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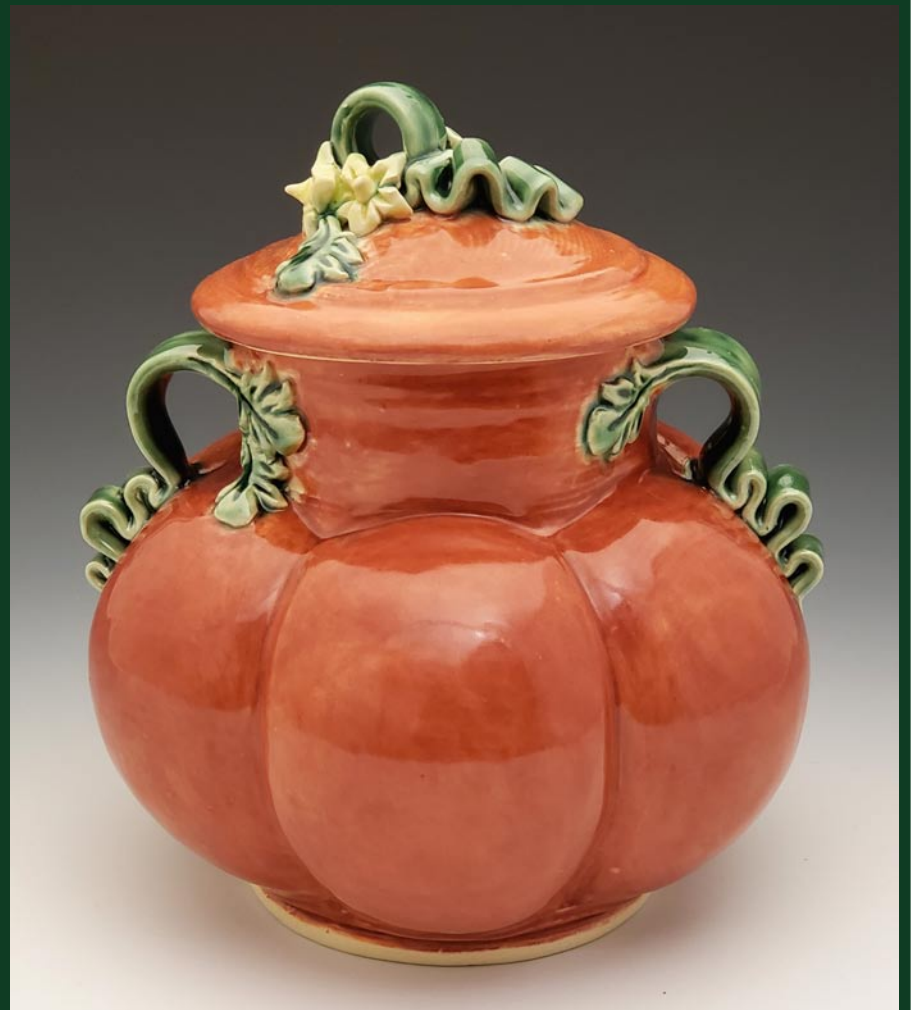
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A PUBLICATION COVERING THE VISUAL ARTS IN THE CAROLINAS



Pottery is by Maggie & Freeman Jones of Turtle Island Pottery in Old Fort, North Carolina. They are just two of the artists in Western NC who suffered damages due to Hurricane Helene. Read more about them on Page 4 in the Commentary.

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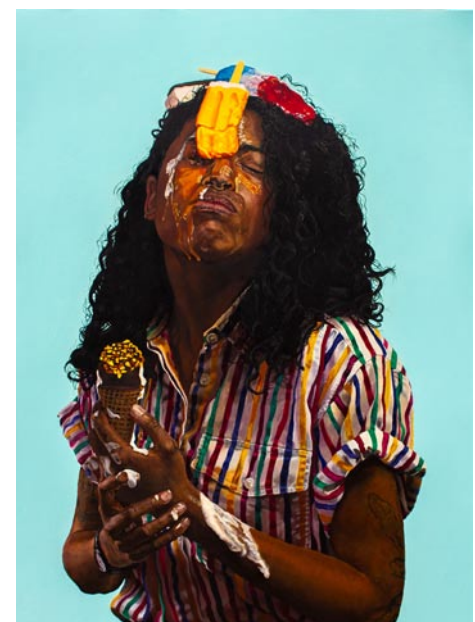
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City of North Charleston, SC, Features Works by Jazmo Hankins and Lucius Nelson

The City of North Charleston's Cultural Arts Department is pleased to announce that concurrent exhibitions of drawings and paintings by Jazmo Hankins (Mount Pleasant, SC) and oil paintings by Lucius Nelson (Darlington, SC) will be on display at the Park Circle Gallery, on view from Dec. 4-28, 2024. The artists will host a free public reception at the gallery on Dec. 6, from 5-7pm.



Work by Lucius Nelson

In *The Ether & the Innerspace*, Jazmo Hankins of Mount Pleasant, SC, presents a collection of drawings and paintings that explore the origins of ideas and dreams. Do they come from within or without? Are they transmissions waiting for the right antenna to pick them up, or the result of the human mind digesting all that it absorbs? Some of both? What does the dream machine do during waking hours? These are some of the ideas depicted and questions asked in Jazmo's stream of consciousness approach to image making.

Hankins is a self-taught artist, illustrator, and screen printer. His work is often described as pop art, outsider art, and folk art. Though his artwork is representational and narrative, he creates in mainly a stream of consciousness manner, producing images with none or very little preconceived ideas at the onset. "While inspired by everything I see (both the things I love, and the things I hate), I do not believe in questing for 'inspiration'," Hankins explains. "I believe inspiration comes from working. I prefer to be surprised by what comes out. It's all the exhaust of a neurotic, overly introverted person, trying to process life."



Work by Jazmo Hankins

Don't It Feel Good? is a decadent romp through the surreal Southern gumbo of late-stage consumer culture, spiritual short-circuiting, and human resilience. Borrowing from the methods and imagery of the Renaissance, Lucius Nelson's oil paintings bask in the syrupy collision of the high-class and the lowbrow. What emerges is at once beautiful and grotesque. "The seedlings of my work were planted in the high fructose toxic goop of Nickelodeon cartoons blended with early exposure to renaissance art," Nelson explains. Using his background

in photography and video, he captures the typically outlandish source imagery for his paintings, attempting to subject the portrait models to bizarre physical experiences meant to elicit unpredictable reactions and thereby capturing a more naturalistic, though surreal, moment. What follows is a slow meditative burn of hundreds of hours of execution in indirect venetian style oil painting.

Nelson began his art practice at a young age with studio art lessons by day and drawing his own comic books by night. He pursued higher art education at the University of South Carolina and then at the College of Charleston, where he earned a BA in Studio Art.

After college, Nelson continued his passion for oil painting, but primarily focused on building a career in independent filmmaking. This took him to Philadelphia to film jazz greats like Gary Burton, as well as a litany of up-start musicians in the area. Lucius returned to SC to work on the film *Overalls and Aprons*, which explored the crucial relationship between Charleston's farmers and chefs. When filming wrapped, he traveled in Asia, Europe, and throughout the US, eventually settling down in Darlington, SC, to focus on painting, raising crops, and deepening his experience in Zen practices. His work has recently been exhibited at ArtFields in Lake City, SC, and the *South Carolina Biennial* at 701 Center for Contemporary Art in Columbia, SC.

The Park Circle Gallery is located on Jenkins Avenue in North Charleston. Admission is free and free street parking is available on Jenkins Avenue in front of the gallery, as well as on the adjacent streets and in parking lots close by.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the gallery at 843/637-3565 or e-mail to (culturalarts@northcharleston.org). For information on other Cultural Arts programs and artist opportunities, visit the Arts & Culture section of the City's website at (www.northcharleston.org).

Charleston Artist Guild in Charleston, SC, Features Works by Thomas Lee Hamm, II

The Charleston Artist Guild (CAG) in downtown historic Charleston, SC, will present *Black Ink & Earl Grey Tea*, featuring works by Thomas Lee Hamm, II, on view in the Guild Gallery, from Dec. 1 - 31, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8, during the Charleston Art Walk.



Work by Thomas Lee Hamm, II

The exhibition showcases a collection of works crafted with ink and natural pigments, exploring the textures of the Lowcountry. Using materials like black tea, Madeira, rum, molasses, indigo, and watercolor, Hamm blends tradition, nature, and invention in striking and innovative ways.

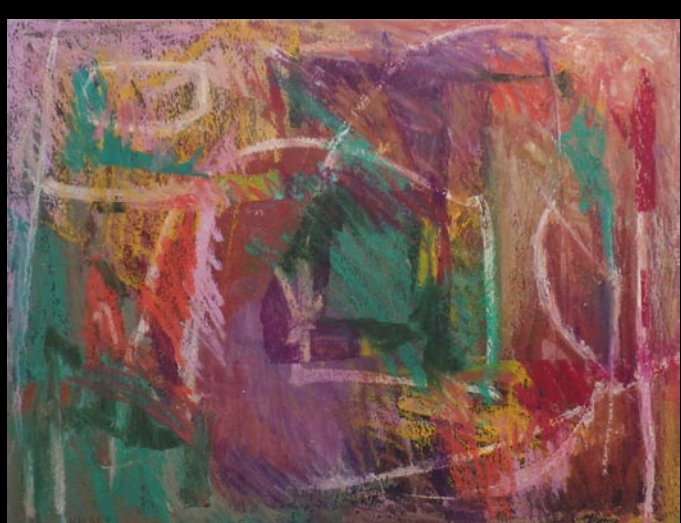
A Charleston native, Hamm works from his studio on James Island, overlooking the

scenic Intracoastal Waterway. His background as an artist, photographer, graphic designer, and watercolorist informs his

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Editorial COMMENTARY

by Tom Starland, Editor and Publisher

On Our Cover This Month

On our cover this month is a work from Turtle Island Pottery in Old Fort, NC. It features pottery by Maggie and Freeman Jones, who create one of a kind, functional, decorative stoneware items. From cups to umbrella stands, mirror frames and clocks. They were just one of the businesses damaged by Hurricane Helene. They are trying to recover like most everyone else in Western NC and Upstate SC. Why select them as someone to feature out of all those who were hit - they were one of our supporters. And, as I've always said, we take care of our supporters. They have a Go Fund Me page at (<https://gofund.me/52dbdf6c>) and they are selling works off their website at (www.Turtleislandpottery.com). If you can help them out, please do. You can see an ad for them on Page 23.

Buy Art For The Holidays

It's my year end mantra - asking readers to buy art for holiday gifts for family, friends, loved ones and yourself. Amazon doesn't need anymore profits, the big box stores don't need anymore profits. Who needs a little profit? Artists need some profits. They are counting on some holiday sales to get them through the dog days of Winter. You've seen those commercials by Esty showing people how to get unique gifts from creative people. Esty's OK, but they get a cut of every sale, when you can buy from artists in your own community? Or support art galleries and art organizations by purchasing art through them. These profits trickle down throughout your own communities - not going to buy a bigger yacht for some overpaid executive or a ride into space.

It's especially important for you to support those folks in Upstate SC and Western NC, who were hurt by Hurricane Helene. They need you to buy their art online or in galleries and art museum gift shops. They need you to make outright donations to some of their Go Fund Me sites or to community charities. Later, once they recover further, they need you to come visit again and leave lots of money behind at hotels, restaurants, and shops.

And, we're not just talking adults here - young folks can do a little art themselves - over another video game. You could purchase art lessons at a local art center, arts & crafts kits for at home activities, or some small craft items.

For Aunts and Uncles, you could take someone to an art exhibit at a commercial art gallery or an art museum. A real fun trip would be to one of the many art walks, art crawls or art strolls taking place all over the Carolinas. That's a real gift - getting a peek at the crazy art world in a party atmosphere.

It works both ways - you young folks could take an aging Aunt or Uncle to an art walk as a holiday gift.

The message is: give, give, give, and then give some more.

More Info About Artists Hurt by Hurricane Helene

We have some more info about how and where you can help those who suffered damages as a result of Hurricane Helene. You can find that info on Pages 20-22 of this issue. And, there is no better time than the holidays to help your local artists and art community. Think about how the art community has always been there for you and giving others the gift of art this year can be a win-win for everyone.

