



December 1, 2016

## Holiday happenings at the AGGV

While the kids are off school and the relatives are in town, December at the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria offers peace and joy for everyone.

The month kicks off with a special two-day exhibition in the Spencer mansion featuring artists from the Victoria Disability Resource Centre. The Fourth Annual Artists with Disabilities Art Showcase takes place December 2 and 3 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and includes described tours for visitors with vision loss on December 3 at 11:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Admission to this tremendous showcase is free.

In an effort to keep art accessible to all, Tuesday, December 6, is the AGGV's monthly Admission by Donation Day and a great chance to check out the current exhibitions *It's in the Making*, *Carol Sawyer: The Natalie Brettschneider Archive*, *Millennia: Asian Art Through the Ages* and *Emily Carr and the Young Generation*.

Family Sunday inspired by *It's in the Making* exhibition takes place on December 18. Enjoy an afternoon of exploring hands-on art-making for the whole family from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Cost is included with membership or admission.

The Winter Small Works Show and Sale offers a chance to rent or purchase incredible works by local artists. Visit the AGGV's Massey Gallery before the show ends December 29.

The AGGV also offers a host of drop-in tours of current exhibitions during December: Dec. 3, 2:00 p.m., *Carol Sawyer: The Natalie Brettschneider Archive* - with exhibition animator, Harold Hejazi.....playful, dramatic. Expect to participate – in laughter, conversation and discovery.

Dec. 4, 2:00 p.m., *Millennia: Asian Art Through the Ages*

Dec. 6, 2:00 p.m., *Emily Carr and the Young Generation*

Dec. 10, 2:00 p.m., *It's in the Making*

Dec. 11, 2:00 p.m., *Emily Carr and the Young Generation*

Dec. 17, 2:00 p.m., *Carol Sawyer: The Natalie Brettschneider Archive* - with exhibition animator, Harold Hejazi.....playful, dramatic. Expect to participate – in laughter, conversation and discovery.

Dec. 18, 2:00 p.m., *It's in the Making*

Dec. 22, 2:00 p.m., *Carol Sawyer: The Natalie Brettschneider Archive*

Dec.29- 7 p.m., *Millennia: Asian Art Through the Ages*

For more information, calendar of events and tickets, visit [www.aggv.ca](http://www.aggv.ca) or call 250-384-4171.

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