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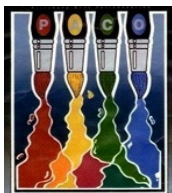
6th Annual Local Artist Collection Lynn House Gallery Exhibit, featuring over 30 artists runs from December 4th-22nd, Wednesdays & Saturdays, 1-4 PM. The artist reception will be held on Saturday, December 4th, from 2-4 PM. In its 6th year, the show is a local favorite; providing the community an opportunity to view and purchase art during the holiday season.

ANTIOCH LIGHTED BOAT PARADE

December 4th, 6 PM, Rivertown District (downtown)
The Holiday DeLites Street Parade will not take place this year due to the economic downturn. However, the Antioch Lighted Boat Parade will be held, as it has been for over twenty-five years. The event is sponsored by three local yacht clubs, Bridge Marina, Driftwood and Sportsman. The parade begins at 6:00 PM and the best locations to view are the Antioch Municipal Pier and all along 2nd Street in downtown Antioch. The boat parade is free and will have approximately 20 entries.



The event is also an opportunity to collect toys for the Grannies Anonymous annual toy giveaway. Drop off new toys at the Lynn House Gallery, 809 W. 1st Street before, during or after the parade. For more information email Diane@Art4Antioch.org or call Diane Gibson-Gray at (925) 325-9897.



Pittsburg Arts Collaborative (PACO) presents "LMC Revisited

Now - December 9th. The exhibit is held at the Los Medanos College (LMC) Art Gallery and features former students of the college, returning to share their art with the college community, family and friends. The exhibit continues through December 9th. Please note that there is a parking fee at LMC.

[Diary of William Wigin Smith on sale at Antioch Historical Society](#)

Looking for a unique holiday gift? Antioch's founding father's original diary was first transcribed by Smith's son, Charles W. Smith in 1941. The only copy available had become difficult to read and fragile; the new publishing is an exact copy of the original adding photos and interesting documents at the rear. The books are on sale now and supplies are limited.

Rivertown Jamboree Holiday Expressions

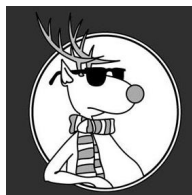
December 4th, from 12-5 PM, in the parking lot of 301 West 10th Street, (old police building 10th & D Streets) in Antioch. Featuring: Gingerbread House Contest, Car Show, Toy Drive, Vendors (home base businesses and non-profits), Food, Music, Petting Zoo, Open House, Santa and Mrs. Claus. For more information call Betty Smith, 757-0972 or e-mail her at betty@rivertownjamboree.com.

[34th Annual Holiday Run & Walk For Health](#), December 11th, 7:30 am. Sponsored by the Antioch Kiwanis, the run, walk and health faire will help you increase your own personal health-related goals. The event is held at Contra Loma Regional Park. For more information visit www.holidayrun.org or contact MarthaParsons@gmail.com, or 757-8138.

[Antioch Women's Club 56th Annual Holiday Home Tour](#)

December 12th, 12:30 - 5:00 PM. What a great way to get into the holiday spirit. The Holiday Home Tour features six houses and two businesses.

Tickets are \$25 each and includes a reception at the Veteran's Memorial Hall, located at 6th & E Streets. [Click here](#) for ticket locations or for more information contact Lise at 777-1831.



[Cool Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer](#) Annual Holiday Luncheon hosted by the Contra Costa and Antioch Historical Societies, December 18th, at the Antioch Historical Society Museum. Happy hour is at 11:30 AM, lunch service begins at noon. To find out how to reserve your tickets, [click here](#) or call 254-2295 for more information.

Call for Artists & Other News

- * Antioch Historical Society will be closed for the holidays from 12/19/10-1/1/11
- * [Antioch Historical Society School Field Trips](#), March-May, 2011
- * Drawing for Centennial Quilt, Antioch City Council meeting 12/14/11
- * Call for Artists: [Miniature Scenes \(19th & Early 20th Century\)](#) February 2011
- * Call for Artists: [Rotary "Art For Opportunity" Art Exhibit Fundraiser](#), January, 2011

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