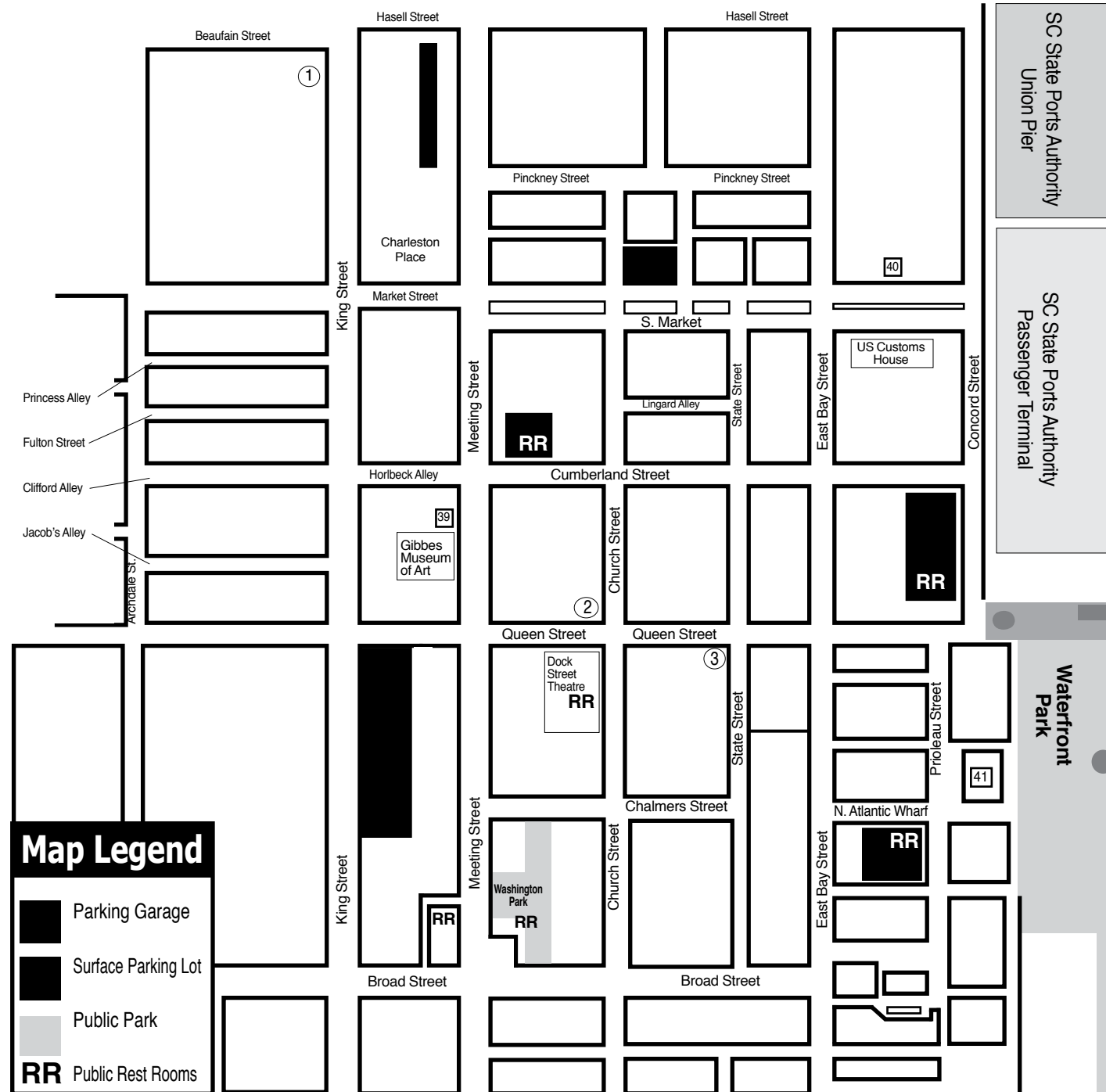


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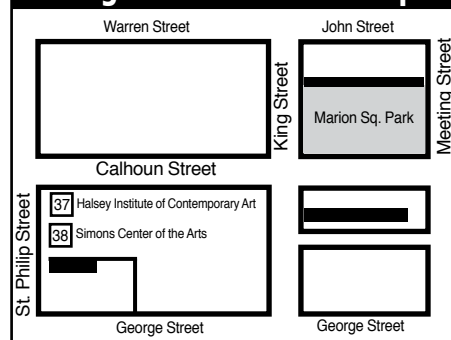
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Downtown Charleston, SC, Map & Gallery Guide



College of Charleston - Map A



Downtown Charleston Galleries

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Charleston Artist Guild

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unique style. He incorporates unexpected elements - such as iridescent powders, washes, and glazes - adding movement and light to his creations. His pieces range from the deep, dark tones of ink to the soft, natural tints of pigments, offering a fresh artistic perspective on the Lowcountry's vibrant landscapes.

The CAG was founded well over half a century ago by a small group of artists who wanted to network with other artists, reach out to the community with impactful volunteer projects and display their own work. Today the CAG has emerged as a vital non-profit organization of more than 600 members who enrich the community in countless ways with limitless beauty and inspiration.

Our mission remains largely the same and you'll find CAG artists all over town exhibiting their work, teaching art classes and sharing their talents by volunteering in outreach projects. The CAG offers a diverse selection of volunteer opportunities that include outreach efforts and engaging programs for children, alzheimer patients, high school seniors and younger school children. We're pleased to make a difference by sharing art and fostering the magic art brings to many.



Work by Thomas Lee Hamm, II

In addition, exhibitions and special art shows are held throughout the year, allowing our members the opportunity to showcase their work and be recognized.

The Charleston Artist Guild Gallery, located on East Bay Street, Charleston, SC. For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings or call Steve Jacobs at 843/722-2454.

temporary Charleston artists and others.

Vom Baur is an accomplished painter of figures with mythological reference to the Valkyries and Greeks. Her exquisite figures tell and retell ancient stories in an allegorical manner. Her horses are empowered figures practically dancing in the landscape. Her work has been included in Contemporary Charleston shows at the Gibbs Museum of Art and *Untold Stories* at the Charleston City Gallery Waterfront Park.

Vom Baur has shown in Washington, DC, Virginia, Tennessee, Florida, Washington state, Pennsylvania, throughout South Carolina and was included in the Boston University 60th anniversary show called *Convergences* with several large pieces. She was classically trained at Boston University as well as the London College of Art in sculpture and drawing.

In its twentieth year, Corrigan Gallery is the culmination of 37 years of experience in the Charleston art market. Representing more than two dozen artists in an intimate space, the gallery presents a new show almost every month and invites visiting artists to join in.

Gallery artists include: Aggie Zed, Hirona Matsuda, Nigel Parry, Emily Jenkins, John Hull, Nancy Langston, Gordon Nicholson, Kristi Ryba, Mary Walker, John Moore, Paul Mardikian, Max Miller, Lolly Koon, Lese Corrigan, Joe Walters, Case Jernigan and Sue Simons Wallace as well as estate pieces and second market works.



Work by Daphne vom Baur

Many of these local artists have established national careers and are included in museum collections. Some second market pieces of Charleston Renaissance artists and other visiting artists can be also found in the gallery.

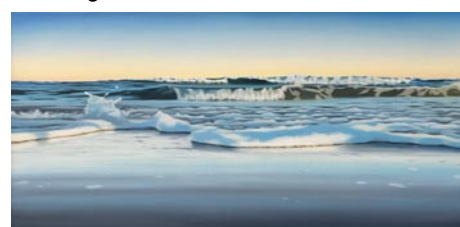
A gallery of contemporary works exploring the depth and intellect behind the drive to create, Corrigan Gallery provides a dimension to the historic city's traditional bent. Open six days a week and other times by appointment, the gallery can be viewed 24 hours a day at (<https://corrigan-gallery.com/>).

For further information check our SC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 843/722-9868 or e-mail to (art@lesecorrigan.com).

Robert Lange Studios in Charleston, SC, Features Works by KC Collins

Robert Lange Studios in Charleston, SC, will present *Tides of Color*, featuring an exhibition of coastal inspirations by KC Collins, on view from Dec. 6 - 23, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm.

Local artist KC Collins invites art lovers and coastal enthusiasts to explore her latest exhibition, *Tides of Color*, showcasing a vibrant collection of oil paintings inspired by the beauty of the South Carolina coastline.



Work by KC Collins

The exhibition features a series of stunning coastal scenes. [continued on Page 6](#)

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Corrigan Gallery llc in Charleston, SC, Features Works by Daphne vom Baur

The Corrigan Gallery in Charleston, SC, is pleased to host an exhibition of recent oil works by Daphne vom Baur focused on horses and figures entitled *Horsing Around*, on view from Dec. 6 - 31, 2024. An opening reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm, during the Charleston Art Walk. The artist will be present.

Her long Charleston history in the contemporary art world includes being a part Page 4 - Carolina Arts, December 2024

of two galleries she and her husband, David Hamilton, grandson of Elizabeth O'Neill Verner, owned. A progressive gallery, that included her studio, in the mid-70s in the downtown area showed Wolf Kahn as well as Manning Williams, Horace Day, Paul Resika and others. In the 1990s through 2002 they maintained The Verner Gallery mixing his grandmother's works with continuing above on next column to the right

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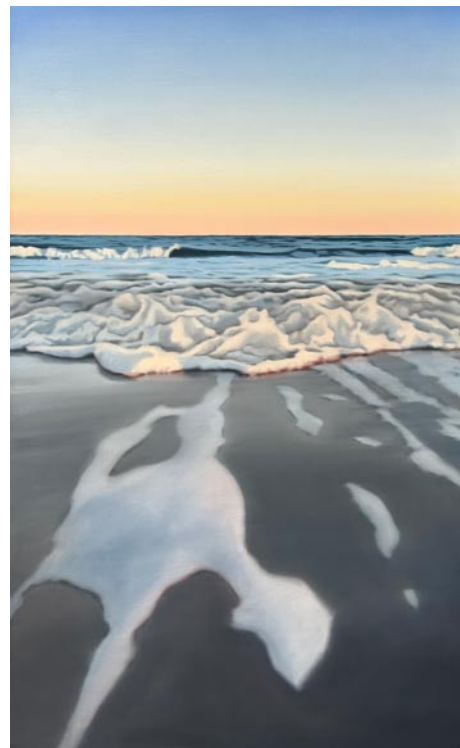
ning oil paintings that capture the essence of coastal life, from serene beach sunsets to dynamic ocean waves. In this exhibition, Collins aims to immerse viewers in the vibrant colors and textures of the sea, celebrating the natural beauty that surrounds her in Charleston.

"I want my paintings to evoke a sense of peace and connection to the coastal environment," says Collins. "Each brushstroke is a reflection of my love for the ocean and the unique landscapes we're surrounded by here in Charleston."

In addition to her larger works, Collins will debut 40 small, porthole-inspired paintings, offering a fresh perspective on coastal imagery. "These small pieces are a window into my world," Collins explains. "I hope they inspire viewers to see the ocean not just as a vast expanse, but as a series of intimate moments filled with color and life."

KC Collins is a Charleston-based artist whose work focuses on capturing the coastal landscapes of South Carolina. She is a staple at the Piccolo Spoleto Festival, winning awards for her paintings. With a passion for color and desire to capture serene motion, Collins has developed a unique style that resonates with both locals and visitors alike.

Robert Lange Studios is a gallery space run by artist and gallery owners Megan and Robert Lange. As such, it is dedicated to the development of an on-going dialogue between artists from a diverse range of artistic disciplines at differing levels of their careers. Gallery owners Megan and Robert



Work by KC Collins

Lange are committed to providing a forum for art based on individuals, subjective style and awareness. This dedication has created a reputation for the gallery of consistently finding new and interesting artists that stand out for their imagination and distinctive personal touch.

For further information check our SC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 843/805-8052 or visit (www.rlsart.com).

Lowcountry Artists Gallery in Charleston, SC, Features Works by Tina Mayland

Lowcountry Artists Gallery in Charleston, SC, will present *Lowcountry Light*, featuring works by Tina Mayland, from Dec. 1 - 31, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm, during the Charleston Gallery Association's First Friday Art Walk.

Mayland offered the following artist statement, "In my art, I strive to capture a moment in time... an experience that moved me. Often, it's how the light played on the landscape and my feeling of wonder in that instant."

"My heart belongs to the South Carolina Lowcountry. I relish its languid summer days, its moss-covered oak trees that glow orange in the receding light, sunsets too uproarious to be believed, and the vastness of marshes punctuated by the distinctive odor of pluff mud (which to some is unpleasant, but to me is sacred, because it smells like home)," adds Mayland.

"I endeavor to celebrate the magnificence of nature and my joy living in awe of it. Using thick paint and bold strokes, my goal is to capture the symphony that is the Lowcountry... its unique light, mood, and texture."

Mayland is a native Charlestonian for whom the Lowcountry of South Carolina is as close to paradise as any place on earth. Returning home after 30 years of a high-tech career that took her to Atlanta, DC, and New Jersey as VP of Marketing for AT&T, she "rewired" from her all-consuming corporate life and began her "encore career" as a full-time artist.

Mayland explains her motivation to become a painter: "My grandparents owned a farm on Wadmalaw Island, just outside of Charleston. As a child, I built tree forts in live oak trees, played in the pluff mud of the marshes, and galloped my horse through Lowcountry forests. Capturing the essence



Work by Tina Mayland

of that landscape in my art is a way of recapturing the joys of my youth."

Mayland served on the Board of Directors of the Charleston Artist Guild for 4 years and is a member of the Seabrook Island Artist Guild. She's also active in the community, serving on the Board of Trustees of the Middleton Place Foundation and on the National Board of Directors of the Archeological Institute of America. Her work is represented by the Wells Gallery at The Sanctuary on Kiawah Island and by Lowcountry Artists Gallery in downtown Charleston. A recovering workaholic, she is reveling in her "rewired" life. Says Mayland, "I'm testament to the fact that you can go home again and that the post-career stage can be the most fulfilling!"

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Charleston Crafts Gallery in Charleston, SC, Features Works for the Holiday Season

Charleston Crafts Gallery in Charleston, SC, will present *Light and Life: A celebration of the Holiday Season*, on view from Dec. 1 - 31, 2024. An open house reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm, in conjunction with the Charleston Gallery Association Art Walk evening celebrations.

December is holiday time! The holiday season is a celebration of family and friends. 'Tis also the season for gifts, and Charleston Crafts Gallery features one of a kind handmade local art for all your gift giving needs. Come in and enjoy the December inspired collection by the artisans at Charleston Crafts Gallery in downtown Charleston. Work by seven of our artist members featuring cozy wearables, purses, fine art, and jewelry in fine crafts media will be in the spotlight this month.

Marty Biernbaum is a multi-talented artist who works in encaustics for her paintings. She creates stunning ocean scenes using the encaustic medium to emphasize the tumbling waves and ocean froth.



Work by Marty Biernbaum

She makes large quilted scenes in her wall-hangings. For this month's gift giving collection, her purses are featured. These mini-quilts are hand-held works of art, some with changeable accessories to allow the buyer to change the mood.

Ruth Bellou is a ceramicist who creates unique sculptural constructions out of ceramic with stunning subtle glazes that delight the eye. She learned this process while studying in France, and now brings her unique pieces to the Lowcountry.

