



# THE SKETCH PAD

## HOCKADAY MUSEUM of ART MEMBERS' NEWSLETTER

Practice what you know, and it will help to make clear what now you do not know.  
- Rembrandt (1606-1669)

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### *Cultural Tour to Browning*

53rd Annual North American Indian Days  
Sunday, July 11

North American Indian Days is an intriguing way to see authentic Blackfeet traditions. Tapis are pitched on the powwow grounds for four days of contest dancing, games, a number of sports events and socializing. Comprising one of the largest gatherings of United States and Canadian tribes, the celebration is an unforgettable experience.

The Cultural Tour will begin with lunch at Mad Wolf Ranch, a 300 acre buffalo ranch in Browning. Following lunch, we will join the festivities at North American Indian Days and watch the Indian dancing. A cultural guide will come along to interpret the traditions of the dances. Tickets are \$50, which includes transportation, tour, and a great buffalo burger lunch. Space is limited; contact the Hockaday at 755-5268 to order your ticket today!

#### *Cultural Tour Schedule*

Arrive at the Hockaday by 9:15 a.m.

Lunch/Ranch 11:00 a.m.

Watch Dancing 1 p.m.

Depart Browning 4 p.m.

Return to the Hockaday no later than 6 p.m.

Lunch provided by Mad Wolf Ranch - Doug Nelson

#### **"Who is the Real William Clark?"**

**Lecture by Dr. Jay Buckley**

Thursday, July 8 at 6:30 pm

Reception to follow lecture



Dr. Jay Buckley is an Assistant Professor in the Department of History at Brigham Young University, where he is also the Director of the department's Native American Studies minor. During the summer of 2004, he is a scholar-in-residence at the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail Interpretive Center in Great Falls. Buckley received his Ph.D. from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 2001, and has written and lectured extensively on Lewis and Clark, as well as the history of the fur trade, Native Americans, and the American West.

This lecture is being offered in conjunction with the *Lewis and Clark Discovery: Works by Frank Hagel* exhibition which will be on display through July 24. The lecture is free to Museum members and Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation members and free with museum admission for nonmembers.



*Portage*, oil, by Frank Hagel; Hockaday Museum Permanent Collection

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#### **2nd Annual Discovery Auction**

**Friday, August 27**

The Discovery Auction, to be held at the Gardner Auction house on August 27 will feature art, books, and collectibles of Glacier Park, Montana and more.

Call 755-5268 for more information about consigning your items. Proceeds benefit the Hockaday's exhibit and education programs. Auction items will be available for preview at [www.hockadaymuseum.org](http://www.hockadaymuseum.org). Watch for more information coming soon!



*Cut Bank River* by Ted Marble



The first six months of 2004 have flown by at an incredible speed here at the Museum. I wonder how many of you feel the same. If so, you have probably not had much of a chance to come in and enjoy the exhibit programs and receive some creative stimulation and critical thinking. The fact that we are a very active Museum with changing exhibits means that if you blink, you're going to miss something. Lucky for many of you, we are repeating some of the activities that you may have missed in the past. Look through the newsletter to see what is coming up and sign up early for the tours.

It has been so busy here at the Hockaday that I have a lot of individuals to thank. There is a list of thank yous on page 11 but I would additionally like to thank some people who have really helped through their generous donation of time.

First, the Kalispell Rock Hound Club: thank you for helping the Hockaday put together a very exciting and unique exhibit program, *Flathead Collects Earth's Natural Treasures*. The demonstrations were wonderful and very interesting. I personally learned a great deal about rocks, fossils and dinosaur bones. What a great exhibit it was! Thank you Wheeler Jewelry for your sponsorship of this exhibit. Jack Gross' GPS workshop was very interesting and helpful for those working on their GPS skills. Thanks to the Sportsman Ski Haus for sponsoring the workshop. This exhibit was part of the Museum's Building Arts Participation program, a program that is being funded and watched by the Montana Arts Council and the Wallace Foundation.

