

NC Commercial Galleries

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Mica - Fine Contemporary Craft, 37 N. Mitchell Avenue, Bakersville. **Through Nov. 20** - "From The Earth," the fall exhibition at Mica contemporary craft gallery, features the work of Bryant Holsenbeck, Amy Putansu and Rodger Jacobs, artists who all derive their inspiration from the natural world. **Ongoing** - Our cooperative gallery currently has fourteen members who are from the Bakersville, Penland, and Burnsville areas including: Jon Ellenbogen & Becky Plummer, Kent McLaughlin & Suze Lindsay, Gertrude Graham Smith, Susan Feagin, Cynthia Bringle, David Ross, Shaunna Lyons, Joy Tanner, William Baker, Claudia Dunaway, Jenny Lou Sherburne, Jacque Allen, and Pablo Soto. Visit any day and you're likely to meet one or two of the Mica artists. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/688-6422 or at (www.micagallerync.com).

Michael Kline Pottery, 4062 Snow Creek Road, Bakersville. **Ongoing** - Featuring pottery by Michael Kline and jewelry by Stacey Lane. Contact: call 828/675-4097 or visit (<http://michaelklinepottery.blogspot.com/>).

Banner Elk Area

Alta Vista Gallery, 2839 Broadstone Road, (between Banner Elk and Boone) Valle Crucis. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art gallery in historic farmhouse, located near the Original Mast General Store. In its 20th year and representing over 100 artists, the gallery specializes in oils and watercolors depicting mountain landscapes. Artists include: B. Jean Baird, Alan McCarter, Louise Pinto, Jean Pollock, Ray Byram, Joan Sporn, Elizabeth Ellison, Dotti Shelton. Also shown are original lithographs and original serigraphs from internationally-acclaimed artists such as ALVAR, Boulanger, and folk artist Will Moses, great-grandson of "Grandma Moses." Also: kaleidoscopes, stained-glass, pottery, jewelry, sculpture, and custom framing. Designer Bed-and-Breakfast rooms on-site. Open all year; hours vary according to season. Summer/Fall Hours: 11 am-5pm daily, except for Sun., which are by appt. Contact: 828/963-5247 or at (www.altavistagallery.com).

Art Cellar Gallery, 920 Shawneehaw Ave., Hwy 184, Banner Elk. **Through Oct 1** - "Gabriel Ofiesh Show," featuring jewelry from Hardin Fine Jewelry. **Oct. 1 - 31** - "Autumn Exhibition". And Open House will be held on Oct. 8, 3-5pm. **Ongoing** - Three floors of exhibition space featuring painting and sculpture from regionally and nationally known artists. Featured artists include: William Dunlap, Herb Jackson, Gregory Smith, Norma Murphy, Tim Turner, Deborah Jacobs Purves, Bill Brown, Scott Boyle, Margaret Salisbury, and others. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact 828/898-5175 or at (www.artcellaronline.com).

Carlton Gallery, 10360 Hwy. 105 south in the Foscoe/Grandfather Mountain community, located 10 miles south of Boone and 7 miles north of Linville or Banner Elk. **Ongoing** - Traditional and abstract paintings in landscapes, still life's, figurative, non-objective abstracts, cityscapes and structural design abound at Carlton Gallery by artists Andrew Braitman, Connie Winters, Egi Antonaccio, Kate Worm, Warren Dennis, Helen Farson, Roy Nichols, Mike Ham, Michael Grady, Mary Dobbin, Edie Maney, Sharon Rusch Shaver, Holly Glasscock, Gina Strumpf, and new to the gallery this season, Amy Sullivan and Kevin Lee Aita. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/963-4288 or at (www.carltongallery.com).

Sally Nooney, Artists Studio Gallery, located midway between Banner Elk & Valle Crucis on Hwy 194 So. **Ongoing** - Featuring the rich, vibrant works of Sally Nooney in oil, acrylic, and watercolor. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/963-7347 or at (www.sallynooney.com).

