free 866-402-2244  
**E** info@dawsonpeaks.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 80, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

### George Johnston Museum

The museum sells locally-made crafts.

**L** km 1294 (mile 809) Alaska Highway  
**H** Mid-May to September 1: daily, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-390-2550  
**E** gjmuseum@hotmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 146, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0  
**W** www.gjmuseum.yk.net

### Totem Pole Crafts and Videos

Yukon crafts are available here.

**L** km 1286 (mile 804) Alaska Highway  
**T** 867-390-2752

## Artist listings

### 3. Sharron Anderson *Garment designer, home crafter*

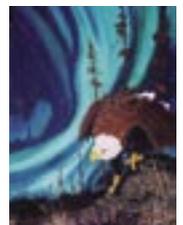
Sharron is well known for her sewing. She creates general and customized products such as clothes, household materials and various specialized items. Products can be viewed and purchased at the Totem Pole Craft Shop. Special orders are welcomed.

**L** Near Totem Pole Craft Shop  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2321  
**F** 867-390-2145  
**M** P.O. Box 235, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

### 4. Richard W. Beaulieu *Painter, mixed-media artist*

Richard is a self-taught artist best known for his wildlife paintings and "Belles of the Yukon." When in Watson Lake, visit the bowling alley to see his mural. Richard's work of Yukon history can be seen on the outside walls of the Belvedere Hotel in Watson Lake. Commissioned work on wildlife topics are welcomed.

**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2044  
**M** P.O. Box 12, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0



**5. Henri-Paul Belley** *Painter, carver*

Educated in Switzerland, Henri heard of the Yukon through the songs of Johnny Horton. Henri came here in 1971 and fell in love with the land and its people. He works with a combination of media. His sculptures are mostly made of antlers, bones and local wood.

- L** Red Wolf Computing, corner of Jackson Ave. and Smith St.
- H** Drop in 9 a.m. – 9 p.m. seven days a week. Call after business hours. Open all year including holidays.
- T** 867-390-2087 **F** 867-390-2088
- E** redwolf@northwestel.net



**6. Grace Dewhurst** *Traditional garment-maker*

Born and raised in Teslin, Grace produces clothing made from home-tanned moosehide. Grace has more than 60 years experience and she accepts special orders for moccasins, mukluks, gloves, mitts, vests, fur hats and gun cases.

- L** Smarchville, close to First Nation administration building
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2812
- M** P.O. Box 24, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**7. Tommy Alexander Dickson Jr.** *Carver*

Tommy works with ivory, abalone and wood. He makes all types of jewelry inlaid with copper, silver, abalone, brass, or gold. He also carves masks, spoons, paddles, miniature totem poles and knives.



- L** Call for location
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2114 or 867-390-2099
- M** P.O. Box 138, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**8. Margaret Douville** *Traditional garment-maker*

Margaret Douville is of Inland Tlingit ancestry. She has been working with leather, fur and beads for 38 years. She prepares her own moosehides and creates beautiful moccasins, mittens, mukluks, gun cases and one-of-a-kind jackets and vests.

- L** Alaska Highway, 1.6 km north of the Teslin Tlingit Council office
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2633
- M** P.O. Box 84, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0



**9. Rita Grant** *Garment-maker, traditional garment-maker*

Rita has been sewing clothing and traditional garments for a number of years. Born and raised in Teslin, she learned to sew at a young age and continues to do beadwork. Rita sews clothing, slippers, mukluks, homemade dolls and traditional regalia, including vests. Special orders are welcomed.

- L** Fox Point subdivision, 3 km northwest of Teslin on the Alaska Highway
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2256
- M** P.O. Box 235, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**10. Marian Horne** *Sculptor, woodworker, home crafter*



Marian attended the Banff School of Fine Art and has been producing artwork for more than 40 years. She sculpts, makes raku pottery, does wood carving, paints, sketches portraits, makes jewelry and sews clothing.

- L** Sawmill Road
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2011
- M** P.O. Box 232, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**11. Barb Hyatt** *Painter, home crafter*

Barb paints flowers and various designs on many surfaces, including wood and glassware. She also creates centrepieces for every occasion.

- L** Teslin Cottage Lot 15, 8 km northeast of Teslin
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2992
- M** P.O. Box 201, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0



**12. Ken Hyatt Sr.** *Jeweller, garment-maker*

Ken makes jewelry out of moose antlers, knits hats, gloves, slippers and baby blankets and even makes stuffed animals out of wool.



- L** Teslin Cottage Lot 15, 8 km northeast of Teslin
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2992
- M** P.O. Box 201, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**13. Andy Jackson** *Carver*

Andy is of Inland Tlingit descent. He carves miniature northern animals such as moose, sheep, caribou and bears out of poplar trees and miniature totem poles out of cottonwood.

- L** Teslin village
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2229 (leave message)
- M** P.O. Box 103, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**14. George Jackson** *Carver*

George carves items such as cribbage boards out of moosehorn with dog teams engraved on them. Products can be viewed and purchased at the Teslin Tlingit Heritage Centre.

- L** Teslin village
- T** 867-390-2229 **H** Call ahead
- M** P.O. Box 103, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0



**15. Keni Jackson** *Carver*



Keni uses traditional Tlingit style carving and paints masks, totems and paddles using birch, cottonwood, spruce and cedar. Keni is also known for his wood burning.

- L** Teslin village
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-390-2229 (leave message)
- M** P.O. Box 103, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**16. Madeleine Jackson** *Traditional garment-maker*

Born and raised in Teslin, Madeleine tans her own moosehide and creates traditional garments. She welcomes special orders for items such as moccasins, mukluks, fur hats, gloves, mitts and vests.

**L** Teslin village  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2074  
**M** P.O. Box 118, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**17. Rosemary Jackson** *Traditional garment-maker, home crafter*

Rosemary is of Inland Tlingit descent. Using traditional style Tlingit beadwork, she produces moccasins, vests, jewelry, key chains, lighter cases and hair clips. Items can be viewed and purchased at the Teslin Tlingit Heritage Centre. Special orders are welcomed.

**L** Teslin village  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2229 (leave message)  
**M** P.O. Box 11, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**18. Lori Joe** *Traditional garment-maker*

Lori is of Inland Tlingit descent. She creates beautiful beadwork and sews moccasins, mukluks, key chains, cigarette lighter cases, wallets and medicine bags. She has many years of experience and welcomes special orders.

**L** Teslin village  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2306  
**M** P.O. Box 46, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**19. Aggie Johnston** *Traditional garment-maker*

Aggie creates beautiful beadwork on traditional garments made from her own home-tanned moosehide. She takes orders for fur hats, vests, jackets, gun cases, mukluks and moccasins. Her products can be viewed and purchased at the Teslin Tlingit Heritage Centre.



**L** Teslin village  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2224  
**M** P.O. Box 74, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**20. Peter Johnston** *Carver, illustrator, photographer*

Peter is an Inland Tlingit and was raised in Teslin. Since he was young, he has been interested in developing artwork of various media. Peter comes from a long lineage of artisans, including his great-uncle, the late George Johnston, Tlingit photographer.



**L** Across from Village of Teslin office on Tlingit Street  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2433  
**M** P.O. Box 66, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**21. Sam Johnston** *Drum-maker, jeweller*

Sam was born and raised in Teslin and has been making drums and dog sleds for more than 40 years. Sam has expanded his craftsmanship into making belt buckles from moose antlers and hoofs and has discovered a passion for archery. He makes his own arrows and archery gear.

**L** The corner of Johnston Avenue and Nisutlin Drive, near RCMP station  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2569  
**M** P.O. Box 139, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**22. Clara Jules** *Traditional garment-maker*

Clara produces custom-made fur hats using beaver, lynx, coyote and rabbit fur. She also creates vests, jackets, moccasins, mukluks and mitts out of home-tanned moosehide. Her work can be viewed and purchased at the Teslin Tlingit Heritage Centre. Special orders are also welcomed.



**L** Smarchville, close to First Nation administration building  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2678

**23. Jim Kirk** *Carver*

Jim is of Tahltan ancestry and is currently living in Teslin. Inspired by Tlingit carvers, Jim has been carving and painting masks for more than six years.

**L** 3 km northwest of Teslin on the Alaska Highway  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2836  
**M** P.O. Box 179, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**24. Jan Kremer** *Painter*

Using primarily acrylic paints, Jan creates beautiful artwork on various surfaces, including wood, glass and ceramic. Products such as hand-painted clocks, moose-antler spoons and magnets and various other items can be viewed at Mukluk Annie's Salmon Bake.

**L** 16 km northwest of Teslin on the Alaska Highway, Mukluk Annie's Salmon Bake  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2600  
**M** P.O. Box 101, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**25. Harry Morris** *Drum-maker*

Harry makes drums, teaches traditional methods of drum-making for ceremonial use and shares his knowledge of the Tlingit clan system. Harry works out of the Teslin Tlingit Heritage Centre; check with centre staff for his schedule.



**L** Fox Point subdivision, 3 km north of Teslin  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2526  
**M** P.O. Box 50, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**26. Brenda and Richard Oziewicz** *Home crafters (soap-makers)***The Essential Soap Bar Co.**

Brenda, a librarian and Richard, a carpenter, found that making their fresh, all-natural vegetable-based soap and oil fit perfectly with their Yukon lifestyle. They live on the edge of Teslin, overlooking Teslin Lake.

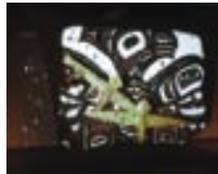
Their soap and oil are free of chemicals and preservatives. Brenda and Richard grow or harvest many of the botanicals used in their soap in the valleys and mountains around their scenic home.

**L** Teslin Cottage Lot 19, 8 km west of Teslin on the Alaska Hwy  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-390-2319  
**E** esoapbar@northwestel.net **W** www.esoapbar.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 175, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**27. Doug Smarch Jr.***Mixed-media artist*

Doug reproduces older forms of arts and crafts in his beaver-foot tobacco bags, feather dance sticks, eagle down hats and game bags. He is also a sculptor and carver. His work can be seen at the George Johnston Museum.

**L** Near the Teslin Tlingit Council office  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2559 **F** 867-390-2204  
**M** P.O. Box 54, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**28. Doug Smarch Sr.***Woodworker*

Doug has more than 20 years experience and is known for his handcrafted Teslin Tlingit style snowshoes. He uses birch wood for the frames and caribou and moose babiche for the filling. Custom orders are welcomed.



**L** Smarchville, close to First Nation administration building  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2559  
**M** P.O. Box 54, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**29. Florence Smarch***Traditional garment-maker*

Florence is of Inland Tlingit ancestry and was born and raised in Teslin. From a young age, she learned how to tan moosehide and sew clothing, including moccasins, mukluks, vests, jackets, gun cases, gloves and mitts. Florence has more than 70 years experience and welcomes custom orders.

**L** Teslin village  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-390-2825  
**M** P.O. Box 99, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**30. Jane Smarch***Traditional garment-maker*

Jane has been tanning moosehide and making traditional garments for many years. She creates moccasins, mukluks, fur hats, vests, mitts and other garments out of home-tanned moosehide. Special orders are welcomed.

**L** Smarchville, close to First Nation administration building  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2559  
**M** P.O. Box 54, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**31. Keith Wolfe Smarch***Carver, sculptor, garment designer*

Keith is a full-time carver who works in the Tlingit style. He carves panels, masks, dance screens and totem poles and designs regalia. One of his large panels, *Raven Stuck in the Smoke Hole*, was part of *Traditions of Change*, an exhibition of contemporary First Nations art in Zurich, Switzerland.



**L** Fox Point subdivision, approximately 5.6 km north of Teslin  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2064 **F** 867-390-2064  
**E** keithsmarch@yahoo.com  
**M** P.O. Box 19, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**32. Marge Smith***Traditional garment-maker*

Marge was born and raised in Teslin and is of Inland Tlingit ancestry. She has more than 60 years experience creating traditional garments including moccasins, mukluks, gun cases, vests and fur hats. Special orders are welcomed.

**L** Near Totem Pole crafts and videos  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2516  
**M** P.O. Box 96, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**33. Steven Smith***Painter, beader*

Steven is of Inland Tlingit ancestry and has been creating products for a number of years. He makes dreamcatchers and paints on various surfaces, including wood and moose antler. His work can be viewed and purchased at the Teslin Tlingit Heritage Centre.



**L** Fox Point Subdivision, 3 km northwest of Teslin on the Alaska Highway  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-390-2181

**34. Pauline Sydney***Traditional garment-maker*

Pauline, of Inland Tlingit ancestry, was born and raised in Teslin. She does beautiful beadwork and sews change purses, moccasins, mukluks, mitts, baby booties, and fur hats using moosehide and beaver fur. Items can be purchased at the Teslin Tlingit Heritage Centre. Special orders are welcomed.

**L** Smarchville, near First Nation Administration Building  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2532 (leave message)  
**M** P.O. Box 210, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**35. William Sydney***Traditional garment-maker*

William creates traditional Tlingit style fur hats and mitts using home-tanned moosehide and beaver fur. He was taught from a young age to tan moosehide and to sew traditional garments. William accepts custom orders.

**L** Teslin village  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2306  
**M** P.O. Box 46, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**36. Jean Taylor***Painter*

Jean has been interested in art for as long as she can remember. In 2001, she began studying pencil sketching, watercolor, acrylic, charcoal, pastel and oils with various mentors, both one-on-one and in short courses. Jean's favourite subjects are her grandsons and the scenery near her home town.

**L** Teslin  
**H** call ahead  
**T** 867-360-2514 or 780-814-3441  
**E** jelota1@yahoo.com  
**M** Box 207 Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0  
**W** www.jtaylorfineart.com

**37. Dorothy Tom***Traditional garment-maker*

Dorothy has been producing traditional garments for over 60 years. She still tans her own moosehide and produces items such as



moccasins and mukluks in various styles and sizes, traditional vests, fur hats, gun cases, gloves, mitts and homemade dolls. Dorothy also produces knitted garments. Special orders are welcomed.

**L** Tlingit Drive  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-390-2229  
**M** P.O. Box 117, Teslin, YT, Y0A 1B0

**Watson Lake**

The Gateway to the Yukon, the friendly town of Watson Lake welcomes visitors travelling north on the Alaska or Stewart-Cassiar highways or bids them farewell as they head south. An expansive boreal forest and a network of lakes and rivers surround the town. In winter, Watson Lake enjoys exceptional winter viewing of the aurora borealis — magically recreated year-round inside a state-of-the-art theatre at the community's Northern Lights Space and Science Centre.

With its famous Sign Post Forest, Watson Lake offers an intriguing start or a quirky finish to a Yukon art adventure. Whether organic sculpture or homesickness run amok, this collection of more than 50,000 signs — started in 1942 by a lonely U.S. soldier who wanted to commemorate his distant hometown — is a sight to remember.

A free walking tour booklet is available. This self-guided tour offers a brief history of Watson Lake, with artists' sketches and descriptions of interesting local historic structures. Ask for a copy at the Northern Lights Centre or the visitor information centre.

*Sise au milieu d'une riche forêt boréale qu'abreuve un vaste réseau de lacs et de rivières, la localité de Watson Lake est la porte d'entrée du Yukon. C'est à ses habitants que revient le plaisir de souhaiter la bienvenue aux visiteurs venus du Sud par la route de l'Alaska ou la route Stewart-Cassiar, et de dire au revoir à ceux qui font le chemin inverse. En hiver, Watson Lake est une destination de prédilection pour les amateurs d'aurores boréales; mais ceux qui ne peuvent y être à cette saison n'ont pas lieu de se désoler, car le Centre Northern Lights, un planétarium nec plus ultra, en a capturé la beauté et donne ces ballets célestes en représentation l'année durant.*

*Watson Lake est en outre réputée pour sa forêt de poteaux indicateurs, un ensemble intrigant tout à fait à propos pour entreprendre ou clore une aventure dans le monde des arts yukonnais. Sculpture*

*« vivante » ou manifestation d'un mal du pays particulièrement aigu, ces quelque 50 000 signes – dont le premier fut planté en 1942 par un soldat de l'armée américaine dans un moment de nostalgie –, forment un assemblage dont on se souvient longtemps.*

*On peut se procurer au Centre Northern Lights ou au Centre d'information touristique un exemplaire de la brochure Watson Lake à pied, petit guide touristique donnant un bref aperçu de l'histoire de la localité et de son patrimoine bâti illustré de dessins d'artistes locaux.*

**Visitor information centre**

**L** Behind the Sign Post Forest  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-536-7469

**Where to buy arts and crafts****Blue Moose Crafts and Souvenirs**

Operated by artist Debbie Flanagan, the shop carries handmade Yukon crafts and clothing.

**L** On the boardwalk behind the Sign Post Forest  
**H** Daily: 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-536-2944 **F** 867-536-2944  
**E** flanagan@yknnet.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 431, Watson Lake, YT, Y0A 1C0

**Artist listings****38. Mary Caesar***Painter, traditional garment-maker, beader*

Mary designs her own beaded patterns on her home-tanned slippers, vests, mitts, jackets and dresses. She teaches at the Watson Lake high school and provides private beading instruction (price available on request). She also takes orders for her traditional garments. Mary also paints traditional and contemporary native art and draws in pencil, charcoal and oil pastels. In 2005, Mary participated in a contemporary First Nations art exhibition in Zurich, Switzerland.

**H** Call ahead **T** 867-536-7882  
**E** maryminniecaesar@netscape.net  
**M** P.O. Box 594, Watson Lake, YT, Y0A 1C0

**39. Roger Latondress***Carver*

Roger was inspired at an early age by stories his mother told about his grandfather making toys for the family. He invites you to see his masterpiece, a 159-kg carved door at the Northern Beaver Post.

**L** km 1003 Alaska Highway, 20 minutes west of Watson Lake at Nugget City  
**H** June 1 to Nov. 15: daily, 7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.  
 Work displayed at Northern Beaver Post  
**H** June 1 to October 31: daily, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
**T** 867-536-2307 **F** 867-536-7667  
**E** roger@nuggetcity.com **W** www.nuggetcity.com  
**M** P.O. Box 850, Watson Lake, YT, Y0A 1C0

**40. Dennis Dixon Lutz***Painter*

**H** Drop in  
**T** 867-536-7248, leave a message  
**M** P.O. Box 523, Watson Lake, YT, Y0A 1C0

## Annie Lake Road, Carcross, Crag Lake, Tagish, Marsh Lake and Atlin (B.C.)

For centuries, the interconnected waterways and mountain passes of the Southern Lakes region formed important trading routes for the Tlingit and Tagish First Nations. The route through one of these passes, the Chilkoot Trail, eventually gained worldwide notoriety as the gateway to the Klondike gold fields. The region's historic trails and natural features, including the world's smallest desert, are now inviting playgrounds for hikers, cyclists, canoeists, kayakers and other nature lovers.

This landscape of stunning beauty and legend offers no shortage of inspiration for visual artists. Some of the Yukon's most creative people make their homes in the region's idyllic lakefront communities, while others perfect their crafts in rural settlements located along breathtaking valley roads that wind from one secluded retreat to the next.

*Les cols des montagnes de la région des lacs du Sud et le chapelet de cours d'eau qui a donné son nom à la région ont pendant des siècles servi au commerce entre les Tlingit et les Tagish. Une des pistes tracées par les premières nations pour franchir un de ces cols, soit la piste Chilkoot, est passée dans l'histoire pour avoir donné aux hordes montées à l'assaut du Klondike durant la ruée vers l'or accès à ses champs aurifères. De nos jours, la région, avec sa myriade de sentiers historiques et autres attractions géographiques, dont le plus petit désert au monde, est toujours aussi populaire, mais les chercheurs d'or ont cédé la place aux randonneurs, cyclistes, canoéistes, kayakeurs et autres amateurs de la nature.*

*Le paysage environnant, d'une beauté exceptionnelle, a inspiré non seulement moult légendes mais aussi quantité d'artistes, d'hier et d'aujourd'hui. Bon nombre d'artistes visuels parmi les plus prolifiques du Yukon ont élu domicile dans le secteur, que ce soit dans les petites communautés paisibles établies en bordure des lacs de la région ou dans celles non moins paisibles accrochées au flanc des vallons que relie entre eux un lacs de petits chemins isolés qui vous fera franchir des lieux d'une beauté saisissante.*

### Annual events

#### Atlin Quilt Show

**D** July 6 – 8, 2007

**H** 1 – 5 p.m.

**L** Atlin Library in Courthouse, 2nd Avenue

**T** 250-651-0007 **F** 250-651-0007

**M** P.O. Box 59, Atlin, B.C. V0W 1A0

## Annie Lake Road

The Annie Lake Road meets the South Klondike Highway near the historic Robinson Roadhouse. Winding up the beautiful Wheaton River Valley, the Annie Lake Road area is situated halfway between Whitehorse and Carcross in the heart of the coastal mountains. Old mining roads in the surrounding mountains offer visitors many opportunities for hiking and viewing this magnificent region.

Annie Lake Road is home to many Yukon artists who choose a rural lifestyle, some of whom offer arts and crafts workshops.

*La communauté d'Annie Lake s'étend le long du chemin qui porte le même nom, qu'on emprunte à partir de la route du Klondike Sud,*

*près du site historique de l'ancien relais Robinson. Sillonnant la vallée de la rivière Wheaton, le chemin du lac Annie se trouve à mi-chemin entre Whitehorse et Carcross, en plein cœur de la chaîne côtière. Traversée par de nombreux chemins d'exploitation désaffectés, la région offre aux randonneurs et autres amateurs de la nature plusieurs endroits d'où admirer la beauté du paysage environnant.*

*Plusieurs artistes, préférant le mode de vie rural à celui de la ville, se sont établis le long du chemin du lac Annie. Certains d'entre eux animent à l'occasion des ateliers de création artistique ou artisanale.*

### Artist listings

#### 41. Shiela Alexandrovich

*Jeweller, basket-maker*

The land and seasons inspire Shiela to create one-of-a-kind contemporary baskets from locally gathered materials. She also produces jewelry made from trade beads, bone and stone. One-day private workshops are available on many weaving and beadwork techniques. Shiela's work is usually available for sale at the Cranberry Fair in Whitehorse.



*Bijoutière, vannière*

*Shiela s'inspire de la nature et des saisons afin de créer des corbeilles uniques à partir de matériaux locaux. Elle confectionne également des bijoux à partir de perles de troc, d'ossements et de pierres. Des cours privés d'un jour sont offerts à quiconque désire apprendre diverses techniques de tissage et de perlage. On peut habituellement se procurer les œuvres de Shiela au salon des arts Cranberry Fair à Whitehorse.*

**L** Wheaton River Workshops, km 22 Annie Lake Road

**H** Call ahead/sur rendez-vous **T** 867-668-5964

**E** shielaalexandrovich@hotmail.com or info@wheatonriver.net

**M** P.O. Box 10011, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1

#### 42. Susan Baker

*Fashion designer*

##### **Making Tracks**

Susan designs with high-quality fleece. She carries a large selection of headgear, colourful socks, cozy mitts, scarves, baby wear and gifts. Her clothing is designed for Yukon winters and family-tested for comfort and durability. She has something for everyone.