Next, I would like to thank Russ Skelton and Don Counsell with Architects Northwest for their tremendous help with designing the Centennial Marquee that will soon be under construction in front of the Museum. View the finished design on page 7. If you have not purchased your centennial brick, there is still time to do so. Just fill out the form on page 7 and mail it in or drop it off at the Museum. We could still use more brick purchases to make this marquee a reality!

And lastly, I would like to thank the businesses that have been sponsors for our recent major exhibits: Semitool, Ogle and Worm, and Insty-Prints. Your investments go a long way in helping us keep outstanding exhibits coming to citizens of the Flathead Valley. Art and cultural organizations are not only economic stimulants through tourism and promotional activities; they are the instrumental force that keeps us thinking creatively and critically.

- Linda Engh-Grady, Executive Director/Curator

## Miniatures Auction a Success!



*Rising Sun*, oil, 12 x 6 1/2 inches, by Joe Abbrescia  
2004 People's Choice Purchase Award Winner

The 3rd Annual Hockaday Benefit Auction of Miniatures was a huge success. Almost 70 pieces were sold and the event raised over \$9,000 for the Museum's exhibit and education programs. Thank you for your support of this fundraiser.

Each year, the Hockaday Museum of Art asks the people to vote for the artwork from the Miniatures show that should be purchased by the Museum for its Permanent Collection. The purchase is funded through donations to the Museum's Art Acquisition Fund. This year's purchase award winner is *Rising Sun* by Joe Abbrescia.

Thanks to those who donated to the Art Acquisition Fund, to all who attended the auction, and to the artists who donated 100% of the proceeds of the sale of their work to the Museum.

### ART ACQUISITION FUND DONORS

John and Patricia Case  
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To honor, recognize, and thank two of the Hockaday's most faithful long-time supporters, the Board of Trustees has presented Howard and Mauriene Jacobson with an Honorary Lifetime Membership to the Museum. Over many years the Jacobsons have generously given of their time, talent, and creative energies to presenting enriching experiences for the people of the Flathead Valley and especially to the membership of and visitors to the Museum.



Howard & Mauriene Jacobson

In addition to serving on the Board of Trustees, Howard with Mauriene frequently could be seen enthusiastically patching and painting gallery walls preparing for exhibit installations, icing cakes with the most glorious frostings depicting famous works of art to be served up at special receptions, and arranging and displaying the museum

Christmas gift shop. Everyone remembers "Somewhere in Time", that terrific exhibit curated by Howard that explored the world of women's fashions over the centuries. This was closely followed by the "Antique Toy and Doll Show" which featured hundreds, or was it thousands, of dolls from stick figures to china-headed princesses. We remember with awe Mauriene's "Mannequin" exhibit with her vignettes of mannequins dressed in period costumes and "living" in environments appropriate to their time and place. And we could go on and on with the list which absolutely must include their contribution of a large number of art books to the Jeanne Hamilton Memorial Library and their unique and positive sense of humor which helped carry us through the Hockaday's "lean" years.

Thank you, Howard and Mauriene! We are deeply indebted to you both!

- Mark Norley, President, Board of Trustees



## From the Librarian

Recent donations to the Jeanne Hamilton Memorial Library, from the Bigfork Art and Cultural Center, Van Kirke and Helen Nelson, Devenish Press, James Udick, and a generous grant from Christopher Hamilton, have pushed the number of volumes in the Library to just under 3,000! The Hockaday is very proud and honored to house this valuable and resource-rich collection of art-related books!

Recently the Library has expanded its horizons to reflect the emphasis in the Museum's Mission Statement to include within its thirty-two separate categories sections of books relating to Glacier National Park and the History of the Flathead Valley, Montana, and, in particular, Northwest Montana. The Hockaday is enthusiastically interested in expanding these new categories and encourages the membership, if they find dust gathering on their bookshelves, to consider a donation of these precious books to the Hamilton Library. Your donation of books will be carefully conserved, cleaned, cataloged, and a label indicating you as donor placed on the spine of each book. It's very interesting to browse through the Library just to see the names of so many people who have thoughtfully donated books to the Hockaday over the years! Remember, too, that your donation can mean a tax deduction for you.