Cordelia Story works in fused glass, crafting artistic and functional items to delight the senses. She uses several different techniques to create a variety of types of glass effects in her work.

Gini Steele is a knitter who creates whimsical and original designed knit pieces



Work by Tammy Rudd

including special buttons, or added felted elements. Steele is an intuitive knitter who uses many stitches in her designs. She has designed a new cowl for this month.

Tammy Rudd makes Lampwork Beads. Using a hot torch process, she individually handcrafts her stunning focal beads. Each bead is in-of-a-kind, and absolutely gorgeous.

Nancy Warren is fiber artist and handweaver who creates one-of-a-kind wearables and scarves. She dyes some of her yarns prior to the weaving process, resulting in unique color blending effects. For this month, she has created some scarves perfect for gift giving.

While these members are in the spotlight, the work of all the Gallery's members are also on display and available for purchase, including jewelry, wood puzzles, encaustic paintings, mixed media collages, fiber art, apparel and accessories, as well as functional and decorative objects in wood, ceramic and glass.

Charleston's destination for Fine Craft since 1989, the gallery is located on East Bay Street, in the heart of the French Quarter, on "Gallery Row". Charleston Crafts Cooperative Gallery is a dynamic community of more than two dozen jury-selected artisans, all from South Carolina, making this the city's only exclusively local craft gallery.

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City of Charleston Office of Cultural Affairs Presents Two Lowcountry Photography Exhibitions

The City of Charleston Office of Cultural Affairs in Charleston, SC, will present *Calling Me Home: A Visual Ode to the Low-Country* by Marcus Middleton and *Children of Indigo* by Caroline Gutman, on view at the City Gallery, located at Joe Riley Waterfront Park, from Dec. 13, 2024 through Feb. 9, 2025. City Gallery will hold an opening reception for both exhibitions on Dec. 13, from 5-7pm. An artist's talk with Marcus Middleton will be held Feb. 9 at 2pm. An artist's talk with Caroline Gutman will be held Jan. 25 at 2pm. All events are free and open to the public.

The City of Charleston Office of Cultural Affairs presents two photography exhibitions that examine personal and cultural histories of the Lowcountry. *Children of Indigo* is a documentary project that explores the plant's painful history in South Carolina and spotlights women in the Lowcountry today who have revived indigo cultivation and dyeing, building a flourishing community of textile artists and homesteaders. *Calling Me Home: A Visual Ode to the Low-Country* is a tribute to Wadmalaw Island and its environs.

Calling Me Home: A Visual Ode to the Low-Country is photographer Marcus Middleton's tribute to Wadmalaw Island, or what he likes to call a "living museum." "The American South is both turbulent and beautiful, and my hope is to share that dynamic and sometimes contradictory experience with the audience;



Photo by Marcus Middleton

to capture Wadmalaw as it is, unspoiled by progress," says Middleton. "Crossing over Esau Jenkins Bridge is like going back in time. And I believe that nostalgia is medicinal. Whenever I return home, I feel recharged and refreshed. It's the little things, right? I live in a big city, but low-country living is a part of my culture. This body of work is an attempt to express the gratitude I feel for where I grew up. I will forever be enamored with this place I call home." Middleton's visual tribute to his home includes more than 100 images.

In *Children of Indigo*, Caroline Gutman explores the commodity and its dye fueled slavery in the American colonies. Her body of work shows the remaining historical sites in contrast with contemporary textile artists and farmers confronting indigo's difficult past and reclaiming it.

Indigo in America is haunted by a painful past. Like cotton, indigo carries inseparable and continuing above on next column to the right

able links to centuries of American chattel slavery. Today, women in the Lowcountry have revived indigo cultivation and dyeing, building diverse communities of textile artists and farmers. "Indigo is the voice of our ancestors," textile artist Arianne King Comer has said. The *Children of Indigo* project has been supported by the Pulitzer Center.

A Brooklyn-based photographer, but born in the South, Marcus Middleton has a passion for photo-journalism, portraiture, editorial, and performance. His ultimate goal is to tell stories through images that convey a deep sense of intimacy along with the aliveness of the present moment. The audience should feel as if the whole thing exists just for them, and his hope is that they feel intrigued and invited into the subject(s) of the work."

Caroline Gutman is an American photographer based in Washington, DC, and Philadelphia. Her work focuses on political movements, environmental and economic inequality, and the creative economy, connecting the past to the present. Gutman's photography appears in *The New York Times*, *National Geographic*, *Smithsonian Magazine*, *The Washington Post*, *The Atlantic*, *The Guardian*, *ProPublica*, *Mother Jones*, and on NPR, and she has worked with brands including PepsiCo, Liquid I.V., Adobe, Peloton, Apple, and British Airways. Previously, Gutman was a Fulbright Fellow in China where she documented indigenous women artisans and their indigo textile traditions.

City Gallery's presentation of *Calling Me Home* and *Children of Indigo* is part of the MOJA Arts Festival's NEA Big Read of Zora Neale Hurston's *Their Eyes Were Watching God* and this year's NEA Big Read theme of "Where We Live." The NEA Big Read is a program of the National Endowment for the Arts in partnership with



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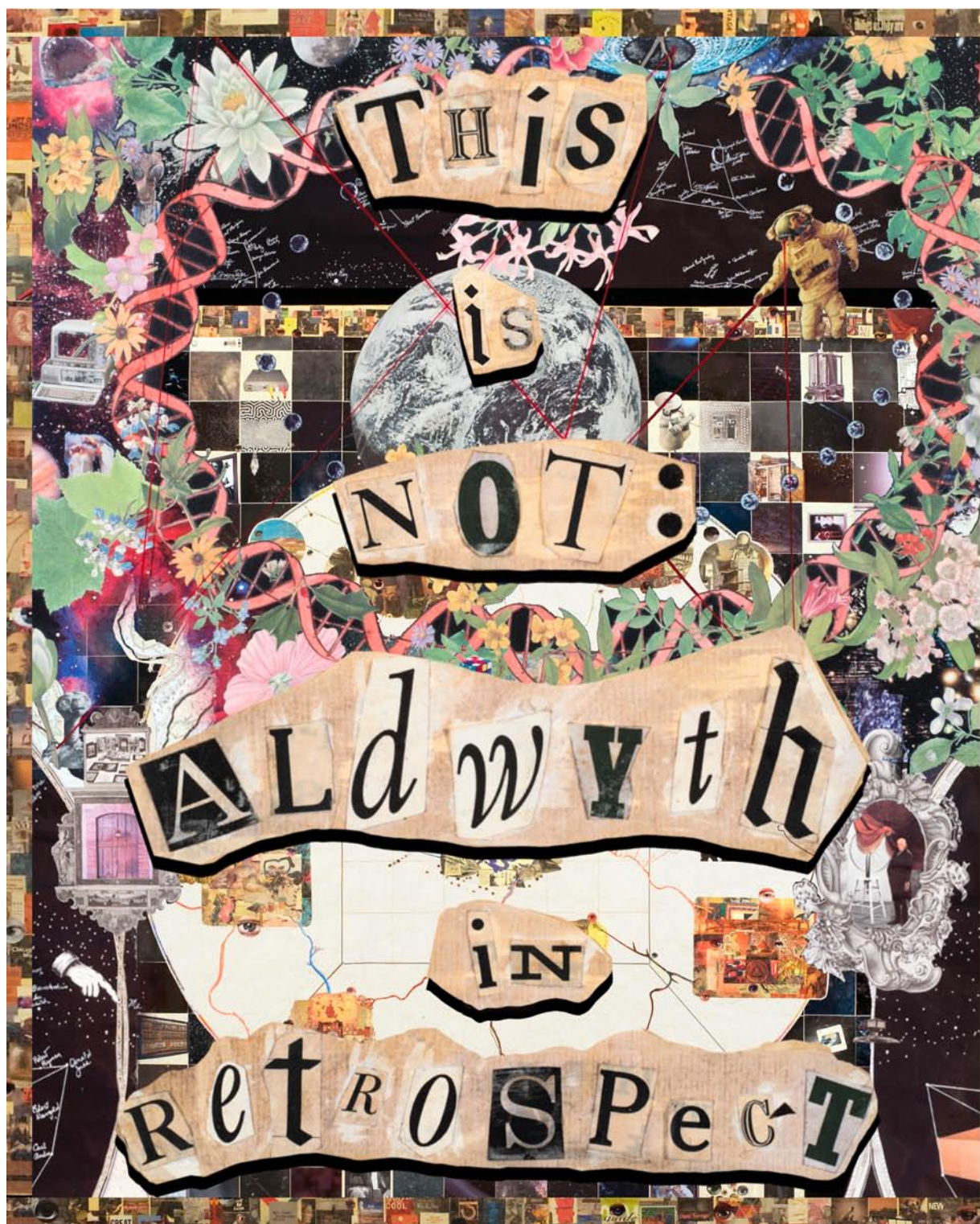
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The City Gallery, located at Joe Riley Waterfront Park, is owned by the City of Charleston and operated by the City of Charleston Office of Cultural Affairs, presenting an annual program of exhibitions and events featuring the finest contemporary art from local, regional, national and international artists, with a focus on the Lowcountry.

City Gallery remains open during the adjacent construction on Prioleau Street. The entrance to the gallery can be accessed via stairs from Waterfront Park, or by walking down the drive on the side of the building. Elevator access can be found inside the construction fences, under the staircase on the south side of the Gallery.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, for holiday closures, visit (www.charleston-sc.gov/citygallery) or call 843/958-6484.

Every once in a while I feel like just filling one of these spaces with a kind of nothingness. You know as if nobody reads what's in these spaces anyway. So if one time I said something like the first person to read this and sends me an e-mail to (info@carolinaarts.com) during the month of December they'll get a free 1/4 ad in our January 2025 issue or the month that is most useful for them. But who reads these space fillers anyway? Not many I bet.



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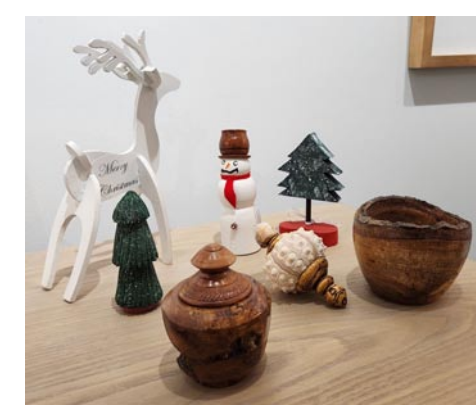
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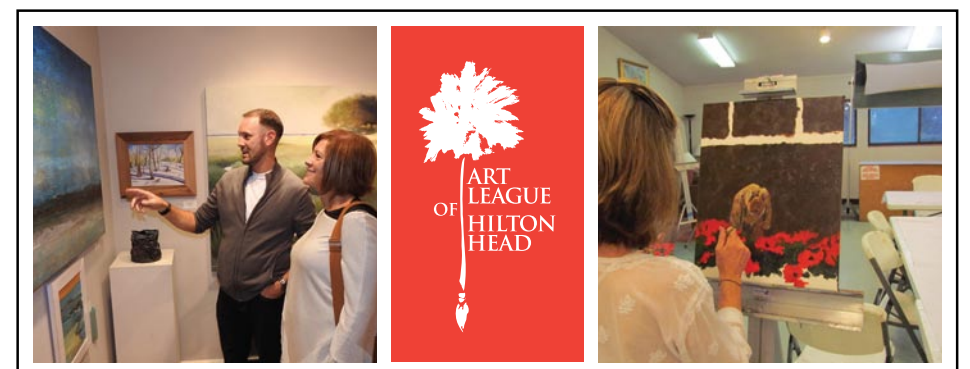
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Society of Bluffton Artists in Bluffton, SC, Offers Annual Holiday Market

The Society of Bluffton Artists (SOBA) in Bluffton, SC, is thrilled to announce the return of its Holiday Market, a seasonal showcase featuring handcrafted, one-of-a-kind gifts by local artists. Through Dec. 31, 2024, the SOBA Art Gallery's featured artist room will transform into a festive shopping destination for the community.
Visitors can explore and purchase a wide array of artfully crafted items perfect for the holiday season, including wreaths, small paintings, holiday décor, and gift-worthy treasures. Each piece is thoughtfully created by talented Bluffton artists, making the Holiday Market an ideal stop for unique and personal holiday shopping.
"The Holiday Market is a beloved SOBA tradition, perfect for anyone looking for a unique holiday shopping experience," said Karen Richards, President of SOBA.
The Society of Bluffton Artists is the cornerstone of Bluffton's vibrant art scene, located in the heart of Old Town Bluffton's historic district. As a non-profit organiza-



View of works from a previous Holiday Market
tion, SOBA is dedicated to enriching the community through the arts by offering regular art classes, exhibitions, scholarships, and outreach programs.
For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call 843/757-6586 or visit (www.sobagallery.com).

