

# HI!

Happy September! I hope that you have been doing ok out there, this last week of August seems to be a rough one for me and folks I've talked to. So hopefully you are taking care of yourself and loved ones out there <3.

This last month I went down to Santa Cruz and got to tattoo out of my friend's studio. It was such a dream. I got to meet cool people, camp in my car by the beach every day, make breakfast outside with my lil stove, tattoo folks, ride a client's motorcycle and see old friends. It was healing to be outside so much and it was definitely a push to start traveling more to tattoo. Next month I'll be tattooing out of Unfurl Collective Tattoo Studio in Joshua tree : ) I'm SO PUMPED. I'll also be coming down to Santa Cruz this month (7-9) to do a few tattoos.

I got the opportunity to do a few machine tattoos this last month. Although a lot of my handpoke skills translate over to machine, I still feel like i'm not in a good rhythm yet.

It takes so much more concentration to make sure i'm doing what I should be doing, and I am learning so much with every machine tattoo i've given. I'm excited for when it feels like second nature, which is how handpoke feels these days. (Though i'm always learning and always will be : ) i'll be doing a big-ish machine piece tomorrow! My friend gave me creative freedom so we will be doing a freaky creature on their back.

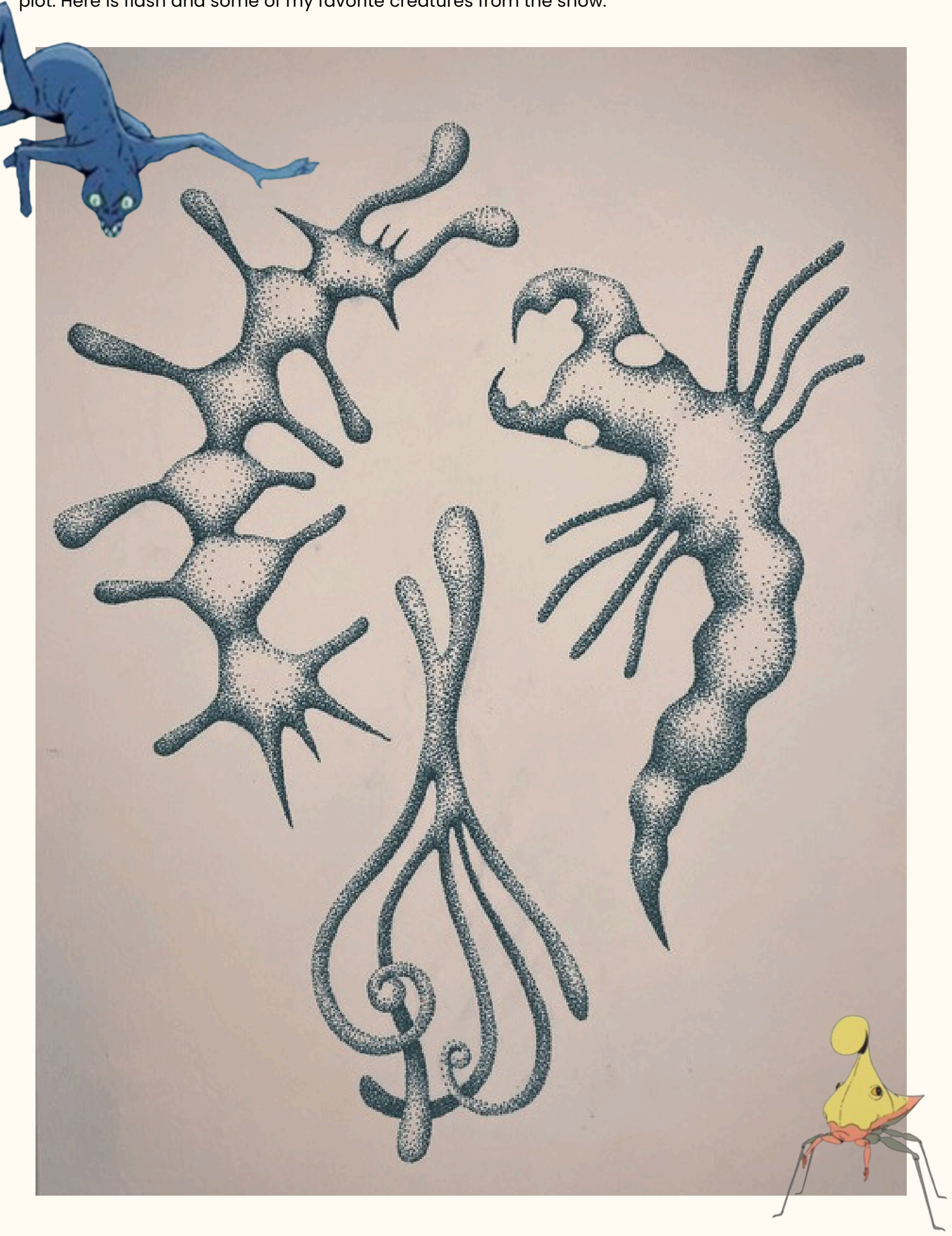


some tattoos from events this month

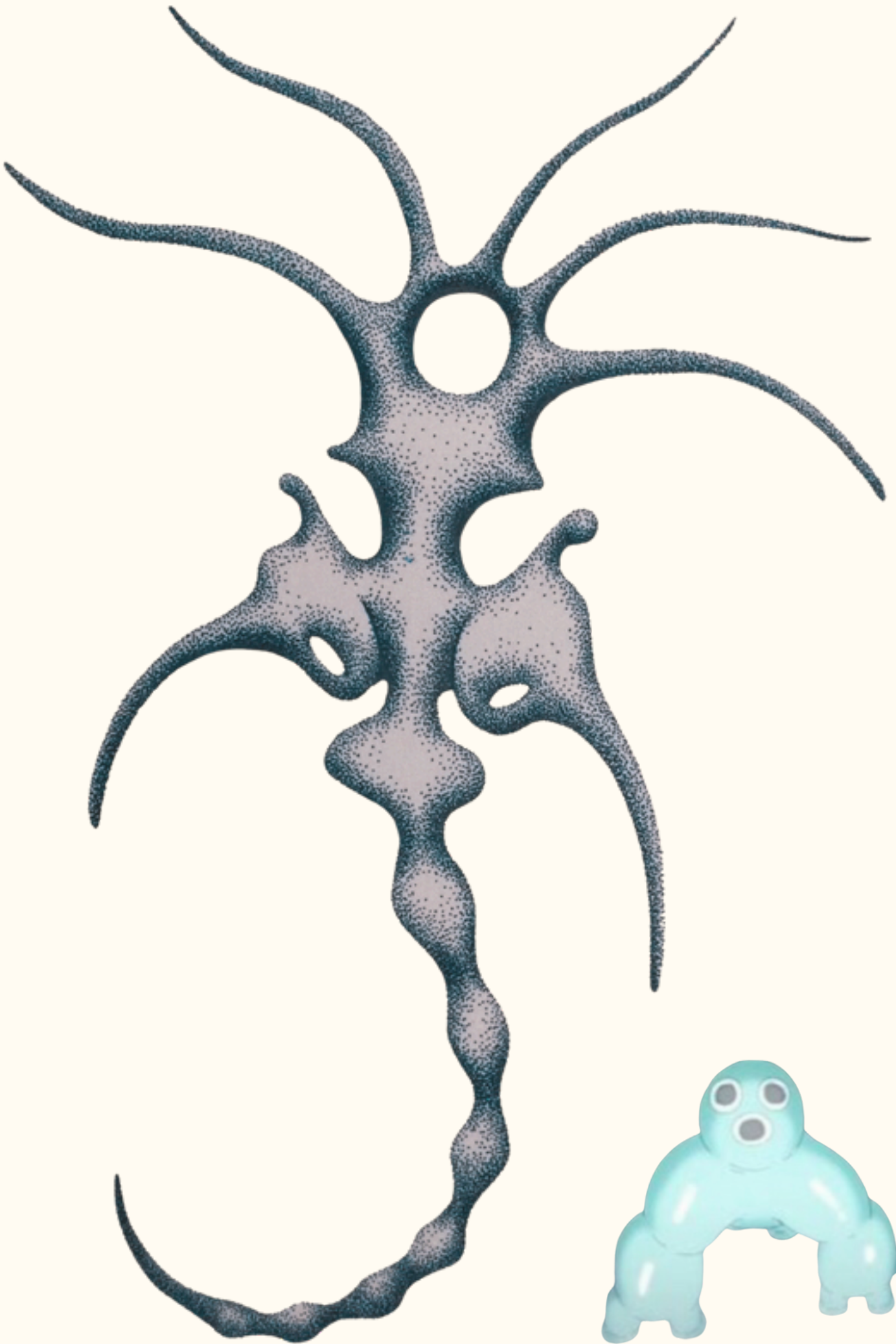
This month I did two events and they were so fulfilling . The Wardrobe Flea market was awesome. Shared a station with another tattooer (@thepokingspleen) and got to see old clients, meet new folks and dance a little :) Then yesterday I tattooed at the Body of Art market. If you don't already follow them, you should! Super sweet organizers, crazy talented tattoo artists, cool vendors.... I went in with no expectations of tattooing anyone and brought my iPad to catch up on my admin duties, but I was tattooing the entire time. This was yesterday, so today I am exhausted.

