

Crown of the Continent Tour of the Arts

Studios, Galleries and Museums

Open Studios August 13-14
and October 8-9, 2011

and

ALL YEAR LONG BY APPOINTMENT

Welcome

To the Crown of the Continent Tour of the Arts organized by Alpine Artisans, Inc.

This is your opportunity to visit artists in their own studios, as well as galleries and museums in the Seeley-Swan & Blackfoot Valleys. Visits to artists studios are welcome all year-round, by appointment, and on a drop-in basis August 13-14 and October 8-9 during the Seeley-Lake Tamarack Festival weekend in October!

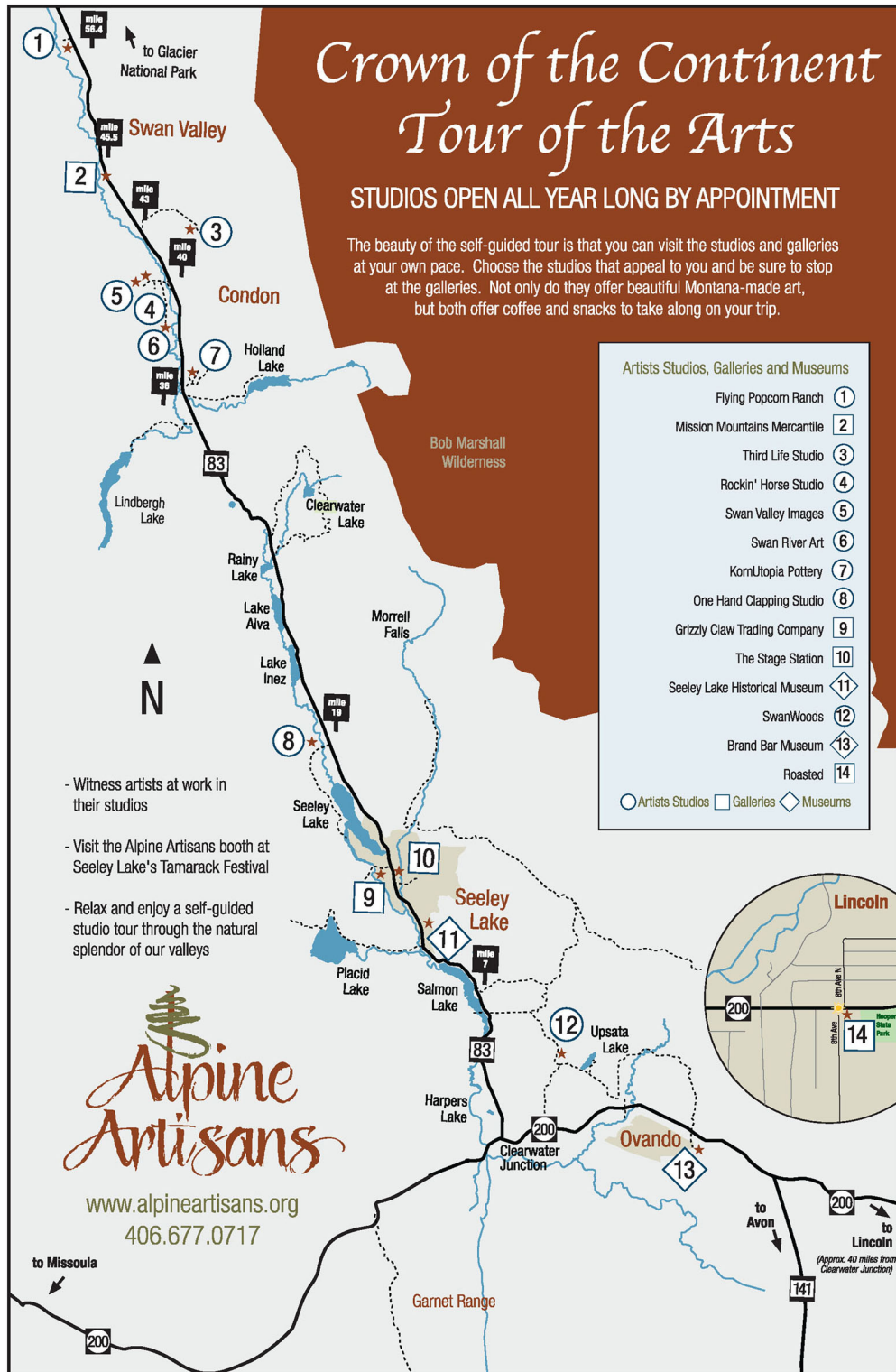
About the Tour

Alpine Artisans' self-guided tour of artist studios, galleries and museums leads you on an enchanted journey through the Seeley-Swan Valley of western Montana.

