

PVAC Art Workshops

at the Monterey Bay Birding Festival



As part of the **Los Pájaros** exhibit at the PVAC has arranged for two art workshops as part of the birding festival. All are welcome and you may sign up on the festival website: <http://montereybaybirding.org/>

PHOTOGRAPHING WILD BIRDS: Workshop, Thursday, Sept. 23, 1 p.m.

Lecture and slide presentation on how to photograph birds in the wild. 90 minutes.

Cost: \$20 Trip Leader: Larry Selman **Location:** Watsonville Civic Plaza

PHOTOGRAPHING WILD BIRDS: Field trip, Friday, Sept. 24, 8 a.m. to Noon Description:

Unsure about how to photograph wild birds? Don't know a Great Blue Heron from a Mourning Dove? Or, just looking for some tips about how to improve your photography skills? Come join us to learn how to get that perfect wild bird photograph. **Cost: \$30 Trip Leader:** Larry Selman **Transportation:**

Departs from Watsonville Civic Plaza **Activity:** Moderate



CREATIVE ART JOURNALING Date Friday, Sept. 24, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Description: Whether you use it to record ideas, for travel, or as a tool for observation or self-discovery, the practice of keeping a visual journal is an enriching way to express and record your deeper creative self. In your travels and

daily life it helps you to experience place on a deeper and more meaningful level. It is a tool to awaken your senses and help you see the world through artist's eyes. We'll visit Watsonville Wetlands Watch and take advantage of an excellent collection of mounted birds –loaned by Richard Gurnee. **Cost: \$30 Trip Leader:** Susan Dorf **Transportation:** Departs from Watsonville Civic Plaza **Activity:** Moderate



The Pajaro Valley Arts Council is hosting **Los Pájaros**, an exhibition of bird themed art in two locations. First is **The Pajaro Valley Gallery**, 37 Sudden Street, Watsonville 831.722.3062. Gallery reception, Sept. 12, 2-4 pm. (Gallery hours: Thursday & Friday 11-4; Saturday & Sunday 12-4). Second is the **4th floor of the Watsonville Civic Plaza**. The exhibit coincides with the Monterey Bay Birding Festival hosted by the City of Watsonville. See Andrea Rich's woodcut prints of birds at the Civic Plaza. Public reception, Sept. 26, 5-6;30pm. The gallery hosts art in a variety of media, from ceramics to photography.