## NEW FLASH

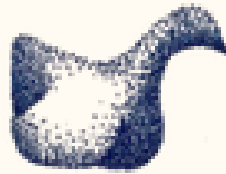
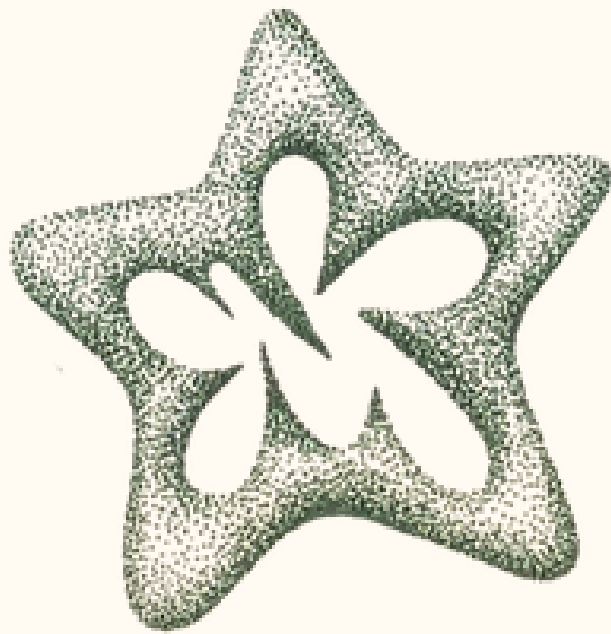
Inspired by the show Scavengers Reign! If you haven't watched it I really recommend it! Animated, sci-fi, easy to watch for free on cartoon something site, not super long, amazing creature design and cool plot. Here is flash and some of my favorite creatures from the show:



