

The Buildings

In 1982, Dunsmuir's downtown received a Registered Historic District designation.

The residents of Dunsmuir are proud of their charming walkable downtown and are anxious to see it again become a flourishing center of activity and commerce.

Each building showcasing artwork contains a sign with details about how to contact the owner or agent to view the interior and to discuss leasing options.

Opening a business in Dunsmuir is simple. City Hall at the south end of the Downtown Historic District has business license applications. Resources for assisting entrepreneurs and business owners in obtaining training, business assistance and loan information can be found at the Revitalization Team website, ComeHometoDunsmuir.com.

The Dunsmuir Storefront Art Project is part of an effort by the Dunsmuir Chamber of Commerce Revitalization Team to enhance and revitalize the Downtown Historic District.

This collaboration of artists, building owners and the Chamber of Commerce showcases our charming historic buildings in a walkable downtown setting, and demonstrates the caliber of artists who make their home in our region.

Dunsmuir Revitalization Team
530.235.2177,
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Dunsmuir Strolling Galleries

Dunsmuir & Sacramento Avenues
& Pine Street downtown
Dunsmuir.



Dunsmuir Storefront
Gallery Project

The Artists

5731 Dunsmuir Ave. **Shery Larson** 530-235-4556

Shery Larson's award-winning illustrations and photography are featured in art libraries worldwide. "I strive to depict the inner beauty of my subjects and to emphasize the nobility of the human spirit. Wonder and Truth are themes incorporated in my work."

5731 Dunsmuir Ave. **Kim Solga** kim.solga@gmail.com

Kim Solga creates prints and paints watercolors of the mountains, rivers and plants of the Mount Shasta area. Much of her work is done on location, perched on a boulder beside whitewater rapids or climbing above treeline in the mountains.

5737 Dunsmuir Ave. **MaryAnn Kikerpill** 530-925-1595

MaryAnn Kikerpill is a self taught, 'outsider' artist. She lives off the grid at her very secluded ranch in the forest at the foot of Mt. Shasta, California. Her passion is to put what she is feeling on the canvas in the simplest way that she can.

5751 Dunsmuir Ave. **Penelope Joy** 530-235-2009

Penelope Joy has a passion for painting "found" objects...the more unique the object, the better. Favorites include vintage bowling balls, thrift store shoes, a rusty chain saw, rotary telephones or mismatched hubcaps...nothing is off limits. Sometimes referred to as "Art With a Giggle," it will bring a smile to your face.

5814 Dunsmuir Ave. **Kelly Samuelson** klsphoto@hotmail.com

Kelly Samuelson has been a photographer for over 12 years with a background in both film and digital photography, including darkroom procedures and hand printing techniques. "I'm passionate about portraits, editorial shoots and fine art photography."

5816 Dunsmuir Ave. **Wisper Krimmer** wisperk@gmail.com

For Wisper Krimmer, painting all began with a supportive and inspiring high school art teacher. "I sit and listen, pick up my brush, pick a color that answers the question, and I begin. Unknowing what the creation will be, but also in the knowing of trusting my intuition."

4100 Pine St. **Fred Gordon** fishart3@gmail.com

Fred Gordon has exhibited his art throughout the western United States for the past 30 years. His award winning paintings and sculpture reflect his interest in raparian habitats, and his love of fly fishing. "Nature will always supply me with an endless source of inspiration by its beauty, nobility, and sheer struggle for survival."

5823 Sacramento Ave. **Candace Miller** 530-235-4674

Candace Miller's whimsical work has been featured in exhibitions throughout northern California and southern Oregon. "All my work has a face. Human or animal, I want the face to convey character and personality that is the humor, strength, endurance, and vulnerability life requires."

Also visit our local galleries on Sacramento Ave.

Stonewall Gallery, 5825 Sacramento Ave. • Ruddle Cottage, 5815 Sacramento Ave.
Boxcar Gallery, 5905 Sacramento Ave.

**Southern Siskiyou County
and the City of Dunsmuir
have a flourishing
artists' community.**

We hope you enjoy your strolling gallery experience. If you see a piece of art that you would like to purchase, we encourage you to contact the artist. Contact information is on signs in each storefront and in this brochure

The reasonable cost of living, and excellent location halfway between the arts urban centers of Portland, OR and the San Francisco Bay Area make Dunsmuir an excellent place for working artists to call home.

The peace and beauty of the Shasta Cascade region, the Upper Sacramento Valley and stunning Mount Shasta provide endless inspiration for artists of all kinds.