**L** km 7.8 Annie Lake Road

**H** Call ahead

**T** 867-393-2113 or 393-1913 **F** 867-393-1909

**M** Box 10385, Whitehorse, Y.T. Y1A 7A1

## Carcross

Carcross — a shortened version of “Caribou Crossing” — was at the crossroads of First Nations game and trading trails. The traditional home of the Tagish and Inland Tlingit people, Carcross enjoys a mix of many cultures today. The oldest operating store in the Yukon, the Matthew Watson General Store, is located here, along with Skookum Jim's cabin and many other interesting buildings. Just outside of town, you can experience the Carcross Desert, Montana Mountain and Lake Bennett. An area rich in history and natural beauty, Carcross and surrounding area offer something for all visitors.

A free self-guided walking tour booklet gives a brief history of Carcross, with artists' sketches and descriptions of interesting local historic structures. Ask for a copy at Koolseen Place or at the visitor information centre.

Carcross – amalgame de « Caribou Crossing » – est établi au carrefour d'anciennes pistes de chasse et de commerce autochtones. À l'origine peuplée essentiellement de Tagish et de Tlingits de l'intérieur, la collectivité s'est depuis enrichie de l'apport de diverses communautés culturelles. Le plus ancien établissement commercial du Yukon, le magasin général Matthew Watson, a son enseigne sur la rue principale de Carcross, non loin de la cabane de Skookum Jim et de nombreux autres bâtiments d'intérêt historique. Une région aussi riche au plan historique que naturel – le plus petit désert du monde, le mont Montana, et le lac Bennett sont à quelques kilomètres seulement –, Carcross et les environs ont de quoi plaire à tous.

On peut se procurer au centre Koolseen (situé dans l'entrepôt derrière l'ancienne gare) un exemplaire de la brochure Carcross à pied (bâtiments historiques), petit guide touristique donnant un bref aperçu de l'histoire de la localité et de son patrimoine bâti illustré de dessins d'artistes locaux.

### Visitor information centre

**L** Train station  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 8 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
**T** 867-821-4431

### Where to see art

#### Carcross Community Centre

The exterior of the Carcross Community Centre features a mural painted in 1987 by Nathalie Parenteau (#113) depicting fantasy-like scenes of seasonal activities that take place in the Carcross area.

**L** Two blocks north of the visitor information centre

#### Isabelle Pringle Library

The library has an archival display of photos from the Klondike Gold Rush. Photos document the journeys of gold seekers over the Chilkoot Pass, as well as First Nations trading activity in the area. The library also has one of the Yukon Archives travelling displays.

**L** One block north of the visitor information centre, across from the Catholic Church  
**H** Monday to Thurs., noon – 4:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 5:30 – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-821-3801

### Where to buy arts and crafts

#### The Barracks Gallery and Gifts

More than 50 Yukon artists show their creations in what was once the Carcross RCMP Barracks. You'll find gold nuggets, mammoth ivory, bead jewelry, carvings, prints, posters, fabric art and a large selection of Yukon First Nations arts and crafts.

**L** Corner of Tagish Avenue and 2nd Street, one block from visitor information centre  
**H** May to September: daily, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-821-4372 **F** 867-393-2437  
**M** P.O. Box 117, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0  
**E** barracks@klondiker.com

#### Caribou Crossing Trading Post

Wildlife displays and an exclusive gift shop with locally-created treasures are featured here.

**L** 3.2 km north of Carcross on east side of South Klondike Hwy  
**H** May 20 to September 15: daily, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-821-4055 **F** 867-821-4055  
**E** marilyn@cariboucrossing.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 195, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0  
**W** www.cariboucrossing.ca

#### Koolseen Place

Koolseen Place features First Nations history, local artists making and selling their wares and a view scope to look for caribou. Sit down, relax and try traditional fry bread or home cooking from the kitchen.

**L** Warehouse behind the visitor information centre  
**H** May to September: daily, 8 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
**T** 867-821-3216 **F** 867-821-4812  
**E** kathygillies@hotmail.com  
**M** Carcross Tagish Development Corporation  
 P.O. Box 118, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0

#### Spirit Lake Wilderness Resort

A large selection of oil originals is on display in the restaurant and art prints are for sale. We specialize in outdoor watercolour workshops. On-demand weekend art workshops are available for groups of 1-6 people and two seven-day art workshops are scheduled for fall 2007. We go out into nature and find inspiration.

**L** km 115 (mile 72) South Klondike Highway  
**H** May to September 9am to 7pm daily  
**T** 867-821-4337 or 866-739-8566 (toll free)  
**E** info@spiritlakeyukon.com  
**M** P.O. Box 155, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0  
**W** www.exploreyukon.com

#### Matthew Watson General Store

This is the oldest operating store in the Yukon and it carries First Nations crafts and clothing.

**L** Across from the visitor information centre  
**H** May 15 to September 15: daily, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.

### Artist listings

#### 43. Herbert Arnold

Carver

##### Howling Wolf Photography and Arts

Herbert invites visitors to come and see his three-dimensional carvings of northern wildlife for themselves. He uses only Yukon-grown pine because the closeness of the year-rings in this wood allows him to work with the grain.

**L** km 4.5 Carcross Road  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-668-3033  
**E** ruefa92@northwestel.net  
**M** P.O. Box 10346, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1



**44. Winnie Atlin***Traditional garment-maker, beader*

Born of Tlingit ancestry, Winnie has been making traditional garments, slippers, mitts, purses, dolls and much more for many years. You can visit her at Koolseen Place behind the visitor information centre in the summer, or call to meet with her in the winter months.

**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-821-4618  
**M** P.O. Box 12, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0

**45. Andy Beaver***Beader*

Andy is an elder of the Iroquois Nation currently living in Carcross. His beadwork can be seen in the Koolseen Place behind the visitor information centre during the summer months, or you may call ahead for an appointment.

**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-821-2964

**46. Philomena Carroll***Mixed-media artist, illustrator*

Philomena is a mixed-media artist and illustrator. She works with acrylic/oil paint, chalk pastels, solar plate etching and photography. Currently she is working on digital collage prints and large-format Giclée prints. Philomena also uses computer software to create original design imagery.



**L** 23 Spirit Lake Dr., Watson River subdivision (north of Carcross)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-821-6000  
**E** pcarroll@yknet.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 100, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0

**47. Greg Kehoe***Goldsmith*

Greg, a lifelong Yukoner, has experimented with numerous forms of art creation. For the last 16 years he has specialized in jewelry, using natural gold nuggets, silver and mammoth ivory. His workshop is located beside the Barracks Gallery in Carcross.

**H** May to Sept: daily, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.,  
 Barracks Gallery and Gifts, Carcross;  
 in winter call ahead: 867-393-2436  
**T** 867-821-4372 **F** 867-393-2437  
**E** maui@klondiker.com  
**M** P.O. Box 117, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0

**48. Tanya Kennedy***Goldsmith, jeweller***Motherlode Jewelry**

Tanya Kennedy was an electrician and electrical contractor for 15 years — until the summer she discovered the joys of making gold nugget jewelry. She is now a full-time jeweller, designing and manufacturing gold and silver rings, necklaces, etc., using Yukon gold nuggets, precious and semi-precious stones and beads. Tanya produces jewelry for retail and wholesale customers.

**L** Koolseen Place, Carcross, and 110A Lambert St., Whitehorse  
**H** May to Sept. (Carcross): Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.;  
 Nov. and Dec. (Whitehorse): Tues. to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-633-3316 **F** 867-633-3316  
**E** motherlode@klondiker.com  
**M** 42 Liard Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3L4

**49. Skoehoeteen Matthies***Beader, garment maker*

Skoehoeteen works with felt, stroud, beads, and leather. She makes slippers, mitts, vests, beaded jewelry and beaded works of art. She also does some weaving. Skoehoeteen is of Tlingit ancestry and was born and raised in the Yukon.

**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-821-4004  
**E** skoehoeteen@gmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 38, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0

**50. Daphne Mennell***Mixed-media artist, painter, fibre artist*

Daphne is a mixed-media artist who works with silk, soapstone, all types of paints (oils, acrylic, watercolour) and a variety of other materials. At her studio, you will be able to see work in progress and choose from a selection of original works of art for purchase.

**L** Lewis Lake Road, 29 km south of Whitehorse on the South Klondike Highway, first property on the left  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-668-1047  
**E** dmennell@canoemail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 10002, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1

**51. Lee Mennell***Painter, printmaker, illustrator*

Lee's work spans a field of expression from pure abstraction through symbolism to an intense natural realism. For colour, he works in oils on gessoed panels; for black and white, he works in pencil, pen and ink, etching and lithography. Lee also works as a natural science illustrator.

**L** Lewis Lake Road, 29 km south of Whitehorse on the South Klondike Highway, first property on the left  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-668-1047  
**E** dmennell@canoemail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 10002, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1

**52. Helen O'Connor***Painter*

Helen has lived in the rural hamlet of Mount Lorne for more than ten years, raising her family, painting and teaching art in the schools and the community. Her paintings reflect the natural world that she sees and feels in the landscapes of the Yukon and in the bush surrounding her home. She enjoys working in watercolour, a challenging, beautiful and portable medium.



**L** Lot 9 Robinson subdivision at km 14.4, South Klondike Highway (turn south into subdivision and look for green sign)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-8431  
**M** RR #1, P.O. Box 10427, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1

**53. Roel van den Hoorn***Painter*

Roel was born and raised in the Netherlands and attended the Academy of Fine Arts in Nunspeet. He moved to the Yukon in 1995, where he fell in love with its diverse natural beauty. He has an impressionistic style and specializes in watercolour and oil.

- L** Spirit Lake Wilderness Resort  
km 115/mile 72 South Klondike Highway  
**H** Drop in May to September  
**T** 867-821-4337 or toll-free 866-739-8566  
**E** info@spiritlakeyukon.com  
**M** P.O. Box 155, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0  
**W** www.exploreyukon.com

**Crag Lake**

A not-so-well-kept secret among Yukoners and Yukon artists, Crag Lake is an idyllic lakeside community for both summer and year-round residents. Located just one hour south of Whitehorse and a few minutes north of Carcross, Crag Lake offers the kind of accessible remoteness artists come to for inspiration. Renowned Yukon artist Ted Harrison donated his log cabin and property on Crag Lake to the Ted Harrison Artists' Retreat Society for Yukon and Canadian visual artists to work and share perspectives. Watch for artist-in-residence workshops, lectures, exhibitions and studio visits.

*Le charme de Crag Lake, une petite communauté en bordure du lac du même nom, n'est plus un secret pour personne, surtout pas dans le monde artistique yukonnais. Qu'ils n'y passent que l'été ou y vivent à longueur d'année, les artistes trouvent dans ce lieu tout le calme dont ils ont besoin pour travailler, mais à seulement une heure de route au sud de Whitehorse et à quelques minutes de Carcross, vers le nord.*

*L'artiste de renom Ted Harrison a fait don de son chalet et de sa propriété donnant sur le lac à la Ted Harrison Artists' Retreat Society afin que l'endroit serve aux artistes visuels du Yukon et du Canada de lieu de création et d'échange. On y organise fréquemment des ateliers animés par des artistes en résidence, des conférences, des expositions et des visites de studios; surveiller les annonces pour les horaires.*

**Artist listings****54. Jeanine Baker***Glass artist***Snowdrift Designs**

Jeanine's focus is on original stained glass designs and commissions. She incorporates metalwork and/or woodwork that will, for example, help frame a piece, form a stand or easel, or be built into a door, cabinet front or privacy screen.

- L** Lot 20, Crag Lake subdivision  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-821-5050  
**F** 867-821-6040  
**E** snowdrift@northwestel.net.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 32, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0

**55. Robertson Bales***Photographer*

Stark and textured black and white landscape photos of the Yukon are Rob's particular obsession, although he is also known for his international development work reaching from Vietnam to Ecuador.



- L** Lot 15, Crag Lake subdivision  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-821-3492  
**E** rob@robertsonbales.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 169, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0  
**W** www.robertsonbales.ca

**56. Gail Wilson***Folk artist***Wolf Willow Cottage**

Near the shores of Crag Lake rests a quaint stack log cabin lovingly hand-hewn by the artist and her family. It is filled with unique hand-made wooden treasures inspired by the artist's simple Yukon lifestyle and the incredible beauty of her surroundings. It's a gift shopper's heaven! Take home a special piece of the Yukon. Parking is located just above the cottage on the Crag Lake pull-off.



- L** Lot 16, Crag Lake subdivision  
**H** Mid-June to September; mid-November to Christmas:  
weekends 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. or by appointment  
**T** 867-821-3295 **M** P.O. Box 159, Carcross, YT, Y0B 1B0

**Tagish**

The tiny community of Tagish is situated on the Six-Mile River, which links Marsh and Tagish lakes. Tagish means "fish trap" in the Tagish language, and is also the name of the First Nations people who lived there. Three Tagish people, Skookum Jim (Keish), Kate Carmack (Shaaw Tláa) and Dawson Charlie (Káa Goox), were involved in the Bonanza Creek gold discovery of 1896 that sparked the Klondike Gold Rush.

Tagish is a popular summer recreation spot. Locals congregate for excellent trout fishing on the waterways. Geared to water activities and camping, Tagish offers basic services including lakefront cabins, fishing guides, equipment rentals, a marina and full service station.

The Tagish Group of Northern Artists work in their individual studios to create original art using various media, but all with a common theme: the beauty of the north. Shows of their combined works will be on display at various locations during the year. Watch for dates and venues in local newspapers.

*La petite collectivité de Tagish est située en bordure de la rivière Six-Mile, qui relie les lacs Marsh et Tagish. Elle tire son nom du mot tagish qui veut dire « piège à poissons », qui est aussi le nom du premier peuple à s'y être établi. Trois personnes de la région de Tagish, Skookum Jim (Keish), Kate Carmack (Shaaw Tláa) et Dawson Charlie (Káa Goox), ont laissé leur nom dans l'histoire pour leur rôle dans la découverte de l'or au ruisseau Bonanza en 1896 qui a déclenché la ruée vers l'or du Klondike.*

*Tagish est un lieu prisé des vacanciers l'été, notamment des pêcheurs qui y viennent nombreux taquiner le touladi. L'endroit est reconnu pour le camping et les activités aquatiques et on y trouve la plupart des services de base, dont une station-service, une marina, et des entreprises de location d'équipement, de cabines et de services de guide.*

*Le Tagish Group of Northern Artists, un collectif d'artistes de la région poursuivant chacun sa propre démarche artistique et exploration de techniques diverses mais aspirant tous à rendre un seul et même thème, soit la beauté du Nord, organise plusieurs expositions collectives de leurs œuvres au cours de l'année. Les dates et lieux d'exposition sont généralement annoncés dans les journaux.*

## Artist listings

### 57. Horst Berlow

Painter

Horst is a long-time Yukon resident who lives on Tagish Lake. His love for nature is expressed in his watercolours, which are on display at Arts Underground and Yukon Gallery in Whitehorse.



- L** Tagish Lake, 40.2 km south of Tagish Bridge on the east side
- H** Daily: 7 – 8 p.m.
- E** pipp44@yahoo.com
- M** P.O. Box 82, Tagish, YT, Y0B 1T0

### 58. Larry Durand

Knife-maker

#### Larry's Custom Knives

Larry makes custom knives with handmade blades, handles and sheaths. Handles are made of natural wood, horn, bone, or synthetic materials. Each knife has a serial number. Blades are heat-treated and dipped in liquid nitrogen to hold their edges.

- L** Lot 197 Taku subdivision
- H** Daily: afternoons
- T** 867-399-3334
- M** P.O. Box 55, Tagish, YT, Y0B 1T0



### 59. Alice Park-Spurr

Painter



Alice is an abstract and semi abstract painter in oil and watercolour. From her remote studio, located on Tagish Lake and surrounded by mountains, Alice creates visual poetry marked with colour and images. Her paintings are

expressions of memories and dreams derived from rugged and tender wilderness.

- L** Call for location
- H** Call ahead: 9 – 10 a.m. and 8 – 9 p.m.
- T** 867-333-1982
- M** P.O. Box 64, Tagish, YT, Y0B 1T0

### 60. Charles Turner

Woodworker/carver

Charles specializes in sculpting replicas of chinook, coho, sockeye and pink salmon in the ocean and spawning phases of their life cycle. His product line also includes dolphin and humpback whales. Products are individually sculpted from local spruce and western hemlock and are designed to be wall mounted.

- L** Lot 1048, Tagish Estates Road
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-399-3768 **F** 867-399-3768
- E** charles@yt.sympatico.ca
- M** P.O. Box 10, Tagish, YT, Y0B 1T0



### 61. Roger Ulasovetz

Painter

Roger started painting with oils when he was 13. After many years painting in northern Canada, he now resides and paints in his home studio/gallery near Tagish Lake and on location in the Yukon. Roger paints mainly in oils but also uses watercolours, acrylics, soft pastels, graphite and charcoal.



- L** 27 Pine Lane, Taku subdivision
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-399-3456
- E** rogeru@northwestel.net
- W** ulasovetz.com
- M** P.O. Box 151, Tagish, YT, Y0B 1T0

## Marsh Lake

Located 30 minutes southeast of Whitehorse, the rural cottage community of Marsh Lake is a popular weekend destination for city escapees and visitors alike. Homes line the long and sandy lakeshore, and on summer days boats and kayaks can be seen plying the waters, while on dry land visitors hike, bike and bird-watch. Swan Haven, located at the north end of the lake, provides spectacular spring and fall viewing opportunities during the annual waterfowl migration.

A number of Yukon businesses are based in the Marsh Lake area, including numerous artists. With its meandering drives and pleasant diversions, this is an inviting place to explore for a day or more.

*Établie à une trentaine de minutes de route au sud-est de Whitehorse, la petite collectivité urbaine de Marsh Lake est une destination populaire aussi bien auprès des touristes que des citadins désireux de fuir la ville le week-end venu. Par une belle journée d'été, les eaux du lac, qui viennent presque lécher le pied des chalets alignés tout autour, sont sillonnées par une véritable flottille de kayaks et autres embarcations, tandis que les cyclistes, randonneurs et ornithologues amateurs se partagent la plage et les sentiers environnants. Chaque printemps et automne, les visiteurs convergent vers le Havre des cygnes, à la pointe septentrionale du lac, pour admirer les espèces de sauvagine qui y font halte pendant leur migration.*

*Plusieurs entreprises yukonnaises ont leur enseigne au hameau de Marsh Lake, dont quantité d'artistes. C'est un lieu agréable à visiter pour une journée ou plus, autant pour la beauté du paysage le long de la route panoramique qui y mène que pour les richesses que recèle le hameau lui-même.*

## Artist listings

### 62. Patrick Royle

Potter

#### Raven Pottery

Patrick's pottery has evolved from his love of oriental design. His "Truly Yukon Fireweed Design," which he creates, glazes and fires in his Marsh Lake studio, is known the world over.

- L** 35 Raven Crescent  
New Constabulary, Marsh Lake
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-660-4193
- E** mmoreau@northwestel.net
- M** P.O. Box 34024, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A3



## Atlin, B.C.

Ringed by glacial mountains and nestled on the shore of beautiful Atlin Lake, this community is affectionately known as Little Switzerland. Approximately two hours southeast of Whitehorse, Atlin is British Columbia's most northwesterly town. With its awe-inspiring views, Atlin appeals to artists and to all seekers of beauty.

*Baptisée la « Petite Suisse du Nord », cette petite communauté d'artistes et amateurs de la nature sise au milieu de montagnes façonnées par les glaciers se mirant dans les eaux cristallines du lac Atlin offre à tous ceux qui sont épris de beauté une vision qu'ils ne sont pas prêts d'oublier. Bien que située à seulement deux heures de route au sud-est de Whitehorse, Atlin se trouve en Colombie-Britannique, dont elle marque la limite nord-ouest.*

### Artist listings

#### 63. Earl Clark

Carver

Sculptures and relief carvings with flowing lines are crafted with traditional hand tools that emphasize the grain and texture of the wood, which may be local or exotic. Antler carvings are also available.



- L** First house on right, Pillman Road (off Atlin Road), 1.5 km from town  
**H** Drop in year round, 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
**T** 250-651-0007  
**E** duke@atlin.net  
**M** P.O. Box 59, Atlin, B.C., V0W 1A0

#### 64. Lois Clark

Quilter, fibre artist

##### Quilts and Comforts

Lois uses new and recycled fabrics of various fibres, weights, colours and textures to create an eclectic variety of quilts that are contemporary and creative while still realistic. The northern landscape and the garden inspire her. Lois's quilts hang in collections through Europe and North America.



- L** First house on right, Pillman Rd. (off Atlin Rd), 1.5 km from town  
**H** Call ahead or drop in **T** 250-651-0007  
**F** 250-651-0007 **M** P.O. Box 59, Atlin, B.C., V0W 1A0  
**W** www.fibreartnetwork.com/gallery

#### 65. Shirley Connolly

Fibre artist, mixed-media artist, quilter

##### The Studio

Shirley's fibre art and paintings feature original designs. Many of her wall hangings have won prizes at international quilting exhibitions, been juried into shows and featured in books and magazines. An extensive card selection features her photos of Atlin and area. Shirley's work is for sale at her Atlin gallery and the annual Atlin Christmas Craft Sale in late November.



- L** First Street between Discovery and Sinclair avenues (building covered with quilts)  
**H** Early June to Labour Day: daily (closed some Mondays), 10:30 a.m. – noon and 1 – 5 p.m.  
**T** 250-651-7506 **F** 250-651-7725  
**E** sconolly@atlin.net  
**M** P.O. Box 53, Atlin, B.C., V0W 1A0  
**W** www.atlin.net/ShirleyConnolly

## Whitehorse

The Yukon's capital rightly claims to offer the best of both worlds — a latté and newspaper to start your mornings and the immediacy of unspoiled nature to fill your days. With its modern services, bustling shops, quaint cafes, museums, attractions and busy cultural calendar, Whitehorse is a sophisticated, contemporary community that still manages to retain an endearing frontier personality.

Whitehorse's combination of urban advantages and small-town charm naturally attracts artists from around the world. And just as the city's character, colour and contrasts can fuel a successful artistic career, the abundance of studios, galleries, outdoor art and festivals in a picture-perfect valley setting can provide art adventurers with raw materials for many days of activity.