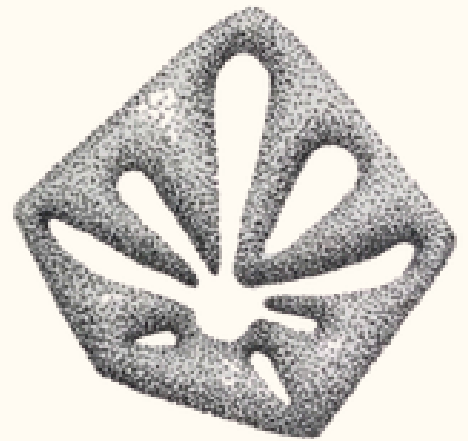
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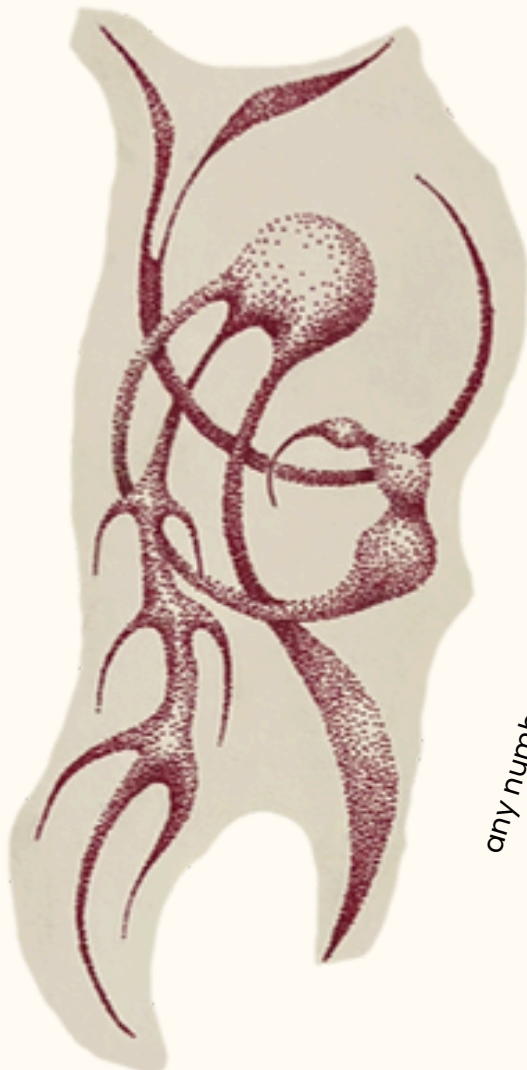
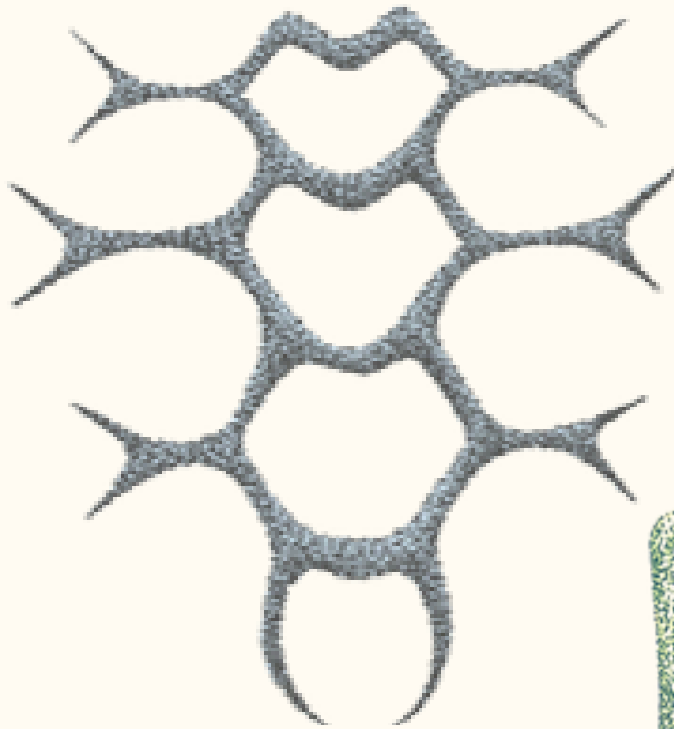


(repeatable goose)

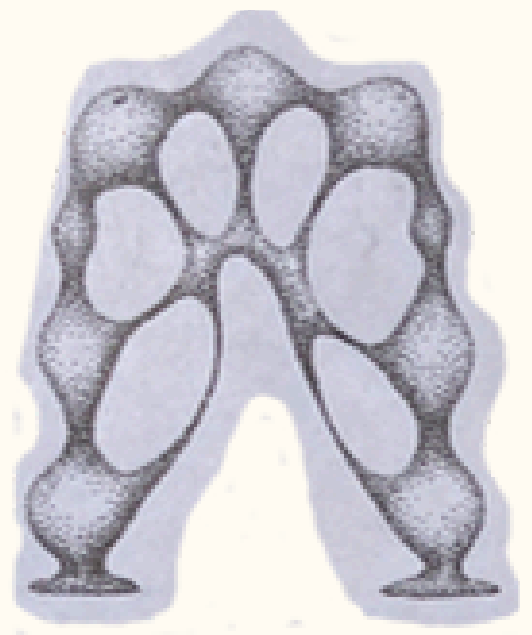


old flash

I will give you big deal on any of these, I just want to do them :)



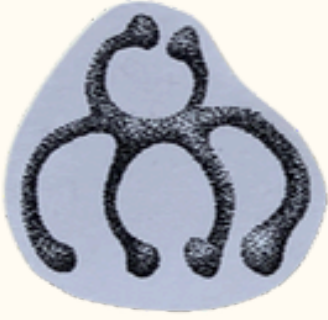
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# THINGS! RESOURCES!

