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WITH LIVE GUITAR MUSIC FROM ALLAN MACKINNON

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*Works inspired by the rhythms of the ocean tides  
by Laurie Rolland, RCA (ceramics) and  
Jane Duford Johnston (paintings)*

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Laurie Rolland presents a series of ceramic ensembles, each related by repetitive themes and organic forms. Each series casts its own spell with references to the interconnected nature of the sea and other natural forces over extended timelines. Infused with symbolism related to regeneration and decay, this display of recent work enables the viewer to appreciate the full power of one of the province's leading ceramic artists.

Local artist Jane Duford Johnston's paintings feature long views of coastlines around the world that have captured her imagination at varying times in her life. Counterpoised against Rolland's more enigmatic forms, these realistic vistas bear witness to the incredible power of the open sea and shoreline.

## Artist Talks (FREE)

The gallery is pleased to be able to offer two opportunities (in addition to the reception) for the public to meet the artists for a short tour of their work:

Laurie Rolland                      Saturday, March 19 • 1-1:45pm

Jane Duford Johnston           Saturday, April 9 • 1-1:45pm

*The Gallery will be closed from Friday, March 25 until Tuesday, March 29 for the holiday weekend.*

### OPPOSITE:

*Wrack Line* • Laurie Rolland

Ceramic: handbuilt coloured clays, sprayed surfaces, stains and washes, fired in oxidation • 2016

### ABOVE:

*Pacific Sunset* • Jane Duford Johnston

Oil • 24" x 48"  
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