*On n'exagère aucunement en affirmant que la capitale du Yukon offre le meilleur des deux mondes : café latte et journal au petit déjeuner, et pique-nique le midi en pleine nature sauvage. Whitehorse a tout le cachet des villes frontière sans pour autant sacrifier le confort des villes modernes – gamme complète de services, boutiques élégantes, cafés pleins d'ambiance, musées, galeries, attractions touristiques diverses et nombreuses manifestations culturelles.*

*Cet heureux mélange de cosmopolitisme et de charme vieillot fait de Whitehorse un point de chute populaire auprès d'artistes venus de partout dans le monde. Tout comme son caractère distinctif, ses couleurs et ses contrastes contribuent à nourrir l'imaginaire des artistes qui y font carrière, l'abondance de studios, de galeries, d'expositions extérieures et de festivals, le tout sis au milieu d'un décor féérique, devrait, elle, suffire à soutenir pendant des jours et des jours l'intérêt des passionnés de l'art en visite dans la ville.*

### Annual events

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#### Arts in the Park

Located in a small park in the core of Whitehorse, Arts in the Park provides a venue for both visual and performing arts. Every weekday noon hour from June to mid-August, local and visiting musicians, storytellers, dancers and other performers provide entertainment. As well, a different visual artist is on site each week, creating works of art. Sculpting, painting, carving and weaving are just some of the art forms presented. Wednesdays are family days, with special children's activities.

- L** LePage Park, corner 3rd Avenue and Wood Street (downtown)  
**H** June to mid-August: Monday to Friday, noon – 1 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-4080      **F** 867-667-4099  
**E** yukonart@polarcom.com  
**M** 305 Wood Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2E7

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#### Association franco-yukonnaise (AFY)

AFY's cultural sector has been promoting the Francophone arts scene and culture in the Yukon for the last 25 years. A wide variety of interesting events is scheduled each year. All Yukoners are invited to participate and share in the celebration of French culture and language. A number of activities take place every year: the sugar shack, the *Rendez-vous de la francophonie*, the *St-Jean-Baptiste* and solstice celebration, the corn roast, the *Gala de la francophonie*, the francophone film festival and the *Prix littéraire du Grand Nord*.

- L** Call to find out the dates and locations of events  
*Téléphoner pour connaître les dates et les endroits des manifestations.*  
**T** 867-668-2663, poste 221      **F** 867-668-3511  
**E** ebelanger@afy.yk.ca      **W** www.afy.yk.ca/culturel  
**M** 302, rue Strickland, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2K1

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### Cranberry Fair

This juried sale of arts and crafts sponsored by the Northern Fibres Guild is held annually.

- D** late November/early December  
**L** Westmark Whitehorse, 201 Wood Street (downtown)
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### Frostbite Music Festival

Canada's first and coolest winter music festival spotlights Canadian and world artists in a wide variety of musical genres, including folk, jazz, blues, rock, cultural, First Nations, country and bluegrass.

- D** This event is usually held in February; please check with the organisers for details  
**L** Westmark Hotel  
**T** 867-668-4921  
**F** 867-667-2518  
**E** frostbite@polarcom.com  
**M** 211 Hanson Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1Y3  
**W** www.frostbitefest.ca
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### Gathering of Traditions Potlatch (biennial event)

After a traditional procession to the site from the Elijah Smith Building, everyone is welcome to join the Potlatch Society to enjoy the day's events. Entertainment, exhibitions, crafts and traditional food round out the day. A feast is provided and everyone receives a gift. Come celebrate and share traditional culture.

- D** June 21, 2007  
**L** Rotary Peace Park  
**T** 867-668-6647
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### Icefog Finds

Icefog Finds is an annual Christmas sale featuring emerging and established Yukon artists. You will find a wide variety of Yukon-made fine art and craft by local artists. Take your time with your Christmas shopping while enjoying a relaxing and friendly atmosphere. Icefog Finds proudly offers its customers great selection.

- D** Sunday, December 2, 2007  
**H** 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.  
**L** Gold Rush Inn, 411 Main Street (downtown)  
**T** 867-667-2783  
**E** cad@northwestel.net  
**M** 409 Hanson Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1Y7
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### Littlest Art and Craft Fair

Every year, Laura Prentice and Lara Melnik (#111) host a sale of fine arts and crafts in Laura's cosy home. A small group of local artists presents a fine array of arts and crafts. New artists are invited each year. Escape the holiday frenzy and stop in for some sweet and savoury treats in a relaxing atmosphere.

- D** December 8, 2007  
**H** 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**L** 17 Arnheim Road, Takhini North subdivision (call for directions)  
**T** 867-667-6116  
**E** lara@laramelnik.com  
**M** P.O. Box 20932, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6P2  
**W** www.laramelnik.com
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### Longest Night

This annual event is inspired by the natural mystique surrounding the longest night of the year. Since 1995, Yukoners and visitors have celebrated the Winter Solstice through this presentation of music-driven storytelling, featuring the ten-piece Longest Night Ensemble and guest performing artists.

- D** December 21 and 22, 2007  
**L** Yukon Arts Centre  
**T** 867-667-2159 **E** ad@longestnight.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 31811 Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6L3  
**W** www.longestnight.ca
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### National Aboriginal Day

This event celebrates First Nations traditional activities, including dancing, drumming, stick-gambling and craft displays.

- D** June 21, 2007  
**T** 867-667-3925
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### Spruce Bog

These annual spring and winter events feature work by members of the Yukon Craft Society.

- D** Spring show: Call for dates and times  
 Winter show: 3rd Saturday in November, 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**L** Spring show: Gold Rush Inn, 411 Main Street (downtown)  
 Winter show: Canada Games Centre  
**T** 867-633-2416
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### Yukon International Storytelling Festival

This internationally renowned festival features three days and nights of storytelling, drumming and dance, with performers from around the world.

- D** August 17–19, 2007  
**L** Shipyards Park  
**T** 867-633-7550 **F** 867-633-3883  
**E** yukonstory@yknet.yk.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 5029, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4S2
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### Visitor information centre

- L** 2nd Avenue and Hanson Street (downtown)  
**H** Mid-May to mid-Sept: daily, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.; mid-Sept. to mid-May: Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – noon and 1 – 4:30 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-3084 **F** 867-393-6351
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### Where to see art

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#### Andrew Philipson Law Centre

*The Conversation*, a five-piece sculpture by Whitehorse artist Alyx Jones, stands outside the main entrance. Carved of Tyndall stone, the piece represents the men and women who are involved with justice in the Yukon. Visitors can view 32 other works of art in public areas on all three levels inside the building. A list of the artists and their works can be obtained from security staff on the main floor.

- L** 2134 2nd Avenue, corner of Wood Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-5124

## Arts Underground

This gallery is run by the Yukon Art Society (YAS), which was founded in 1970 and has a membership of approximately 150 Yukon artists. The gallery presents solo and group exhibitions by Yukon artists from a multitude of disciplines and stages in their development. YAS programs and services include artist talks; visual art workshops; a gift shop; art supply store; an artist resource centre and art education studios. The society also hosts Arts in the Park, a summer-long festival featuring noon-hour performances and visual arts demonstrations in downtown Whitehorse.

**L** 305 Main St. (Hougen Centre, lower level)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-4080 **E** yukonart@polarcom.com  
**M** Suite 15, 305 Main Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2B4

## Canada Games Centre

Major works of art are displayed throughout the centre. The 11 pieces were commissioned and purchased by the City for the opening of the facility in the fall of 2005. The artists are Ken Anderson (#68), Jeanine Baker (#54), Dawn Bouquot, Josephine de Beaudrap, Jane Isakson, Peter Kazda (#139), Lillian Loponen (#146), Joyce Majiski (#108), Janet Moore, Deanne Slonski and Jackie Ziehe (#133). *Seasons*, by Shane Wilson (#131), is also on display. Public viewing is welcome.

**L** 200 Hamilton Boulevard  
**H** Weekdays: 5:30 a.m. - 10 p.m.; Weekends: 7 a.m. - 10 p.m.  
 Closed Christmas Day and New Year's Day  
 Phone ahead for holiday hours  
**T** 668-8360 **F** 668-8675  
**W** www.canadagamescentre.whitehorse.ca

## Centre de la francophonie

A new exhibition of pieces created by francophone visual artists is set up each month in the community hall of the Centre de la francophonie. Thanks to this initiative from AFY's cultural sector, professional and emerging visual artists have a chance to show their work publicly. Several of these artists are listed in the *Répertoire des artistes francophones et des diffuseurs du Yukon*: [www.afy.yk.ca/culturel/repertoire](http://www.afy.yk.ca/culturel/repertoire).

**L** Community hall/Salle communautaire,  
 Centre de la francophonie, 302 Strickland Street  
**H** Every Friday, 5 - 7:30 p.m. and during special events held in the hall/*Tous les vendredis de 17 h à 19 h 30 et pendant les activités spéciales dans la salle communautaire*  
**T** 867-668-2663, poste 221 **F** 867-668-3511  
**E** ebelanger@afy.yk.ca  
**M** 302, rue Strickland, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2K1  
**W** www.afy.yk.ca/culturel

## City Hall

Works from the City of Whitehorse Permanent Art Collection are displayed throughout the building. Don't miss viewing the beautiful Pioneer Friendship Quilt in the main foyer. Works from the Yukon Permanent Art Collection are on display in Council Chambers, as is a Japanese showcase and a mural depicting the construction of the Alaska Highway. Viewing tours are available on request.

**L** 2121 2nd Avenue, corner of Steele Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-6401

## Department of Education Building

The Yukon Young People's Art Collection hangs in the main foyer and in hallways throughout the building. These two- and three-dimensional works, produced in a variety of media, are created by students of various ages from around the territory. Works from the Yukon Permanent Art Collection can also be viewed in the main foyer and on the second floor of the building.

**L** 1000 Lewes Boulevard (just past the Robert Campbell Bridge on the way from downtown to Riverdale)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-5141

## Elijah Smith Building

A bronze statue of a miner and his pack dog by Chuck Buchanan stands in front of the building. Inside is a large relief sculpture created by the late Lilius Farley, a local art teacher and nationally known sculptor. Her *History of the Yukon* (1955), over the main doors, was the first public art commissioned in the territory. A traditional button blanket, *Kwanlin Dun (River People)* was designed by Eddy Shorty and executed at the Kwanlin Dün First Nation's *Ashaw Ku* (Elder's House). Two works by local artists were commissioned for the building. A drum by Joe Migwans features a portrait of Elijah Smith drawn by Clifton Fred in memory of the renowned First Nations elder. A painting by Nathalie Parenteau (#113) marks the devolution of responsibility for lands, water and natural resources from the federal to the territorial government.

**L** 300 Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-3946

## MacBride Museum

Indoor exhibits include First Nation culture, Mounties, gold rush, Whitehorse and natural history. Outdoor displays include transportation artifacts and historic buildings. The museum offers interpretive presentations in summer and educational programs in winter. Special activities are scheduled for winter and school holidays.

**L** 1st Avenue and Wood Street (downtown)  
**H** Summer: daily, 9 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.; Sept: daily noon - 5 p.m.  
 Winter: Thurs., Fri. and Sat., noon - 4 p.m. or by appointment  
**T** 867-667-2709 **F** 867-633-6607  
**E** info@macbridemuseum.com  
**M** 1124 1st Avenue, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1A4  
**W** www.macbridemuseum.com

## Municipal Services Building

Exhibits from the City of Whitehorse Permanent Art Collection, including original paintings by world-renowned Yukon artist Ted Harrison, are on display in this building.

**L** 4210 4th Ave., blue building south of the Yukon Inn (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## Old Log Church Museum

The gift shop has a great selection of northern historical books and locally made arts and crafts such as stained-glass ornaments, quilt patterns, prints, willow baskets, trade-bead jewelry and art cards. The museum also has a small line of replicas from its collection.

**L** 3rd Avenue and Elliot Street  
**H** Mid-May to Labour Day: daily, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-2555 **F** 867-667-6258  
**E** logchurch@klondiker.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31461, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6K8

### Rotary Peace Park

Chuck Buchanan's bronze bust of author and Tagish elder Angela Sidney are found here. The park grounds also contain a friendship totem pole constructed by local artist Stan Peters.

**L** 2nd Avenue and Robert Service Way  
(on the downtown side of the Robert Campbell Bridge)

### Royal Canadian Mounted Police Building/Patrol Cabin

On the cabin's exterior, a centennial mural created by Yukon Art Society members depicts the history of Canada's national police force in the Yukon from 1895 to 1995. Chuck Buchanan's bronze bust of Superintendent Sam Steele is found in front of the building.

**L** 4100 4th Avenue at Elliott Street (downtown)  
**T** 867-667-5555

### Shipyards Park

This park is located at the north end of the downtown riverfront. It features a roller skating/bicycle track that becomes a skating loop in winter and a toboggan hill that doubles as picnic-style seating for the park's small outdoor amphitheatre. The park is connected to Rotary Park, 1.5 km to the south, by a meandering scenic footpath along the Yukon River. The Whitehorse trolley runs to and from Rotary Park daily during the summer months. Thinker, a sculpture by Béla Simó, is prominently displayed on the west (2nd Avenue) side of Shipyards Park. Raven's House, a sculpture by Alyx Jones, is featured beside the trolley track.

**L** 2nd Avenue and Ogilvie Street

### Well-Read Books

This popular used bookstore features rotating displays of various works by Yukon artists.

**L** 4194B 4th Avenue, across from Qwanlin Mall (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Sunday, noon – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-393-2987 **F** 867-393-2987  
**W** www.wellreadbooks.yk.net

### Whitehorse Public Library

A Tsimshian totem pole, carved by William Jeffrey of the Port Simpson Band, stands in front of the library. It was a gift from the British Columbia government to mark the opening of the Yukon Government Administration Building. Inside the library, visitors will find a Chris Caldwell painting of Ariel, the former library cat, and a Rob Ingram painting of Yukon pioneer Martha Louise Black. The library also displays works from the Yukon Permanent Art Collection.

**L** 2071 2nd Avenue, corner of Hanson Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Sunday, 1 – 9 p.m.; closed on government holidays  
**T** 867-667-5239

### Whitehorse United Church

The cross outside of the United Church was designed and crafted by Whitehorse artist and blacksmith, Alyx Jones.

**L** 601 Main Street, corner of 6th Ave (downtown)

### Yukon Archives

The large mural in the front entrance depicts the range of items in its collection. The exhibit room features photographic displays on selected Yukon historical topics. These displays are also available on loan. The Yukon Archives collection contains posters,

broadsides and original art. Original art includes paintings, drawings, engravings, etchings, lithographs and woodcuts.

**L** 400 College Drive  
**H** Tuesday and Wednesday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Thursday, 1 – 5 p.m.; Friday, 1 – 9 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. (closed 1 – 2 p.m.)  
**T** 867-667-5321

### Yukon Artists at Work

You are guaranteed to meet a real live Yukon artist working a shift when you visit this artist-run gallery. Yukon Artists at Work showcases some of the finest professional art and craft produced in the Yukon, and boasts more commercially available Yukon originals in one place than anywhere else in the territory. With a beautiful location on a bluff overlooking the Yukon river, Yukoners and visitors alike find the trip worthwhile. Yukon Artists at Work was recognized as a top local favourite in Travelocity.ca's 2005 "Local Secrets, Big Finds" poll.

**L** 3B Glacier Drive (McCrae East subdivision, south of the Whitehorse Airport on the east side of the Alaska Highway)  
**H** Mid-May to mid-Sept: Daily 12 p.m. – 5 p.m.; mid-September to mid-May: Friday, Saturday, Sunday 12pm – 5 p.m Extra hours in December and other times by appointment  
**T** 867-393-4848 **F** 867-393-4848  
**E** yaaw05@internorth.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31323, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5P7  
**W** www.yaaw.com www.myartclub.com (select "Find Group" from the navigation options and "Yukon artists@work" from the drop-down list)

### Yukon Arts Centre

Three sculptures and a site installation stand just outside the main doors. *Shadow* is a granite sculpture by Jerry Kortello. *Reborn* is a marble sculpture by Béla Simó. *The Thousand Dozen*, a mixed-media work by Alyx Jones, is part of the Yukon Permanent Art Collection (a written story about it may be picked up inside the Arts Centre). The site installation, built by Tlingit artist Doug Smarch Jr. (#27), is entitled *Into the Forest*.

Immediately inside is *Drums Echo: Future Vision*. This collection of 14 drums was created to honour the First Nations of the Yukon. The main foyer also houses Mark Preston's *We Are Not Alone*, a substantive piece made from birch, glass and copper. The Community Grotto in the foyer features temporary exhibits. A display of children's art can be viewed in the Kids Art Gallery just off the main foyer. Other works from the Yukon Permanent Art Collection may be viewed in the showcase on the balcony level.

**L** 300 College Drive  
**H** Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. and during performances  
**T** 867-667-8575 **F** 867-393-6300  
**M** P.O. Box 16, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5X9  
**W** www.yukonartscentre.org

### Yukon Arts Centre Gallery

Come and discover the Yukon through the eyes of contemporary visual artists. View cutting-edge visual art exhibitions from local, regional and national perspectives. Meet the artists, enjoy artists' talks and take a gallery tour.

**L** 300 College Drive  
**H** Tuesday to Friday, noon – 6 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday, noon – 5 p.m.; and during most Arts Centre performances  
**T** 867-667-8485 **F** 867-393-6300  
**M** P.O. Box 16, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5X9  
**W** www.yukonartscentre.org

### Yukon Beringia Interpretive Centre

Several of the centre's displays about the Yukon's ice age incorporate works by Yukon artists. Visitors will appreciate large murals by Halin de Repentigny (#155), including *Traveler*, as well as the work *Crow Makes the World* by Keith Wolfe Smarch (#31). The sculpture *Where Legends Meet* by Keith Wolfe Smarch, Mark Porter and Brian Walker can be found outside behind the centre. Life-sized sculptures of mammoths, located outside the centre, are clearly visible from the Alaska Highway.

**L** km 1422 (mile 914) Alaska Hwy (just south of the airport)  
**H** Mid-May to mid-Sept: 8:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.; October to mid-May: Sunday, 1 – 5 p.m. or by appointment  
**T** 867-667-8855 **W** www.beringia.com  
**E** Beringia@gov.yk.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 2703 Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2C6

### Yukon College – Ayamdigut Campus

Eleven major works of art are displayed in various locations around the campus. These works were commissioned through a public competition and have been on display since 1989. They are now part of the Yukon Government Art Collection and a free brochure describing them is available at the front desk. Featured artists include Halin de Repentigny (#155), Keith Wolfe Smarch (#31), Barbara Scheck, Alyx Jones, Bob Miller, Maurice Wearmouth, Nathalie Parenteau (#113), Thom Rodger, John Ogilvy and Daphne Mennell (#50).

The large metal sculpture located outside the main entrance to the college in the Agora area was designed by artist and teacher Ted Harrison and was constructed by him and his students as part of one of his art classes. Upon the sculpture's completion, Yukon residents were told that the copper would oxidize and turn green. Many years later, they're still waiting!

**L** 500 College Drive  
**H** Monday to Friday, 7 a.m. – 10 p.m.; weekends, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-8800 **W** www.yukoncollege.yk.ca

### Yukon Government Administration Building

A mural by West Vancouver artist David MacLagan is seen above the main foyer in glass windows. The 24 panels portray the historical evolution of the Yukon. The main foyer also houses exhibits from the Yukon Permanent Art Collection, which contains the work of northern artists and major Canadian artists. Works from the collection are rotated three times a year, usually in May, July and September.

The Women's Tapestries, designed by sisters Eve Aldis McBride and Julie Aldis, are a series of five hand-stitched panels depicting women's lives throughout the year. Created during the International Year of the Woman, in 1975, this work represents many hours of collaboration by Yukon women. The tapestries are located in the Member's Lounge and can be viewed from the public area in the Executive Council offices. *The Departure of Persephone*, a three-piece panel by Ted Harrison, graces the entrance to the Yukon Legislature. Inside the legislative chamber, *Fireweed* by Joanne Staniszki hangs behind the Speaker's chair. This giant tapestry is an abstraction of the fireweed plant, Yukon's floral emblem. Viewing tours are available; inquire at the main reception desk.

**L** 2071 2nd Avenue, at Hanson Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-5811

### Yukon Historical and Museums Association

If the art of architecture interests you, this is the place to begin a historical tour of Whitehorse.

**L** 3126 3rd Avenue, east side of LePage Park (downtown)  
**T** 867-667-4704  
**E** yhma@yknet.yk.ca  
**W** www.yukonalaska.com/yhma

### Yukon Transportation Museum

The exterior of the building features a mural created by members of the Yukon Art Society.

**L** 30 Electra Crescent (mile 917 on the Alaska Highway, just south of the Whitehorse International Airport)  
**T** 867-668-4792

### Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board

A Ted Harrison painting, *Yukon Workers*, can be viewed from the main foyer. This work is part of the Yukon Permanent Art Collection.

**L** 401 Strickland Street, corner of 4th Avenue (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-5645

### Visitor information centre/ Tourism and Culture Business Centre

A visual arts guide to the centre is available at the information desk. These works of art are on display outside the building:

- A bronze bust of Robert Service by Chuck Buchanan
- *Crow's Yukon Journey*, a mixed-media work by Bill Oster and David Ashley
- *Journey by Water*, a stone sculpture by Alyx Jones
- *Part of the Past, Part of the Future*, a mixed-media sculpture by Ken Anderson (#68)
- A life-size bronze sculpture of a mountain sheep by Rick Taylor

These works of art are on display inside the building:

- *Waves of History*, stained-glass panels by Lise Merchant
- *Man*, a red cedar relief sculpture by Keith Wolfe Smarch (#31)
- *Natural Vision*, a red and yellow cedar and caribou rawhide work by Eugene Alfred (#149)
- *Living Landscape of the Yukon Spirit*, acrylic on canvas by Lillian Lopenen (#146)
- A showcase of First Nations artifacts

**L** 100 Hanson Street, corner of 2nd Avenue (downtown)  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
 Mid-September to mid-May: daily, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-3053 or 867-667-5340

### Where to buy arts and crafts

#### Aroma Borealis

This shop carries Yukon-made herbal creams, aromatherapy facial products, healing salves, soaps, wreaths, vinegars and herbal teas.

**L** 504B Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-4372 **F** 667-4372  
**W** www.aromaborealis.com

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### Arts Underground

This gallery, run by the Yukon Art Society, sells locally-made arts and crafts and has monthly exhibitions of work by both emerging and established artists.

**L** Suite 15, 305 Main Street, (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-4080 **E** yukonart@polarcom.com  
**M** Suite 15, 305 Main Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2B4

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### Bear's Paw Quilts

Bear's Paw Quilts sells fabric and sewing notions to quilters. Of interest to visitors are one-of-a-kind fabrics featuring images of Yukon wildlife and flora, and locally-designed kits and projects for the quilt-addicted traveller. This friendly place has lots of quilters' "candy" and time for southern stitching sisters.

