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Wisteria Cottage Gallery  
780 Prospect Street  
Open Noon - 4pm  
Thursday - Sunday

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Welcome to the La Jolla Historical Society electronic newsletter with a summary of recent activities, notable items, and hot topics! We send this periodically to keep you informed of what's happening, or is about to happen, and we welcome your observations, comments and feedback!

## Annual Appeal 2016

### ***Annual Appeal 2016*** **year-end fundraising campaign**

Our deepest appreciation to all of the members and supporters who contributed to our year-end campaign! We've enjoyed great success thanks to the generosity of our patrons, and express our heartfelt gratitude for your support! Our ambition to be an important and vibrant cultural center that shares this legacy is possible only through your continued friendship and tax-deductible, overhead-free financial support to ***Annual Appeal 2016***.

**It's not too late to make a difference!**

Click [HERE](#) and help the La Jolla Historical Society  
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## New Exhibition

Office & Research Center  
7846 Eads Avenue  
Open 10am - 4pm  
Monday - Friday

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#### **MISSION**

*The La Jolla Historical Society inspires and empowers the community to make La Jolla's diverse past a relevant part of contemporary life.*

#### **VISION**

*The La Jolla Historical Society looks toward the future while celebrating the past. We preserve and share La Jolla's distinctive sense of place and encourage quality in the urban built environment. The Society serves as a thriving community resource and gathering place where residents and visitors explore history, art, ideas and culture.*



**MEMBER'S OPENING RECEPTION -  
Friday, February 10 from 5-7pm.**

**[RSVP HERE!](#)**

### ***Weather on Steroids: the Art of Climate Change Science***

This project explores the question of consequences, challenges, and opportunities that arise from the changing climate on our planet. The exhibition merges the artistic and scientific to create a visual dialogue about the vexing problem of climate change, explores how weather variability affects the day-to-day life of local communities, and investigates Southern California vulnerability to climate change. It draws on the region's scientific expertise at Scripps Institution of Oceanography, whose La Jolla-based investigators are at the forefront of climate research, reflecting on humanity's role in our changing environment, and envisioning new possibilities for a sustainable future. Science serves as the inspiration for the creative responses from visual artists, who merge subjective images with empirical observation to reveal how climate variations upset the planet's balance with extreme weather impacts. By illuminating the reality of climate change, *Weather on Steroids* aspires to proactively stimulate public dialogue about one of the most important issues of our time.

Participating artists include Tiersa Cosaert, Judit Hersko, Cheryl E. Leonard, Dana Montlack, Lilleane Peebles, Oscar Romo, M. Luna Rossel, Eva Struble, Paul Turounet, Ruth Wallen, and Allison Wiese.

Contributing scientists include Michel Boudrias, Michael Dettinger, Alexander Gershunov, Kristen Guiguis, Ralph Keeling, Manfredi Manizza, Art Miller, Walter Munk, David Pierce, Richard Somerville, and Shang-Ping Xie.

Organized by Tatiana Sizonenko with Science Consultant Alexander Gershunov.

At the **La Jolla Historical Society Wisteria Cottage Gallery**, the exhibition opens February 11 and runs through May 21, 2017. Wisteria Cottage is located at 780 Prospect Street in La Jolla. Public hours are Thursday - Sunday, 12:00 noon - 4:00pm. Admission is free.

At the **San Diego Central Library Gallery**, the exhibition opens June 10 and runs through September 3, 2017. The Central Library is located at 330 Park Boulevard in downtown San Diego. Public hours are Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday 12:00 noon - 5:00pm; Saturday/Sunday 12:00 noon - 4:00pm; and Thursday 2:00pm - 7:00pm. Admission is

free.

Major support for this exhibition provided by Climate Education Partners (CEP), which is funded by the National Science Foundation, and by The Ray Thomas Edwards Foundation, Donald G. Yeckel, Chairman. Additional support provided by the Samuel I. & John Henry Fox Foundation, Florence Riford Fund of the San Diego Foundation, Walter and Mary Munk, Jeffrey and Joy Kirsch, and ArtWorks San Diego.



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Image: Lilleane Peebles, *Tipping Point*, marble sculpture, 2016

### Feasting on History



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Celebrating La Jolla's Past with Old and New Friends

