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Posting: Painted Frog Taster
Poster: TRB
Date: 9 September 2005 7:07 PM

Posting 1

Thanks to Dagmar for providing a list of the painted frogs she knew of. Pictures have been taken of all known frogs, except for the one sadly destroyed, and the ones at the Savings Institute and Windham Hospital. A gallery of the frogs will be put together soon for the exiles. Here's a taster -- the Chinese Frog outside the Victorian House Association HQ, and the Quilt Frog in the Windham Mills Park.





Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: JayJay
 Date: 9 September 2005 9:50 PM

Posting 2

Fantastic!!! Oscars, Tonies, Obies, and whatever other awards are appropriate to the artists and the crews who put these Kermit cousins together and placed them on display. It was obviously no small task and has to be a labor of love. Likewise to TRB for getting the pics up for viewing. We will all look forward to seeing more of them. Thank you most sincerely.

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Diane Lewis
 Date: 10 September 2005 1:53 PM

Posting 3

Superb pictures! I didn't realize that these frogs were so colorful. can't wait to see the others!!

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Julie
 Date: 11 September 2005 7:26 AM

Posting 4

These frogs are inspirational, and it's a shame they will not be a permanent part of our urban landscape. Including these two I think there are at least 10. Maybe Dagmar or others know of more

1. Willimantic Waste Frog

2. Savings Institute Frog
3. Quilt Frog in mills park
4. Nathan Hale Frog at Beacon Pharmacy
5. Music Frog at WILI
6. Mill Frog at town hall
7. 1960s style Frog at Chamber of commerce
8. Firehouse Frog on Bank Street
9. Major Parcel Frog near Jillson House
10. Chines Frog near Oobah

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Dagmar Noll
 Date: 12 September 2005 7:15 AM

Posting 5

I had forgotten about the frog at the police/fire complex. There's also one at Alex Caisse Park/Park Springs!

Dagmar

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Tom Nanos
 Date: 13 September 2005 8:51 AM

Posting 6

Here's a photo I took over the weekend of the one in front of the Chamber office:

<http://www.nanosphoto.com/gallery/displayimage.php?pos=-498>

-Tom

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Dagmar Noll
 Date: 13 September 2005 9:15 PM

Posting 7

Love the photos, Tom. I poked around your site a bit-- can't wait to see more! Favorites are the Franklin sunrise and the little one in the daffodils.

Best,

Dagmar

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Tom Nanos
 Date: 14 September 2005 11:24 AM

Posting 8

Dagmar-

Thanks - glad you enjoyed the photos! Keep checking back, I throw some new pix up there every so often... :-)

Thanks!
 Tom

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Chris von Roseninge
 Date: 25 September 2005 10:57 AM

Posting 9

Neighbors,
 I have photographed most of the frogs, which you can see on my server at <http://www.vingdesign.com/miscellany/frogs.htm>

I'm new to the area and photographed these for a friend who is a frog lover and collector of all things with frogs. She teaches at the University of Oklahoma, where I spent the last seven years as publication designer for the College of Fine Arts.

Perhaps someone can tell me if there are any frogs I've missed and where to find them.

While I was photographing frogs recently, a woman came up to me and asked if I were going to print postcards. She thought there would be a demand for them. Would some printer be willing to print postcards to benefit, say, the Windham Area Arts Collaborative? I would be willing to contribute my photos and design the cards. Any thoughts on this, anyone?

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster
 Poster: Tom
 Date: 25 September 2005 11:20 AM

Posting 10

Thanks Chris -- great site, and superb frog pictures. I'm sure someone at WAAC would be interested in your suggestion.

Here's their website and contact info:

<http://www.windhamarts.org/>

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 11
 Poster: Henry George
 Date: 25 September 2005 12:32 AM

Yes Chris! Get these turned into postcards. In fact all of them would look great on a large poster. This could be a great marketing play for Windham. Come on Bill Meehan, rather than telling us all on here how generous and clever you are, but your words into action and fund a program with Chris to show off our frogs, and Windham, to the world.

Someone's got to do it! It's proved repeatedly in real life and on this board that the town fathers are not capable! -- or bothered.

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 12
 Poster: Dagmar Noll
 Date: 30 September 2005 6:22 AM

New Frog in front of the Windham Area Arts Collaborative and Art Gallery (on Main Street-- right across from the Oobah's frog!) It looks a bit like it was made with found objects?

Dagmar

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 13
 Poster: Ted Perch
 Date: 30 September 2005 8:52 AM

Don't forget new frog in front of the Library.

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 14
 Poster: Jean de Smet
 Date: 30 September 2005 1:27 PM

Once again, Windham is so bizarre, and it works! Gotta love those frogs :) Thanks for the great photos.

It'll be a shame if our Selectmen don't take \$ out of the rainy-day fund and buy a frog at the auction. Or 2 (depending on the sale price). Let's keep one at town hall!?!? Is Marvin buying one for Frog Pond?

You know how frustrating it is when vacation pictures are always missing some one? I'm sure out-of town visitors and in-town folks would pay for a collection of "Photos with Frog". Some enterprising photographer could drive people around town, get you in the photo. Certainly the technology is there?

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 15
 Poster: iRONic™
 Date: 21 November 2005 1:18 PM

>>While I was photographing frogs recently, a woman came up to me and asked if I were going to print postcards. She thought there would be a demand for them.<<

The first series of three frog sculpture postcards are in local stores now.

Ladd's Garden Center and Frogview Marketplace have some now. The Hall of Frames is doing a very cool matting of this series.

Look for more retail outlets soon, such as Rajeans, The Bench Shop, and The Hoot.

The second series of three is due Nov. 28.

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 16
 Poster: mammabear
 Date: 21 November 2005 2:21 PM

Do you need to get special permission from anybody to use photos of the frogs? I'm referring to one's own photos...

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 17
 Poster: rd
 Date: 21 November 2005 2:37 PM

Are the frogs for sale? I have seen other communities that create novel sculptures for their town/community and later sell them.

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 18
 Poster: iRONic™
 Date: 21 November 2005 2:58 PM

I'd say, "no."

Posting: Re: Painted Frog Taster Posting 19
 Poster: iRONic™
 Date: 21 November 2005 3:00 PM

They were auctioned.

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