**L** 2093 – 2nd Avenue, #100, downstairs (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-393-BEAR (2327)  
**F** 867-393-3540 **E** rheadley@klondiker.com  
**M** 2093-2nd Avenue, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1B5  
**W** www.bearspawquilts.com

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### Centre de la francophonie

Some of the pieces on display during the monthly exhibition held in the community hall at the Centre de la francophonie are for sale and other products (cards, books, CDs, etc.) are available at the reception desk.

*Les œuvres des artistes francophones sont parfois en vente au cours des expositions mensuelles dans la salle communautaire du Centre de la francophonie. Il est aussi possible de se procurer certains produits à la réception (cartes de souhaits, livres, albums de musique, etc.).*

**L** 302 Strickland Street (downtown)  
**H** For pieces on display: every Friday, 5 – 7:30 p.m. and during special events held in the community hall. For products left at the reception desk: Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
*Pour les œuvres exposées : tous les vendredis de 17 h à 19 h 30 et pendant les activités spéciales dans la salle communautaire. Pour les produits à la réception : du lundi au vendredi, de 9 h à 17 h.*  
**T** 867-668-2663, ext. 221  
**F** 867-668-3511  
**E** ebelanger@afy.yk.ca  
**M** 302 Strickland, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2K1  
**W** www.afy.yk.ca/culturel

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### The Chocolate Claim Café, Catering and Chocolates

The café showcases local artists, with shows changing monthly. For schedules call the Chocolate Claim.

**L** 305 Strickland Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.;  
 Saturday, 8:30 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-2202 **F** 867-667-2235  
**E** chocolateclaim@northwestel.net

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### Fireweed Community Market

Come check out the quilting, bead earrings, polymer clay jewelry, bead and wire garden ornaments, woodworking, photography, painting, sewing, knitting and other crafts, bedding plants, organic local garden produce, free-range eggs, elk and bison products, fireweed honey, goat cheese, fresh pies/baking, bread, preserves, handmade soap, toys and puzzles.

**L** Shipyards Park parking lot (downtown)  
**H** May 17 to September 13: Thursdays, 3 – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-393-4628 **F** 867-668-8828  
**E** fireweedmarket@yahoo.ca or fireweedmanager@yahoo.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 20228 Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A2  
**W** www.fireweedmarket@yahoo.ca

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### The Frame Shop

Original art, reproductions, posters and prints are available.

**L** 2068 2nd Avenue (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Saturday, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-3726

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### Gold Originals by Charlotte

Gold jewelry and other local crafts are sold here.

**L** 204A Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Saturday, 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-7928

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### Goldsmith's

This shop features custom-made jewelry by David Ashley and Cheryl Rivest.

**L** 106 Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Tuesday to Saturday, 10:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-7340

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### Indian Craft Shop

First Nations crafts, craft supplies and local artwork are available here.

**L** 504 Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-7216

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### Knit Now

Knit Now sells product hand-knit from dog hair and Yukon sheep and Yukon alpaca. The shop also carries yarn and patterns for muskox qiviuq.

**M** 3123 3rd Avenue (downtown)  
**H** June to August, Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
 September to May: Monday – Friday, 10 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
 and Saturday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-456-4192  
**E** knitnow@northwestel.net  
**M** 3123 3rd Avenue, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1E6

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### Kolobshine Art

This interesting craft store carries the work of Yukon artists as well as artists from Venezuela, Mexico, Guatemala and Costa Rica. We speak both English and Spanish.

**L** Horwood's Mall, 1114 First Avenue, Suite 104A (downtown)  
**H** Monday – Saturday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. year round  
**T** 867-668-6668  
**E** kolobshine@hotmail.com  
**M** 1114 First Avenue, Suite 104A, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1A3  
**W** www.kolobshineart.com

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### MacBride Museum

The museum shop sells locally made products, including glass, pottery, ivory and gold jewelry, as well as MacBride souvenirs. Art, cards and prints by Yukon artists and CDs by local musicians are available, as is First Nations work, including beading and carvings.

**L** 1st Avenue and Wood Street (downtown)  
**H** Mid-May to August 31 (Summer): daily, 9 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.;  
 September: daily, noon – 5 p.m.; October to mid-May:  
 Thursday, Friday and Saturday, noon – 4 p.m. or by appointment  
**T** 867-667-2709 **F** 867-633-6607  
**E** info@macbridemuseum.com  
**M** 1124 1st Avenue, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1A4  
**W** www.macbridemuseum.com

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### Midnight Sun Gallery and Gifts

This shop carries Yukon- and Canadian-made products, local artist prints, posters, art cards, locally-made preserves, honey, soaps, dessert toppings, books, mammoth and gold jewelry and 36 flavours of homemade Yukon fudge (free samples!).

**L** 205C Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.;  
 Sunday, 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-4350 **F** 867-668-4354  
**E** Dalestokes@klondiker.com  
**M** 205C Main Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2B2  
**W** www.midnightsunyukon.com

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### Murdoch's Gem Shop

Gold nugget jewelry, Canadian diamonds, repairs and cleaning are available here.

**L** 207 Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Daily: 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-7403 **F** 867-667-7716

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### North End Gallery

This gallery carries Yukon art, including prints, posters, sculpture, gold nugget and mammoth ivory jewelry, as well as local crafts, including pottery, tufting, burl woodwork, antler carving and art glass.

**L** 1116 1st Ave., #118, north end of Horwood's Mall (downtown)  
**H** June to August: daily, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.;  
 September to May: Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-393-3590 **F** 867-393-3124  
**E** info@northendgallery.ca  
**M** 1116 1st Ave., #118, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1A3  
**W** www.northendgallery.ca

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### Old Log Church Museum

Constructed in 1900, this quaint Anglican cathedral is one of the oldest buildings in Whitehorse and tells the fascinating story of the early missionaries who came to the Yukon to spread the Christian faith. The Old Log Church Museum exhibits also feature a variety of First Nations and Inuvialuit cultural material.

**L** 3rd Avenue and Elliot Street  
**H** Mid-May to Labour Day: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-2555 **F** 867-667-6258  
**E** logchurch@klondiker.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31461, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6K8

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### Studio 204

Studio Two-O-Four is a studio and gallery space tucked away in the alley behind Main Street. Run by a ten-person artist collective, Two-O-Four is a space where people can meet and exchange ideas about contemporary art and exhibit non-commercial work.

**L** 204A Main Street, in the alley (downtown)  
**H** Drop in or call for an appointment  
**T** 867-456-2913  
**M** P.O. Box 30098, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5M2  
**E** studio204@mail.com

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### Well-Read Books

This popular used bookstore features rotating displays of various works for sale by Yukon artists.

**L** 4194B 4th Avenue (downtown, across from Qwanlin Mall)  
**H** Monday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Sunday, noon – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-393-2987 **F** 867-393-2987  
**W** www.wellreadbooks.yk.net

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### Whitehorse General Store

This shop, an official Yukon Quest Store, sells Yukon- and Canadian-made products, local Yukon First Nations crafts, Yukon True North products, t-shirts, souvenirs, Cuban cigars and fine pipe tobacco blends, northern lights photos and books.

**L** 205 Main Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.;  
 Sunday, 11 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-393-8203 **F** 867-668-4354  
**E** nancyhuston@klondiker.com  
**M** 205 Main Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2B2  
**W** www.yukonqueststore.com

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### Yukon Artists at Work

This gallery showcases the work of 35-40 professional Yukon artists working in wood, ceramic, glass, mixed media, textiles, paint and stone, to create paintings, sculpture, one-of-a-kind furniture and unique garments.

**L** 3B Glacier Drive (McCrae East subdivision, south of the Whitehorse Airport on the east side of the Alaska Highway)  
**H** Mid-May to mid-Sept: Daily 12 p.m. – 5 p.m.; mid-September to mid-May: Friday, Saturday, Sunday 12 p.m. – 5 p.m.  
 Extra hours in December and other times by appointment  
**T** 867-393-4848 **F** 867-393-4848  
**E** yaaw05@internorth.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31323, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5P7  
**W** www.yaaw.com www.myartclub.com (select "Find Group" from the navigation options and "Yukon artists@work" from the drop-down list)

**Yukon Gallery**

Northern art, including work by First Nations artists, jewelry, pottery, masks, carvings and posters, is featured.

**L** 2054 2nd Avenue (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Saturday, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-2391

**Yukon Transportation Museum**

Locally-made items and artwork are sold in the gift shop.

**L** 30 Electra Crescent (mile 917 on the Alaska Highway just south of the Whitehorse International Airport)  
**H** Mid-May to August 31: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.;  
 Winter: by appointment  
**T** 867-668-4792 **F** 867-633-5547  
**E** ytm@northwestel.net  
**M** 30 Electra Crescent, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6E6

**Yukon Trappers Association**

A fine selection of Yukon First Nations products is available, as well as native craft supplies and tanned furs, tents, stoves, books and videos and trappers supplies. This is a great place to browse for that one-of-a-kind local gift.

**L** 4194A 4th Avenue (downtown, next to Well Read Books)  
**H** Tuesday to Thursday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.;  
 Saturday, 12 – 4 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-7091 **F** 867-667-7330  
**E** ytaourstore@hotmail.com **W** www.yukonfur.ca  
**M** 4194 4th Avenue, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1J8

**Artist listings****66. Ying Allen***Home crafter*

Wild Things is a family-owned business dedicated to producing high quality specialty products from Yukon wilderness areas. Their commitment to non-development is based on their belief that wild land is productive land. Their products represent a wholesome natural alternative to the highly manipulated and processed foods common to today's market.

Fireweed honey is produced from the abundant fireweed in the Fox Lake burn area north of Whitehorse. The clear colour of fireweed honey, along with its mild delicate flavour, have earned it a reputation as the "champagne of honey." Wild Things is pleased to offer what is unquestionably the Yukon's sweetest product.

**L** km 260.5 North Klondike Highway, south end of Little Fox Lake  
**H** May to November: Sunday to Friday  
**T** Call ahead  
**E** yukonwildthings@yahoo.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31535, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6K8

**67. Shirley Jacquelynn Ambrose***Painter, illustrator*

Shirley has lived 30 years in Yukon and has been practicing her oil and graphite portraits for 19 of them. Some of her artwork resides in the personal collections of Joan Baez, Graham Nash and the late John Denver. Despite her many passions, the only creative pursuit that can equal her portraiture is writing.

**L** Judas Creek subdivision, Marsh Lake  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-660-4218  
**E** uphillinjanuary@yahoo.ca  
**M** R.R. 1, P.O. Box 10309, Whitehorse,  
 YT, Y1A 7A1

**68. Ken Anderson***Painter, carver, sculptor*

Ken is of Tlingit and Scandinavian descent and was born and raised in Whitehorse. He specializes in the Tlingit art forms of the Northwest Coast. He finds this art form challenging and rewarding because of its reliance on composition, balance, flow, and an understanding of abstraction.



**L** Mary Lake  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-667-4450  
**E** kenianderson@hotmail.com

**69. Lisa Armstrong***Folk artist, painter**Lisa's Pieces*

Lisa grew up in the Yukon and, with her husband, is raising a family here. She loves the Yukon for its people and its incredible land and skies. Her work includes folk art furniture, original prints and interior decorating. Lisa attends the annual Icefog Finds craft sale.

**L** 5 Donjek Road (Riverdale subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-667-4793 **F** 867-667-4793  
**E** lisasean@yt.sympatico.ca  
**M** 5 Donjek Road, Whitehorse,  
 YT, Y1A 3P8

**70. Mary Armstrong***Fibre artist*

A visit with Mary is a time to sit, relax and watch the wheel spin. One of Mary's specialties is spinning the warm, fluffy undercoat of northern dog fur into beautiful, soft yarn for knitting and weaving pleasures. This unique yarn can be used to create warm, soft clothes such as mittens, hats, headbands and scarves, all of which are available for purchase. Her handspun knitwear is available at Knit Now.



**L** Lot 212, Golden Horn subdivision  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-668-7964  
**E** dogfibres@hotmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 10096, Whitehorse, YT,  
 Y1A 7A1

**71. Shelley Armstrong-Plaunt***Fibre artist (teddy bear artist)**Rabbit Creek Bears*

Inspiration for Shelley's Rabbit Creek Bears comes from all aspects of life north of 60. Her bears are designed and created from traditional mohair and they wear beautifully crafted clothing, often adorned with nature's own recycled furs. The bears vary in height from 10 to 40 cm.

**L** 9 Oak Street (Porter Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-4419  
**E** rabbitckbears@hotmail.com  
**M** 9 Oak Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4A9



**72. Bob Atkinson***Furniture maker***Willow Wonders**

Bob has spent close to 20 years living and working in the bush in Canada. He observed the unusual twists and turns nature creates in trees and branches and began to use these features in furniture design. He creates comfortable and unique pieces. Bob's work is available at Yukon Artists at Work, the Cranberry Fair, shops and galleries in Whitehorse and the Yukon Riverside Arts Festival in Dawson City.



**L** km 1490 (mile 931.5) Old Alaska Hwy. ("Fawltly Towers" sign)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-3610  
**E** willowbob2003@yahoo.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 20635, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A2

**73. James Babineau***Drum maker, jeweller, knife maker*

James was born on the East Coast and has lived in the Yukon for the past 15 years. He has been teaching and learning traditional arts and crafts for more than ten years. Jim's creations include knives, drums, rattles, ulus and ceremonial items such as pipes and fans using materials indigenous to the north. He works in mammoth ivory, moose antler and sheep horn and welcomes orders.



**L** 11B Versluce Whitehorse, YT  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-667-2321  
**E** jwbabineau@gmail.com  
**M** 11B Versluce, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5M1

**74. Nicole Bauberger***Painter*

There's a conversation going on between Yukon skies and mountains that inspires Nicole's paintings. She listens to it and



paints what she hears, in oils, acrylics and melted beeswax.

*Peintre*

*Dans ses toiles, Nicole s'emploie à rendre le dialogue que tiennent entre eux le ciel et les montagnes du Yukon. Elle se tient à*

*l'écoute et traduit ce qu'elle entend avec ses pinceaux, des huiles, des acryliques et de la cire d'abeille.*

**L** 151 Dalton Trail (Hillcrest subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead or book an appointment through e-mail  
 Prendre rendez-vous par téléphone ou par courriel  
**T** 867-667-4339 **E** nbauberger@yahoo.com  
**M** 151 Dalton Trail, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3G2

**75. Mary Beattie***Fibre artist, painter, beader*

Mary's 30-year trapping career taught her how to use many natural materials. She works with animal skins, turning them into faces that retell stories of old. She even works with paper wasp's nests. These whimsical bush characters have found homes across the globe. Mary also works in bone, horn, felt and papier mâché. Her large faces of papier mâché have decorated the stages for Frostbite Music Festival and the Yukon International Storytelling Festival.



**L** Shallow Bay Road at km 16.8 North Klondike Highway, first driveway on the left  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-5955  
**E** pmbaattie@yknet.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 20123, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A2

**76. Melanie Bennett***Beader*

Melanie was born in Dawson City and is a member of the Tr'ondëk Hwëch'in. Melanie fondly remembers, "As a child I would watch my mom skin furs from the trapline and was always thrilled when I would see the fur eventually used in a beaded creation of hers."



Melanie has continued with her passion of beading and teaching.

**L** 61 Hyland Crescent (Riverdale subdivision)  
**H** Weekday evenings (after 5) and weekends, year round. Call first.  
**T** 867-633-3414  
**E** melanie.bennett@yesnet.yk.ca  
**M** 61 Hyland Cres. Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4P6

**77. Marten Berkman***Photographer*

"Like temples, the earth's wild places are sanctuary. I photograph to offer a small window into this place."

Marten is an internationally published photographer who specializes in Yukon landscape. With traditional camera technique and state-of-the-art digital printing, Marten produces fine art black-and-white and colour prints, as well as large format and panoramic cards of his work. Marten attends various craft sales in November and December.



**L** left off Alaska Highway 25 km south of Whitehorse; look for the sign on the right-hand side of the road 2 km down Gentian Lane  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-393-3233  
**E** info@martenberkman.com  
**M** P.O. Box 10289, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1

**78. Shelby Blackjack***Painter*

Shelby Blackjack is a painter of Northern Tutchone descent. Her paintings focus on the history of the Yukon First Nations people and the stunning scenery of the Yukon. Shelby attended the Victoria College of Art, and has been creating art for many years. Her paintings are held in collections throughout North America.

**H** call ahead  
**T** 867-393-2512  
**E** sblackjack@hotmail.com

**79. Lynn Blaikie***Batik artist, fibre artist*

Lynn enjoys the tactile experience of working with cloth, ink and wax to create batik dyed art pieces. She also produces limited edition prints and cards, as well as fine porcelain mugs, plates and ornaments.



**L** 7 Canyon Crescent (across from Miles Canyon on the Alaska Highway)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-667-6553  
**E** blaikie@sympatico.ca  
**M** 7 Canyon Crescent, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5V8  
**W** www.lynnblaikie.com

**80. Connie Boehm***Folk artist****YuCon Treen Spirations***

Connie makes a variety of products from wood, celebrating northern life. Her work includes northern animal figurines, toys, puzzles, household items, magnets and key chains. Each is made in tight-grained spruce, hand-painted and finished.

**L** 120 Alsek Road (Riverdale subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead      **T** 867-456-4903  
**E** conharskye@hotmail.com  
**M** 120 Alsek Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3K6

**81. Linda Bonnefoy***Fibre artist*

Linda is a Yukon-grown artist whose main medium is felt. She felts because it gives her a connection to the earth and the environment around her.

**L** 67 Pelly Road (Riverdale subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-393-4661    **F** 867-393-4661  
**E** bonnefoyandassoc@klondiker.com  
**M** 67 Pelly Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4L9

**82. Lorraine Bretlyn** *Photographer, illustrator, mixed-media artist*

Lorraine studies all unusual events. She has photographed more than a hundred different types of local paranormal activity, including UFOs, spirits, caves and forest dwellings. They are available as originals or reproductions.

**L** 59 Takhini Trailer Park  
**H** Call ahead: By chance or by appointment  
**T** 867-668-5989 or 334-5499  
**F** 867-668-5989  
**M** P.O. Box 31050, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5P7

**83. Janice Brodie***Spinner, weaver*

Janice's life is consumed by all things fibre. As a weaver, she may sometimes look as if she's daydreaming, but she's probably contemplating how landscape colours and textures will translate into a warp design, admiring a hand-knit sweater, or trying to figure out the weave structure of a piece of

upholstery fabric. Janice weaves silk scarves with hand-painted warps. She also makes household articles.

**L** km 216 North Klondike Highway (Mayo Road). Turn left on Scott Road and follow Dog Sled Inn signs to end of cul de sac, then follow "David Blakley Contracting" signs to the studio  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-393-3725  
**M** P.O. Box 21181, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6R1

**84. Dedis Camacho de Guevara***Mixed media, painter*

Dedis creates beautiful whimsical flowers and trees using wire, beads and other objects. She also loves to make bright colourful paintings working in oil and acrylic. Her work can be found at Kolobshine Art in Horwood's Mall.



**L** 43-93 Lewes Boulevard  
 (Riverdale subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead and leave a message  
**T** 867-668-7473  
**E** kolobshine@hotmail.com  
**M** 43-93 Lewes Blvd. Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4S6  
**W** www.kolobshineart.com

**85. Effie Campbell***Traditional garment-maker, beader*

Since her mother taught her to tan, sew and bead more than 60 years ago, Effie has been keeping Northern Tutchone and Tagish traditions alive by making home-tanned moosehide jackets, slippers, vests, dresses, hats and mitts.

**L** 45 Hanna Crescent (McIntyre subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-393-3393  
**M** 45 Hanna Crescent, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6J1

**86. Josée Carbonneau***Silk painter*

Josée enjoys silk painting because it gives her the sense of freedom she needs to create. She presents mysterious and intense characters as well as designs marked by a vast array of colours.

*Artiste-peintre sur soie*

Josée aime travailler la peinture sur soie car elle lui procure la liberté de création. Elle nous offre des personnages mystérieux et intenses ainsi que des motifs d'une grande diversité de couleurs.



**L** km 3.8 Annie Lake Road  
**H** Call ahead/prendre rendez-vous par téléphone  
**T** 867-334-5601  
**E** moonshineartstudio@hotmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31239, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5P7

**87. Tony Clennett***Potter, sculptor, painter*

Tony Clennett has lived in the Yukon since 1960 and creates art out of his home studio. He has a Diploma of Fine Arts from Langara College and from Emily Carr College of Art and Design. Tony works in many art forms, including raku pottery, sculptures, set design, graphics, painting and large, coloured acrylic mobiles.

**L** 21 Basswood Street (Porter Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-633-4502    **F** 867-668-8890  
**E** tclennet@yukoncollege.yk.ca  
**M** 21 Basswood Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4P4

**88. Marie-Hélène Comeau***Mixed-media artist*

Marie-Hélène's works are full of bright colours and movement. Her favourite medium is acrylic, although she'll use anything she can find on her colourful quest. This self-taught Quebec artist finds her inspiration in the creative energy of the Yukon.

*Techniques mixtes (peinture)*

Les peintures de Marie-Hélène sont peuplées de couleurs vives et de mouvements. À l'acrylique s'ajoutent différents matériaux qu'elle trouve ici et là. Cette autodidacte, originaire du Québec, s'inspire de l'énergie créative du Yukon.



**L** 406 Baxter Street, Apt. 2 (downtown)  
**H** Call ahead/prendre rendez-vous par téléphone  
**T** 867-667-2841  
**E** chez\_mh@hotmail.com  
**M** 406 Baxter Street, Apt. 2, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2T5

**89. Bonnie Dalziel***Fibre artist*

Bonnie has been producing tapestries and art quilts under the "Bon's Eye" label for more than 50 years. Her creations reflect a colourful northern heritage. Raised in the wilderness near Telegraph Creek, Bonnie was surrounded and nurtured by people accustomed to doing for themselves in the best artistic way possible. Journeying through Africa and Asia enriched her scope and dimension.



**L** 3090 3rd Avenue (downtown)  
**H** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays or call ahead  
**T** 867-333-0074  
**E** bonniedalziel@klondiker.com  
**M** 3090 3rd Ave Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1E3

**90. Catherine Deer***Painter, illustrator, sculptor*

A lifelong Yukoner, Catherine depicts the details of her subject matter through patterns in movement and space. Whether she is producing one-of-a-kind works in graphite, acrylic, or carvings, her trademarks are composition and attention to detail.

