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## PREPARING FOR AN OPENING

Skagit Valley College faculty member Ellen Michael measures a photo from the late photographer and humanitarian Lee Mann on Wednesday prior to hanging it and other works in the Mount Vernon Campus Center Gallery. Michael, the gallery director, was preparing for the opening of an exhibit, "Lee Mann/Expedition," that opens with a reception to honor Mann for his humanitarian efforts and artistry from 5 to 7 p.m. today and continues through April 6. The show will include family photos of Mann, along with his professional images.

The show kicks off a month of events planned as part of the Skagit Human Rights Festival. The festival lineup continues with panel discussions, film showings, more art focusing on human rights issues and presentations.

For more information and a full listing of events, visit [www.skagithrf.wordpress.com](http://www.skagithrf.wordpress.com).



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