The Hamilton Library is open to the membership of the Hockaday on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. when the Librarian is in attendance to help you with your research. Here is a golden opportunity to study art history, architecture, Native American Art, Oriental art, the lives and works of your favorite artists and sculptors, as well as to study drawing and painting techniques or to research your Great Aunt Sally's silver teapot.

Art doesn't always just hang on walls; you can also find it on shelves!

- James L. Udick, Archives/Librarian

The West is dead my friend but writers hold  
the seed and what they sow will live and grow  
again to those who read!

- Charles M. Russell, 1917





*Pack Trip in Alpine Meadows*, oil, by Leonard Lopp  
On loan from the collection of Stephen Johnson

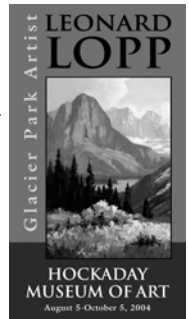
*Leonard Lopp: The Artist of Glacier National Park*

JULY 29 THROUGH OCTOBER 16

*Leonard Lopp: The Artist of Glacier National Park* is the first art exhibition featuring the art work of Leonard Lopp (1888-1974) since his last showing in the 1950s. Lopp was a very prolific artist and the landscape of Glacier National Park is a main subject matter for much of his work. He was employed as an artist for Glacier Park Hotel Company for three years in the 1930s. The paintings he created while living and working in Glacier Park are as significant and important as his portfolio of work depicting the Oregon Trail. In 1960, Lopp,

along with his lovely wife Margaret, was looking forward to a grand finale showing of his work in Glacier Park. They were invited to showcase their paintings at the June 1960 Governors' Conference in Glacier National Park. Unfortunately, Margaret's heart failed in February of 1960, just months before their scheduled show. Today, 44 years later, the Hockaday Museum of Art is pleased to be opening a major exhibition that will feature over 50 major works by Leonard Lopp. This exhibition places him back on the map with the other great historical artists of Glacier National Park. A catalog that includes a well-researched biography about his life and work, by Sue Roling, along with photographs of Lopp and his wife Margaret and over 35 images of some of his major paintings will accompany this exhibition.

A full color catalog will accompany the exhibit and is available for \$15. The 30" x 60" banners (pictured at right) that will hang on Main Street to advertise the exhibit are for sale for \$150 and will be available after the exhibit is completed.



*Fish Creek*, photograph, by Ed Gilliland

*Lens on Montana*

JULY 29 THROUGH OCTOBER 1

*Lens On Montana* will showcase over 50 photographs by members of the Glacier Camera Club, the local Flathead Valley camera club. The club has been in existence since 1988 and today has over 25 active members. While half of the club members continue to use conventional film for their photographs, the other half of the club has followed the rest of the country by using digital images to produce their photographs. True to their club name, the landscape of Glacier National Park will be a popular topic in the images on view in this exhibit.



*Reynolds Creek*, oil by Leonard Lopp  
On loan from the collection of Stephen Johnson

*Please Join Us*  
Opening Reception for  
*Leonard Lopp: The Artist of Glacier National Park*  
*Lens on Montana*  
Thursday, August 5 from 5:30 to 7:30 pm



*The Red Pirogue*, oil, by Frank Hagel  
Collection of Mr. & Mrs. Ray Thompson

*Lewis and Clark Discovery: Works by Frank Hagel*

THROUGH JULY 24

Special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and Semitool Inc. for their help and support in bringing this fine exhibit to the Hockaday Museum

Unlike so many other early explorers, Lewis and Clark did not have a staff artist travel with them during the four years of their journey west. Artist Frank Hagel, who has devoted his artistic career to historical subjects, has produced an outstanding body of work that depicts the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery. This exhibit is a wonderful visual education of this historical journey as we celebrate its 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