**L** 43 MacPherson Road  
 (MacPherson subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-667-2264 **F** 867-667-2264  
**E** cad@northwestel.net  
**M** 43 MacPherson Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5S4

**91. Larry Duguay***Potter*

Inspired by the changing seasonal landscapes of the Yukon, Larry makes large one-of-a-kind pieces, and a full range of functional ware. He employs extension throwing and altering techniques to add interest to his work and uses a broad palette of colours



to evoke mountain, forests, wildflowers and northern lights.

**L** 7 Keele Place (Pineridge subdivision;  
 10 km south of Whitehorse)  
**H** Call ahead 867-633-2036  
**T** 867-668-5058; studio 867-633-2036  
**E** lduguay@yknnet.ca  
**M** 7 Keele Place, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5T4

**92. Lyn Fabio***Mixed-media artist*

Lyn employs her printmaking background and affinity with textiles to produce a remarkable range of creations. Her fibre art expressions, cards, baskets and whimsical dolls reveal her eclectic spirit. She is currently inspired by the use of animal gut as a magical material to stitch and mold into luminous vessels and constructs.



**L** Call for location  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-667-4311  
**M** P.O. Box 31367, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6K8

**93. Phyllis Fiendell***Potter*

Through 35 years of trial and error an inquisitive nature has helped Phyl transform the Yukon's natural glaze components into works of functional, high-fibre stoneware. This ongoing experimentation gives her pottery a valued place in private collection locally and abroad.



**L** 30 11th Avenue  
 (Porter Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-5595  
**E** Fiendell@klondiker.com  
**M** 30 11th Avenue, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4H7  
**W** www.yukonpottery.com

**94. Wayne Garth***Glass artist**Solas Glassworks*

Wayne specializes in original pieces of fused glass: plates, platters, bowls, sushi dishes, coasters, light sconces and sculptural pieces. He is happy to make custom pieces to meet clients' special needs. His work is always available at the Yukon Artists at Work gallery.



**L** 512 Strickland Street (downtown)  
**H** Daily: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. or call ahead  
**T** 867-667-6168  
**E** wayneanddi@yknnet.ca  
**M** 512 Strickland St. Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2K4

**95. Leisa Gattie-Thurmer***Garment designer**Skinz*

Leisa is a First Nation (Anishnabek) fashion designer who works in moose, caribou and cowhide. She designs and creates jackets, skirts, funky fur scarves, mitts and sheepskin vests. Leisa also paints on silk and crepe de Chine, turning fabric into art and wearables.



**L** 5 Cloudberry Lane (Hidden Valley subdivision)  
 Skinz Leather Clothing sign is visible from the highway  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-633-5246 **F** 867-633-5246  
**E** tomandleisa@yt.sympatico.ca  
**M** 5 Cloudberry Lane, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5W5  
**W** www.yukonskinz.com

**96. Linda Glass** *Mixed-media artist, photographer*

Linda Glass rediscovered her childhood passion for creating art in 1996 at a wilderness art school in Atlin, B.C. Although her home-based studio is no longer a wall tent, her artwork continues to be charged by the creative energy of the North.

**L** 42 Dieppe Drive (Takhini subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-668-3400  
**E** peacebuilders@yknnet.ca  
**M** 42 Dieppe Drive, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3A9

**97. Tanya Handley** *Printmaker, mixed-media artist*

Tanya's spirited and colourful limited edition silkscreen prints reflect her joy of northern life. She also creates mixed-media pieces such as beer-can fish and raven altars. She is a member of Yukon Artists at Work and Arts Underground.



**L** 122 Falaise Road (Takhini West subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 668-4547  
**E** bearbait@northwestel.net  
**M** 122 Falaise Rd Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3B2

**98. Heidi Hehn** *Painter, sculptor, illustrator*

Heidi's original paintings are realistic portrayals of people, wildlife, landscape and Yukon history. Her work has received commendation by the British Columbia Wildlife federation, been published in books and calendars and is in corporate and private collections in Europe, the United States and Canada, including the Governor General's Collection. Heidi is a member of the Canadian Artists Representation (CARFAC), Yukon Artists At Work and Arts Underground.



**L** 52 Logan Road  
**H** Call ahead between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-3072 **F** 867-668-3072  
**E** hhehn@netyukon.com  
**W** www.wildartsworld.com or www.myartclub.com

**99. Lyall D. Herrington Sr.** *Furniture maker (antler lighting)***Fireweed Antler Art**

Lyall designs and creates functional art. He builds custom lamps from the antlers and bones of moose, caribou, reindeer, mule deer and whitetail deer. They vary from small sconces to large and elaborate lamps. The shades are mostly handmade using natural rawhide. His work has sold in both Europe and the U.S.



**L** Workshop/studio at 2 Aster Place (Mary Lake subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead for appointment times during the week or drop in weekends, noon – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-2926  
**M** P.O. Box 10199, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1

**100. Valerie Hodgson** *Painter*

Valerie's paintings show her delight in the patterns of light and colour found in the everyday world. Using expressive colour and simplifying detail her oil paintings celebrate the ordinary. Internationally collected, she is represented in Whitehorse by Yukon Gallery and Arts Underground.



**L** 8 Dawson Road (Wolf Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-2728  
**E** vhdgson@klondiker.com  
**M** 8 Dawson Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5T5  
**W** www.valhodgson.com

**101. Jurg Hofer** *Carver, woodworker*

Jurg's specialty is woodturning and wood sculpture, with mainly reclaimed wood. He makes functional items such as bowls and platters, but also enjoys making one-of-a-kind sculptures. His studio is located close to town and provides him with a comfortable working environment.

**L** 9 Strawberry Lane (Hidden Valley subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-633-4152  
**M** 9 Strawberry Lane, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5W4

**102. Edith Jerome** *Painter*

Edith paints the history and wildlife of the Yukon, primarily with acrylics. She paints on many surfaces, including rocks and antlers.



**L** 833 Range Road, #50 (Takhini Trailer Court)  
**H** Monday, Tuesday and Thursday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-4039  
**M** 833 Range Road, #50, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3A7

**103. Mary Joe** *Traditional garment-maker*

With many years of experience, Mary creates beautiful moccasins using home-tanned moosehide and beaver fur and fine beadwork. She makes slippers in all sizes from newborn to adult. Mary also sews fur mitts, using felt, home-tanned moosehide and beaver fur, adding fringes for the final touch. Knitted throw blankets and pillowcases are also available. Special orders are welcome.

**T** 867-633-3970  
**M** 833 Range Road, #51, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3A7

**104. James C. Kirby** *Stone sculptor, mammoth-ivory carver***Ancient Spirit Art**

**T** 867-456-7897  
**E** jckirby@polarcom.com  
**W** www.ancientspiritart.ca



**105. Carmen Komish***Glass artist***Aurora Stained Glass and Supplies**

Carmen started her glass-art career working with stained glass, but soon branched out to work with fused glass and torch-work beads. She also offers glass-art classes. A long-time Yukoner, Carmen draws inspiration from her many memories of growing up in the southern Yukon. Carmen sells her work at Aurora Stained Glass and Supplies, Yukon Gallery, the Fireweed Market and local Christmas fairs.



**L** 12-151 Industrial Road (Calcite Centre)  
**H** Tuesday to Friday, 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Saturday, noon to 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-667-6050 (studio) **F** 867-667-6052 (store)  
**E** carmark@whtvcable.ca  
**M** 12-151 Industrial Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2V3

**106. Philippe LeBlond***Sculptor*

Philippe has moved downtown and expanded his bike shop. He is devoting space to exhibiting and selling his kinetic sculptures and recycled material crafts.

**L** 508 Wood Street  
**H** Drop in **T** 867-633-5600  
**E** vanes@internorth.com  
**M** 508 Wood Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2G1

**107. Ann MacKenzie***Fibre artist*

Ann makes felt and uses it to make slippers, mitts and hats. The objects are sometimes embellished with beads, embroidery and silk. She also makes needle felt pictures, as well as tea cosies, bags and vests. Ann's work has been exhibited in shows in the Yukon, Vancouver and NWT. Ann gives one-hour workshops in which participants can make a simple piece of felt to take home (advance notice required).



**L** 361 Valleyview Crescent, on the Alaska Highway near the Whitehorse Airport  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-5767  
**E** hainespass@yahoo.com  
**M** 361 Valleyview Crescent, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3C9

**108. Joyce Majiski***Printmaker, mixed-media artist***Tuktu Studio**

Joyce is a multi-media artist. Her imagery is nature based and she is well known for her caribou series of etchings and monoprints. She was commissioned to make 30 copper birds at the Canada



Winter Games Centre. Her work is for sale at Yukon Artists at Work and her studio.

**Graveuse et artiste spécialiste des techniques mixtes**

*Joyce est une artiste multidisciplinaire. Ses images sont axées sur la nature.*

*On la connaît surtout pour la série de gravures et de monotypes représentant des caribous. On lui a confié la tâche de réaliser 30 oiseaux de cuivre pour le Centre des Jeux du Canada. Ses œuvres sont en vente à Yukon Artists at Work ainsi qu'à son atelier.*

**L** 164 Venus Place (Golden Horn subdivision, Alaska Highway)  
**H** call ahead/prendre rendez-vous par téléphone  
**T** 867-633-3440 **E** joyvenus@internorth.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31258, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5P7  
**W** www.dawsonarts.com/~jmajiski

**109. Judy Matechuk***Fibre artist, mixed-media artist*

Judy combines textiles and glass to make art. She utilizes the texture and colour of fabric in her Yukon landscapes and "sand-brushes" ghostly images on the framing glass. Her longtime love of the north and its history is evident in her fusion of hue and image.

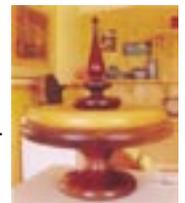


Judy's work is available at Arts Underground and through her studio and web site.

**L** 3 Redwood Street (Porter Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-633-5523 **F** 867-633-4319  
**E** Matechuk@northwestel.net  
**M** 3 Redwood Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4B2  
**W** www.matechuk.com

**110. Norm Matechuk***Woodworker, furniture-maker*

Norm is a Yukoner working in wood, glass, stone and metal. His turnings and furnishings adorn homes and businesses as commissioned and individual pieces. He utilizes local Yukon woods and burls, as well as exotic hardwoods, sometimes embellishing with horn, ivory or soapstone. Norm's work is sold at Arts Underground and through his studio and website.



**L** 3 Redwood Street (Porter Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-668-1389  
**F** 867-633-4319 **E** no@northwestel.net  
**M** 3 Redwood Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 4B2  
**W** www.matechuk.com

**111. Lara Melnik***Bead-maker, polymer clay artist, jeweler*

Visit the beadress in her lair, where she creates intricate millefiori beads. Lara designs one-of-a-kind jewelry, whimsical sculpture and framed flat pieces she calls "quilt-work" or "clay-landscape." See where beads come from and learn more about the new medium of polymer clay. Lara will attend the Spruce Bog Craft Fair in November and will co-host The Littlest Art and Craft Fair on



December 8, 2007.

**L** Lot 1037 Shallow Bay Road, km 213 North Klondike Highway (look for studio signs)  
**H** Daily: 10 a.m. – 9 p.m. **T** 867-667-6116  
**E** lara@laramelnik.com  
**M** P.O. Box 20932, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6P2  
**W** www.laramelnik.com

**112. Tony Painter***Carver, knife-maker*

Tony is a self-taught carver and knife-maker. He generally uses pre-historic mammoth and walrus ivory to create high-quality pendants, some of which are inlaid with gold or paua shell and strung with his own hand-woven cord. His knives are custom-made using a variety of stainless steel, tool steel or Damascus, with handles made from exotic hardwoods, antler and ivory. His work can be seen in various galleries in the Yukon and Alaska and has been exported worldwide. Tony usually participates in the Cranberry Fair.

**L** 87 Fireweed Drive (Mary Lake subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-3323  
**E** jimmies@klondiker.com  
**M** 87 Fireweed Drive, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5T8  
**W** www.tonypainterdesigns.com



**113. Nathalie Parenteau***Painter*

Each of Nathalie's paintings incorporates her original style. Working in acrylic and oil, she strives to create and transmit a mood. Her drawings and clay figures are intended to soothe the mind.

*Peintre*

*Toutes les œuvres de Nathalie témoignent de son originalité. L'huile et l'acrylique lui permettent de créer et de partager ses émotions avec les*

*amateurs d'art. Ses dessins et ses figurines d'argile ont le pouvoir d'apaiser l'esprit.*

**L** 4078 4th Avenue, corner of Hanson Street, Suite 2 (downtown)  
**H** By appointment/*sur rendez-vous*  
**T** 867-668-4289 **E** nathalie@pixelfmapper.com  
**M** 100 Lewes Boulevard, #19, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3W1  
**W** www.pixelfmapper.com

**114. Alice Patnode***Painter*

Alice paints in all media, favouring oils. She attempts to capture the beautiful landscapes of the Yukon, specializing in flowers. Her work can be seen at her studio or at Arts Underground.

**L** 24 11th Avenue  
 (Porter Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-2285  
**M** 24 11th Avenue, Whitehorse, YT,  
 Y1A 4H7

**115. Christine Phillips***Printmaker, ceramicist, painter***Chrisalyn Creations**

Christine's work is showcased in her home studio and display gallery. Visitors can view a wide array of items, including northern-themed ceramic ornaments, original prints, watercolours and acrylic paintings. Christine hosts a craft sale in her studio prior to Christmas; call closer to the date for dates and hours.



**L** 94 Alsek Road (Riverdale subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-668-5885 **F** 867-668-4322  
**E** chrisalyn@yknet.ca  
**M** 94 Alsek Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3K4

**116. Rosemary Piper***Painter, printmaker, jewelry designer*

The inspiration for Rosemary's paintings is the land, its people and the ever-changing atmosphere. Her jewelry is influenced by the relationship between colour, shape and pattern. She also produces cards and limited edition prints. Rosemary is involved in several shows in November and December and in the Fireweed Market and Longest Days Street Fair throughout the summer months.



**L** 504 Range Road, #118 (beside Takhini School)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-668-5776 **F** 867-668-5776  
**E** rosemarypiper\_artist@hotmail.com  
**M** 504 Range Road, #118, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3A2  
**W** www.dawsonarts.com/~piper

**117. Kathy Piwowar***Painter, mixed-media artist*

Kathy is a sketch artist and painter with an interest in figures, human and otherwise. The last few years she has explored northern landscapes and wildlife themes in new media, including video and digitally manipulated photos. Kathy has

also branched into making vessels of hog gut or papier mâché and sculptures of beads, feathers and wire.

**L** 7181 7th Avenue (downtown)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-667-7778  
**E** gpiwowar@northwestel.net  
**M** 7181 7th Avenue, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 1R3  
**W** www.piwoweb.com

**118. Karen Rhebergen***Batik artist, painter*

The resist process of batik is an ancient craft, dating back 2000 years. Karen combines the traditional method of batik with constant exploration of the possibilities of wax and dye. Karen's expressive originals and limited editions are displayed in her home studio, Yukon Gallery and Arts Underground in Whitehorse and at the Dancing Moose gift shop in Dawson City.

**L** 6 Liard Road (Riverdale subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-393-3638  
**E** karenrhebergen@yahoo.ca  
**M** 6 Liard Road, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3L4

**119. George Roberts***Knife-maker***Bandit Blades**

George began to make his own steel knives when he couldn't find the ones he wanted. He uses exotic woods such as rosewood, ebony, ipe, burl and snakewood. While his knives, which can be embellished with scrimshaw,

gold or silver engraving, are considered art, George also considers them "usable collectibles" and guarantees them for life under normal use. George usually exhibits his work at the Cranberry Fair.

**L** 3 Fraser Road, Unit D (McCrae East subdivision, south of the Whitehorse Airport on the east side of the Alaska Highway)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-667-7099  
**F** 867-667-7099 **E** bandityukon@canada.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31228, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5P7

**120. Andrea Rodger***Garment designer/maker, fashion designer***Sportees Activewear**

Sportees is a custom manufacturer of active sportswear, specializing in garments made from Polartec fleeces. Its products are made in the North for the North. There are finished items in stock and Andrea also offers a large selection of fabrics from which one-of-a-kind items can be produced.

**L** 310 Wood Street (downtown)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
 Saturday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-668-2691 **F** 867-668-2691  
**E** andrea@sportees.com  
**M** 310 Wood Street, Whitehorse, YT,  
 Y1A 2E6  
**W** www.sportees.com



**121. Stephanie Ryan**

Painter

Stephanie is a local watercolour artist who loves the changing colour and light of the Yukon. The local trails and mountainsides provide great adventure and inspiration for her painting.

**L** 22 Dieppe Drive  
**H** call ahead **T** 867-393-4586  
**E** sa\_ryan@canoemail.com  
**M** 22 Dieppe Drive, Whitehorse, YT,  
 Y1A 3A8  
**W** www.reproducingart.com

**122. Chris Scherbarth**

Ceramicist

Chris divides her creative time between making mosaics and producing one-of-a-kind art objects from clay. She welcomes commissions and is happy to make a welcome sign, hall mirror, table top or kitchen clock to order. Chris displays her work year-round at the Yukon Artists at Work Gallery in MacRae. In addition, she will be the featured artist in July at the Chocolate Claim Café in Whitehorse.



**L** 1047 Gentian Lane  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-393-2929  
**M** P.O. Box 10060, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 7A1  
**E** insignia@northwestel.net

**123. Mike Skene**

Glass artist

**The Stained Glass Guy**

Mike works out of a country cabin studio. He works with traditional leaded, contemporary, custom works and installation and does repairs. He can be found at the Fireweed Community market, Spruce Bog or in his shop.

**L** 2 Alpine Way  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-456-4179  
**E** mikesglass@operamail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31645, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6L2

**124. Ed Smarch**

Carver, traditional garment-maker

Ed Smarch is of the Eagle Clan with the Teslin Tlingit Council. He carves wooden masks, house posts, plaques, spoons and rattles. He also makes clothing, including moccasins. He was taught to sew by his mother, Virginia Smarch, and learned to carve by watching skilled carvers such as Keith Wolfe Smarch (#31) and Dempsey Bob. He stocks a small variety of items and takes special orders.

**L** 9 McCandless Crescent (McIntyre subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-2406  
**M** 9 McCandless Crescent, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3H5

**125. Ann Smith**

Weaver

Ann weaves wool, cedar bark and spruce root in the tradition of her Tlingit and Tutchone ancestors. Her works — from small medicine pouches and baskets to complex dance robes and regalia — provide a rare glimpse into ancient aboriginal culture.



**L** km 3.5 Long Lake Road  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-668-3722  
**M** P.O. Box 32098, Whitehorse, YT,  
 Y1A 5P9

**126. Lynne Sofiak**

Potter



The influence of many decades spent potting in the Yukon can be seen in the freehand decorations of metal oxides dancing around Lynne's pots. The interplay of the oxides and richness of the glazes create patterns that hint of flowers, birds and insects. By subtly altering forms and carving rims at the freshly wheel-thrown state, Lynne imparts an aura of elegance to her clay work. Her work can be seen at Yukon Artists at Work.

**L** 1306 Centennial Street (Porter Creek subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-633-3141  
**E** sofiak@klondiker.com  
**M** 1306 Centennial Street, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3Z2

**127. Harreson Tanner**

Sculptor

Harreson creates ceremonial images and masks and busts of historical figures. His portfolio features an African series and portrayals of historical First Nations peoples. His style is intuitive and the works are both tactile and visual. He mostly works in clay. Finishes range from waxes to traditional ceramic glazes.



**L** 3B Glacier Drive (McCrae East subdivision, south of the airport)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-456-4865 or 867-456-2565  
**F** 867-456-4865 **E** harresontanner@artlover.com  
**M** 19-100 Lewes Blvd., Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 3W1  
**W** yaaw.com

**128. Robert Vallée**

Mixed-media artist

Robert has been looking for a long time for an artform that would correspond to his interests. He finally found it, a perfect match of art and science. Fractals are produced by computer but created with millions of mathematical formulas.



*Artiste spécialiste des techniques mixtes*  
 Depuis longtemps, Robert cherchait la forme d'art susceptible de l'intéresser. Enfin, Robert l'a trouvée : l'union parfaite entre l'art et la science. Les fractales sont générées par ordinateur, mais créées par des millions de formules mathématiques.

**L** km 19 South Klondike Highway  
**H** Any time or by appointment/avec ou sans rendez-vous  
**T** 867-667-7055 **E** fractalvision@msn.com  
**M** P.O. Box 31045, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5P7

**129. Ukjese van Kampen**

Painter

Ukjese's artwork blends his Native American roots and his European ancestry. Using motifs from the Yukon Tutchone people and Northwest Coast Indian art, Ukjese adds the western art tradition to create an individual style. His works can be found in collections in Ottawa, Phoenix, Amsterdam, Paris, Munich, Rome and Australia.

**L** 29 MacPherson Rd. (MacPherson subdivision)  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-668-3184  
**E** tutchoneart@yahoo.com  
**W** www.tutchoneart.com  
**M** 29 MacPherson Road, Whitehorse, YT,  
 Y1A 5S3



**130. Mario Villeneuve**

*Photographer*

Mario is a fine-art photographer, combining contemporary subjects, unconventional cameras and alternative printing processes. Mario creates images in the experimental style of the “antiquarian avant-garde.”

- L** 204A Main Street (back alley)
- H** Drop in or call ahead
- T** 867-456-2913
- F** 867-456-2913
- E** villeneuve8@hotmail.com
- M** P.O. Box 30098, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5M2



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**131. Shane Wilson**

*Carver*



Shane is an award-winning Yukon sculptor who works in natural materials such as antler, horn, mammoth ivory and stone. His style ranges from the abstract to the realistic. Shane finds inspiration in the vast wild spaces of Yukon.

- L** 3 Glacier Drive (McCrae East subdivision, south of the airport on the east side of the Alaska Highway)
- H** Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- T** 867-667-4103
- E** shane@shanewilson.com
- M** 108 Elliot Street, Suite 205, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 6C4
- W** www.shanewilson.com

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**132. Bud Young**

*Carver*

Bud is a self taught wildlife carver-sculptor who started with wood decorative decoys in 1990 and expanded to antler, horn and soapstone as working media. His art is displayed in galleries and shops throughout the Yukon, British Columbia and Alaska. He was awarded the Peoples Choice Award for carving and sculpture at the Great Northern Arts Festival in Inuvik, NWT.

- L** 10 Iris Place (Mary Lake subdivision)
- H** Daily, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. or call ahead
- T** 867-334-5892
- E** yukonwolfbud@yahoo.ca
- W** www.spiritwolfarts.com
- M** 10 Iris Place, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5V2



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**133. Jackie Ziehe**

*Painter*

Images in landscapes provide the vehicle for Jackie’s exploration of light and colour relationships. She is most interested in how nature reclaims wilderness after human impact and she constantly finds beauty in small hidden corners. Her original impressionistic images vary in size and are generally watercolour or acrylic.