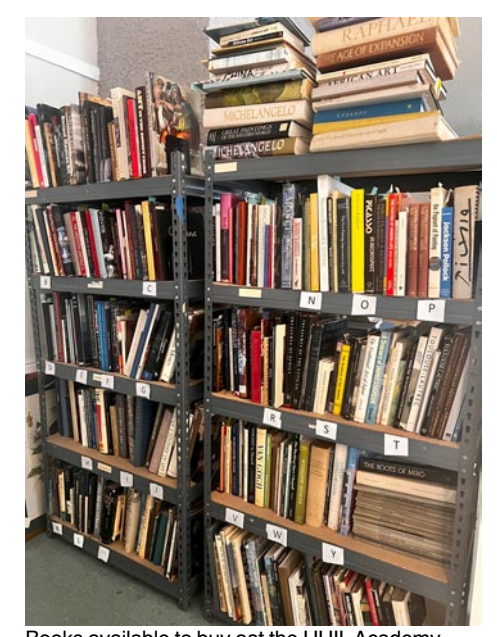


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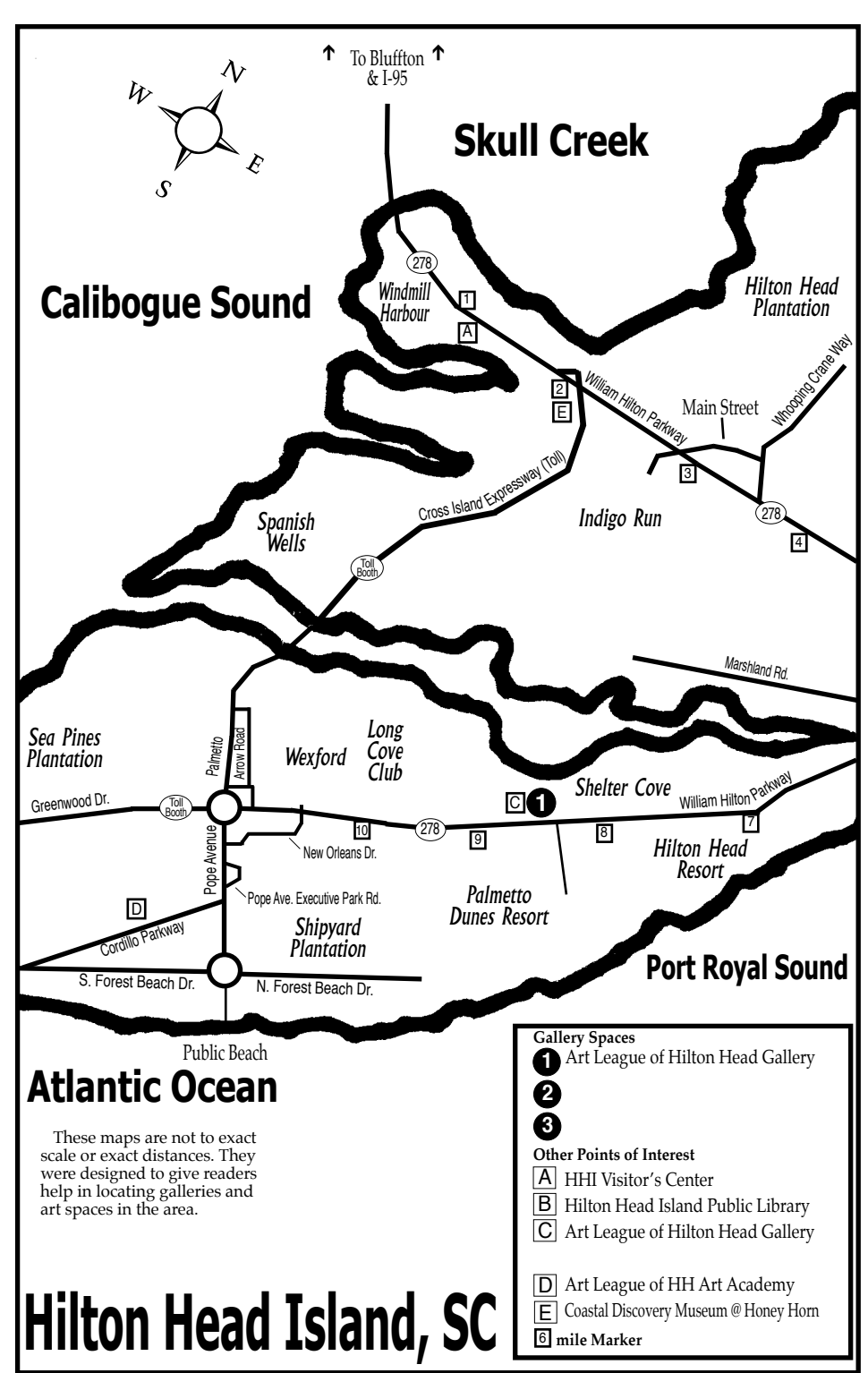
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Join us at Art League Academy on Hilton Head Island, SC, for an exciting sale event that will delight art enthusiasts, collectors, and creators as we approach the season of giving. This special sale lasts only three days - Dec. 3 - 5, from 10am-2pm each day. Seize the opportunity to find the ideal gift for the artist or art lover in your life, or to enrich your own collection and supplies.
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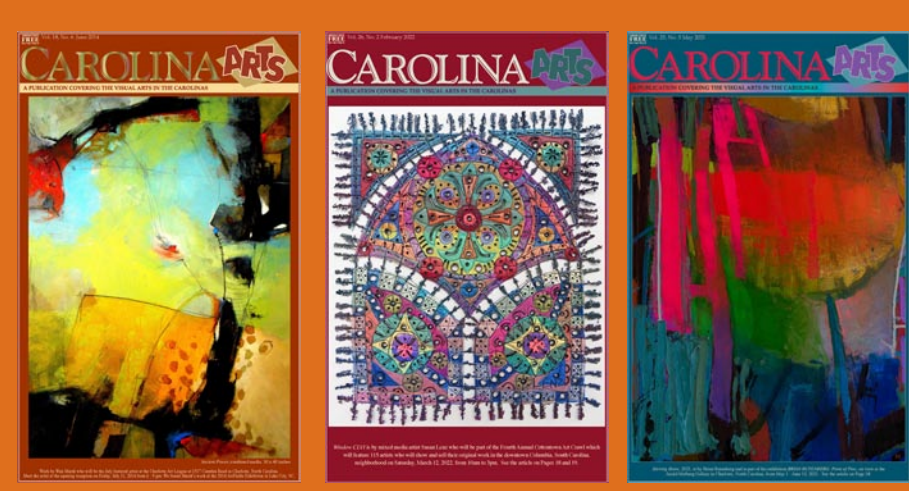


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Inside The Artist's Studio



Artist Murray Sease outside her home/studio

Editor's Note: A few years ago we offered a look into a few artist's studios. It was interesting, but we got busy and I didn't have time to keep up with that feature. Murray Sease of La Petite Gallerie in Bluffton, SC, sent us a series of articles about her fellow gallery artists. This time it's about her studio.

The latest Studio Visit is a little tricky for me as I'm touring and writing about my own art-making space!

This place where I paint is my home which my husband Bill and I built ourselves almost 40 years ago. We were still kids in our early twenties back then. It sits on a quiet acre and a half, adjacent to the Victoria

In pretty weather I like to paint on the patio overlooking this garden, sometimes setting up still lifes on the white tile bar. These paintings most often depict fresh picked veggies and flowers, or produce straight from the farmer's market.

Moving inside to the actual studio / office space I have about 240 square feet split into two sections. One side features bookshelves, file cabinets, stacks of frames, and some large paintings awaiting gallery space to be displayed. The other half is my work space. My trusty Mac computer holds all the business side of selling art, 10,000 plus reference photos I've taken over the past 15 years, and is where I did most of my work as a graphic designer.



View inside Murray Sease's studio

Bluff Heritage Preserve in between Hilton Head Island and Bluffton, SC. It is as close to 'country' as you can get so close to those bustling towns nearby. On the property is a large woodworking shop and a wonderful chicken coop, abandoned for now, but once occupied by several generations of lovely egg-laying ladies. They were excellent models for my paintings as well! There is plenty of wildlife in my yard, and the remnants of one of the summer gardens make a nice backdrop. Only a few peppers remain of the vegetables but the marigolds and zinnias are still blooming in full force, keeping the bees and butterflies busy.

Working at ad agencies and design firms until my son was born, I was happy to be a freelance designer with the option to work from home for much of my career. Just a year ago I completely retired from that job and am now happily a full-time painter. I have two desks, a drafting table, and three easels so not a lot of floor space left.

I usually paint at my main easel with the natural light from the high windows behind me. My floor, rug and desks are dotted with gesso and paint. Even my computer screen is often splattered! My two dogs stay close by whenever I'm here at work. We have a

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Another view inside Sease's studio with one of her two dogs claiming space

kind of ballet of avoiding stepping on or tripping over each other in the small area. A challenge, but I love their company.

I have big windows in the studio and a set of glass French doors leading out to a deck with pots of flowers, a hammock and sitting area. There is a picnic sized table on the adjacent front porch deck where I often will do big or smelly projects such as staining frames and gessoing large painting surfaces.

Varnishing, which is a protective clear layer that I paint onto dry, finished pieces,

mates, and especially my husband Bill – he was a creative soul and delighted everyone with his photography, woodworking and metal sculpture creations. I am incredibly lucky to have had him, and all the other artistic inspirations in my life.

I've now visited all the studios of the six artist/owners of the cooperative La Petite Gallerie in Old Town Bluffton. If you've missed any of them you may visit (lapetitegallerie.com) and visit the 'gallery news' page for the past articles. It is so inter-



One of Sease's signature works

must be done indoors to keep dust to a minimum. When I prepare for a show or festival I usually have every surface in my home covered with paintings in various stages of varnishing and framing.

So you probably get the gist that my studio fills my entire living space inside and out. In all rooms and outside I also enjoy art created by my friends, family, gallery

esting to me to see how artists are inspired by their surroundings and find comfort to create in their studio spaces.

Submitted by Murray Sease, one of six artist/owners at La Petite Gallerie, located at 56 Calhoun Street, Bluffton, SC 29910. For further info visit (lapetitegallerie.com).

There are several more photos on Page 11 which go with this article.

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These works are ready for the varnishing process



Sease's frame staining process, just outside her studio



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Anderson County Museum in Anderson, SC, Features Exhibition of SC Silver

Anderson County Museum in Anderson, SC is presenting *Silver of South Carolina and Beyond*, featuring one of the most comprehensive collections of South Carolina silver ever assembled in our area, through the Summer of 2025.

Many of the pieces are very rare. British soldiers evacuating Charleston in 1782 after the American Revolution took with them thousands of pounds of silver from the city's homes and churches. The pieces that have survived into the modern day are made more precious by their scarcity. Today Palmetto State silver attracts collectors from all over the globe.

"*Silver of South Carolina and Beyond* showcases many fine examples of flatware, holloware and presentation silver from some of the masters in the Palmetto State," said museum Curator Dustin Norris. "The majority of silver included in this exhibit is coin silver, or pieces with the same silver content as coinage of the time," said Norris.

Coin silver is typically 90% silver and 10% copper, while sterling silver is at least 92.5% silver and 7.5% copper or other metals. The other metals present in silver give it stability and strength that 100% pure silver would not have. The American silver industry adopted the Sterling Standard after 1865, so pieces created prior likely contain the 90/10 composition of coin silver with a



Works from the exhibition

few exceptions. "Silver of South Carolina and Beyond is a once in a lifetime opportunity to see examples of silver ranging from the late 1700s to the early twentieth century," said museum Executive Director Beverly Childs. "We are excited to present this stunning exhibit to our community from two private collectors in South Carolina."

The award-winning Anderson County Museum is celebrating 41 years of preserving the history and heritage of Anderson County and South Carolina. Located on East Greenville Street in downtown Anderson, the museum is handicap accessible and admission free.

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Greenville Center for Creative Arts in Greenville, SC, Offers Exhibit Focused on Art & Healing

The Greenville Center for Creative Arts in Greenville, SC, is presenting, *Art & Healing*, a group exhibit on view in the Community Gallery, through Dec. 18, 2024.

Art & Healing, is a personal and inspiring exhibition featuring 13 artists from the Carolinas who have faced cancer and found solace, strength, and healing through their artistic practices. This group exhibition highlights the intersection of art and healing, revealing how creative expression can be a powerful force in navigating the physical, emotional, and mental challenges of a cancer diagnosis and recovery.

Participating artists include: Carol Funke, Elisa M. Golden, Susanne Floyd Gunter, William Jameson, Diane Hopkins Hughes, Christina Laurel, Cheryl Lecroy, Monita Mahoney, Linda McCune, Marilyn Murrell, Michael Stoner, Carole Knudson Tinsley, and Joel Wilkinson, who will showcase a diverse range of works, from paintings and wood sculptures to photography and collage. Each artist reflects on their unique journey of resilience, coping, and healing through their creative process.

This exhibition underscores the therapeutic benefits of art-making, echoing research that suggests engaging in creative activities can reduce pain perception, alleviate anxiety, and promote emotional well-being. For these artists, their practice has been both a refuge and a lifeline, providing focus, meaning, and beauty during one of the most difficult times of their lives.

As Linda McCune reflects, "Both COVID and cancer's isolation and loss of autonomy made working through these emotions a necessity."

Carole Tinsley adds, "Our making art contributes to our healing journey, as well



Work by Joel Wilkinson

as brings added meaning, beauty, and a sense of peace to our day-to-day routine."

For Christina Laurel, "It was the creative spirit – whether I was physically making art or not – that propelled me through my cancer treatment."

Diane Hopkins Hughes describes the profound impact art has on healing, "The maker of art experiences involvement unlike any other; to be totally absorbed and in another 'zone' is a remarkable experience for healing the mind and the body."

Art & Healing offers a unique opportunity to engage with works that communicate resilience and hope. The exhibition will be a reminder that cancer, while deeply personal, touches all of us. We invite the community to witness the power of art in the healing process and to be inspired by the courage and creativity of these artists.