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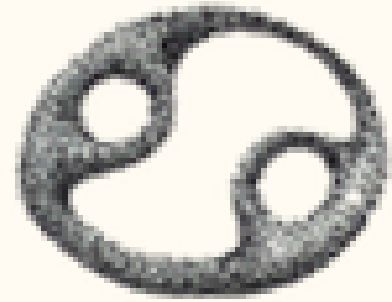
## DRAWING DAYS

I will be continuing drawing days this month! join me and draw or work on anything at Jerusalem Coffee House from 9am to 11am on these days:

Friday: 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>

They're great to support right now, Palestinian coffee shop that is being threatened to be shut down.

**5443 TELEGRAPH AVE, OAKLAND**



## RECIEVING ICE ALERTS/RAPID RESPONSE

You can submit sightings and also sign up to receive text or email alerts about ice in your area on this website. If you want to be looped into a rapid response network they are one of the orgs that makes call outs of where to show up. They have a feature that allows you to search license plates of confirmed ice.

[stopice.net](http://stopice.net)



## HOTLINE NUMBERS

If you haven't already, these are hotline numbers to save to your contacts. You call if you think you see ICE around. They will verify if it actually is ICE and coordinate with rapid response networks in your area once confirmed.

**SAN FRANCISCO: 415-200-1548**

**ALAMEDA: 510-241-4011**

**SANTA CRUZ: 831-239-4289**

**SONOMA COUNTY: 707-800-4544**



## DANCING

La Peña is having a baila on September 19<sup>th</sup> and you should come : ) tickets are cheaper if you get them early. It is so lovely, if you have been wanting to learn how to bachata or salsa they have a class in the beginning before the dance starts. Live band!

## SWEEP DEFENSE

There is a lovely group of folks that are involved with distributing aid to houseless folks in the east bay and helping them move before a sweep takes place. If you want to get more involved or have questions shoot me an email!



## KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

La Peña is hosting Know Your Rights informationals on:

Sunday September 7, 2-4pm

(RVSP required, in person)

The workshop covers how ICE operates, collects info and it will prepare folks on some ways to act if encountering them. You can find more info on their instagram (@lapenaculturalcenter) or their website

**SPONSOR HAYA AND HER FAMILY**

Haya Shihab, 26, was an architecture student in Gaza. Her family of ten lived peacefully. She was set to graduate soon, but in an instant, everything changed. The war reduced her home to rubble and stripped away the dreams she had been working so hard to achieve. Now her family struggles to survive in the man-made famine.

Any donation will help Haya and her family survive.

**DONATE HERE:**



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@shihab97



Help an architecture student survive in Gaza —

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

<http://chuffed.org/project/135626>

If you have the means, please consider donating to Haya and her family < 3

here is the link to their chuffed:

[LINK](#)

## MUSIC

Here are some songs I have been listening to lately:

- I ain't never, Webb Pierce (country? Something like that)
- Dove, monosym (techno)
- La mentira, Luis Miguel (ballad)
- un jour avec Yusef, Dominique Dumont (no idea, bug/water sounds and (maybe) a sample from watermelon man?)
- tokyo story, Minho Hatori (idk genres anymore but it's nice lol, maybe it's chill house)



If there are any events or resources that you want me to spotlight in the next newsletter, please let me know!

If you are in a different tow/state and are interested in a tattoo let me know, I'm plotting more travels >: ] I hope you are doing well out there, wherever you are reading this from < 3 Here are some things that brought me joy recently :o

Best,  
  
Chloe