Beaufort

Craving Art Studio, 121 Craven Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring the working spaces of artists Heather Sink and Lisa Tucheck. This space is shared with community through classes, events and workshops and exhibits of other artists. Hours: daily, 10am-5pm. Contact: 252-728-0243 or at (www.cravingartstudio.com).

Landscapes Gallery Fine Arts and Crafts, 410 Front Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - The Gallery promotes American traditions in pottery, jewelry and glasswork with an emphasis on North Carolina artists. Over 200 artists are represented in a full range of work from the traditional to the contemporary in pottery, glass, jewelry, metal, wood and other media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm

& Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252-728-6805 or at (<http://www.landscapesgallery.com/>).

The Artestry Hideaway, 129 Middle Lane, (in the alley behind Clawson's Resturant) Beaufort. **Ongoing** - The Artestry Hideaway features over 60 North Carolina Artists. We offer fine art, whimsical and funky jewelry, pottery, glass, fiber, wood, metal, fun chimes and other 'stuff'. We also offer classes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/244-7354 or at (www.artestryhideaway.com).

Belmont

JS Pottery Antiques and Collectibles, 27 North Main Street, Belmont. **Ongoing** - Offering pieces ranging from face jugs, vases, pitchers and planters with hand-painted iris, dogwood, and magnolia designs to beautiful hand-carved North Carolina lighthouses. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 704/829-0360 or at (www.jspottery.com).

Black Mountain/Montreat/Swannanoa

Acoustic Corner, 105 F Montreat Rd, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Acoustic instruments hand-made or manufactured by hand in small factories. Guitars, mandolins, bouzoukis, banjos, violins, lap dulcimers, and other instruments popular in Celtic, Old-Time, Bluegrass, and other folk genres. Plus all accessories. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-7pm & Sat., 10-5pm. Contact: 828/669-5162.

Black Mountain Iron Works, 120 Broadway, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Featuring works handcrafted in iron & other metals by Tekla and Dan Howachyn. Hours: Mon. -Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 1/888/689-9021 or at (www.BlackMountainiron.com).

Black Mountain Quilts, 121 Cherry St., Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Heirloom quality quilts, accessories, handbags, tabletop, and baby quilts. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10-6pm & Sun. 12-5pm. Contact: 828/669-0730.

Black Mountain Studios Inc., 626 Lytle Cove Rd., just 3 miles from downtown Black Mountain, Swannanoa. **Ongoing** - A fine pottery craft and art gallery featuring many local as well as some nationally known artists. Owner and operated by award winning potters Austin and Maud Boleman. Hours: 11am-6pm seven days a week. Contact: 828/686-1011.

Garrou Pottery, 100 State St., Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Featuring a wide variety of handmade pottery by father and son, John and Derrick Garrou, and the works of other area craftsmen. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-0222.

Seven Sisters Gallery, 117 Cherry Street, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Featuring a large selection of arts and crafts by local, regional and national artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5. Contact: 828/669-5107 or at (www.sevensistersgallery.com).

Song of the Wood, 203 West State St., Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Home of rare, one of a kind, handcrafted musical instruments and enchanting recordings. Come enjoy our intimate approach to the senses. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-7675.

Sourwood Gallery, 110 Broadway, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Featuring a co-op gallery of local artists offering original art for sale, including: paintings, pottery, jewelry, photography, stained glass and other fine art. Artists are: Kent A. Barnes, Katrina Bass, Judith Bush, Sarah Campbell, Charley, Ruth Connor, Denise Geiger, Jean Hope, Elizabeth Kirk, Ida O'Connell, Billy Ogle, Eileen Ross, Marilyn Sobanski, Jenean Stone, Susan Taylor, Summer G. Ventis, Ann Whisenant, and Katherine Youtz. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-4975.

Studio 103 Fine Art Gallery, 103 West St, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Owned and curated by photographer Rebecca D'Angelo, the gallery will feature monthly shows by local and national artists. It will also offer local art and crafts for sale in its retail section. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-6pm or by appt. Contact: call Rebecca D'Angelo at 828/357-8327 or at (www.studio103fineartgallery.com).