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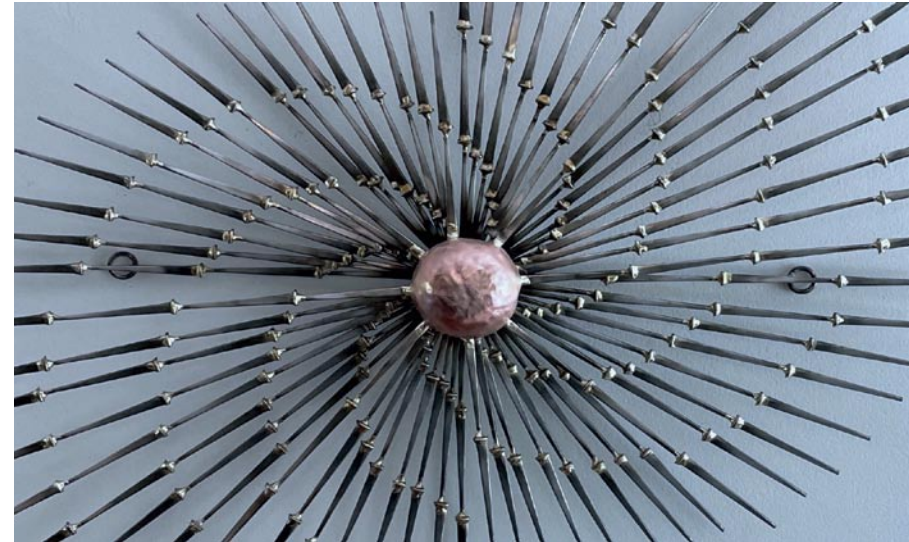
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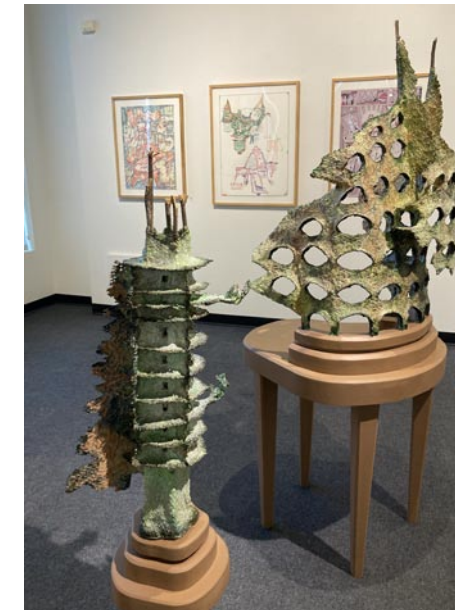
University of South Carolina Upstate in Spartanburg, SC, Offers Works by Jonathan Prichard

The University of South Carolina Upstate in Spartanburg, SC, is presenting *Sights Unseen*, featuring works by Jonathan Prichard, on view in the USC Upstate Gallery in the Chapman Cultural Center, through Dec. 20, 2014.

Sights Unseen by Jonathan Prichard, whose paintings, drawings, and sculptures reference natural forms, ancient artifacts, and spiritual beings. Detailed pen and ink imagery reads like a visual history of some unknown, yet strangely familiar civilization. Each of the sculptures in this exhibit embody life-sized relics from another world. Intentional playfulness is evident throughout the work, which is ultimately humble and undeniably holy.

Prichard's studio practice is an inward exploration that reflects his daily thoughts, observations, and experiences. He intuitively renders the unobserved, relying on his subconscious as a guide. This process reveals meaningful information regarding many facets of his personal life. His artwork is highly influenced by the wooded landscape where his family resides and his daily exposure to ancient artifacts as the Exhibitions Manager for the Culture and Heritage Museums of York County.

Prichard's work has been exhibited internationally. He has also been awarded residencies at 701 Center for Contemporary Art, the McColl Center for Art and Innovation and Goodyear Arts. He earned his BFA in general studio at Winthrop University, and after working in construction for several years, returned to Winthrop University to earn his MFA in sculpture with a minor in drawing.



Works by Jonathan Prichard

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings or e-mail the Gallery Director, Leah Cabinum at (lcabinum@uscupstate.edu).

Artists Collective | Spartanburg, SC, Presents A Group Exhibition

Artists Collective | Spartanburg, in Spartanburg, SC, will present *Collective's View Exhibit*, featuring works by 15 member artists, on view in Gallery II, from Dec. 3 - 28, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 19, from 5-8pm, as part of Spartanburg ArtWalk.

The members of the Artists Collective | Spartanburg represent a diverse group in many ways, not the least of which is their artistic interpretations of what they see and experience in the world. Now, 15 of these artists are showing their diversity in a joint show.



Work by Judy Martin

make it in their own medium," Martin adds, noting that the artists involved in the project have not exhibited together before.

"All those participating are members of the Collective. Some have been members for a short time and others maybe 10 years," she says. "Our members enjoy the privilege of being able to display in a gallery at the Collective. This is one of the benefits of being a member – having the chance to have a joint show as well as a solo show."

Martin adds, "The Artists Collective is one of the best art places in Spartanburg County. There is diversity within people as well as their art. Always room to grow as an artist is a great benefit."

The Artists Collective | Spartanburg, located on W. Main Street, provides a forum and home for the arts and creative population of Spartanburg, providing facilities and services to artist members for exhibits, performances and creation.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings or visit (artistscollectivespartanburg.org).

Artists Collective | Spartanburg, SC, Features Works by Shannon Patrick

Artists Collective | Spartanburg in Spartanburg, SC, will present *Indian Rhapsody*, featuring paintings by Shannon Patrick, on view in Gallery III, from Dec. 3 - 28, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 19, from 5-8pm, as part of Spartanburg ArtWalk. Spartanburg artist Shannon Patrick was

fascinated by the sights she saw in a visit to India, and she hopes to transport viewers there through the colors, light and shapes in her oil paintings and cyanotype prints and paintings in her exhibition, *Indian Rhapsody*. The 15 pieces in the show will be offered continued above on next column to the right



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"Imagine all of your senses treated to the equivalent of an Indian feast," Patrick says of the inspiration for her newest works. "I am interpreting my experiences in India to relieve my awe at the beauty, mystery and loveliness. Watching monkeys playing in the trees, being both fascinated by, and a little afraid of, their unpredictability impressed me. The Taj Mahal that dissolves into the mist of distance, the many palaces, mosaics and geometric latticework, through which one looks out onto the world, and the peacocks. I fell in love with a country and hope to go back someday."

The invitation to travel to India came thanks to the Wofford College network that included their Lifelong Learning Program, as the tour group was to be led by Prema Samhat, a native of New Delhi and the first lady of Wofford.

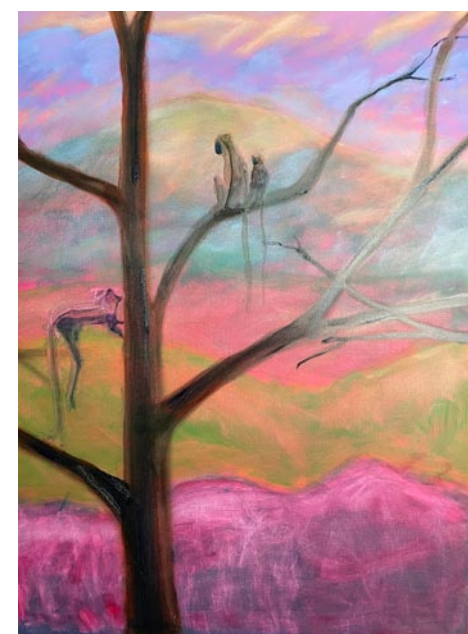
"I had long been a huge fan of Indian textiles, food and incense fragrances, and novels featuring India," says Patrick, a native of Athens, GA, who moved to Spartanburg in 1999. "My husband had been many times on business, but I had not. This was our big chance to see it together."

The tour took them to Mumbai, Udaipur, Jaipur, Agra and New Delhi.

"There was very little time in our busy schedule to paint, yet plenty of time to capture many unique images with my camera," says Patrick, primarily a plein air painter. "This show is the expression of how I am affected by this ancient and mysterious land, which I find exotic and full of depth. I am so grateful to have had this unique experience."

"Through the paintings, I hope to transport the viewers from Spartanburg to India," she adds. "I hope the colors, light and shapes speak to the viewers, and maybe inspire others to travel far. I hope others fondly remember their own trips and experiences. Travel is invaluable. Experiencing other lands and their people firsthand enriches our lives."

She adds that from "fomenting of ideas and experiences and the creation of the art" took the full nine months from returning from India in February until the exhibition. "This work is more fanciful and intuitive



Work by Shannon Patrick

than my usual, more realistic paintings, which largely feature marsh landscapes painted en plein air, or portraits of people in a landscape."

Patrick, a graduate of the University of Georgia, was a textile designer before receiving a master's in education from Converse University and going on to a career as an art teacher in Spartanburg. "Teaching what one loves to do can be a joy. I love working with clay, papier-mâché, photography and multimedia as well as painting in oil, my primary focus. Lately, I have been experimenting with Cyanotype printmaking."

A member of the Artists Collective | Spartanburg since 2018, Patrick says she finds the group "vibrant and warm." She adds, "I enjoy having the opportunity to show at ACS, and the opportunity to participate in the annual Juried Show."

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Arts Council of York County in Rock Hill, NC, Presents *Art Frenzy* - Dec. 12, 2024

The Arts Council of York County in Rock Hill, NC, will present *Art Frenzy* on Dec. 12, 2024, from 7-9pm, at Hoppin' Rock Hill, 110 Southern St., Rock Hill.

Art Frenzy provides an opportunity for new and established art patrons to start or add to their art collections with high quality local and regional artwork at affordable prices. Enjoy a frosty beverage from one of Hoppin's many taps while you listen to live music by Ryan Lockhart and bid on your favorite works of art.

Expect to find 50 works in a wide variety of artistic styles of art available for auction at the 2024 *Art Frenzy*. Invitational artists were selected because of their reputation and respect among their peers and the community, as well as for their continuing support of the Arts Council of York County. Artwork juried into the event by Harriet Marshall Goode and Mike Gentry includes works by emerging and established artists. Artwork will be on display online in advance and bids will begin at \$150 or less. Tickets are \$25 and include entry to the event as well as one drink. To purchase tickets, call the Arts Council office at 803/



Work by Shaun Cassidy

328-2787, stop by the Center for the Arts, 121 E. Main St., Rock Hill, SC, or visit us online at yorkcountyarts.org/artfrenzy.

The Arts Council is headquartered in downtown Rock Hill, a state-recognized cultural district.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Council at 803/328-2787 or visit (www.yorkcountyarts.org).

McColl Center for Art + Innovation in Charlotte, NC, Celebrates 25 Years With Mitchell Kearney

The McColl Center for Art + Innovation in Charlotte, NC, celebrates 25 years with *Ties That Bind: Portraits by Mitchell Kearney of Artists at McColl Center, 1999-2008*, curated by Melissa Stutts, on view through Jan. 18, 2025.

As McColl Center celebrates 25 years as an artist residency and catalyst for artistic innovation, we are honored to present *Ties That Bind: Portraits by Mitchell Kearney of the Artists at McColl Center 1999-2008*. This exhibition showcases Kearney's nearly decade-long documentation of McColl Center's transformation and the artists who shaped its creative legacy.

Over the span of nine years, Kearney captured the evolving story of McColl Center, preserving the historic journey and architectural rebirth from a fire-ravaged church into an urban artist residency. The exhibition features not only portraits of resident artists but also the building itself, reflecting how the renewed energy of the space influenced the creative output of the artists working within its walls.

McColl Center's founding president, Suzanne Fetscher, commissioned Kearney to photograph the artists, their work, and, most important, their creative process. His mission was to capture how the center's unique environment influenced the artists and their work. "It was all about that level of enthusiasm and excitement that everyone had for it that is really present in all this early imagery that I've been editing for this exhibition," said Kearney. "It's like reliving something that happened 25 years ago, joyfully, and I want to pass that enthusiasm through."

Kearney's photographic journey began long before digital cameras, having spent 30 years mastering film photography, including his early days as a punk rock photographer in New York City. This background enabled him to approach his role at McColl Center with an acute sense of awareness, capturing moments without needing to review his images on the spot. During this time, Kearney worked to collaborate seamlessly with the artists, making them feel at ease in front of the camera - a task not always easy for those used to creating from behind the lens.

"I wasn't simply trying to create face-on-camera portraits," Kearney explains. "I wanted to get a sense of what someone



The image is of Alum Marcus Schubert (1999). Courtesy of Mitchell Kearney.

would see if they came in and didn't say anything - capturing the essence of the artists while they were literally creating."

Ties That Bind is more than a collection of portraits. It's a visual narrative of McColl Center's first decade - 180 artists captured at work, set against the backdrop of the center's architectural revival. The exhibition embodies the collaborative spirit and creative energy that have defined McColl Center since its founding.

When asked what he hopes visitors will take away from the exhibition, Kearney said, "I want them to engage with an experience that will allow them to be more curious the closer they get to each of these images and see the potential added elements beyond the photograph."

This exhibition stands as a testament to the deep connections forged at McColl Center over the last 25 years. It invites the community to witness the collaborative spirit that has driven the center since its inception and to celebrate the remarkable artists who have passed through its doors.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Center at 704/332-5535 or visit (www.mccollcenter.org).

The deadline each month to submit articles, photos and ads is the 24th of the month prior to the next issue. This will be Dec. 24th, at 5pm, for the January 2025 issue and Jan. 24, at 5pm for the February 2025 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. And where do you send that info? E-mail to (info@carolinaarts.com).

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Mint Museum Uptown in Charlotte, NC, Offers 2024 *Coined in the South* Exhibition

The Mint Museum Uptown, located at the Levine Center for the Arts in Charlotte, NC, will present *Coined in the South: 2024*, on view from Dec. 14 through Apr. 27, 2025.

Coined in the South: 2024 aims to bridge the gap between museums, galleries, and studios by showcasing thought-provoking works by the emerging artists living or working in the Southern United States.

The name *Coined in the South* refers to both The Mint Museum's origins as the first branch of the U.S. Mint, as well as the act of inventing. Many of the works selected for the 2024 *Coined in the South* exhibition reflect on personal narratives and cultural histories. The exhibition transcends any singular aesthetic, theme, or medium, striving to mirror the rich diversity and creative spirit of the Southern arts community.

Coined in the South is a juried biennial exhibition, created in collaboration with the Young Affiliates of the Mint (YAMs). For this year's exhibition, nearly 1,500 works of art were submitted for review. A total of 49 artists were selected by the 2024 jurors: Marshall Price, PhD, chief curator at Nasher Museum of Art; Victoria Ramirez, PhD, executive director of Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts; and Stephanie Woods, artist and former *Coined in the South* participant.