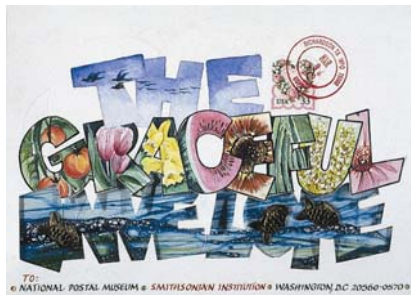
*The Landscapes of Thomas English*

THROUGH JULY 17

Thomas English is known for his masterful landscapes of Montana, particularly around Glacier National Park. Living in Montana and being surrounded by earth's natural wonders have given him the inspiration for his work. For the past two years, English was chosen to participate in the Glacier National Park's artist-in-residence program where he has held outdoor demonstrations and drawing clinics for park visitors. Through his plein air style, he is able to capture the very essence of the landscape and transfer it to canvas without losing the natural quality. This exhibit is a must see for all Glacier National Park enthusiasts.



*Carpenter Creek*, oil, by Thomas English; Collection of Michael and Sherry O'Hearn



*Nature's Treasures* by Donna M. Sabolovic

*The Graceful Envelope*

THROUGH JULY 17

*The Graceful Envelope* celebrates the marriage of calligraphy and philately in an innovative exhibition featuring award-winning artistic envelopes mailed to "The Graceful Envelope," c/o National Postal Museum for their annual competition from 1995 through 1999. The exhibition features 135 stamped, canceled, delivered, juried, and awarded works that draws interest from stamp enthusiasts and calligraphers alike. A broad range of calligraphic styles are evident, including copperplate, uncial, Roman traditional, and freestyle in ink, gouache, watercolor, acrylic, foil, and gold leaf. This exhibit includes works by Kalispell artists Gini Ogle and Karen Leigh, as well as works by Montana artists Virginia L. Meltzer, Jody Reiner, Deborah Parsons Menke, Barbara A. Garfield, and Robert Clifton Morrison. The exhibit includes a special showing of a Charles M. Russell illustrated letter and envelope.



*Friend Frank*, illustrated letter, by Charles M. Russell; on loan from the collection of Van Kirke and Helen Nelson



*Untitled*, collage, by Jay AlexZander Evans

*Children's Art Show*

THROUGH JULY 17

This exhibit displays works by more than 150 area elementary school students and students from Hockaday Museum classes. Thank you Kelly for your very hard work on this exhibit!



*The Graceful Envelope* was organized for travel by the Smithsonian National Postal Museum and the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service (SITES). The Smithsonian National Postal Museum receives both financial and material support from the United States Postal Service. The Smithsonian Institution gratefully acknowledges the Postal Service's continued support.

Thanks to all of our new and renewing members from March 1 to June 15.

#### RENEWING MEMBERS

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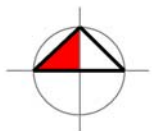
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# July 2004

Museum Hours  
Monday–Saturday 10 AM to 6 PM, Sunday 12 to 4 PM

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Lunch Time Tour Noon	2 Corporate Days	3 Corporate Days
4 Museum closed for Independence Day	5	6 Children's Art Classes 10:30 am-Noon 1:00-2:00 pm	7 Pre K Art Time 9:30-10:30 am	8 Senior Tour & Tea 10-6 Lewis & Clark Lecture 6:30 pm	9	10
11 Cultural Tour	12	13 Children's Art Class 10:30 am-2:30 pm	14 Pre K Art Time 9:30-10:30 am	15 Tour & Techniques Noon-1 pm	16	17
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### Volunteers Needed!

Volunteers work two hours at various gate locations and receive free admission and a souvenir button. If you are interested, contact the Hockaday at 755-5268.