- L** 86 Finch Crescent  
(Logan subdivision)
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-667-4971    **F** 867-667-4971
- E** kjziehe@internorth.com
- M** P.O. Box 4, Whitehorse, YT,  
Y1A 5X9

# Kluane

## Champagne, Haines Junction, Destruction Bay, Burwash Landing, Beaver Creek

The Kluane region is considered by many to be the soul of the Yukon. Its main attraction is Kluane National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that features unrivalled scenery, the enduring cultural heritage of First Nations peoples, and the greatest diversity of flora and fauna in northern Canada. Although visitors who remain on the highway are never disappointed, those who pull off the road to lace up their hiking boots, take a flight, or jump in a river raft, learn what it really means to live on the wild side.

A landscape that includes Canada's highest mountain (Mount Logan), sweeping icefields, and crystal-clear lakes is nature's own canvas. The Kluane region also offers plenty of opportunities for visitors who can appreciate the human touches inspired by grandeur on so great a scale.

*Plusieurs considèrent la région de Kluane comme l'âme du Yukon. Avec ses paysages d'une beauté inégalée, son passé riche en légendes autochtones et la diversité de la faune et la flore qu'il abrite, le parc national Kluane, reconnu comme un site du patrimoine mondial par l'UNESCO, en est bien sûr une des principales attractions. Quoiqu'on puisse tout à fait bien en apprécier les charmes dans le confort de sa voiture, les plus aventureux qui se lancent, bottes de marche au pied, à la conquête des nombreux sentiers qui sillonnent la région, partent en radeau explorer les méandres de ses rivières tumultueuses ou osent braver les hauteurs à bord d'un aéronef pourront se targuer de s'être vraiment mesurés à la nature à son état le plus sauvage.*

*Comment rivaliser avec une « artiste » dont les chefs-d'œuvre incluent la plus haute montagne du Canada (le mont Logan), des champs de glace millénaires et des lacs aux eaux cristallines? Pourtant la région ne manque pas de créateurs déterminés à rendre à l'échelle humaine ce qu'autant de grandeur a pu inspirer.*

### Annual events

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#### **Alsek Music Festival**

The Alsek Music Festival offers a variety of musical styles, from folk to jazz, classical to country, bluegrass to rock-and-roll — all set under the majestic St. Elias Mountains. Local artists display and sell their work at arts and crafts venues on the festival grounds.

**D** June 8–10, 2007  
**L** Haines Junction, Dezadeash River Day-Use Area  
**T** 867-634-3828 (Bruce Binder) **F** 867-634-2921  
**M** P.O. Box 5467, Haines Junction, YT, Y0B 1L0

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#### **Kluane Mountain Bluegrass Festival**

"Folk music in overdrive," this festival showcases bluegrass and old-time folk music, including the very best North American and regional bands. Highlights include more than 30 hours of concerts, an alcohol-free family dance, workshops, a slow jam, and gospel music in the local church.

**D** June 8–10, 2007  
**L** Convention Centre, Haines Junction  
**T** 867-634-2765 (Bob Hayes) **F** 867-634-7046  
**E** hayes@linesat.com  
**M** P.O. Box 5499, Haines Junction, YT, Y0B 1L0  
**W** www.kluanemountainbluegrassfest.com

## Champagne

The tiny historic community of Champagne, situated on the Dezadeash River, is located approximately halfway between Whitehorse and Haines Junction. The Southern Tutchone community of Champagne has an ancient history for the neighbouring Yukon and Alaskan First Nations, who annually came to this plentiful region to meet and trade. A trading post was established in 1902. Later, during the construction of the Alaska Highway in 1942, the community experienced a small economic boom. After the war ended and the highway was complete, many people left Champagne to seek their fortunes elsewhere. Today, the population of this ancient community is less than ten.

*La petite collectivité de Champagne, établie en bordure de la rivière Dezadeash, se trouve presque à mi-chemin entre Whitehorse et Haines Junction. Les premiers habitants de Champagne, les Tutchone du Sud, ont joué un rôle marquant dans l'histoire du commerce entre les premières nations de l'Alaska et du Yukon qui se rassemblaient chaque année dans les environs pour s'adonner au troc et fêter. Un poste de traite y fut érigé en 1902. Une quarantaine d'années plus tard, la collectivité a connu un petit essor économique généré par la construction de la route de l'Alaska, mais celui-ci fut de courte durée : aussitôt la construction terminée, la plupart des gens qui s'y étaient établis sont partis chercher fortune ailleurs. Aujourd'hui la population de Champagne compte moins de dix personnes.*

### Where to see art

#### Kwaday Dan Kenji

Kwaday Dan Kenji ("Long Ago Peoples Place") welcomes all visitors to take an educational/interpretive hike that will transport them back in time and show them how First Nations survived. Enjoy a cup of hot tea and a taste of bannock in a pristine setting. Tours are available upon request.

- L** Turn off Alaska Highway at km 1500 (mile 938) on to the Old Alaska Highway. Drive 7 km and turn right.
- H** May 1 to September 15: Tuesday to Sunday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. (call ahead for reservations)
- T** 867-634-7047 (voice message) or 667-6375
- F** 867-634-7069
- E** metawilliams@gosympatico.com

## Haines Junction

Nestled in the shadow of the St. Elias Mountains, the picture-postcard village of Haines Junction is the hub of the Kluane region. Located at the junction of the Haines and Alaska highways, Haines Junction is a staging point for wilderness recreation activities, including river rafting, glacier flights, and hiking and biking tours of all kinds.

*Sise à l'ombre des monts St. Elias, la petite communauté pittoresque de Haines Junction est le chef-lieu de la région de Kluane. Située à l'intersection de la route de l'Alaska et de la route de Haines, la municipalité est un carrefour important pour les adeptes du tourisme d'aventure, qu'il s'agisse de descente de rivière en radeau pneumatique, de randonnée pédestre, d'excursion en vélo ou d'excursion aérienne au-dessus des glaciers.*

### Visitor information centre

- L** Logan Street at Kluane, two blocks west of Alaska Highway
- H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.; mid-September to mid-October: daily, 9 a.m. – noon and 1 – 4 p.m.; mid-October to mid-May: Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. – noon and 1 – 4 p.m.
- T** 867-634-2345

### Where to see art

#### Garden of Weeden

This fantasy garden created by Al MacLean is made of brightly painted burls in the shapes of dragons, snakes and other creatures. Wildflowers flourish in the summer, giving the garden a mystical appearance. Viewers are asked to respect the owner's privacy by viewing the garden only from the road.

- L** 100 Bates Street (Turn east off the Alaska Highway onto Hume Street at the four-way stop. Go one block, then turn right onto Bates Street and drive to the very end. The garden is on the left.)

#### Village Monument

This large whimsical sculpture depicts the area surrounding Haines Junction. The scene includes mountains with local flora and fauna, including a moose, bear, Dall sheep and birds. A human figure in jeans, checked shirt and hardhat sits on the mountain among the animals.

- L** Corner of the Alaska Highway, Hume Street and Haines Highway

#### St. Elias Convention Centre

The St. Elias Convention Centre is home to a growing collection of art. Just through the main doors is the Millennium Quilt, designed by local artist Libby Dulac (#134) and machine-stitched by the Threadbearers Quilting Group.

The stage backdrops for the Asek Music Festival and the Kluane Mountain Bluegrass Festival are also displayed. *Music Under The Mountains*, by Sally Wright, uses the ancient Japanese Bokashi method of wax and dye. *Bluegrass* is machine-appliquéd and machine-quilted by local resident Brigitte Geske. A triptych by Yukon artist Nathalie Parenteau (#113) celebrates Canada's highest peak, Mount Logan.

In the atrium is the St. Elias Community School Millennium Mural. The mural is composed of 224 ceramic tiles, each handmade, painted and glazed by the students of the St. Elias Community School. *Yukon Animal Tracks* is a series of ceramic wall panels depicting actual animal tracks.

The Convention Centre also houses a local history exhibit, *The Cultural Landscape of Kluane*.

- L** Bakke Street (turn east off the Alaska Highway onto Hume Street at the intersection of the Alaska and Haines Highways, then left onto Bakke Street)
- H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. – noon and 1 – 5 p.m.
- T** 867-634-7100

## Where to buy arts and crafts

### Madley's General Store

Locally made crafts and Yukon smoked salmon are sold here.

- L** East side of the Alaska Highway, just north of the four-way stop at the junction of the Alaska and Haines highways  
**H** Daily: 8 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
**T** 867-634-2200 **F** 867-634-2245  
**E** madleys@northwestel.net  
**M** P.O. Box 5371, Haines Junction, YT, Y0B 1L0

### Raven Hotel Gourmet Dining and Raven Memories Boutique

Art, crafts and fashion are available here.

- L** West side of the Alaska Highway at Kluane Street, one block north of the four-way stop  
**H** May to September: daily, 2 – 10 p.m.  
**T** 867-634-2500 **F** 867-634-2517  
**E** kluaneraven@yknnet.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 5470, Haines Junction, YT, Y0B 1L0  
**W** www.yukonweb.com/tourism/raven/

## Artist listing

### 134. Libby Dulac

Painter

The majesty of the Kluane region continues to be the inspiration for most of Libby's work. Her Yukon landscape paintings, in oil, acrylic and watercolour, are well known to private and corporate collectors. Libby has had three solo exhibitions and numerous shows with other artists. Originals and limited edition prints are available at her home studio.



- L** km 1573 (mile 1013) Alaska Highway, 1 km west of Pine Lake campground, 5 km east of Haines Junction  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-634-2512  
**M** P.O. Box 5354, Haines Junction, YT, Y0B 1L0

## Destruction Bay

Destruction Bay is north of Haines Junction on the shore of beautiful Kluane Lake in the Shakwak Valley. This small village was formed during the construction of the Alaska Highway to serve as a construction and maintenance camp. The community received its name when the original camp was destroyed by a severe windstorm in the 1940s.

*Au nord de Haines Junction, dans la vallée Shakwak, se trouve Destruction Bay, un petit village reposant au bord du spectaculaire lac Kluane. Érigé à l'époque de la construction de la route de l'Alaska pour servir de cantonnement au personnel de chantier et de poste d'entretien, le village tient son nom des vents violents qui firent rage et détruisirent le campement original dans les années 1940.*

## Where to buy arts and crafts

### Talbot Arm Motel

The gift shop features local arts and crafts in gold, wood and beads.

- L** West side of Alaska Highway  
**H** Daily: 7 a.m. – 11 p.m.  
**T** 867-841-4461 **F** 867-841-4804

### Kluane Wilderness Village

Locally handcrafted burl gifts by Scully, including bowls, canes and tables, are sold here.

- L** km 1789 (mile 1118) Alaska Highway  
**H** Daily: 24 hours a day, year-round  
**T** 867-841-4141 **F** 867-841-4141  
**M** Mile 1118, Alaska Highway, YT, Y0B 1H0  
**W** www.karo-ent.com/kluanewv.htm

## Artist listing

### 135. Yvonne M. Howe

Painter, soapstone carver

Yvonne has climbed mountains in Colorado and Switzerland, always sketching and painting. She has lived in Bethal, Alaska among the Yupik people. She has received several first-place blue ribbons at the Alaska South East State Fair in Haines. In July 2006 she won first and second place in the Alaska State Fair. Yvonne speaks German.



- L** 96 Shakwak (the only road south of Talbot Arm Motel, third house on right); large pull-through driveway suitable for full-size motorhomes and cars  
**H** Call ahead if possible or drop by daily, 10 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
**T** 867-841-4080  
**M** General Delivery, Destruction Bay, YT, Y0B 1H0

## Burwash Landing

Located north of Haines Junction in the Shakwak Valley at the edge of Kluane National Park, the village of Burwash Landing was originally a summer camp location for the Southern Tutchone people. When gold was discovered at Fourth of July Creek in 1904, the site became home to the Jacquot brothers' trading post. A free walking-tour booklet is available. This self-guided tour offers a brief history of Burwash Landing, with artist's sketches and descriptions of local historic structures. Ask for a copy at the Kluane Museum of Natural History.

*Au nord de Haines Junction, à la limite du parc national Kluane, dans la vallée Shakwak, se trouve le village de Burwash Landing, une pittoresque petite communauté sise en bordure du lac. À l'origine simple camp d'été pour les Tutchone du Sud, le lieu est devenu un site de commerce relativement prospère après l'établissement d'un poste de traite par les frères Jacquot, attirés dans la région par la découverte d'or dans le ruisseau Fourth of July, en 1904.*

*On peut se procurer au musée d'histoire naturelle de Kluane un exemplaire de la brochure Burwash Landing à pied, petit guide touristique illustré de dessins d'artistes locaux qui donne un bref aperçu de l'histoire de la localité et de son patrimoine bâti.*

## Where to buy arts and crafts

### Kluane Museum of Natural History

Local First Nations artwork and crafts are sold in the gift shop.

- L** km 1795 (mile 1093) Alaska Highway (look for the giant gold pan on the northeast side of the highway)  
**H** May 15 to September 15: 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
**T** 867-841-5561 **F** 867-841-5605  
**E** kluanemus@yknnet.yk.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 45, Burwash Landing, YT, Y0B 1V0

## Beaver Creek

Almost 300 km northwest of Haines Junction, just a short distance from the Canada/U.S. border on the Alaska Highway, Beaver Creek is Canada's westernmost community. Beaver Creek is home to the White River First Nation, comprised of the Upper Tanana people of Alaska and the Yukon's Northern Tutchone people. In the early 1900s, Beaver Creek was established as a camp for the team surveying the Alaska/Canada border. Later, after the construction of the Alaska Highway, a Canada Customs post was established and the community began to grow.

*À quelques kilomètres à peine de la frontière entre le Canada et les États-Unis, la route de l'Alaska traverse la localité de Beaver Creek, à la pointe ouest du Canada. Située à quelque 300 km au nord-ouest de Haines Junction, Beaver Creek est au cœur du territoire ancestral de la première nation de White River, qui regroupe des descendants des Upper Tanana originaires de l'Alaska et des Tutchone du Nord originaires du Yukon. Au tournant du siècle dernier, Beaver Creek n'était qu'un simple camp abritant les équipes d'arpenteurs chargés du levé de la frontière avec l'Alaska; ce n'est qu'après la construction de la route de l'Alaska et l'aménagement du poste de douane que la collectivité a pris de l'ampleur.*

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### Visitor information centre

- L** West side of Alaska Highway  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-862-7321

### Where to see art

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### Visitor information centre

The centre features a display of locally-made arts and crafts.

- H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-862-7321

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### Border Town Garage and Museum

Sid Sr. and Lorraine VanderMeer have a collection of hundreds of items on display, from gold rush days to the building of the Alaska Highway. They also have many items from the Chisana Gold Rush, and many items pertaining to trapping and prospecting. They also have antique cars. Everyone is welcome to tour their collection.

- H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-862-7340      **F** 867-862-7340  
**M** General Delivery, Beaver Creek, YT, Y0B 1A0

# Campbell

## Faro, Ross River

Tucked away in east-central Yukon, the Campbell region's vast tracts of wilderness are popular with travellers who want room to roam amid abundant wildlife. Both the region and the major highway that traverses it are named after Robert Campbell, a Hudson's Bay Company fur trader who was the first white explorer to visit the area. The remote Canol Road, constructed for military purposes in 1942, proves that the trip of a lifetime can have a dead end as its destination.

The communities in the Campbell region may be small, but they are home to big artistic talents. A trip to scenic Faro, famous for its Fannin sheep, offers special rewards thanks to the large community of artists who draw their creative visions and materials from the surrounding environment.

*La région traversée par la route Robert-Campbell, dans le centre-est du Yukon, est une destination prisée par les fervents du tourisme en milieu sauvage. La région et la route portent le nom du premier Blanc, un commerçant de fourrure travaillant pour la Compagnie de la Baie d'Hudson, à s'être aventuré dans le secteur. La route Canol, construite à des fins militaires dans les années 1940, prouve que même les projets les plus ambitieux peuvent finir en cul-de-sac.*

*En dépit de leur taille modeste, les collectivités qui parsèment la région abritent une communauté d'artistes très dynamiques. Qu'on s'y rende pour voir les célèbres mouflons de Fannin ou découvrir les œuvres des nombreux artistes qui s'y sont établis pour mieux se laisser inspirer par la beauté du milieu environnant et y puiser les matériaux nécessaires à leurs créations, une visite à Faro ne saurait décevoir.*

### Annual events

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#### Fireweed Festival

This annual fall festival features horticultural events, artist displays and sales. For hours and program details please call closer to the date or check the web site.

**D** August 17 – 19, 2007  
**T** 867-994-2375      **E** farorec@faroyukon.ca  
**M** Box 580, Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0  
**W** www.faroyukon.ca

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#### Ross River Cultural Exchange

Events include stick-gambling, dancers and the Ross River Drummers, who are well known throughout the Yukon.

**D** Last weekend in July (call closer to date for confirmation)  
**T** 867-969-2279

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#### Sheep and Crane Festival

View migrating Sandhill cranes and rare Fannin sheep at a variety of viewing decks and locations. Enjoy guided tours, talks and workshops. Arts and crafts are displayed at various locations.

**D** May 11 – 13, 2007  
**L** Campbell Street, fourth building on right from highway turnoff  
**H** Call closer to the date for program information  
**T** 867-994-3154      **E** info@faroyukon.ca  
**W** www.faroyukon.ca

## Faro

Located just off the Campbell Highway on the banks of the Pelly River, the community of Faro was carved out of the Anvil Mountain Range. Nestled against the mountain in a series of benches, the town overlooks a magnificent river valley teeming with wolves, moose and grizzly bears. Higher up in the mountains, visitors are treated to close-up views of Faro's primary wildlife attraction: the Fannin sheep that reside on the slopes just above town.

A mining town established in 1968 to supply one of the world's largest lead-zinc mines, Faro has become a thriving community of artists, wildlife enthusiasts and entrepreneurs since the closing of the mine at the end of the 1990s.

*La localit  de Faro, sise sur les berges de la rivi re Pelly, que longe la route Robert-Campbell, a  t  litt ralement taill e dans les monts Anvil. Constitu e d'une s rie de terrasses am nag es   flanc de montagne, la municipalit  offre une vue plongeante sur la vall e de la Pelly, abondamment fr quent e par les loups, les orignaux et les grizzlis. Avec un peu de chance, les visiteurs pourront apercevoir sur les falaises qui surplombent la ville ce qui fait la renomm e de l'endroit : un troupeau de moutons de Fannin.*

*Incorpor e en 1968, la municipalit  de Faro a d'abord abrit  les ouvriers de l'une des mines de plomb et de zinc les plus productives du monde. Depuis la fermeture de la mine, au milieu des ann es 1990, la ville s'est convertie en havre pour les artistes, fervents du plein air et cr ateurs de petites entreprises.*

### Visitor information centre

The Canada Day Poster award for 2003 hangs in both the Municipal office and the visitor information centre. The sculpture in front of the visitor information centre is by Jerry Kortello.

- L** Campbell Street, log building, second building on right from highway turnoff  
**H** June to August: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.; Sept.: 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.; municipal office open all year Mon. to Fri., 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
**T** 867-994-2288 **E** cric@faroyukon.ca or info@faroyukon.ca  
**W** www.faroyukon.ca

### Where to see art

#### Anvil Range Arts Society

Anvil Range Arts Society (ARAS) is a non-profit arts organization that promotes and supports Faro's community of local artists and craftspeople. Twice a week from May to September ARAS members offer a wide variety of workshops and demonstrations. They draw their creative visions and materials from the surrounding environment.

- L** Faro Interpretive Centre  
**H** Thursdays to Saturdays (subject to change; please call ahead)  
**T** 867-994-2288 **M** Box 580 Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0  
**W** www.faroyukon.ca

#### Dena Cho Trail

The Dena Cho Trail from Faro to Ross River features a sculpture at each trailhead. The sculpture at the Faro trailhead, next to the visitor information centre, was created by Jerry Kortello. The sculpture in Ross River was created by Gordon Peter (#142). For more information on the trail, inquire at the visitor information centre or visit www.faroyukon.ca.

### Campbell Region Interpretive Centre

The centre has seasonal displays of art by local artists and exhibits about the area's geology, natural history and cultural history.

- L** Visitor information centre  
**H** June to August: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.; May and September: 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-994-2288 or 867-994-2728 year round  
**E** cric@faroyukon.ca (seasonal) or info@faroyukon.ca  
**W** www.faroyukon.ca

### Municipal Office

The municipal office building displays three-dimensional works from the Yukon Permanent Art Collection, as well as artwork from local artists.

- L** Campbell Street, fourth building on the right from the highway turnoff  
**H** Summer: Mon. to Fri. (except holidays), 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.; Winter: Mon. to Fri. (except holidays), 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
**T** 867-994-2728  
**E** info@faroyukon.ca  
**W** www.faroyukon.ca

### Artist listings

#### 136. Rick Charlebois

Woodworker

##### Lone Wolf Creations

Rick has been fascinated with diamond willow since his arrival in the Yukon in 1978. He works mostly with diamond willow and aspen burls to create a variety of unique products, including lamps, candlesticks, plant stands and holders for pens and business cards. Custom orders considered.



Sculpteur sur bois

*Rick est fascin  par le saule jaune depuis son arriv e au Yukon en 1978.*

*Il travaille surtout avec cette essence et les broussins de peuplier faux-tremble pour cr er une gamme diversifi e d'objets d coratifs et usuels : lampes, chandeliers, porte-pots, porte-plumes, porte-cartes professionnelles, etc. Les commandes sp ciales sont prises en consid ration.*

- L** 136 Dawson Drive  
**H** Call ahead/T l phoner pour prendre rendez-vous  
**T** 867-994-2112 **E** ricklucy@northwestel.net  
**M** P.O. Box 694, Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0  
**W** www.lonewolfcreations.ca

#### 137. Jackie Dowell-Irvine

Mixed media-artist

Jackie lives with her husband and three children on a semi-remote acreage along the Magundy River near Faro. Inspiration for her painting comes from immersing herself in a simple life in tune with nature's rhythms. Her passion lies in creating authentic, individual pieces. She works with watercolour, acrylic pastel and charcoal.



- L** km 437 Robert Campbell Highway (Magundy River)  
**H** e-mail a week ahead of time from May to October to make an appointment for a guided tour  
**T** 867-994-2017  
**E** irvine\_770@hotmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 178, Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0

**138. Judy Freake***Home crafter***Judy's Kitchen**

Judy makes homemade preserves such as pickles and relishes. Her specialties, sweet mustard pickles and carrot pickles, are made in special sauces and can be served with any meal. Judy's products are available in several Yukon stores.