The Young Affiliates of the Mint (YAM) is the Mint Museum's young professional auxiliary group. The organization's mission is to expand access to the arts for children by raising funds for subsidized classroom trips to the museum each year. YAM annual programming focuses on supporting the museum and fostering community through cultural and social events. Established in 1990, the Young Affiliates is the premier social organization for young art enthusiasts in Charlotte, NC.

Selected artists with works in the show include: Eliza Au (Dallas, TX), Ivana



Deborah Kruger (Durham, NC, 1953-). "Ropa Aroo Iris," 2023, 53 X 45 X 2", hand screen-printing on recycled plastic, hand and machine sewing, wrapping, waxed linen thread. Courtesy the artist.

Milojevic Beck (Raleigh, NC), Madame-Fraankie (Memphis, TN), Mitchell Burleson (Lexington, KY), Aaron Canipe (Mebane, NC), Carol Cole (Greensboro, NC), Stacey Davidson (Rock Hill, SC), MyLoan Dinh (Charlotte, NC), Tasanee Durrett (Altamonte Springs, FL), Lukas Flippo (Amory, MS), Johnny Floyd (Pine Lake, GA), Coulter Fussell (Water Valley, MS), Chen Gao (Hartsville, SC), AnnaBrooke Greene (Tallahassee, FL), Alexander Newman Hall (Mint Hill, NC), Jewel Ham (Huntersville, NC), Briana Harmening (Nashville, TN), Clarence Heyward (Clayton, NC), Brian Holcombe (Blacksburg, VA), Deborah Kruger (Durham, NC), Kelly Ladd (Casselberry, FL), Sara Lynne Lindsay (Lilburn, GA), Precious Lovell (Raleigh,

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NC), Kimberly Lyle (Atlanta, GA), Mark McLeod (Murfreesboro, TN), Gary Mesa-Gaido (Morehead, KY), Hiromi Moneyhun (Jacksonville Beach, FL), Jaydan Moore (Richmond, VA), Kate Nartker (Durham, NC), Indrani Nayar-Gall (Charlotte, NC), Masela Nkolo (Lawrenceville, GA), Patrick Owens (Taylors, SC), Kasia Ozga (Greensboro, NC), April Pauza (Frostburg, MD), Edison Peñañiel (Miami, FL), Claire Pope (Hickory, NC), Adrian Rhodes (Hartsville, SC), Kelly Riek (Lake Junaluska, NC), Ellie Rose (Columbia, SC), Cheyenne Rudolph (Gainesville, FL), Suzanna Scott (Ruston, LA), Hannah Shaban (Charlotte, NC), April Simmons (Concord, NC), Melissa Stutts (Charlotte, NC), Laura Tanner (Boca Raton, FL), Jomo Tariku (Springfield, VA), Jan-Ru Wan (Chapel Hill, NC), Louis Watts (Winston-Salem, NC), and Michelle Wilkie (Cary, NC).

Jurors who helped select works for this exhibition include: Marshall N. Price, PH.D., Chief Curator and Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Curator of Modern and Contemporary Art, Duke University; Victoria Ramirez, PH.D., Executive Direc-



Adrian Rhodes (Hartsville, SC, 1983-). "Play Stupid Games, Win Stupid Prizes," 2024, embroidered linocut on muslin over wood frame. Courtesy the artist.

tor, Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts; and Stephanie J. Woods, Assistant Professor, Interdisciplinary Art, University of New Mexico.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 704/337-2000 or visit (www.mintmuseum.org).

Mint Museum Uptown in Charlotte, NC, Features Works by Graciela Iturbide and Maya Goded

The Mint Museum Uptown, located at the Levine Center for the Arts in Charlotte, NC, is presenting *Women of Land and Smoke: Photographs by Graciela Iturbide and Maya Goded*, on view through Aug. 10, 2025.

Women of Land and Smoke: Photographs by Graciela Iturbide and Maya Goded (Las Mujeres de Tierra y Humo: Las Fotografías de Graciela Iturbide y Maya Goded), includes over 50 photographs that present an overview of Iturbide's and Goded's careers that span the Americas.



Maya Goded (Mexican, 1967-). From the series "Healing: Body and Land" (*Sanación: cuerpo y tierra*), Los Altos Chiapas, 2019, digital print. The Mint Museum, museum purchase made possible with funds from Allen Blevins & Armando Aispuro and Betsy Rosen & Liam Stokes.

images that examine the intersection of contemporary life and centuries-long practices throughout North and South America.

The artists, who are a generation apart in age, both grew up in Mexico City and have worked in various places throughout the world. Their primary focus, however, has been indigenous communities stretching from Los Angeles to Chile. Over decades of exploring communities, whether urban or isolated, Iturbide and Goded have found women as the consistent force holding these fragmenting societies together.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 704/337-2000 or visit (www.mintmuseum.org).

Nine Eighteen Nine Studio Gallery in Charlotte, NC, Offers International Art Exhibition

Nine Eighteen Nine Studio Gallery in Charlotte, NC, is presenting *Crossing Borders*, an international art exhibition, on view through Jan. 4, 2025.

Crossing Borders delves into how borders shape perceptions of identity, safety, and belonging. From geographic demarcations to psychological and cultural boundaries, the exhibition explores themes of division, connection, and transformation. Through diverse mediums - photographs, paintings, monumental sculptures, installations, and performance art - the artists in this exhibition are familiar with Borders and how it manifests in their lives as human beings.

Risk is the enemy of Fear. Love is the enemy of Hate. Change is the enemy of Complacency. The artists in this exhibition are familiar with Borders and how it manifests in their lives as creative human



Work by Salma Arastru

beings. Emphasis must be given to the importance and timeliness of this exhibition as an outlet for frustration and anxiety as artists attempt to illustrate, enact and represent both change and consciousness raising on a world-wide scale as well as on a personal level in a time when systems are seemingly breaking down in regard to continued above on next column to the right

personal expression and freedom.

The exhibit challenges viewers to ask: What borders are you willing to cross? Highlights among many include Lena Bartula's *Mend the World*, which addresses the privilege of unrestricted travel compared to the displacement faced by those without the "right" passports; Carl Heyward's expansive *The Slave Ships*, a 1,000-square-foot installation confronting the enduring impact of the Atlantic slave trade; Salma Arastru's *Cut from the Same Cloth*, inspired by her family's experiences as refugees; Ale Feijó's mixed media piece *My Border...My Skin*, which uses skin as a metaphorical boundary to explore the connection between the self and the external world; and Akiko Suzuki's *Over The Sea* thinking of the sea as the path for immigrants to connect to another place, like if the sea is a thread and her installation, where she merges traditional Japanese crafts with digital projections to examine shifting cultural identities.

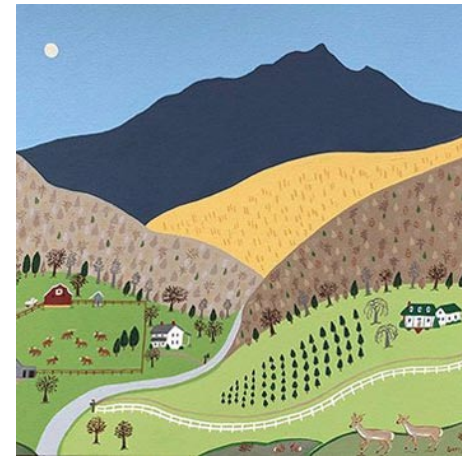
An exhibition catalog is available for sale.

The gallery is located on Tryon Street, inside The VAPA Center in Charlotte. Admission is free and there is plenty of parking.

Hickory Museum of Arts and Science Center in Hickory, NC Features Works by Barry G. Huffman

Hickory Museum of Arts and Science Center in Hickory, NC, is presenting *Barry G. Huffman: Life Illustrated*, on view in the 3rd Floor Gallery, through Feb. 16, 2025. A reception will be held on Dec. 1, from 3-5pm.

Six decades ago a young newly married woman began painting pictures of her everyday life. What started out as an endeavor to please herself with a memory became an obsession of documenting her thoughts, experiences, joys and sorrows, and loss and frustrations of life. As a private quiet person this became her practice of dealing with life.



Work by Barry G. Huffman

More than 400 paintings later Barry Gurley Huffman who began as a self-taught artist had become an artist in her own right that defies categories of a persona or style and worthy of recognition of her contribution and talent as a visual artist. She has created a unique and amazing documentation of a fading but not forgotten era.

Most went into a closet until 2014 when she was invited to exhibit her "Housewife"

Stormwater Studios in Columbia, SC, Offers Several New Exhibitions

Stormwater Studios in Columbia, SC, will present several exhibitions during the month of December beginning with the *Midlands Clay Society Holiday Sale*, on view from Dec. 3 - 8, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 5, beginning at 5pm. Join us this year for our *23rd Annual Midlands Clay Arts Holiday Sale*, and find unique pieces for your home, friends, and family! Local ceramic artists showcase their sculptural, functional, and whimsical wheel thrown and hand built ceramic art. Hours will be 11am-8pm on Dec. 5 & 6 and 10am-4pm on Dec. 7.

From Dec. 11 - 15, 2024, will be the exhibition, *Lives We Lost/Creeksploring*, featuring works by Rylee Heil and Jackson Tucker. The duo exhibition features the work of USC undergraduate student artists



Work by Ale Feijó

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, contact Joanne Rogers, Gallery Owner, by calling 704/777-4187 or visit (<https://www.nineeighteen.com/>).



Work by Barry G. Huffman

paintings. Now the paintings are coming out of the closet!

She has written five books reflecting not only her domestic life but also her interest in Southern pottery and folk art. Titles include: *A Lady Goes to Sea with Essays for Her Children* (2017); *Hand-in-Hand: Visions & Voices of North Carolina Folk Artists* (2016); *LaFone Living Art* (2015); *Catawba Clay: Contemporary Southern Face Jug Makers* (1997); and *Catawba Journey* (Linda Baker Huffman, Barry Gurley Huffman) (1982).

The Hickory Museum of Art represents and promotes the Unifour region (Catawba, Caldwell, Burke, and Alexander Counties) as a center of innovative creativity and inclusive community through its commitment to visual arts, education, and collaboration.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 828/327-8576 or visit (<http://hickoryart.org/>).

Jackson Tucker and Rylee Heil, showcasing pieces from their graduate application portfolios. Jackson's photography and Rylee's drawings delve into themes such as environmentalism, mental health, and economic issues. Join us for a reception on Dec. 13, from 6-8pm, where the artists will discuss their work over refreshments and light food. The exhibition hours run from Dec. 11-15, from 11am-3pm.

From Dec. 18 - 22, 2024, Stormwater will present the *Trenholm Artists Guild at Stormwater Exhibition*. A reception will be held on Dec. 19, from 5-7pm. The Trenholm Artists Guild (TAG) exhibition will showcase a diverse array of artwork created by its talented members, working in various mediums. Exhibition hours will be daily

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from 11am-3pm.

Stormwater's resident artists include: Eileen Blyth, Stephen Chesley, Gerard Erbert, Heidi Dar-Hope, Pat Gilmartin, Robert Kennedy, Sharon Licata, Michel McNinch, Kirkland Smith, and David Yaghjian. Stormwater, a newly launched nonprofit organization that supports the thriving working artist community in Columbia's Vista district, announces that local painter Malik Greene will join Stormwater Studios as the artist-in-residence in the organization's inaugural BIPOC Residency Program. Funded by an anonymous donor and matched with funds from One Columbia for

Arts and Culture, this one-year residency program was created to reflect the greater art community at Stormwater by building a more inclusive culture that encourages, supports and celebrates diverse voices. As a resident, Greene will occupy one of the 10 working artist studios at Stormwater Studios, participate in the bi-annual group shows as well as the operational duties that keep the gallery open to the greater Columbia community.

For further information check our SC Commercial Gallery listings or visit (www.StormwaterStudios.org).

University of South Carolina in Columbia, SC, Features Works by Sophia Brueckner

The University of South Carolina in Columbia, SC, is presenting *Unrequited United: Sophia Brueckner*, on view in the McMaster Gallery, at the School of Visual Art and Design, through Dec. 6, 2024.

Brueckner offered the following artist's statement, "*Unrequited United* explores Amazon Kindle Popular Highlights in romance novels. A passage in a Kindle e-book becomes a Popular Highlight after a certain number of people independently highlight the same passage. Popular Highlights show up as underlined text along with the number of people who highlighted that passage. I expected that romance readers might highlight the smutty parts, but, surprisingly, they are predominantly highlighting passages about grief, loneliness, and trauma. These often heartbreaking passages are not the sort of thing that people would broadcast on social media. They aren't something people are bookmarking to return to later or posting on Goodreads. The anonymity of



Works by Sophia Brueckner

Popular Highlights allows people to show vulnerability and empathy with feelings they might be reluctant to reveal on other social media platforms."

"Since 2010, I have collected thousands of Kindle Popular Highlights from romance novels into a database," adds Brueckner. "Over one hundred thousand individual acts of highlighting were used to determine the content for these artworks telling the story of the intense loneliness, grief, vulnerability, and discontent felt by the readers. This work reveals a glimpse of a positive, anonymous social network emerging unintentionally through this minor Kindle feature. With this ongoing project I draw attention to this existing example of collective social support in order to change society's vision for the future of social technologies."

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ally through this minor Kindle feature. With this ongoing project I draw attention to this existing example of collective social support in order to change society's vision for the future of social technologies."

