

# Support something **special**



**A6** is an exciting nonprofit arts center in Bend.  
Both a gallery and a studio, A6 offers exciting new experiences in art.

Annual Visitors

7000

Annual  
Student Visitors

1250

Planned Exhibits  
for 2017

12

Workshops  
offered in 2016

54



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# A6 is a special place for art

A6 opens eyes, opens minds and creates connections.



## < We share the “wow”

Our free monthly art exhibits present a rare view of contemporary and historical work from regional and national artists. For many visitors, these shows are a once-in-a-lifetime experience.



## < We teach the “how”

A6 offers year-round workshops for artists of all levels. Our studio is home to 30 local artists who learn, teach and create. A6 also cultivates future artists with youth printmaking camps and school programs.



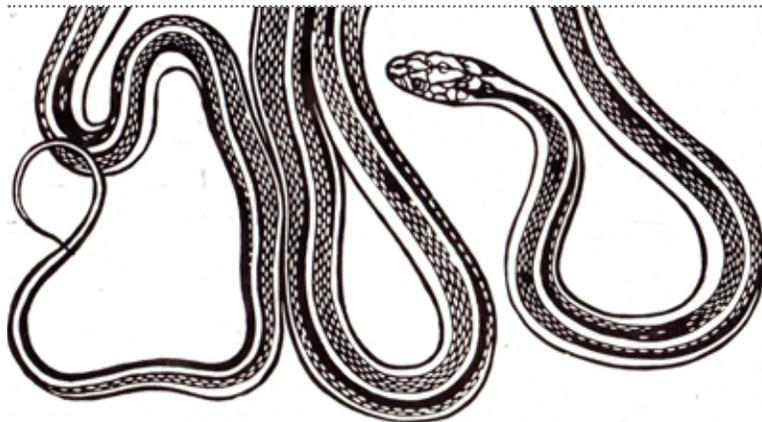
## < We find the “why”

Our art history programs and art talks offer an intimate view into the artist’s methods, motivations and ideas. From this greater understanding, visitors develop a deeper appreciation of art.



# A6 sparks education

**Learning** gets a boost when art connects with other subjects.



## < “Cold-Blooded Neighbors” and Biological Science

*May 2017*

Prints of native reptiles encourage students to identify biological adaptation. In the studio, kids create snake prints to illustrate different snake species and survival strategies.



## < “Opening Japan” and Japanese Culture

*Sep-Nov 2016*

Three centuries of Japanese prints illustrated popular culture and growing influences from the West. 800 students learned how to hand print traditional Japanese portraits.



## < “Whalesong” and Environmental Science

*March 2016*

Prints of humpback whales formed the basis for a program on whale communication and noise pollution. Students created whale prints to illustrate challenges in the ocean.

# There is no US...

A6 is a growing arts organization with a strong, state-wide reputation. Founded in 2007, we have filled a creative void in our region, introducing artists and the greater community to printmaking and book arts.

A6 became a nonprofit in 2012; since then, we have dramatically expanded our community programs. We have doubled our exhibits. Our gallery is more accessible, thanks to expanded hours and a new location. And we have become a favorite destination for schools in Bend, Redmond, Sisters and beyond.

A6 does a great deal with very little. Our large volunteer base helps with exhibits, workshops and school visits. Our cultural partners (High Desert Museum, COCC, BendFilm and others) enrich our programs. Our organization is run by a lean team of talented staff, and governed by a dedicated Board of Directors. People here are passionate about art—and about A6.

## Sponsor A6 and you'll receive:

- Recognition on A6 catalogs, newsletters and posters
- Logo with link on A6's website
- In-gallery recognition
- Invitations to preview select exhibits
- Notice of A6 exhibits and events





# ...without you.

Even with healthy program revenue, generous grants, and cautious spending, A6 cannot survive without community support. Individual donations and business sponsorships bridge the gap in our funding.

If you believe in our mission...if you believe Central Oregon is a better place because of us...please invest in A6. Become a sponsor today.



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A center for printmaking and book arts, A6 cultivates art appreciation, enhances learning through art, and expands creative expression.



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