### Entertainment Schedule

#### Friday, July 23

10 am to 11 am - Jones Music Children's Group

11 am to Noon - TBA

Noon to 1 pm - Paradise Productions

1 pm to 2 pm - Greg Grant

2 pm to 3 pm - Artist Demonstrations

3 pm to 4 pm - Matt Brua

4 pm to 5 pm - Hallau Hula O Nui Lani

#### Saturday, July 24

10 am to 11 am - TBA

11 am to Noon - Stacy Board

Noon to 1 pm - Feat by Feet Performance Company

1 pm to 2 pm - Artist Demonstrations

2 pm to 3 pm - Academy of Performing Arts

3 pm to 4 pm - Western Line Dancers

4 pm to 5 pm - Stacy Board

#### Sunday, July 25

10 am to 11 am - TBA

11 am to Noon - TBA

Noon to 1 pm - Tra Le Gael

1pm to 2 pm - TBA

2 pm to 3 pm - Highlanders

3 pm to 4 pm - TBA

4 pm to 5 pm - TBA

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*Help Build the Future of the Hockaday Museum with a Centennial Brick*

Become a permanent part of the Hockaday! For a contribution of \$100, you can purchase a personalized brick that will be used to build a marquee outside the Museum, as pictured to the right. Each personalized brick will be a visible part of the entrance to the Museum. This elegant marquee, echoing the design of the Carnegie Library building which houses the Hockaday Museum, was created by Architects Northwest.



Bricks can be given as a gift or purchased in memory of a loved one and engraved with their name as a lasting tribute. This is a meaningful way to honor family members or friends who have been part of the Hockaday.



**Buy a Centennial Brick Order Form**

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Name or Message on Brick: (Please print exactly as you would like it to appear on your brick.)  
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Please return this form with your donation to:  
 Hockaday Museum of Art, Attn: Buy a Centennial Brick  
 302 Second Avenue East, Kalispell, MT 59901

**Art Acquisition Opportunity**



*Glacier Fall*, oil, 24 x 32 inches, by Thomas English

Thomas English is an outstanding artist whose paintings of Glacier National Park are a tribute to the majestic mountains, valleys and lakes we all cherish.

One painting in particular, *Glacier Fall*, is an outstanding example of English's work and a painting that would greatly enhance the Museum's permanent collection. Collecting museums cannot always hope for paintings to be donated to their collection. Many times paintings must be secured through donations to the acquisition fund in order to purchase them.

The Hockaday has a wonderful opportunity to purchase this fine painting from the artist for a very reasonable price and with your help we will be able to do it. Use the form on the back of this newsletter to donate to the Art Acquisition Fund and help the Museum continue to build a major art collection that represents the artists of Montana with emphasis on the artists of Glacier National Park.



## *In the Off the Wall Gift Gallery*

In July and August, photographs, paintings, and textiles by Miantae Metcalf McConnell and sculptures by Diana McClaran will be featured in the Off the Wall Gift Gallery. Jewelry by Susan Miller will continue to be featured through August.



Miantae Metcalf McConnell is a painter, photographer and writer. Her art is intrinsically involved with nature, expressing views of her many forms and relationships. McConnell's love of nature, in particular her love of the Rocky Mountains, began in the Bitterroot Valley in the 1950s. Her families were early Montana settlers, and though as a child she spent only three months of each year in Montana and the remainder in Northern California, it was enough to call her back.

McConnell works with painting, screen printing, and trapunto techniques with textiles; watercolor and acrylic paintings; and commercial and art photography. She has completed many commissions for both corporate and private collections and has also created designs and original art for reproduction in the home accessory and fashion industries. Her corporate clients include Better Homes & Gardens, Intel, ITT, Daybreak Designs, Nordstrom, REI, and Simpson Timber Company. Images to be displayed in the Off the Wall Gift Gallery include photographs from her "Lilies Close Up" collection, paintings with dyes on silk, white-on-white trapunto textiles, and photographs of stones and stone circles.

