

2017 Wildlife & Wildlands Art Show

The **Friends of Delnor-Wiggins Pass State Park** hosted the 19th annual Wildlife & Wildlands art show at the area 3 picnic area on Saturday January 21, 2017. Twenty artists displayed their art to our visitors. Event co-chairs Kathy Foster and Valerie Thompson guaranteed good weather and so we had a beautiful day with good show traffic. This event is our primary fund-raising event so good weather is a must.

Our new Resident Artist, Mary Limont, was presented with the traditional artist's chair with her name on it and she provided a spectacular booth with her unique jewelry. Thanks to all of our artists.

Almost 30 Friends volunteered their time to make this event a success. Duties were wide-ranging from set-up, parking, greeting, manning the Friends table, Drawing of Chance table, running the popcorn and ice cream sales and take down.

And a big thank you to those artists, vendors and Friends who donated items for our drawing. We especially appreciate the help of sponsors Royal Scoop Ice Cream and the Beach box Café.



Earrings by Mary Limont



Past Resident Artist Sandra Galloway-Carter features her lovely oil paintings



Ranger Rosa Simone displays her pointillism art with the beautiful blue Gulf as a backdrop

And we don't want to leave out our Park Rangers and especially Park Services Specialist Lori HeathThorn who provided invaluable coordination between the Friends, artists and Park Staff. **Looking forward to next year! Save the date June 20, 2018.**