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MUSEUM OF WESTERN ART TO HOST WESTERN ARTISTS ROUNDUP, JENNIFER HUNTER FOR JUNE

The Museum of Western Art is pleased to announce that artworks from the Western Artists Roundup will open on Saturday, June 2, 2018, with an opening reception from 2-4 p.m. that day.

The Western Artists Roundup organization has seven members with diverse styles of creative western art. Organized March 19, 2016, at Gridiron Gallery in Llano, Texas, the group is unique in that they use a demonstration format with different styles – oil, pencil, sculpture, acrylic, and watercolor. The group hails from all over Texas and include: Jack Moss, Llano; David Godfrey, Midlothian; Gary Ward, Canyon; Tim Vanya, Somerville; Doug Prine, Nemo; Clyde Lewis, San Antonio; and Lloyd Voges, Clifton.

The group says, "As members, we want to preserve the customs of both old and new, yesteryear and today."

Also opening on June 2 is the Museum's Artist of the Month Jennifer Hunter. Jennifer studied classical painting at the prestigious American Academy of Art. While a student there, Jennifer had a seascape accepted into the first Arts for the Parks competition which was later shown at the Smithsonian. Her works are included in the collections of former President Jimmy Carter, Michael Martin Murphey and John Denver. Her paintings have been featured in Western Horseman Magazine, and in many national shows including the 2011 Rockies West National, Arts for the Parks, the Academic Artist's Association, Watercolor West, the Los Angeles Audubon Society and Environmental Art Show, among many others. She is a member of the Western Colorado Watercolor Society and is a juried Associate member of Women Artists of the West.

A wine and cheese reception is included in these events. The events are free to members. Non-members are welcome for a suggested donation of \$10. For more information about the event, please contact the Museum at 830.896.2553.