Diana McClaran was born in Iowa City, Iowa and moved to Kalispell in 1994 with her husband Tim and a variety of animals. McClaran's love for art has led her to use many different mediums, but she found sculpting in 2000 and began casting in bronze a year later. McClaran's subjects are reflections of nature that begin with a spark of an idea, many of which seem to hit her at midnight. Each of her bronze sculptures presents a fresh perspective. They are found in many private collections and she is represented by several galleries.



In 1990, Susan Miller began using her experience in making stained glass to create jewelry from glass, lace, flowers, stamps and china. Miller's work combines both her fondness of antiques, as well as her growing interest in recycling. Recycling bits and pieces from the past is part of the process in creating each individual piece of jewelry. Using postage stamps to create jewelry has a special meaning for Miller as her father was a mail carrier for over 20 years. Her postage stamp jewelry connects people with their past, interests, or travels.

### OFF THE WALL GIFT GALLERY

*Cards ~ Prints ~ Pottery ~ Books*

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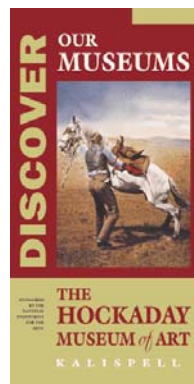
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of the Hockaday Museum of Art*

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### *Banners for sale*

The museum banners featuring *Saddling a Wild Horse* by L.A. Huffman that were displayed on Main Street last summer are for sale. Each banner is 30" x 60" and is available for \$175. Your purchase supports the Museum's exhibit and education programs!



# August 2004

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1	2 Bibler Home & Garden Tours 5:30 & 7:00 pm	3 Children's Art Class 10:30 am-2:30 pm Bibler Home & Garden Tours 5:30 & 7:00 pm	4 Pre K Art Time 9:30-10:30 am Bibler Home & Garden Tours 5:30 & 7:00 pm	5 Opening Reception 5:30-7:30 pm Bibler Home & Garden Tours 5:30 & 7:00 pm	6 <i>Corporate Days</i> Bibler Home & Garden Tours 5:30 & 7:00 pm	7 <i>Corporate Days</i>
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# Thank you!

The Hockaday would like to thank:

- Bibler Gardens for selecting the Museum to be one of the recipients of proceeds from the Spring Bibler Gardens Tours and the Mother's Day Brunch.
- Kalispell Rock Hound Club for their assistance with the Flathead Collects Earth's Natural Treasures exhibit
- Kerry and Scott Nagel and the 419 Wine Bar for donating the proceeds from their April 25 vintner's dinner. The evening was a great success with a full house, delicious wines, and a fantastic meal. The Museum would also like to thank artist Pam Peters who painted a beautiful watercolor of the Hockaday Museum and donated it to be auctioned at the evening's dinner.
- Fun Beverage for donating wine for the Benefit Auction of Miniatures.
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## Special Thanks

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for their major in-kind donation of time and talent toward creating our Centennial Brick Marquee. See page 7 for information on purchasing your personalized Centennial Brick to be part of the marquee.

### Hours

September through May: Tuesday - Saturday, 10 am - 5 pm

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### Admission

\$5 for adults      \$4 for seniors      \$2 for students  
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## Summer Bibler Home & Garden Tours

The Summer Bibler Home & Garden Tours are tentatively scheduled for August 2 through 6. The Bibler gardens, created by owner Louis Bibler in 1980, are approximately eight acres and include artificial ponds, streams, lawns, and gardens. Three species of swans and several species of miniature animals add interest and activity to the beautifully landscaped hillside. The 1 1/2 hour-long evening tours will be held at 5:30 and 7:00 pm each day and include a stroll through the gardens as well as tours of both the main floor and upstairs of the Bibler home with its exceptional collection of art, antiques and Persian carpets. Tickets will be available from the Conrad Mansion and sales benefit the Hockaday Museum of Art and the Conrad Mansion Museum.

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*Children Reading*, by Jeanne Hamilton  
 (1919-1992) oil on canvas  
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