Ten Thousand Villages, 303 Lookout Rd., Montreat. **Ongoing** - Fair trade source for handmade items from more than 30 countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-1406.

The Gingko Tree Photo Gallery & Frame Shop, 128 Broadway, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Gifts, cards, prints, photography and framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/669-7721.

The Old Depot Arts & Crafts Gallery, intersection of Sutton and Cherry Streets, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - A non-profit arts/crafts gallery representing local artists. Proceeds support arts in the schools program. Pottery, folk art and more. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/669-6583.

Visions of Creation Gallery, 114 Cherry State Street, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - Featuring unique, contemporary fine gold jewelry of incomparable beauty and quality handcrafted by Robert Vengoechea. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/669-0065.

Blowing Rock

Blowing Rock Frameworks & Gallery, LTD, 7539 Valley Blvd., Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - We're celebrating our 19th season of offering the High country and western North Carolina fine art from 25 of the most talented artist in the region! A tradition in western North Carolina for the most enlightening landscapes, still life's, abstract and Folk art! A few of our artist are William McCullough, Lita Gatlin, Wes Waugh, Wayne Trapp, George Snyder, Dave Syfert and many more from the Southeast. We also represent Estate art that includes Elliott Daingerfield, Phillip Moose and Willi. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/295-0041 or at (www.blowingrockgalleries.com).

Bolick and Traditions Pottery, 1155 Main Street, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - The shop incorporates Bolick, Traditions, and Original Owens Pottery into one great location. Known for our cobalt blues, greens, and earthen glazes we also carry the much desired Owens Red glaze. Teapots, mugs, bowls, serving pieces, many other forms are ready for a home. Not only do we have handmade pottery, we make your shopping experience exciting with unique fashion items such as clothing, jewelry, leather goods, and handbags. Locally made lotions, soaps, candles, and honey. Christian based gifts such as jewelry, books, and wall decor can also be found. We know you will find our store unique and will become one of your favorite spots while visiting the Village of Blowing Rock. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun. noon-6pm. Contact: 828/295-6128 or at (www.traditionspottery.com).

IAGO, 1165 Main St., Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring inspired, contemporary, fine art and handcrafts from a variety of artists working in the fields of jewelry, fashion accessories, art glass, functional art for the home, pottery, lighting, furniture, and garden art. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/295-0033 or at (www.iagoblowingrock.com).

Main Street Gallery, 960-5 Main St., Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring a co-op of area artists that has been opened since 1982. The gallery offers baskets, pottery, weaving, photography, jewelry, woodworking, glass art, fibers and much more. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/295-7839.

Morning Star Gallery, 915 Main Street, across the street from the Speckled Trout Cafe, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring oil and acrylic paintings by Ann Thompson featured with ceramic bas reliefs and sculptures from the studios of John Martin and Maryanne Bona Dayman and wildlife carvings by H. Gray Turner. Rod Shaw's terra cotta sculptures. Also, multiplate etchings, watercolors, jewelry, pottery, garden accessories, glass and wooden treasures. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 828/295-6991.

Reinert Fine Art, 1153 Main Street, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Reinert Fine Art showcases the contemporary impressionist works in oil by Rick Reinert and other artists offering their unique and diverse styles. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/414-9580 or at (www.rickreinert.com).

The Bob Timberlake Gallery at Blowing Rock, 946 Main Street Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring original artwork and reproductions by Bob Timberlake. Also furniture, gifts, apparel and collectibles. Hours: they vary - call ahead. Contact: 828/295-4855 or at (www.bobtimberlake.com).

Winterfire Craft Gallery, 1087 Main Street, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring pottery by Bill Campbell as well as hand-crafted jewelry, metal sculpture, hand-thrown pottery, art glass, and calligraphy prints. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/295-4880.