**L** 148/150 Dawson Drive (look for the New Valley B&B sign)  
**H** Most afternoons 2 – 6 p.m., but call ahead  
**T** 867-994-2122  
**E** freake@yknet.yk.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 177, Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0

**139. Peter Kazda***Carver, glass artist*

Peter is a long-time Yukon resident. He is fascinated by nature and people in the north. His wood carving is made with local materials and is internationally known. His art can be seen at



galleries in Whitehorse, Dawson, Watson Lake, Yellowknife, and also in the United States and Europe.

**H** Call ahead for appointment  
**T** 867-994-3022  
**E** pkazda@yahoo.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 287, Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0

**140. Lucy Moreira***Papermaker*

Lucy moved to the Yukon in 1993. She spent several summers working in Dawson City and on a remote trap line with her partner, Rick. Lucy has recently started making paper and binding books.

*Artisane et fabricante de papier*

*Lucy est arrivée au Yukon en 1993. Elle a travaillé plusieurs étés à Dawson, en plus d'exploiter une concession de piégeage avec Rick, son partenaire. Lucy s'est mise récemment à la fabrication de papier et à la reliure.*



**L** 136 Dawson Drive  
**H** Call ahead/Téléphoner pour prendre rendez-vous  
**T** 867-994-2112 **E** ricklucy@northwestel.net  
**M** P.O. Box 694, Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0  
**W** www.lonewolfcreations.ca

**141. Tanja Schaupp***Mixed-media artist***Yukon Harvest Arts and Natural Products**

Producing numerous forms of art and crafts with all kinds of natural materials, Tanja specializes in stone pets. They are useful as bookends, etc. and make decorative, unbreakable gifts. Her work is

available at the Faro Tourism Centre, where she holds workshops for adults and children in the summer. Tanja's art is also displayed at the annual Faro Sheep and Crane Festival.

**L** 3 Tintina subdivision  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-994-2753 **F** 867-994-2753  
**M** P.O. Box 494, Faro, YT, Y0B 1K0

**Ross River**

Situated in the central Yukon near the junction of the Robert Campbell Highway and the historic Canol Road, the community of Ross River is set in the heart of the enormous Tintina Trench. Bordered by the Pelly Mountains to the south and the Selwyn Range to the north, Ross River is located at the confluence of the Ross and Pelly rivers. The area's specialised habitat is believed to contain one of the highest concentrations of wildlife in the Yukon — including some species rarely, if ever, seen elsewhere in the Yukon. The Ross River area was long used by First Nations people as a summer gathering place; its history predates European contact.

*Située à l'intersection de la route Robert-Campbell et de la route Canol, Ross River se trouve à être au cœur du sillon Tintina, qui traverse le centre du Yukon. Bordée au sud par les monts Pelly et au nord par la chaîne de Selwyn, la municipalité est établie au confluent des rivières Ross et Pelly. Son emplacement au milieu d'un tel habitat explique que la région soit reconnue pour la quantité d'animaux sauvages qu'elle abrite, y compris des espèces rarement, voire jamais, observées ailleurs au Yukon. C'est sans doute pour la même raison que les Autochtones fréquentaient déjà l'endroit bien avant l'arrivée des Blancs.*

**Where to see art****Dena Cho Trail**

The Dena Cho Trail from Ross River to Faro features a sculpture at each trailhead. The sculpture at the Ross River trailhead was created by Gordon Peter (#142). For more information on the trail, inquire at the Ross River Dena Council office (867-699-2277).

**Where to buy arts and crafts****Dena General Store**

A selection of locally-made First Nations arts and crafts may be purchased here. Staff members are very knowledgeable about the artists in the community.

**L** Grey building across the street from the service centre  
**H** Monday to Friday 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.;  
 Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-969-2280 **F** 867-969-2815  
**E** dena-general@northwestel.net  
**M** P.O. Box 94, Ross River, YT, Y0B 1S0

**Artist listings****142. Gordon Peter***Carver*

Gordon is a self-taught artist who has been carving wood, bone and marble for 15 years. He makes masks, Kaska lamps, walking sticks, sheep-horn carvings and jewelry from mastodon ivory (this image is from the Yukon Permanent Art Collection). Gordon's work was



included in the 2005–06 exhibition *Traditions of Change* in Zurich, Switzerland. He has completed a piece for the Dena Cho Trail, and he takes commissions.

**L** House #114  
**H** Drop by anytime **E** losttrapper@yahoo.ca  
**T** 867-969-2829  
**M** P.O. Box 81, Ross River, YT, Y0B 1S0

## Mayo, Keno City

The Silver Trail is a story of First Nations cultures and mining activity set against a backdrop of scenic alpine vistas. People who relish the solitude of prospecting, hunting and trapping around quiet hills where miners once earned their living sustain the region's frontier character even as backcountry enthusiasts discover its appeal. A good road network provides easy access to historic walking tours, famous monuments, one of the Yukon's best museums and splendid butterfly-viewing opportunities.

The Silver Trail is also the place to find out what happens to artists who head off the beaten path — and keep on going. Keno City is about as far from bright lights and big cities as a person can get!

*Le secteur desservi par la Piste de l'argent, laquelle serpente au creux de vallons où se sont joués autant d'épisodes marquants de l'histoire des premières nations que de celle de l'industrie minière du Yukon, attire aussi bien les prospecteurs, chasseurs et piégeurs épris de solitude et farouchement déterminés à garder vivant le style de vie rude des anciens mineurs que les adeptes du tourisme d'aventure dans l'arrière-pays. Qu'on y vienne pour effectuer une visite à pied des sites historiques, jeter un coup d'œil aux principaux monuments, visiter un des plus riches musées du Yukon ou faire l'observation de papillons, l'entreprise vaut la peine.*

*Emprunter la Piste de l'argent c'est aussi partir à la découverte de ce qui se passe quand des artistes s'engagent hors des sentiers battus et ne font jamais demi-tour. À Keno, on est aussi loin de la civilisation et de la pollution lumineuse des grands centres que faire se peut.*

### Annual events

#### Mayo Arts Festival

This festival showcases local artists, arts and crafts demonstrations and music.

**D** June 23, 2007  
**L** Galena Park  
**T** 867-996-2317 (Mayo Municipal Office)

### Mayo

Located at the confluence of the Mayo and Stewart rivers, about 400 km north of Whitehorse, Mayo lies within the traditional territory of the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyak Dun (Na-Cho Nyak Dun means "big river people"). Originally established as a river port, Mayo grew to become a service centre for the significant mining activity in the area, the place where steamboats were loaded with silver ore. The Silver Trail to Mayo follows the path of the Stewart River and offers several pullouts with spectacular views of glaciated terrain.

A free walking tour booklet is available. This self-guided tour offers a brief history of Mayo, with artists' sketches and descriptions of interesting local historic structures. Ask for a copy at the Binet House.

*Mayo se trouve à quelque 400 km au nord de Whitehorse. Sise au confluent des rivières Mayo et Stewart, la municipalité est établie sur le territoire ancestral des Na-Cho Nyak Dun, « le peuple de la grande rivière ». À l'origine un simple port fluvial, Mayo est devenue un centre d'activité important durant l'âge d'or de l'exploitation minière et servait de point d'embarquement du minerai d'argent à bord des bateaux à aubes à destination du Sud. On peut voir la rivière Stewart*

*à plusieurs endroits le long de la Piste de l'argent et s'arrêter aux nombreuses aires d'observation pour admirer le paysage glaciaire.*

*On peut se procurer au centre d'interprétation de la maison Binet un exemplaire de la brochure Mayo à pied (bâtiments historiques), petit guide touristique illustré de dessins d'artistes locaux qui donne un bref aperçu de l'histoire de la localité et de son patrimoine bâti.*

### Where to see art

#### Municipal interpretive centre

**L** Centre Street, one block north of Bigway grocery store  
**H** June 1 to August 31: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-996-2926 or 867-996-2317  
**F** 867-996-2907 **E** mayo@northwestel.net  
**W** www.yukonweb.com/community/mayo

### Where to buy arts and crafts

#### Binet House

A selection of locally-made handicrafts can be purchased in this restored building, which also serves as the visitor information centre and museum for the town of Mayo.

**L** Centre Street, one block north of Bigway grocery store  
**H** June 1 to August 31: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-996-2926 or 996-2317  
**F** 867-996-2907  
**E** mayo@northwestel.net  
**W** www.yukonweb.com/community/mayo

#### Silver Trail Inn

The restaurant features folk-art chandeliers and other sculptural oddities made of driftwood, lending it a rustic charm. Some locally-made arts and crafts are also available for purchase.

**L** km 76 Silver Trail Highway,  
 on the road between Keno and Mayo  
**H** Daily: 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.  
**T** 867-996-2001

### Artist listings

#### 143. Cynthia Pavlovich

*Beader*

Cynthia was born and raised in the Yukon, where she developed a great appreciation for the beauty found in nature and the arts. Like the generation before her, Cynthia learned to bead and sew from her mother. Cynthia markets her own style of necklaces using many different colours and patterns.



**L** Located near Na-Cho Nyak Dun office (call for directions)  
**H** Call ahead for appointment  
**T** 867-996-2023  
**M** P.O. Box 6, Mayo, YT, Y0B 1M0

**144. Susan Stuart***Fibre artist***Boreal Fibres**

Susan's love of fibre arts developed while studying wolf behaviour. The wolves were shedding profusely and she collected as much fur from them as she could. She learned to spin yarn using this fur, which added another dimension to her knitting and weaving. Northern images and colours are used in her original designs. Susan also attends the Yukon Riverside Arts Festival in Dawson City and, usually, the annual Cranberry Fair in Whitehorse.

**L** 1st Street  
**H** Call ahead **T** 867-996-2529  
**E** borealfibres@yahoo.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 251, Mayo, YT, Y0B 1M0

**145. Esther Winter***Jeweller***Winterchild Jewelry**

Esther uses Yukon images to adorn her silver jewelry pieces. Images range from Yukon wildlife, flowers and berries to the celestial northern lights. Esther and her family travel extensively throughout western Canada to craft fairs and wholesale shows, but love returning

to their welcoming community of Mayo. Esther's jewelry may be purchased at the Binet House in Mayo during the summer months.

**L** Call for directions **H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-996-2043 **F** 867-996-2043  
**E** winterchild@winterchildjewelry.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 325, Mayo, YT, Y0B 1M0

**Keno City**

Nestled in the mountains at the end of the Silver Trail, the historic and beautiful town of Keno City is an ideal refuge for people with artistic and outdoor interests. In fact, among its citizenry of miners and old-timers, Keno is home to several artists — no mean feat for a community whose population is fewer than 20! Keno City's beautiful surroundings and unspoiled landscape boast a network of trails criss-crossing historic mine sites and, with elevations up to 2000 m, offer some of the most spectacular mountain vistas in the North.

A free walking tour booklet is available. This self-guided tour offers a brief history of Keno City, with artists' sketches and descriptions of interesting local historic structures. Ask for a copy at the Keno City Mining Museum.

*Calée au pied des montagnes contre lesquelles vient finir la Piste de l'argent, Keno est le parfait refuge pour les amateurs de plein air et les artistes. De fait, cette petite municipalité aussi riche au plan historique que géographique abrite plusieurs artistes parmi les mineurs et vétérans qui y ont établi domicile, ce qui n'est pas un mince exploit pour un lieu dont la population compte à peine 20 personnes! Un lacs de sentiers sillonne l'ancien secteur minier et mène jusqu'aux prairies alpines, à près de 1 848 m d'altitude, d'où l'on a une vue superbe sur les vallées environnantes, sans doute une des plus belles prises de vue qu'on puisse avoir au Yukon.*

*On peut se procurer au musée des mines un exemplaire de la brochure Keno à pied (bâtiments historiques), petit guide touristique illustré de dessins d'artistes locaux qui donne un bref aperçu de l'histoire de la localité et de son patrimoine bâti.*

**Where to see art****Glass Bottle House**

Local resident Jeordie Dobson constructed this framed building from 32,000 empty beer bottles. Visitors are asked to respect the owner's privacy by viewing this residence only from the road.

**L** Three blocks from the Keno City Mining Museum

**Keno City Mining Museum**

*Step Back in Time*, a mural by local artist Lillian Loponen (#146), pays tribute to the silver rush and is based on two 1920s photos of a Keno City street scene. The museum has ongoing and seasonal exhibitions based on travelling shows and the local collection.

**L** Junction of the road coming into the centre of town  
**H** June to mid-September: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-995-2792 **F** 867-995-3103  
**M** P.O. Box 17, Keno City, YT, Y0B 1M0

**Where to buy arts and crafts****Keno City Mining Museum**

Locally-made items are sold in the gift shop.

**L** Junction of the road coming into the centre of town  
**H** June to mid-September: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-995-2792 **F** 867-995-3103  
**M** P.O. Box 17, Keno City, YT, Y0B 1M0

**Artist listings****146. Lillian Loponen***Painter, illustrator***Loponen Arts North**

Lillian's style is highly distinctive and recognizable. Her watercolours reflect an essence of Canada's winters, haunting mists and spirit energies of living landscapes. Her work has been accepted into the Royal Collection, Windsor Castle.

During 2000, one of Lillian's watercolours was chosen for an exhibit chronicling watercolour's history in Canada since 1925. Enquire about workshops. Lillian is a member of Yukon Artists at Work.

**H** June 1 to August 30 (Keno City studio/gallery):  
 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. or call ahead; September 1 to May 31  
 (Whitehorse studio): 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. or call ahead  
**T** 867-667-4687 (Whitehorse: leave message)  
**F** 867-667-4687 (Whitehorse) **E** loponenarts@yahoo.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 31323, Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 5S7  
**W** www.loponenarts.com

**147. Insa Schultenkotter***Mixed-media artist***Insa Designs**

Design is Insa's strength. She was drawn to the Yukon by the vastness, colour, the textures, the light and the immediacy of nature. Insa's love for the remote and stark North is reflected in her photography, paintings and jewelry design.

**L** Keno City (first home on the left)  
**H** Drop in, 11 a.m. – 6 p.m. or call ahead  
**T** 867-995-2892 **F** 867-995-2892  
**E** insa@polarcom.com  
**M** Site 1, P.O. Box 7, Keno City, YT, Y0B 1J0  
**W** www.kenocity.info/insa.html



## Carmacks, Pelly Crossing, Stewart Crossing and Dawson City

The North Klondike Highway carries travellers through the magnificent Tintina Trench and deep into the heart of the historic Klondike. Visitors, amateur historians and rock hounds will find much to interest them in the communities of Carmacks and Pelly Crossing en route to Dawson City. The historic community of Fort Selkirk, on the Yukon River, is accessible from Minto or Pelly Crossing. This journey to the Klondike valley, where gold is still being mined today, is an easy day trip from Whitehorse along a highway rich in history and dotted with scenic viewpoints, hiking trails and interpretive displays.

*Les voyageurs qui empruntent la route du Klondike Nord sont conviés à un voyage dans le temps au pays de la ruée vers l'or. Serpentant entre les parois du spectaculaire sillon Tintina, la route mène les visiteurs, amateurs d'histoire et passionnés de géologie vers Dawson en passant par Carmacks et Pelly Crossing. On peut se rendre au lieu historique de Fort Selkirk, en bordure du fleuve Yukon, à partir de Minto ou de Pelly Crossing. On arrive à Dawson après avoir traversé la vallée du Klondike et ses champs aurifères, encore exploités aujourd'hui. À partir de Whitehorse, le trajet se fait facilement en une journée, même si on prend le temps de s'arrêter aux belvédères et panneaux de présentation de la nature, et de pousser une pointe sur l'un des nombreux sentiers de randonnée pédestre qui croisent la route.*

### Annual events

#### Authors on 8th

Join us as we celebrate Dawson's literary past. Visit the Robert Service Cabin, Pierre Berton's childhood house and the Jack London Cabin. Listen to readings from local authors.

**D** August 16, 2007  
**L** 8th Avenue  
**H** 1 – 4 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5575      **F** 867-993-6415  
**E** events-kva@dawson.net  
**M** P.O. Box 389 Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** www.dawsoncity.ca

#### Commissioner's Ball

The Commissioner's Ball, hosted by the Klondike Visitors Association and the Commissioners Office, is the preeminent social function of the season. Join us at the beautiful and historic Palace Grand Theatre in your period finery. Dance the night away to live music while celebrating the Yukon's anniversary of becoming a territory.

**D** June 9, 2007  
**L** Palace Grand Theatre  
**H** 7 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5575      **F** 867-993-6415  
**E** events-kva@dawson.net  
**M** P.O. Box 389 Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

#### Commissioner's Tea

The Commissioner's Tea, hosted by Parks Canada and the Dawson Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, is held on the beautiful grounds of the Commissioner's Residence on Front Street in Dawson.

**D** June 9, 2007  
**L** Commissioner's Residence, Front Street  
**H** 2 – 4 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-7237

#### Dawson City Music Festival

Dubbed "Canada's Tiny Perfect Festival" by Vancouver's *Georgia Straight*, this festival takes place every year on the second-last weekend of July. Since 1979, the festival has featured the country's brightest up-and-coming acts as well as a few famous artists. From intimate workshops to roaring concerts under the midnight sun, the Dawson City Music Festival offers something for fans of roots, rock, folk, world beat, blues and traditional music. The festival is one of the most anticipated events of the Yukon summer and offers a full slate of family and children's events, vendor area, beer garden, food and more. Concerts are held under the Big Top — a large tent set up on the grass in Minto Park — and in Dawson's historic buildings such as the Palace Grand Theatre and two of its churches.

**D** July 20 to 22, 2007  
**L** various venues  
**T** 867-993-5584      **F** 867-993-5510  
**E** info@dcmf.com      **W** www.dcmf.com

#### Great International Klondike Outhouse Race

Teams of five people (four pushers/pullers, one on the seat) race their custom designed privies through the town. This event is part race, part scavenger hunt.

**D** September 2, 2007  
**L** Diamond Tooth Gertie's  
**H** 1 – 4 p.m.      **T** 867-993-5575  
**F** 867-993-6415      **E** events-kva@dawson.net  
**M** P.O. Box 389, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** www.dawsoncity.ca

#### Moosehide Gathering (biennial event)

The Tr'ondëk Hwëch'in invite everyone to join them for a traditional gathering at Moosehide, a short distance downriver from Dawson City. Boat rides are available throughout the day. Enjoy entertainment, souvenirs, crafts, food and much more. Come experience Hän hospitality at its best.

**D** July 2008 (this is a biennial event)  
**T** 867-993-5385

#### The Natural and the Manufactured

This residency and exhibition is organized by the ODD Gallery and KIAC's Artist in Residence program. It presents site-specific exhibitions by nationally recognized artists to stimulate and engage people in a re-examination of the various cultural and economic values imposed on the environment. All the artworks play off their locations, from the quiet white box of the ODD Gallery interior to various outdoor sites in and around Dawson City.

**D** August 16 to mid-September, 2007  
**L** ODD Gallery      **T** 867-993-5005  
**F** 867-993-5838      **E** dawsonarts@yknet.ca  
**M** Bag 8000 Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** www.kiac.org

## Yukon Riverside Arts Festival

Dawson's Discovery Days weekend coincides with a riverside celebration of the arts. The festival opens on Thursday with a new exhibit at the ODD Gallery and a walk to other venues in town displaying Yukon artwork. From Friday to Sunday you'll find Yukon artists demonstrating their work in tents along the dike, outdoor musical entertainment, a Market Gallery where you can buy artwork from around the Yukon, and an art auction as well as special ODD Gallery and performing arts events, including artist talks and more.

**D** August 16 to 19, 2007  
**L** Riverfront park along the dike and KIAC's Oddfellow's Hall  
**T** 867-993-5005 **F** 867-993-5838  
**E** dawsonarts@yknet.ca  
**M** Bag 8000 Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** www.kiac.org

## Carmacks

Located two hours north of Whitehorse, Carmacks sits just upriver of the famous Five Finger Rapids — where many gold seekers lost their boats to the unpredictable currents of the Yukon River. Named after George Washington Carmack, one of the discoverers of Klondike gold, this community was a major stopping point on the Overland Trail linking Whitehorse to the Dawson City gold fields. Carmacks is situated near the ancestral home of the Little Salmon/Carmacks First Nation. The rich history of the Northern Tutchone people, who have fished and hunted in this area for more than 10,000 years, can be viewed at the community interpretive centre.

*Carmacks se trouve à deux heures de route au nord de Whitehorse, à quelques kilomètres en amont des fameux rapides Five Finger qui ont englouti plus d'un radeau de fortune assemblé par les chercheurs d'or. Nommée d'après George Washington Carmack, un des quatre découvreurs d'or au Klondike, la localité était à l'époque un relais important sur la piste terrestre qui menait de Whitehorse à Dawson et aux champs aurifères avoisinants. À proximité se trouve le territoire ancestral de la première nation Little Salmon-Carmacks, composée à majorité de Tutchone du Nord, dont les ancêtres venaient pêcher et chasser dans la région il y a de cela plus de 10 000 ans. On peut en savoir plus sur l'histoire de ce peuple en visitant le centre culturel Tage Cho Hudan.*

## Where to see art

### Tage Cho Hudan interpretive centre

The centre contains a one-of-a-kind traditional mooseskin and porcupine quill outfit recreated by Shirley Bellmore. The centre also displays mukluks by Rosie Tom, a traditional Northern Tutchone outfit made of caribou, and other artifacts, such as beaded slippers produced by local artisans. Murals by Whitehorse artist Chris Caldwell depict the landscape of the area. Outside the centre, a short scenic trail leads to various stations where you can see examples of historical lifestyle activities such as a mooseskin tanning camp and a winter mooseskin home. Also outside the building is a reproduction of a giant snare for capturing woolly mammoths, a diorama depicting its use and a life-size replica of a mammoth tusk and skull.

**L** Second driveway north of the Yukon River Bridge (watch for the signs)  
**H** May 15 to September 27: daily, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-863-5830

## Artist listing

### 148. Anna Gerasch

*Illustrator, sculptor*

Anna started with drawing and sculpture in 1989 under the guidance of professional artists in Germany. For her drawings she uses coal, red chalk, crayon and ink; her sculptures are made of clay or plaster of Paris. Anna's work can be found in private collections and in her home studio in Carmacks.

**L** Call for directions  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-863-5404 **F** 867-863-5405  
**E** annagerasch@yahoo.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 114 Carmacks, YT, Y0B 1C0



## Pelly Crossing

Located on the North Klondike Highway halfway between Whitehorse and Dawson City, Pelly Crossing is situated in the Pelly River valley. Originally a ferry crossing and a construction camp for workers building the North Klondike Highway, the community became the home of the Selkirk First Nation in the 1950s. The people of the First Nation, who originally lived at Fort Selkirk on the Yukon River, relocated to Pelly Crossing when the highway was completed. Short river trips to Fort Selkirk are available from Pelly Crossing, and the Selkirk Heritage Centre contains displays and artifacts that interpret that historic community.

