

# STEAMBOAT ART MUSEUM

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The third presentation by the Steamboat Art Museum, **Western Art Exhibition**, will open for viewing June 1, Tuesday through Sunday, in their new location at 807 Lincoln Avenue in Steamboat Springs. An opening reception is set for Friday evening June 8, from 5 to 8 p.m. The exhibition will run until September 9, 2007.

The exhibit features a variety of artwork, including oils, watercolors, lithographs, etchings, photographs, bronze sculptures, and western artifacts---bits, spurs, bridles, saddles, and hats. The exhibit includes work by nationally recognized western artists, plus past and present local artists, as well as works from private collections, and work that was created in the area by visiting artists.

The work presented reflects not only the heritage and culture of Northwest Colorado, but also includes an impressive collection of work from nationally-renown artists who have visited and worked in the area including John Fawcett and William Matthews. Work from visiting artists and private collections include ???. Past and present local artists included in the exhibit are David Nordahl, Richard Galusha, Robert Dieckhoff, Don Tudor, Shirley Stocks, and Rod Hanna.

A Lecture Evening at 7 p.m. July, will be presented by poster featured artist John Fawcett. Admission for the Lecture Evening is \$20 and refreshments will

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be served. Those interested can register for the event by calling the Museum at 970-870-1550 or by email at [sam@steamboatartmuseum.com](mailto:sam@steamboatartmuseum.com).

Museum hours are 12-8 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and 12-4 p.m. Sundays. A donation of \$2 for admission is suggested. A variety of membership levels and volunteer opportunities are also available by contacting the museum.