Boone

Miters Touch Woodworking, 6858 Hwy. 105 S., Foscoe, near Hound Ears. **Ongoing** -

ing - Featuring fine furniture by Denise Grohs and Miters Touch, pottery by Eric Reichard, art quilts by Linda Smith, stained glass by Dianne Radford, and wood turnings by Todd Davidson. Also cabinetwork and kitchen design services available. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm, Sat. 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: 828/963-4445 or at (www.miterstouchinc.com).

Brevard - Cedar Mountain Area

Downtown Brevard, Oct. 28, 5-9pm - "Brevard 4th Friday Gallery Walk". Enjoy an evening stroll in downtown Brevard as you enjoy visiting the art galleries, art stores, retail stores and restaurants that are staying open late. Be sure to look for the 16 sculptures and five murals located in downtown as well. Galleries participating include: Bluewood Photography, Drew Deane Gallery, Gravy, Hollingsworth Gallery, Number 7 Fine Arts & Crafts Gallery, Red Wolf Gallery, Transylvania Community Arts Council, Transylvania Heritage Museum, Hunters & Gatherers, and more. Be sure to stop by and have dinner in one of our downtown restaurants. A brochure for the gallery walks can be found at any of the participating galleries or at the Chamber of Commerce. For more information call TC Arts at 828-884-2787 or go to (www.artsofbrevard.org) and click on Art Tours.

Andrea Brewer Art Studio, 22 West Main Street, upstairs, next to The Proper Pot, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Natural fiber landscapes and wildlife scenes. Hours: by appt. only and fall art walks from 5-8pm. Contact: 828/577-1968 or at (<http://www.andreabrewerfiber.com>).



Work by McKenzie Keenan

ART Works Brevard, 27 S. Broad Street, Brevard. **Oct. 1 - 30** - "Balance, Rhythm and Flow," featuring works by collage artist McKenzie Keenan. A reception will be held on Oct. 28, from 5-8pm. Strong family ties and community are important to Keenan. Her collaborative collage event at ART Works is her celebration of community in her new home in Brevard, NC. **Ongoing** - This new working studio/gallery of fine art at is in a beautiful light-filled space in the restored historic Aethelwold Hotel building. Deborah Kidwell, originator of the idea of the working studio/gallery in Brevard, grew up in Boston in a family of artists Co-Owner M. Lee Abell, a Florida native, pursued a successful career as a residential real estate appraiser for the firm she co-owned there. Virginia Pendergrass, a Brevard resident for 14 years, shares their vision for this space in downtown Brevard. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Beginning Apr. 22, they will extend to 6pm, Fri. and Sat. Contact: call 828/553-1063, e-mail at (artworksbrevardnc@gmail.com), or at (<http://artworksbrevardnc.com>).

BernWell Pottery Studio and Gallery, 324 King Road, Pisgah Forest. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Wendy Elwell and Dennis Bern. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/883-8300 or at (www.bernwellpottery.com).

Blue Moon Gallery, 10771 Greenville Hwy., the gallery is located at the intersection of Cascade Lake Road and Hwy 276, Cedar Mountain. **Ongoing** - Specializing in photography and offering paintings, pottery, jewelry and sculpture has opened in Cedar Mountain, North Carolina. In addition to Rob Travis's photography, the gallery artists include Lucy Clark (pottery), Ray Byram (paintings) and Hanes Hoffman (sculpture). In addition to the four presenting artists, Blue Moon Gallery will hold exhibits that rotate on a two month basis. The gallery is located at. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/565-2566 or at (www.BlueMoonGalleryNC.com).

Drew Deane Gallery, 114 W. Main St., across from City Hall and Brevard Fire Station, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Featuring a premier emerging contemporary fine arts galleries in Western North Carolina. Including works by: Devin Burgess, Jerry Cutler, Drew Deane, Greg Fidler, John Geçi, Richard Lane, Courtney Erin Martin and Mark Mulfinger. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/877-5272 or at (www.drewdeanegallery.com).

Duckpond Pottery, 2398 Greenville Hwy., Brevard. **Ongoing** - Duckpond Pottery specializes

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