*La route du Klondike traverse Pelly Crossing, située à mi-chemin entre Whitehorse et Dawson, dans la vallée de la rivière Pelly. Après avoir servi d'embarcadère pour un traversier et de camp pour les ouvriers embauchés pour construire la route du Klondike dans les années 1950, l'endroit est devenu, une fois la route terminée, le siège de la première nation de Selkirk, dont les membres avaient jusque-là vécu principalement à Fort Selkirk, sur le fleuve Yukon. Des excursions en bateau sont offertes à destination de Fort Selkirk et de son musée du patrimoine où sont exposés divers artefacts liés à l'histoire de la communauté.*

## Where to see art

### Big Jonathan House Heritage Centre

Local artists demonstrate their talent. There are usually two tents featuring artists at work.

**L** Next door to the Pelly Crossing Gas bar  
**H** May to September: Monday to Saturday (except holidays); hours may vary  
**T** 867-537-3331 ext. 296 **F** 867-537-3902  
**M** P.O. Box 40, Pelly Crossing, YT, Y0B 1P0

### Fort Selkirk

**L** Downriver from Pelly Crossing or Pelly Farm, or from Minto Landing with the Big River Enterprises boat tour  
**H** Summer months: call ahead or drop in  
**T** 867-537-3331 **F** 867-537-3902  
**M** P.O. Box 40, Pelly Crossing, YT, Y0B 1P0  
**E** alfrede@selkirkfn.com

### Selkirk First Nation Administration Building

A large circular cedar carving of wolf and crow crafted by the late Northern Tutchone artist Stanley Simon can be viewed at the front of the building. Inside the foyer of the main building are a display of colourful beaded hand-made crafts of a doll, slippers, mukluks and a handbag hung on the wall in a large glass case.

**H** Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
**T** 867-537-3331

### Where to buy arts and crafts

#### Big Jonathan House Heritage Centre

This building has a display of various home-tanned moosehide beaded slippers, mukluks, earrings, necklaces, key chains and miniature souvenirs. The room is full of skilled hand carving and oil painting by local First Nation artists. Miniature figurines of a fish camp depict Northern Tutchone culture.

**L** Next door to the Pelly Crossing Gas bar  
**H** May to September: Monday to Saturday (except holidays); hours may vary  
**T** 867-537-3331, ext. 296 **F** 867-537-3902  
**M** P.O. Box 40, Pelly Crossing, YT, Y0B 1P0

#### Penny's Place

Yukon arts and crafts are available here.

**H** May to September: daily, 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-537-3115 **F** 867-537-3926  
**E** penny@yknnet.ca

### Artist listings

#### 149. Eugene Alfred

Carver

Eugene is a Northern Tutchone and Tlingit carver from the Crow clan of the Selkirk First Nation. Working in birch, alder and cedar, Eugene makes masks, bowls, rattles, panels and freelance sculptures, which he paints with acrylic paint using traditional motifs for adornment.



**L** 23 Jon-Ra Subdivision  
 (get directions from the gas bar store)  
**H** Monday to Friday, 1 – 3 p.m., or leave a message at 867-537-3628  
**T** 867-587-3628 (messages only)  
**M** P.O. Box 130, Pelly Crossing, YT, Y0B 1P0

#### 150. David Conley

Carver, woodworker

David carves both two-dimensional works and sculptures, with extensive use of the wood lathe. He uses only indigenous wood for his projects. His work is shown at the Yukon Artists at Work gallery in Whitehorse and the No Gold and Fortymile Gold galleries in Dawson. David also attends the annual Icefog Finds craft sale in Whitehorse.

**L** km 444.5 North Klondike Highway,  
 93.5 km north of Carmacks;  
 19.5 km south of Pelly Crossing  
**H** e-mail for details  
**E** draeconley@hotmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 100, Pelly Crossing, YT, Y0B 1P0



#### 151. Kathleen Thorpe

Painter, garment-maker

Kathleen is inspired by her love of nature. She works in oil on canvas and gold pans in various sizes. Kathleen also makes and takes orders for home-tanned moosehide slippers crafted with beautiful beadwork.

**H** call ahead  
**T** 867-537-3201  
**M** P.O. Box 10, Pelly Crossing, YT, Y0B 1P0

### Stewart Crossing

Located at the junction of the North Klondike Highway and the Silver Trail, Stewart Crossing is the gateway to the Silver Trail region. This area is where 21-year-old Jack London is believed to have spent his only winter in the Yukon — snowbound while en route to the gold fields.

*Située à l'intersection de la route du Klondike et de la Piste de l'argent, Stewart Crossing est la porte d'entrée du secteur argentifère du Yukon. On pense que c'est ici que Jack London, alors âgé de 21 ans, aurait passé son premier et dernier hiver au Yukon, empêché par la neige de poursuivre sa route jusqu'aux champs aurifères du Klondike.*

### Artist listing

#### 152. Lee and Mary Persinger

Carvers

##### Sourdough Country Crafts

Lee is a master craftsman specialising in free-form handcrafted burl bowls. He also produces many wooden items from local distressed woods, including candleholders, walking sticks, small boxes and potpourri holders. These are produced in his small log-cabin workshop.



**L** km 340 North Klondike Highway  
**H** Monday to Saturday, but call ahead  
**T** 867-996-2509  
**F** 867-996-2509  
**E** persinger@yknnet.ca  
**M** Mile 213, North Klondike Highway, Stewart Crossing, YT, Y1A 4N1

### Dawson City

The legendary Klondike Gold Rush brought thousands of hopeful gold-seekers to the Yukon more than a century ago. Dawson City, the heart of the Klondike, now relies on its boardwalk-lined streets, historic sites, colourful festivals and surrounding scenery to romance modern-day visitors. Dawson City is also the gateway to the Arctic Circle and Tombstone Territorial Park, known for its jagged black peaks.

When it comes to art adventures, no one leaves the Klondike with broken dreams. Visitors who expect to find the craft of jewelry-making alive and well are never disappointed. They may be surprised, however, to discover that many of Dawson City's artists specialize in carving ivory from prehistoric mammoth tusks unearthed by local mining operations.

Visit [www.dawsoncity.org/events\\_Yearly\\_Events.php](http://www.dawsoncity.org/events_Yearly_Events.php) for a complete listing of annual events.

*C'est à Dawson qu'a abouti le gros des hordes de chercheurs d'or montés à l'assaut du Klondike il y a un peu plus d'un siècle. Aujourd'hui, les trottoirs de bois qui bordent les rues de la ville vibrent sous encore autant de pieds, mais les prospecteurs mûs par le désespoir ont cédé le pas aux touristes pétris de romantisme venus admirer le paysage environnant, revivre le passé à l'un des nombreux sites historiques et participer aux festivals hauts en couleur qu'accueillent les berges du fleuve tout au long de l'été. Dawson est en outre la porte d'accès au parc territorial Tombstone, réputé pour l'âpre majesté de ses pics de granit noir, et au cercle polaire arctique.*

*Les amateurs des arts ne partent jamais déçus du Klondike, surtout les collectionneurs de beaux bijoux : Dawson abrite quantité de joailliers, tous aussi doués les uns que les autres. Et non, il n'y a pas que l'or qui soit en vedette ici : on trouve de très belles pièces en ivoire, taillées dans des défenses de mammoths datant de l'époque préhistorique exhumées par les mineurs.*

*Pour la liste complète des activités culturelles organisées durant l'année, consulter le site [www.dawsoncity.org/events\\_Yearly\\_Events.php](http://www.dawsoncity.org/events_Yearly_Events.php).*

### Visitor information centre

**L** Front Street, across from S.S. Keno  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily: 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5566

### Where to see art

#### Bombay Peggy's Victorian Inn and Pub

Bombay Peggy's, open year-round, is a meeting place for many artists and often displays art from the region. There are many works of art by Halin de Repentigny (#155), all of which are for sale.

**L** Corner of 2nd Avenue and Princess Street  
**H** June 1 to August 31: daily, 3 p.m. – 1:30 a.m.;  
 September 1 to May 31: Monday to Saturday, 4 p.m. – 1 a.m.  
**T** 867-993-6969 **F** 867-993-6199  
**E** [info@bombaypeggys.com](mailto:info@bombaypeggys.com)  
**M** P.O. Box 411, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** [www.bombaypeggys.com](http://www.bombaypeggys.com)

#### Dänojà Zho Cultural Centre

Tr'ondëk Hwëch'in arts and crafts are on exhibit at the centre. The distinctive structural design of the cultural centre — which represents fish-drying racks and the traditional shelters of the Hän people — was recognized with the 1999 Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia Medal for Architecture.

**L** Front Street, Dawson City, near the ferry landing  
**H** May to September: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-6768 **F** 867-993-6553  
**E** [freda.roberts@gov.trondek.com](mailto:freda.roberts@gov.trondek.com)  
**M** P.O. Box 599 Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** [www.trondek.com](http://www.trondek.com)

#### Dawson City hotels

Many Dawson City hotels house interesting art. Murals painted by Halin de Repentigny (#155) are located throughout Dawson City on various hotels, including the Eldorado Hotel, Midnight Sun Hotel tavern and the Westminster Hotel lounge and tavern. The Westminster Hotel also features an original birchbark canoe made by de Repentigny, old architectural fixtures and a series of portraits by Fabian Salois.

#### Dawson City riverfront on the boardwalk

The bronze statue *Tribute to the Miner* by Halin de Repentigny (#155) stands near the gazebo at the intersection of Front and Princess streets.

#### Kippenberger's Underground Station

The Underground Station was a brilliant but short-lived idea by artist Martin Kippenberger. His vision of a global underground metro system — with entrances in cities around the world, including Dawson City — was simple, intelligent, accessible, thought-provoking and ironic: the entrances didn't lead anywhere. Kippenberger died in 1997 at age 43, having constructed only a few of these entrances.

**L** Princess Street, between First and Second avenues

#### The ODD Gallery, Klondike Institute of Art and Culture (KIAC)

The artist-run Odd Gallery, in KIAC's Oddfellow's Hall, presents year-round programming that features solo and group exhibitions by territorial and national contemporary visual artists. The gallery also offers a wide array of outreach programming, including artist talks, screenings, readings, workshops and children's programs. KIAC is at the centre of the vibrant Dawson arts scene and institute staff can provide current information on artists and on a broad range of arts and cultural programs and special events. Their website is a useful starting point.

**L** Second Avenue and Princess Street  
**H** Summer: Monday to Friday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.;  
 Winter and weekends year-round: as posted  
**T** 867-993-5005  
**W** [www.kiac.org](http://www.kiac.org)

### Where to buy arts and crafts

#### Bombay Peggy's Victorian Inn and Pub

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**L** Corner of 2nd Avenue and Princess Street  
**H** June 1 to August 31: daily, 3 p.m. – 1:30 a.m.;  
 September 1 to May 31: Monday to Saturday, 4 p.m. – 1 a.m.  
**T** 867-993-6969 **F** 867-993-6199  
**E** [info@bombaypeggys.com](mailto:info@bombaypeggys.com)  
**M** P.O. Box 411, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** [www.bombaypeggys.com](http://www.bombaypeggys.com)

#### Dancing Moose Gifts

This shop sells Yukon-made arts and crafts, limited edition prints, pottery, silver jewelry, collector plates and a great selection of souvenir clothing.

**L** 1075 2nd Avenue (between King and Queen streets)  
**H** Summer: daily, 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.;  
 Winter: Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, noon – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5549 **F** 867-993-6644  
**E** [dancingmoose@dancingmoose.ca](mailto:dancingmoose@dancingmoose.ca)  
**M** P.O. Box 999, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** [www.dancingmoose.ca](http://www.dancingmoose.ca)

### Dawson City Museum and Historical Society

The museum's gift shop carries high-quality items that reflect the history of the magnificent Klondike region. They are proud to present locally-made and Yukon-made products. Browse their extensive selection of books, jewelry, handcrafts, children's items and other gifts.

- L** 5th Avenue (between Turner and Church streets)  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.;  
 mid-September to mid-May: Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.;  
 closed on statutory holidays and for two weeks at Christmas  
**T** 867-993-5291; gift shop (summer): 867-993-5007  
**F** 867-993-5839  
**E** dawsonmuseum@northwestel.net; dcmuseum@northwestel.net  
**M** P.O. Box 303, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

### Fashion Nugget Design and Fabric

The Fashion Nugget carries clothing by Yukon designers.

- L** 1057 2nd Avenue (look for the purple house)  
**H** Daily, but call ahead for hours  
**T** 867-993-6101 **F** 867-993-6101  
**E** mwaterman@yknet.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 1682, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

### Fortymile Gold Workshop/Studio

Handmade 20k and 24k gold jewelry, made on site with local gold and mammoth ivory. Raw gold and nuggets; original Yukon art; First Nations art; and the privately minted Dawson Gold Penny are all featured here.

- L** 3rd Avenue and York Street  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily, 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5690 **F** 867-993-5690  
**E** mine@fortymilegold.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 460, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** www.fortymilegold.ca

### The Gift Box

This shop sells gold nugget jewelry, raw gold, mastodon ivory, t-shirts, sweatshirts, souvenirs and fine giftware.

- L** 1041 2nd Avenue  
**H** May 15 to September 15: daily, 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-6710 **F** 867-993-6710  
**M** P.O. Box 1057, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

### Klondike Nugget and Ivory Shop Ltd.

Gold nugget and mammoth ivory jewelry are sold here and a goldsmith is on the premises.

- L** Front and Queen streets  
**H** May: daily, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.; June to mid-Sept.: daily, 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.;  
 mid-Sept. to April: Tuesday to Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5432 **F** 867-993-6740

### No Gold Gallery

Exclusively Yukon-made original art, prints, cards, posters, pottery and jewelry are featured here.

- L** Front Street  
**H** May 15 to August 31: daily, 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.; September to April  
 and Christmas: Saturday, 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5203 **F** 867-993-5204  
**E** maxs@cityofdawson.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 304, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

### Wild 'n' Woolly

This boutique sells fine fashions and in-house-designed sweatshirts and t-shirts. It carries a large selection of northern souvenirs, prints, local art, raw gold and beautiful locally-made gold nugget jewelry. Service is provided in German, French, Dutch and Spanish.

- L** 3rd Avenue and Princess Street  
**H** May to September: daily, 9 a.m. – 8 p.m.;  
 October to April: Thursday to Saturday, 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
**T** 867-993-5170 **F** 867-993-5170  
**E** romyjansen@hotmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 785, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

### Artist listings

#### 153. Dolores Anderson

*Beader*

Dolores expresses her gratitude and thanks to her mother Fanny DuPont (Scheffen) and her grandmother Annie Henry for teaching and sharing their traditions with her.

Dolores enjoys working with beads and hide, and keeps her First Nations tradition alive by making mukluks, moccasins, dresses, vests, jackets, sashes, baby belts, mitts and much more.



- L** 1217 3rd Avenue (at York Street)  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-993-6820 **F** 867-993-6846  
**E** unicorn@yt.sympatico.ca or yukonunicorn@hotmail.com  
**M** P.O. Box 1073, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

#### 154. Leslie Chapman

*Jeweller, goldsmith*

##### *Fortymile Gold Workshop/Studio*

Leslie is a long time Yukon goldminer and goldsmith. When you visit her studio you can see her making jewellery using 20-k gold from her family's mine, pure gold, local nuggets, and mammoth ivory and local stones.



- L** Corner of 3rd Avenue and York Street  
**H** Mid-May to mid-September: daily,  
 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. drop in or by appt.  
**T** 867-993-5690 **F** 867-993-5690  
**E** mine@fortymilegold.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 460, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** www.fortymilegold.ca

#### 155. Halin de Repentigny

*Painter*

Halin has lived in and around Dawson since 1981. The influence of Van Gogh, Emily Carr and the Group of Seven is evident in his work. Halin spends much of his time in the bush, where he inhabits cabins of his own construction, runs sled dogs, traps and paints. He has several works in the Yukon Permanent Art Collection and the Canada Council Art Bank. His paintings are available at Bombay Peggy's and Fortymile Gold Workshop/Studio.



- L** 15-Mile River  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-993-5558 **F** 867-993-5558  
**E** jfraser@yknet.yk.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 1590, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

**156. Lois Hendley***Painter****Dancing Moose Gifts***

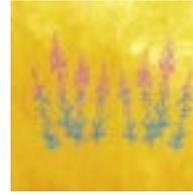
Lois is a long-time Yukon artist now living in Dawson City. She paints northern scenes with oils on various items such as recycled shovels, saws and gold pans. Lois has also painted several murals in the Yukon and B.C. She welcomes commissions and gives lessons. You can also find Lois's art at Whitehorse General Store, No Gold Gallery, Claim 33 and Guggieville.



- L** Call for directions  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-993-5640  
**M** P.O. Box 1563, Dawson City, YT,  
 Y0B 1G0

**160. Megan Waterman***Fashion designer, garment maker****Fashion Nugget Design and Fabric***

Yukon-designed clothing and accessories, quilting and fashion fabrics, beading supplies and fur are available.



- L** 1057 2nd Avenue (purple house)  
**H** Open daily, but call ahead  
**T** 867-993-6101 **F** 867-993-6101  
**E** mwaterman@yknet.ca  
**W** lousetownlaundry.com  
**M** P.O. Box 1682, Dawson City, YT,  
 Y0B 1G0

**157. Dawne Mitchell and Hank Barendse** *Mixed-media artists*

Dawne uses a variety of objects in her creative endeavours, such as found objects (recycled), birchbark and dried flowers from her garden. She transforms them into nature crafts, candles, photo cards and vases. Dawne's husband Hank has a wrought-iron hobby business.

- L** Industrial area  
**H** Call ahead  
**T** 867-993-5072 **F** 867-993-5072  
**M** P.O. Box 509, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

**158. Shirley J. Pennell***Fibre artist****The Sign of the Raven***

Working with fabric has been a lifelong interest of Shirley's. With a variety of fabrics, molded, crimped and layered with threads, she creates fascinating effects. Themes range from Yukon flowers to landscapes; art cards based on her works are available. Visit her gallery on your way to the Midnight Dome.



- L** Lot #21, Pierre Berton Drive  
 (Dome subdivision)  
**H** May 24 to September 5: daily, except  
 Sunday mornings, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.;  
 or call ahead  
**T** 867-993-5277  
**E** shirleypennell@northwestel.net  
**M** P.O. Box 253, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

**159. Dieter Reinmuth***Photographer*

Dieter's photographs capture people, places and situations in a special way that expresses life's rhythms — the lively, the lonely and the believable. His one-time/one-second shots encapsulate awareness in the moment.

- L** Take the ferry to West Dawson and then the  
 first dirt road on the left about 150 m from  
 the ferry landing; from there, it's another  
 150 m to the studio.  
**H** May to September: 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. and  
 4 – 10 p.m. or e-mail for more information  
**T** 867-993-6823  
**E** yukonhostels@yahoo.ca  
**M** P.O. Box 32, Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0  
**W** yukonhostels.com



## Old Crow

North Yukon offers summer visitors the magical experience of around-the-clock daylight. From May 4 to August 7, the sun never sets on the vast landscape of tundra and permafrost north of the Arctic Circle. Much of the region is protected within parks, some offering limited access, others inviting wilderness adventures. The area is also home to muskox, bears, arctic foxes and the famed Porcupine Caribou Herd, which sustains the Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation's culture and economy.

Accessible only by air (Air North, regular schedule) — or, in the summer, by boat — the tiny village of Old Crow, rich in its isolation, is a place that few visitors or even Yukoners ever reach. What inevitably awaits those willing to make the effort is a priceless education in Vuntut Gwitchin traditional arts and culture, which have flourished along the banks of the Porcupine River since time immemorial.

*La magie des journées sans fin dans le nord du Yukon en été ne laisse personne indifférent. En effet, du début de mai au début d'août, le soleil ne se couche jamais sur cette vaste toundra au sol perpétuellement gelé qui s'étend au nord du cercle polaire arctique. Les parcs territoriaux et nationaux destinés à en assurer la protection couvrent presque toute la région. Le tourisme d'aventure est permis dans certains d'entre eux, mais dans certains autres l'accès est réservé à des catégories d'usagers bien précises.*

*Comme on ne peut s'y rendre qu'en avion (Air North dessert la localité régulièrement) ou en bateau durant le court été dont jouit la région, le petit village d'Old Crow est, on s'en doute, une destination peu fréquentée par les touristes et même les autres résidents du Yukon. Mais ceux qui ne se laissent pas décourager par si peu se retrouvent les hôtes privilégiés d'un peuple établi sur les berges de la rivière Porcupine depuis des temps immémoriaux et voient leurs efforts récompensés au centuple par le bain de culture gwich'in vuntut qu'il leur est ainsi donné de prendre.*

## Where to buy arts and crafts

### Vuntut Gwitchin First Nation Office

Local crafts and the best place for information on Vuntut Gwitchin members and their crafts.

- L** Sarah Able-Chitze Building, centre of town
- H** Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- T** 867-966-3261
- E** [www.oldcrow.ca](http://www.oldcrow.ca)

## Artist listings

### 161. Fanny Charlie

*Traditional garment-maker, beader*



Fanny is recognized as one of the Yukon's finest artists in beadwork, a traditional craft of the territory's First Nations people. Her work, *Baby Belt* (left), which is part of the Yukon Permanent Art Collection, is a beautiful example of the distinctive floral patterns of Old Crow beading.

- L** New subdivision past the new school
- H** Call ahead
- T** 867-966-3004
- M** General Delivery, Old Crow, YT, Y0B 1N0

### 162. Maegan Garrett

*Painter, mixed-media artist*

Maegan uses oil paints, along with natural materials like antler and bone, to portray the intimate relationship between land and people. Her pieces reflect the rhythms of the local landscape and village life. Maegan's work can be found in private collections and in her home studio in Old Crow.



- L** Blue house #898 beside school
- H** September to May: daily, 3 – 10 p.m.;  
June to August: daily, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
- T** 867-966-3181
- E** [maegangarrett@hotmail.com](mailto:maegangarrett@hotmail.com)
- M** General Delivery, Old Crow, YT, Y0B 1N0

### 163. Jan Sokwaypnace

*Photographer*

#### JaGS Creative Works

Jan's passion is capturing her surroundings with her camera. Specializing in wildlife, scenery and landscape photography, she also photographs portraits, weddings and pets. Jan's popular line of seasonal greeting cards can be seen at Spruce Bog Craft Fair.



- L** call for directions
- H** 9 a.m. – 9 p.m. daily (call ahead)
- T** 867-966-3332 studio: 867-966-3332
- E** [jags@northwestel.net](mailto:jags@northwestel.net)
- M** P.O. Box 91, Old Crow, YT, Y0B 1N0

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