Sophia Brueckner is a futurist artist/engineer who researches how technology shapes us. Inseparable from computers since the age of two, she believes she is a cyborg. As a software engineer at Google, she designed and built products used by tens of millions. At RISD and the MIT Media Lab, she researched the simultaneously empowering and controlling aspects of technology with a focus on haptic and social interfaces. Since 2011, Brueckner has taught Sci-Fi Prototyping, a course combining science fiction, extrapolative thinking, building prototypes, and technology ethics. The class and the students' projects received international recognition and were featured by *The Atlantic*, *Smithsonian Magazine*, *Wired*, *NPR*, *Scientific American*, *Fast Company*, and many others.

Brueckner's work has been featured by *Artforum*, *SIGGRAPH*, the Peabody Essex

Museum, Leonardo, Eyeo, ISEA, and more. She was an artist-in-residence at Autodesk Pier 9 and Nokia Bell Labs E.A.T. She is currently an associate professor at the Stamps School of Art and Design and co-director of the Center for Ethics, Society, and Computing (ESC) at the University of Michigan. Her ongoing objective is to combine her background in design and engineering with the perspective of an artist to inspire a more positive future.

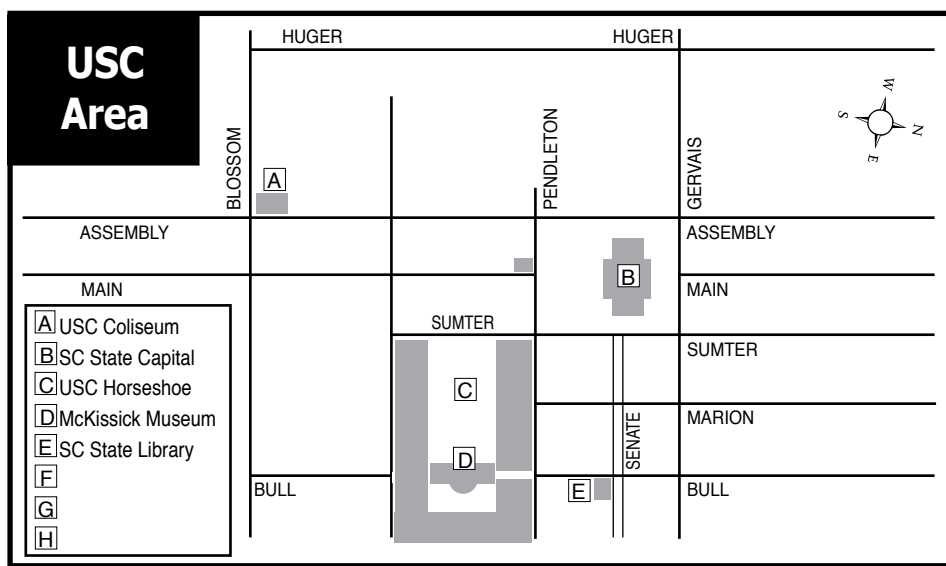
McMaster Gallery, located in the basement level of the McMaster Building, on Senate Street, is dedicated to promoting visual art as a tool and a channel for education within the university and the community. The gallery hosts rotating exhibitions and programming that examine cultural and social contexts, challenge contemporary perceptions of art making, and provide a framework for intellectual and creative inquiry.

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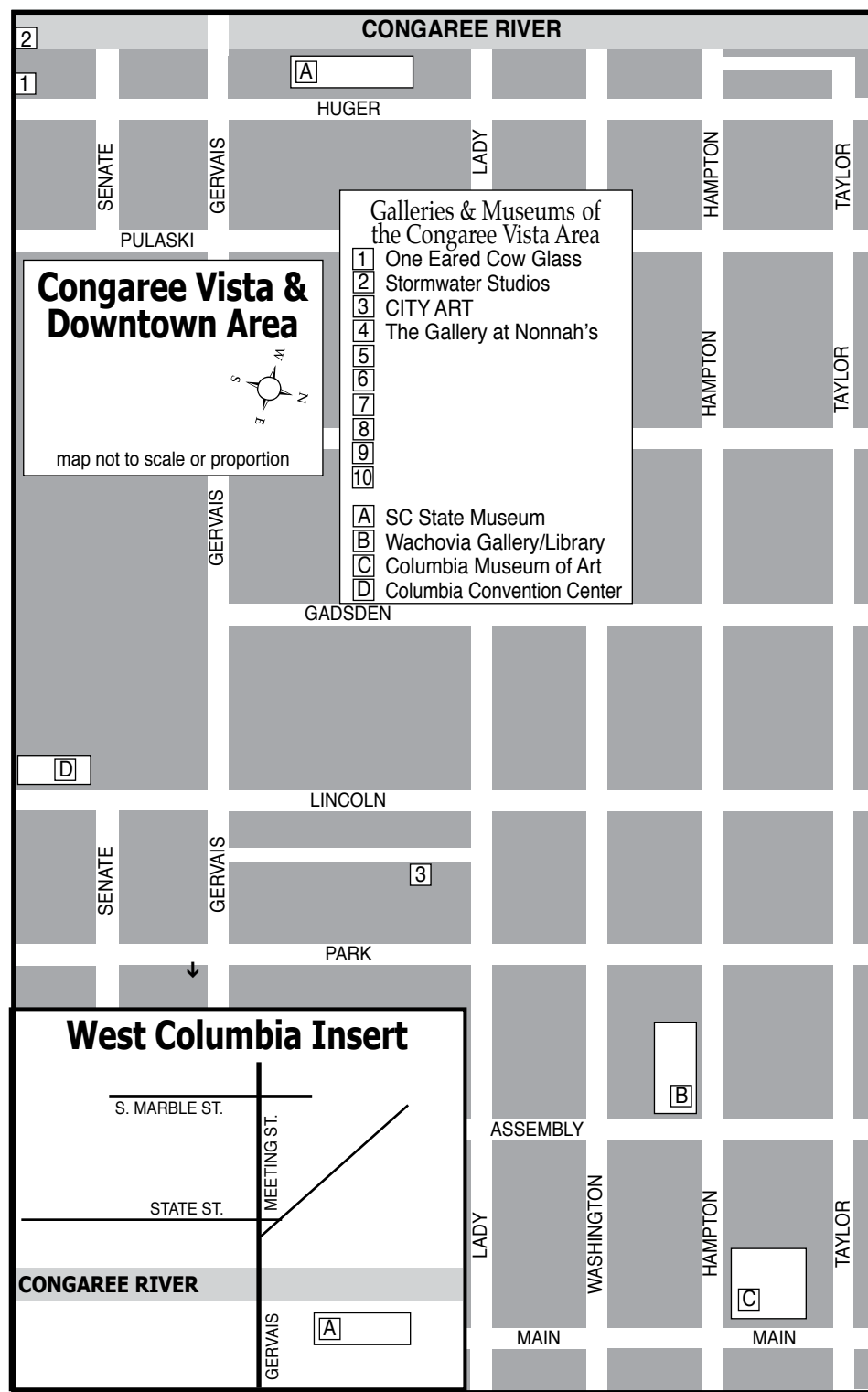
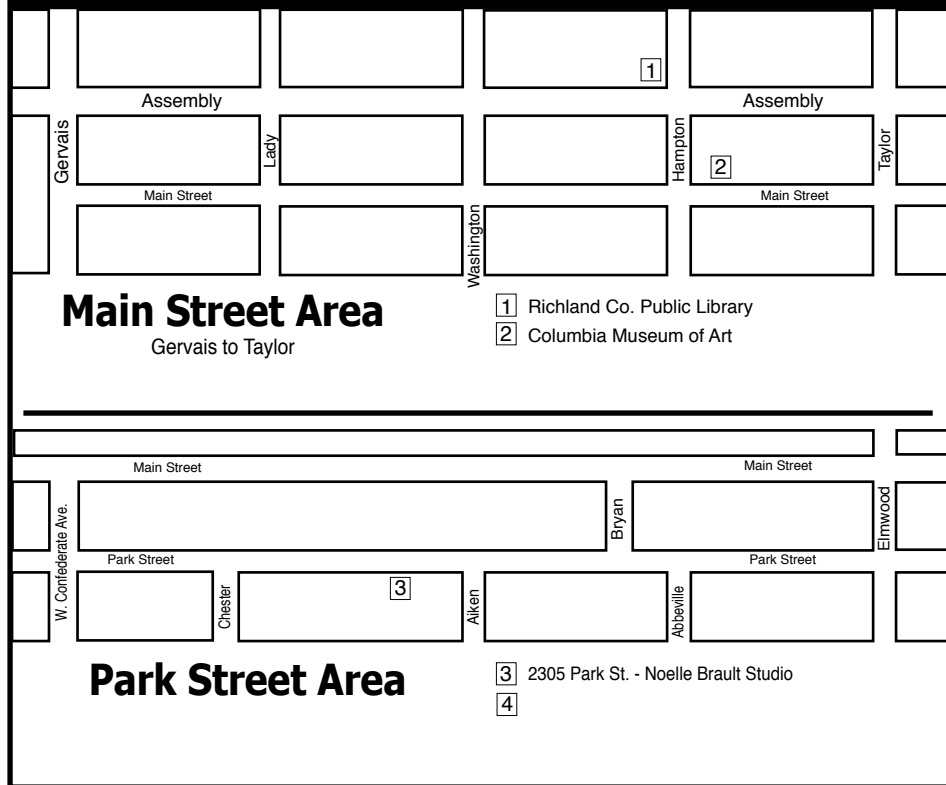
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NC Arts Organizations Come Together To Help Their Neighbors After Hurricane Helene

From the North Carolina Arts Council

Few could have imagined the effects of Hurricane Helene on western North Carolina in September. "The devastation was beyond belief," Governor Roy Cooper remarked during his September 30 visit to the area. "And even when you prepare for something like this, this is something that's never happened before in western North Carolina."

The region's vibrant arts community was among the hardest hit. Yet, as has been the case during previous upheavals, the arts community has also emerged as a beacon of hope and support.

A safe place after the storm

At Penland School of Craft in Mitchell County, staff members opened their doors to a whitewater rescue crew in need of shelter after the storm. "They needed a place to sleep and a warm meal," Penland's executive director, Mia Hall, told NBC News. She emphasized the essential role of arts organizations in communities, saying, "Organizations like ours are crucial for these small communities because it's often the glue that holds this creative community together."

Across the west, many arts organizations have transformed their spaces into shelters and resource centers. The Lost Province Center for Cultural Arts in Ashe County and the Watauga Arts Council quickly invited people to gather at their sites for safety, internet access, meals, and other essential needs. In Asheville (Buncombe County), the Wortham Theatre has been converted into a FEMA site and Brevard Music Center in Transylvania County has been offering temporary housing for visiting work crews and displaced families.

The Blowing Rock Art and History Museum in Watauga County, though itself



View of rolling hills and valleys from Cowee Mountain Overlook on Blue Ridge Parkway at sunset.

spared from damage, saw an opportunity to help. Executive Director Stephan Dragisic told NBC News, "We're at a vulnerable point where any act of kindness is so appreciated, any act of humanity is so necessary." Museum staff visited shelters for displaced residents and delivered art kits to families. Dragisic added, "The museum exists to do this kind of work, where we reach beyond the walls."

In Buncombe County, Laura Mitchell, an A+ Schools of North Carolina Fellow and county arts education specialist, also made "creativity kits" to give kids a healthy distraction from the trauma surrounding them. To date, she has delivered more than 160 kits, with a goal of making 500 more.

Supporting recovery

Beyond immediate relief efforts, artists and arts organizations across the state are focusing on fundraising for recovery. Arts AVL, Asheville's local arts council, sprang into action immediately, conducting area-wide needs assessments and establishing emergency funds for creatives. Within a week, organizations statewide began organizing concerts, art sales, and auctions to raise money for recovery and relief efforts.

These efforts included:

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- A "Concert for Carolina" in Charlotte featuring Luke Combs, Eric Church, James Taylor, Billy Strings, and more. Residents in affected areas were able to stream the concert for free.

- Eric Church, a North Carolina native and Appalachian State University alumnus, donated the rights to his newest single, "Darkest Hour," to the state for recovery funding.

- The City of Wilmington, with support from Live Nation, the Wilmington Arts Council, and the NC Music Office, hosted "From Wilmington, With Love," at Greenfield Lake Amphitheater featuring Ben Folds with musicians from western North Carolina and other special guests.

A list of upcoming events can be found at (https://www.dncr.nc.gov/programs-services/north-carolina-music-office/hurricane-helene-benefit-concerts?fbclid=IwY2xjawF_XLxleHRu-A2FlbQIXMAABHWDJbcTMRdDun-fq-l-sUglZRG1SkLYhvbxFHF0j1JvMfxCkX-BWpIbyJpSWQ_aem_0VnVbKzcl6Jq7o-kP8tpA). Many have taken place, more may be added to this list.

Offering a sense of belonging

Rhonda Bellamy, president & CEO of the Arts Council of Wilmington and New Hanover County, is an arts leader who has found herself and her organization in a similar situation. In 2018, Hurricane Florence devastated Wilmington. Speaking with the *Wilmington Star-News* at the time, Bellamy said "I think that, very often, the arts lead that recovery. People are looking for a common language, an expression of what

they're going through."

Reflecting on the current situation in western NC, Bellamy expressed her shock: "I'm so overwhelmed by what I've seen with Hurricane Helene. This is a Katrina-level storm. Some people have lost everything, including the loss of life." Her advice to those affected: "As soon as you're able, given the situation with having safety, electricity, and internet access, be the convener in your community - offer a sense of place and belonging to those who have been affected by the storm."

As the state arts agency of North Carolina, we will continue helping the western arts community recover in the next months and years. You can help by sharing the following resources:

- Arts NC, a state service organization funded in part by the NC Arts Council, continues to update its library of resources for artists and arts organizations affected by Hurricane Helene at (<https://artsnc.org/arts-emergency-resources/>).

- The NC Department of Public Safety has compiled county-by-county relief and recovery resources at (<https://www.ncdps.gov/our-organization/emergency-management/hurricane-helene>).

