

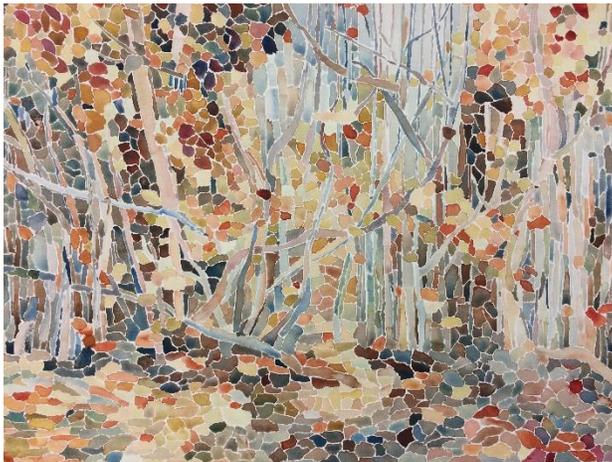
A dynamic community that celebrates and supports the *Arts*

Red Deer Arts Council and Red Deer Public Library
are pleased to present
Everyday Wonderments:
Paintings by Corinne Anderton
from November 20 to December 22, 2018
in the Kiwanis Gallery.

Colour is all around us and part of everything we see.
Through her explorations of colour, Corinne will
demonstrate the interaction of colour and the behaviour of
watercolour pigments on paper.

First Friday Red Deer Opening:
December 7th from 6:00 to 8:00 pm
Artist will be in attendance.

Members of the Red Deer Arts Council, affiliates, and invited
guests are welcome to attend.



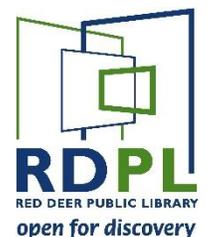
Ode to Tom
Watercolour, 2017
Corinne Anderton



Ode to Andy
Watercolour, 2017
Corinne Anderton



Populus Tremuloidis
Watercolour, 2018
Corinne Anderton



The strange created worlds of Red Deer artist Jason Frizzell

While Jason Frizzell was growing up in Red Deer he would sometimes watch his grandfather paint cowboy scenes in his home art studio.

Frizzell admitted his mom's dad, Harry Spelman, became a unwitting inspiration, helping pave the way for Frizzell's own art career. "As I got older, going to school for visual arts wasn't an unusual thing for me to think of, or for my parents to hear," explained the now 49-year-old.

From a teenage cartoonist, Frizzell evolved into a printmaker and sculptor at Red Deer College. It was the three-dimensional work that particularly appealed, said Frizzell, who recalls being taken with the large sculptures of Ed and Nancy Kienholz, who created "gritty" life-size tableaux.

He continued his studies at the University of Calgary, and eventually got a Master's Degree in Fine Arts from the University of Victoria in 1998. A year later, Frizzell was hired as an RDC art instructor. He later moved into administration and is now Dean of the School of Creative Arts.

But despite his time-consuming day job and the years he spent raising a family with his wife, he has remained a working artist who creates fantastical worlds, often fraught with psychological meaning. While he started out doing "giant" sculptures, Frizzell soon figured out he'd better downsize or develop a serious storage problem.

He started tinkering with various modelling kits — from dinosaurs to military vehicles and buildings. Frizzell regularly pulls pieces from these and readapts them for his own imaginative purposes. By "kit bashing," and fabricating other pieces, he makes atmospheric miniature tableaux with multiple meanings (and cryptic titles such as 'Every place is just like everywhere else.')

"In some ways, my work has become a little stranger," he admitted, with a chuckle.

Sci-fi elements are creeping in. Along with Mad Max influences, there are now prehistoric creatures and spacemen. "I really enjoy this strange sense of the futuristic and historic stuff happening at the same time," said Frizzell.

The artist, who exhibits at the Herringer-Kiss Gallery in Calgary, also enjoys being a member of the Red Deer Arts Council. He said the group "does a really good job of connecting artists of different types," providing links to resources, and advocating for arts in the city.

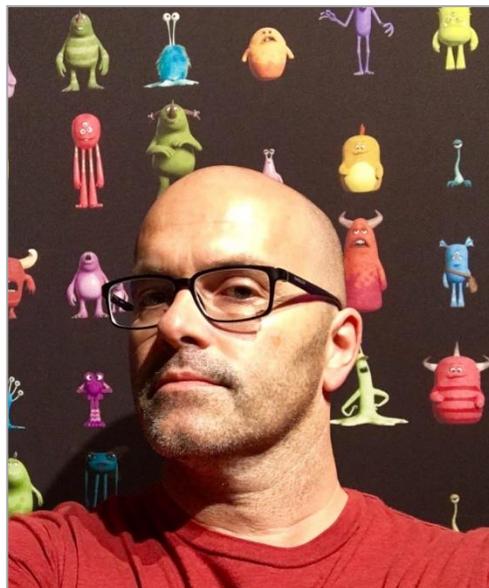
I am the Arts

I'm really proud to be a long-time citizen of Red Deer; my two grown kids are fourth generation Red Deerians.

I believe that being an artist is a legitimate pursuit and doesn't have to be a hobby.

I feel that art and sport and industry can co-exist and make communities like Red Deer more interesting places to live.

Red Deer has lots to offer and discover... go find it!



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Membership Renewal Season

It's that time again! As soon as the snow starts to fly, you know it must be time to renew your membership for 2019! We have an online webform you can complete at reddeerartscouncil.ca to renew and pay your annual membership fee, or you can print off the paper form on the site and mail it in with a cheque if you prefer. Individual memberships are \$30 and Organizational memberships are \$50. If you join or renew now, your membership is valid until December 31st, 2019. If you aren't yet a member, you still enjoy the same extended benefits if you join now! One of the benefits to being a member is getting a profile page on our Arts Directory. Connect! Explore! Discover! Create!

GuitarZ for KidZ – Ricky Skaggs-Signed Mandolin Raffle

Get your tickets before December 31st for this awesome fundraising raffle in partnership with GuitarZ for KidZ Red Deer! The prize is a Beaver Creek mandolin signed by musician Ricky Skaggs including photos to confirm provenance. Tickets are available for sale at Gilmore Guitars, Housewarmings or by calling 403-872-0006 or emailing guitarzforkidz@gmail.com.

The GuitarZ For KidZ committee launched this year with the goal of getting used musical instruments into the hands of local youth in need. Candidates may include those who for financial or other situation, cannot afford an instrument, or who have lost access to their own instruments. Donated guitars suitable for repair are refurbished by Gilmore Guitars and distributed to Red Deer youth in need; those that can't be fixed are channeled into the Art Guitar program for visual artists' creations and may be auctioned off for fundraising. Get more information, donate or submit your request to receive a hand-held instrument at guitarzforkidz.ca.