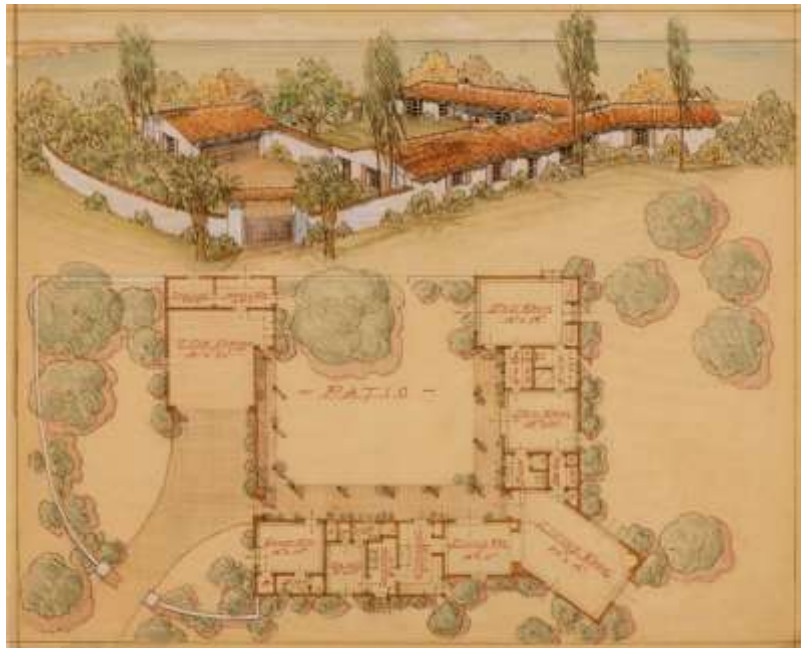
Join us on Saturday, March 4, 2017 for elegant concurrent dinner parties held at private residences throughout La Jolla. Hosts from each of these remarkable La Jolla homes will entertain guests serving elegant dinners and drinks followed by dessert. The evening begins at Wisteria Cottage with exquisite hors d'oeuvres, champagne and a private viewing of the exhibition *Weather on Steroids: The Art of Climate Change Science*. You will be assigned your host home and provided with directions.

Reservations are limited. This event will sell-out quickly, please respond by February 24, 2017. Proceeds benefit the La Jolla Historical Society.

**[BUY TICKETS HERE!](#)**

or contact the LJHS Office at 858.459.5335 for reservations  
\$225 LJHS Members | \$250 General Public  
*a program of La Jolla Landmarks Week*

### Public Programs



Avenida Cresta Residence  
Architect Cliff May, circa 1935

## La Jolla Landmarks Week

March 11 - 18, 2017

### Public Programs

***Architectural Styles and Influences on Landscape Design in San Diego***

Lecture by Todd Fry & Jennifer Phelps | Todd Fry Landscape

Thursday, March 16, 2017 from 6:30 to 8:00pm at the La Jolla Historical Society. Seating is limited. **REGISTER HERE!**

### ***Historic Designation Workshop***

On Saturday, March 18, 2017 from 9:00am to 12noon the Society will host a workshop for those interested in the historic designation process. Topics will include: designation criteria, how and where to conduct archival research, analyzing researched information, the application process, and the benefits and responsibilities of historic home ownership. The workshop will include informational handouts and opportunities to ask questions of the speakers and homeowners of historic properties who have successfully navigated the process. Seating is limited. **\$15 members|\$20 non-members**

**REGISTER HERE!**

## **Weather on Steroids: the Art of Climate Change Science**

### **Public Programs**

#### **Fleet Science Center | Suds & Science**

On Monday, March 6, 2017 from 6:30 to 8:00pm at Stone Liberty Station this is a science café and group discussion with Alexander Gershunov, research meteorologist at Scripps Institution of Oceanography; Art Miller, researcher for climate, atmospheric science and physical oceanography at Scripps Institution of Oceanography; Dr. Jennifer Burney, Principal Investigator of the Burney Research Group at UC San Diego; and Lynn Waterhouse, researcher at the Semmens Lab at Scripps Institution of Oceanography. See <http://www.rhfleet.org/>

#### **Birch Aquarium | Perspectives on Ocean Science lecture series**

This panel discussion will be on Monday, April 10, 2017 starting at 7:00pm at Birch Aquarium with Weather on Steroids artists Luna Rossel, Oscar Romo, and Dana Montlack; and scientists Richard Somerville, Alexander Gershunov, and Manfredi Manizza; moderated by curator Tatiana Sizonenko. See <https://aquarium.ucsd.edu/>

#### **Fleet Science Center | Sustainability Festival**

On Saturday, April 15, 2017 artist Ruth Wallen and scientist Richard Somerville will make a joint presentation at the Fleet in Balboa Park between 10:00am and 12:00noon. The Festival includes public forums on a range of sustainability issues, including energy resources, drought mitigation, farming techniques, and healthy food practices. See <http://www.rhfleet.org/>

### **Jean Isaacs San Diego Dance Theater**

On Saturday, April 15, 2017 SDDT will host matinee and evening performances at Liberty Station Dance Place of Requiem for an Ocean, choreography by Jean Isaacs with original music by San Diego Dance Theater composer Steve Baker, and Ice Maiden, featuring Anna Katarina Scheidegger. The dance performances will be followed by a discussion with Alexander Gershunov, research meteorologist at Scripps Institution of Oceanography. See

<http://sandiegodancetheater.org/>

***TICKETS NOW ON SALE!***

***Join us for these exciting community events!***

### **La Jolla Concours D'Elégance & Motor Car Classic**

April 7-9, 2017

<http://www.lajollaconcours.com/>

### **Secret Garden Tour of La Jolla**

May 19 - 20, 2017

<https://lajollahistory.org/events/secret-garden-tour/>