On the Tour of the Arts, you have the opportunity to meet artists immersed in their passion, and see them at work. You'll be welcomed into their lives and their lifestyle. Visit one-on-one with them to learn first-hand about their art and hear their stories of creation. Take time to embrace the special world of the artisan at work.

This is what one visitor had to say about the Tour of the Arts: "It was fantastically exciting to visit studios – meet these warm, friendly, skilled and professional artists, each with a unique studio/house and each with their very own artistic set-up! The scenery is brilliant and the artwork is superb – and seeing it in the context it was created in makes it all more accessible, more intimate."

See reverse side of map to call for further details on each studio, and contact information for artists.



Studios



Flying Popcorn Ranch

Map ref. 1

Kathy "Littlebird" Kinzfohl,
Brian Parks, Apryll Verboven, and
Joost Verboven
22217 Old Mill Road
Swan Lake, Montana 59911
406.754.2461
www.flyingpopcornranch.com
birdfrog@blackfoot.net



Third Life Studio

Map ref. 3

Russ Abolt
2515 Smith Creek Road
(off of Falls Creek Road)
Condon, Montana 59826
406.754.2972
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Rockin' Horse Studio

Map ref. 4

Merrily Dunham
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406.754.3376
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Swan Valley Images

Map ref. 5

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www.swanvalleyimages.com
www.twoelksranch.com



Swan River Art

Map ref. 6

Thomas Michael
1224 Scenic Drive,
Condon, Montana 59826
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www.swanriverart.com



KornUtopia Pottery

Map ref. 7

Bob Korn
344 Korn Lane
Condon, Montana 59826
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kornutopia@blackfoot.net



One Hand Clapping Studio

Map ref. 8

Ken Dvorak
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Seeley Lake, Montana 59868
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kenandsusanld@blackfoot.net
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SwanWoods

Map ref. 12

Jerry & Martha Swanson
3644 Woodworth Road
Ovando, Montana 59854
406.793.5706
swanwoods@blackfoot.net
www.swanwoods.com

Cultural Centers



Seeley Lake Historical Museum

Map ref. 11

2920 Highway 83 North,
Seeley Lake, Montana
406.677.2990 or 406.677.2880



Brand Bar Museum

Map ref. 13

Downtown Ovando, Montana
Barb McNally 406.793.5685
Sara Boyett 406.793.2323
www.ovandomontana.net/businesses/
brandbar.php

Galleries



Mission Mountains Mercantile

Map ref. 2

Mile Marker 45.5 Hwy 83
Condon, Montana 59826
406.754.2881
gracesplace@blackfoot.net



Grizzly Claw Trading Co.

Map ref. 9

Dee & Susan Baker
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Seeley Lake, Montana 59868
406.677.0008
mail@grizzlyclawtrading.com
www.grizzlyclawtrading.com



The Stage Station

Map ref. 10

Frank & Geri Netherton
3186 Hwy 83 North (downtown)
Seeley Lake, Montana 59868
406.677.2227



Roasted

Map ref. 14

The Roasted art gallery/coffee house
is located in Lincoln, Montana on
Highway 200 across from Lambkins
at the blinking light.
Annie Allen
Dorothy Drive #1148
406.431.9479
sunnybunny60@gmail.com
www.anniesart.org

We invite you to contact local area establishments to
reserve a night or two of lodging and turn your Tour of the
Arts into an event dedicated to personal growth
and relaxation.

For more information on Alpine Artisans events, visit our
website at www.alpineartisans.org.