

# NC Wesleyan College in Rocky Mount, NC

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essed of a contented heart', Flowers' paintings are reverent reflections of his rural heritage. His realistic portrayals, whether they are depictions of a country lane coursing along a forested ridge or a doe alert to distant hounds, serve as a welcoming invitation for the viewer to take a tranquil respite from the hustle and bustle of contemporary life.

An avid outdoorsman and naturalist, Flowers' ever popular paintings have been published in the annual North Carolina Wildlife calendar since 1989 and have been featured in *Virginia Wildlife* magazine, the West Virginia Wildlife calendar and on the covers of *North State* magazine and *Hunting and Fishing Collectibles* magazine. His artistic creations have been selected for the North Carolina Sportsman's Stamp and the North Carolina Heritage Series Duck Stamp.

Further, Flowers' artistic creations have been utilized numerous times by wildlife conservation organizations such as the North Carolina Wildlife Federation, the Ward Burton Wildlife Habitat Foundation, the North Carolina Bow Hunter's Association and the Wendell, North Carolina Chapter of Ducks Unlimited, all for their successful 'Print of the Year' fundraising campaigns. Having a deep appreciation



Work by Robert Flowers

for the great outdoors, Flowers makes regular contributions to responsible wildlife conservation groups such as Ducks Unlimited, The National Wild Turkey Federation, Quail Unlimited and the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation.

Flowers' award winning watercolors have been exhibited in fine art events in England and throughout the United States. His alluring works of art are held in numerous corporate and private art collections around the globe, including Bank of Oklahoma, Phillip Morris Tobacco, *The Oklahoman Newspaper*, Sealtest Milk Corp, Wachovia Bank and Trust, the North Carolina Wildlife Federation, Bank of Virginia and RJ Reynolds Tobacco.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the gallery at 252/985-5268 or e-mail to (eadelman@ncwc.edu).

## Junior League of Fayetteville, NC, Offers Largest Craft Fair in Eastern NC - Nov. 7-10, 2013

Vendors from across the United States apply months in advance for a spot at Fayetteville, NC's, Junior League's Holly Day Fair, taking place at Fayetteville's Crown Expo Center, Nov. 7 - 10, 2013. The competition is fierce - planners select just 200 artisans to offer their hand-made, unique products to Holly Day Fair shoppers. This year, shoppers will find holiday decorations, handmade crafts, stylish jewelry and clothes, children's toys, specialty food items and more.

"For the past 46 years, we've provided shoppers with an ideal holiday shopping experience, and this year won't be any different," says Anna Haley, 2013 Holly Day Fair Chair. "We've hand-selected each and every vendor to make sure we have gifts for everyone on your holiday list. And these aren't gifts you're likely to find in area stores. Our vendors come from every corner of the United States, and each have unique products to offer."

Over 21,000 shoppers are expected to visit the Crown Expo Center in Fayetteville for this shopping extravaganza. The Holly Day fair runs Nov. 7-10, 2013. General admission tickets are \$9. Hours

are noon-8pm on Nov. 7; 9am-8pm, Nov. 8 & Nov. 9 and 11am-5pm on Nov. 10. Tickets are available at the door or in advance at ([www.ticketmaster.com](http://www.ticketmaster.com)) or ([www.hollydayfair.com](http://www.hollydayfair.com)).

Want to avoid crowds? From 9am-noon on Thursday the 7th, you can purchase a "Super Shopper" ticket for \$13. Tickets are limited and strollers or any type of rolling carts are prohibited.

The Junior League of Fayetteville, Inc. is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. The Junior League of Fayetteville, Inc. reaches out to women of all races, religions, and national origins who demonstrate an interest in and a commitment to voluntarism.

Holly Day Fair is the first of many Christmas season events throughout Fayetteville and Cumberland County. For a full calendar, or to plan your visit to Greater Fayetteville, go to ([www.Visit-FayettevilleNC.com](http://www.Visit-FayettevilleNC.com)).

The deadline each month to submit articles, photos and ads is the 24th of the month prior to the next issue. This will be Nov. 24th for the December 2013 issue and Dec. 24 for the January 2014 issue. After that, it's too late unless your exhibit runs into the next month. But don't wait for the last minute - send your info now. E-mail to ([info@carolinaarts.com](mailto:info@carolinaarts.com)).

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