

May 23 – 25

41st Annual

Western Art Show & Sale

Phippen Museum

Courthouse Plaza

Prescott, AZ

928.778.1385

phippenartmuseum.org

■ The Phippen Museum Western Art Show & Sale — a Memorial Day weekend tradition since 1974 and the state's premier outdoor Western art sale — is held each year in downtown Prescott, Arizona, the cowboy capital of the American West. The 2015 event marks the show's 41st anniversary and will feature more than 80 talented artists from all across North America displaying artwork in booths on the courthouse plaza.

"The show and sale provides local residents and visitors to Prescott with a chance to view exceptional Western art and interact with professional Western artists from all across the nation," says Kim Villalpando, the Phippen Museum's executive director. "And what's so exciting is that many of the participating artists from past shows have eventually gone on to become some of the most well-known and celebrated Western artists today."

The Phippen Museum Western Art Show & Sale is free to the public and features outstanding art of the American West represented in oil, watercolor, acrylic, mixed media, pastels, sculpture and drawing.

This year's event also features the 12th Miniature Masterpiece show and sale from May 1 to 25 at the museum. Participating artists include Teal Blake, Teresa Elliott, David Halbach, Russell Houston, Ed Mell, Ralph Oberg and many others. Additional ancillary events this year include the popular Quick Draw competitions on May 23 and 24, the Denim to Diamonds Gala and live art auction on May 23, and an artist awards ceremony on May 24.



Bill Cramer, *Sunset Party*
Oil on Linen | 11 x 14 inches



Sherry Blanchard-Stuart, *Comin at You*
Oil | 10 x 10 inches



Robert Peters, *Castle Butte*
Oil on Linen | 11 x 14 inches

that offer open, yet connected display units for objects the artist selected from the museum's permanent collection.

Ongoing through August 2

75 Gifts for 75 Years

Walker Art Center

Minneapolis, MN

612.375.7600

walkerart.org

■ Among several exhibitions celebrating the Walker's 75th anniversary, *75 Gifts for 75 Years* highlights significant gifts that have helped the Walker to broaden and strengthen its collection, including works by Willem de Kooning, Robert Motherwell, Joan Mitchell, Jasper Johns, Andy Warhol, Ellsworth Kelly, Donald Judd, Gerhard Richter and Vija Celmins, among others.

Ongoing through August 2

Audubon's Beasts

Amon Carter Museum of American Art
Fort Worth, TX

817.738.1933

cartermuseum.org

■ Best known for his love of birds, scientist and artist John James Audubon [1785–1851] was also a prolific chronicler of North America's four-legged creatures in their natural habitats, from swamps to savannahs.

Ongoing through November 1

**Art of the American West:
The Haub Family Collection
at Tacoma Art Museum**

Tacoma Art Museum

Tacoma, WA

253.272.4258

tacomaartmuseum.org

■ Get the first look at Tacoma Art Museum's new Haub Family Galleries and grand expansion, featuring 140 works from the Haub Family Collection of Western American Art. The collection ranks among the nation's top 12 in the Western American art genre, spans 200 years, and includes works from Thomas Hart Benton, Albert