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The Nelson Museum, Archives & Gallery (NMAG) invites everyone to join them for a closing party event for the Members Show & Sale on Thursday, June 18th from 6 – 8pm. Everyone is welcome. This is a free event!

Over 250 folks attended the opening on Friday, April 3rd to view 145 works of art created by local artists.

This has been the largest Members Show ever mounted at the Nelson Museum with an incredible diversity of artwork represented, including watercolor, sculpture, textiles, oil, and ceramics. The Nelson area is always thought of as having a plethora of talented artists, and the Members Show & Sale illustrates this in technicolour..

Curator Arin Fay shared “The Member Show, while a beautiful celebration of artistic passion and community reflection, is a difficult exhibition to curate, due to the incredible diversity of styles, themes, substrate and medium. As a curator I approached the design like a puzzle ... finding patterns and colours, and framing each wall with as much cohesion as possible.”

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