- Make a direct impact by donating to the NC Disaster Relief Fund at (<https://pay.pay.gov.com/ncdonations>). 100% of the funds will help our friends in the west rebuild and recover.

The North Carolina Arts Council is a division of the Department of Natural and Cultural Resources, a state agency. For further information visit (<https://www.ncarts.org/>).

Craft Futures Fund Surpasses \$1 Million in Support of Western North Carolina Artists

The Center for Craft in Asheville, NC, is thrilled to announce that the Craft Futures Fund has raised over \$1 million to support craft artists in Western North

Carolina affected by Hurricane Helene. Since reactivating the Fund, the Center for Craft has quickly mobilized resource-

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Craft Futures Fund

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es, disbursing over \$300,000 to more than 600 artists. The strong community response and backing from significant organizations underscore the essential role of the region's vibrant craft sector.

In its initial phase, the Craft Futures Fund reached \$876,000 through grassroots donations and major gifts. The rapid increase to over \$1.2 million demonstrates a powerful commitment from supporters who value craft's cultural and economic importance in Western North Carolina. Funds are being disbursed immediately to help artists recover and rebuild their creative livelihoods.

"Western North Carolina has long been a haven for craft artists, and the level of support we have seen reflects just how valued this community is," said Stephanie Moore, Executive Director of the Center for Craft. "Reaching over \$1.2 million enables us to strengthen our efforts and provide a solid foundation for both immediate relief and longer-term recovery."

The Center for Craft extends our deep gratitude to the Windgate Foundation, Community Foundation of Western North Carolina, the Maxwell I Hanrahan Foundation, CERF+, Bresler Family Foundation, the Thomas S. Kenan Institute for the Arts, and many individual donors who have come forward to support our community in this time of need.

A Region Rich in Craft Heritage Faces Major Losses

Hurricane Helene dealt a severe blow to Western North Carolina's craft sector. The impact extends beyond Asheville, reaching smaller yet equally vibrant creative communities across 29 counties, including Spruce Pine, Burnsville, Marshall, and Chimney Rock. These regions, where craft is woven deeply into the cultural and economic fabric, have experienced significant losses, with studios, galleries, and artist spaces damaged or destroyed. Many of these communities depend heavily on the craft sector to attract tourism and sustain local businesses, making the damage economically devastating.

The destruction of infrastructure, loss of irreplaceable artwork and tools, and displacement of artists have created an immediate crisis for a sector that has long been central to the region's identity and economy. Western North Carolina's creative sector is a cultural pillar and a significant economic force, employing nearly 16,000 people and generating over \$782 million in sales annually.

Expanding Relief Through a Multi-Phase Approach

Holiday Shopping with Heart: Help WNC Artists Rebuild Through Art - Dec. 14 & 15, 2024

Hurricane Helene devastated Western North Carolina's vibrant arts community, flooding studios, destroying artwork, and damaging essential supplies on Sept. 27, 2024. Now, local artists are uniting to rebuild through the "Come Hell or High Water Studio Tour" - a grassroots effort transforming holiday shopping into a lifeline for recovery.

"This storm wiped out decades of work for many of us - studios, supplies, equipment, entire collections," says Kelsey Schissel, a West Asheville potter who opened her studio to displaced artists and spearheaded the initiative. "The holiday season is critical for our livelihoods. This tour isn't just about sales; it's about rebuilding, reimagining, and reviving our art scene."

The initiative invites art lovers nationwide to shop online now and encourages Southeast residents to attend the studio tour in person, Dec. 14-15, 2024. Visitors can find unique handcrafted pottery, fine art paintings, artisan jewelry, textile arts, mixed media, woodwork, and more - all created by



River Arts District in Asheville after flooding after Hurricane Helene, photo by David Huff Creative

The Center for Craft is collaborating with key partners to identify artists and expedite funding to those in greatest need of support, including Village Potters Clay Center, Southern Equality Studios, Treats Studios, and Marshall High Studios.

The first phase of WNC Emergency Relief provided one-time, unrestricted \$500 grants to craft artists facing immediate challenges and is open until November 17. The Center will soon launch higher-level grants to help the regional craft community recover.

How to Support the Craft Futures Fund

The Center for Craft continues to seek donations to sustain these relief and recovery efforts. Every contribution, large or small, helps support artists as they rebuild their lives and creative practices. The ongoing support of donors is crucial to preserving the region's artistic talent, which has fostered generations of cultural heritage.

"We invite everyone who values the spirit of craft and the resilience of our artists to join us in this effort," Moore said. "Every donation is a step toward helping Western North Carolina's craft artists recover and thrive again."

Founded in 1996, the Center for Craft's mission is to resource, catalyze, and amplify how and why craft matters. As a 501(c)3 national nonprofit that increases access to craft by empowering and resourcing artists, organizations, and communities through grants, fellowships and programs that bring people together. The Center is widely acknowledged as one of the most influential organizations working on behalf of craft in the United States.

Learn More and Make a Difference

For information on applying for a grant from the Craft Futures Fund or to donate, please visit our website at (www.center-forcraft.org). Your support is crucial in helping Western North Carolina's artists recover, rebuild, and continue their important contributions to our cultural sector.

WNC artists determined to rebuild.

A Holiday Destination with Purpose

While Asheville and nearby communities continue to recover from Hurricane Helene, significant progress has been made, with many roads and bridges repaired and the drinking water is safe again. Visitors to the studio tour can experience the region's resilient spirit through its rich artistic heritage, complemented by award-winning restaurants, breweries, live music, and welcoming accommodations.

"Every purchase makes a difference," Schissel emphasizes. "When you shop local, you're supporting artists' recovery and helping preserve Western North Carolina's legacy as a cultural hub."

Why It Matters

Western North Carolina has long been a haven for artists, celebrated for tradi-

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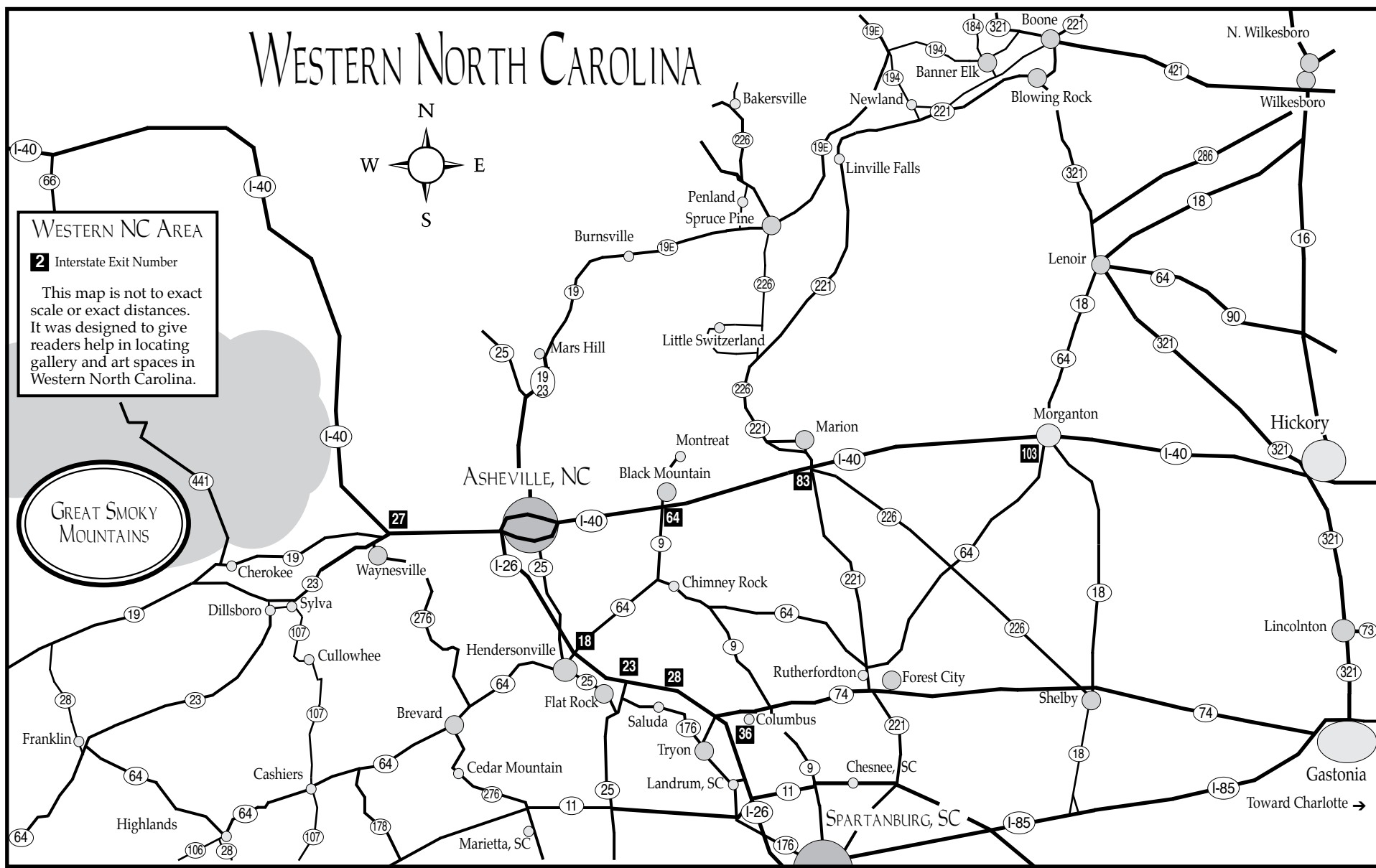
Inspired by Nature: A Discussion on Art and Environmental Activism

Together, Saluda artist Dale McEntire, Asheville artist William Henry Price, Rutherford County sculptor Michael Sherrill, and Katie Breckheimer, environmental activist, will join the panel to share how their art can engage viewers with environmental issues.

FREE EVENT
DECEMBER 8, 2024 at 2:30pm

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Holiday Shopping with Heart

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tional Appalachian crafts and contemporary works. The destruction caused by Hurricane Helene threatened to erase this legacy. The Come Hell or High Water Studio Tour, along with other local marketplaces, ensures that artists can keep creating despite overwhelming challenges.

Ways to Support and Shop Unique WNC Art

Shop Online Today: Explore unique, handcrafted art at the Come Hell or High Water Studio Tour at this link (<https://www.handmadeforhelp.com/studio-tour/home>).

Plan Your Visit: The studio tour runs

Dec. 14-15, from 10am to 5pm. Updated tour maps will be available on our website by Dec. 13, with 22+ artists already participating and more expected to join.

Discover Our Online Wholesale Directory: Perfect for galleries and retailers, this directory features Made in America fine crafts and art from WNC artists. Stock your shelves with unique creations for the coming year while supporting artists in their recovery.

Follow updates and stories from participating artists with #WNCStudioTour.

For further information contact Kelsey Schissel by e-mail at (WNCStudioTour@gmail.com) or call 828/225-4063.

Appalachian region. This legacy continues today as the Guild plays a large role in the Southern Highlands craft economy through the operation of four craft shops and two annual craft expositions. Educational programming is another fundamental element of the organization, fulfilled through integrated educational craft demonstrations at retail outlets and expos, free educational community events, and an extensive public library located at its headquarters at the Folk

Art Center on the Blue Ridge Parkway.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Guild at 828/298-7928 or visit (www.craftguild.org).

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Southern Highland Craft Guild in Asheville, NC, Offers Holiday Sale Markets - Dec. 7 & 14, 2024

The Southern Highland Craft Guild in Asheville, NC, offers its annual Holiday Sale Markets, held at the Folk Art Center Auditorium on Saturdays, Dec. 7 & 14, 2024, from 10am to 4pm.



Works from Jason Probst Glass

This is the best opportunity to find deals on quality gifts during the holiday season and a chance to connect with the craftspeople in the region. For our makers, this is a chance to cycle out remaining 2024 one-of-a-kind pieces, or an opportunity to share new designs and techniques with the public. Handmade options include ceramic tableware, fine jewelry, hand-woven and dyed apparel, bound journals and etched cards, blown vases and ornaments, turned wooden bowls and more, all at a discounted price. (This event is put on by the artists and work is sold from their booths, not a sale in the Folk Art Center shop).

Admission to the Holiday Sale events



View of a previous Holiday Sale

and the Folk Art Center is free.

The Folk Art Center is located at Milepost 382 on the Blue Ridge Parkway in east Asheville. Headquarters to the Southern Highland Craft Guild, the Center also houses three galleries, a library, a craft shop and a Blue Ridge Parkway information desk and bookstore. For a complete list of makers participating in the Holiday Seconds Sale, and to learn more about Southern Highland Craft Guild programs at the Folk Art Center call 828/298-7928 or visit (www.craftguild.org).

The Southern Highland Craft Guild, chartered in 1930, is today one of the strongest craft organizations in the country. The Guild currently represents nearly 800 craftspeople in 293 counties of 9 southeastern states. During the Depression the Guild cultivated commerce for craftspeople in the

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Dale McEntire: Reflections Along the Path

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Turtle Island Pottery

Handmade pottery by Maggie & Freeman Jones

Turtle Island Pottery has been displaced by Hurricane Helene.

They are fortunate to have inventory that was not harmed, but their home and studio are damaged and they have to move into their sales location.

But, they need help with the move, so buy something online and there is a GoFundMe account set up for them at <https://gofund.me/52dbdf6c>.

You can see their work online at the website listed below for available items.



turtleislandpottery.com

American Folk Art in Asheville, NC, Offers Some of Your Favorite Things

American Folk Art in Asheville, NC, will present *A Few of Our Favorite Things*, on view from Dec. 4 - 30, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 4, from 5-8pm.

It's the most wonderful time of the year, folks!

At the close of the year, here at American Folk we celebrate with a little bit of everything we love! Throughout the year, we tuck away the extra special pieces that come along on our artist visits and save them for this exciting show. With new work from 16 of your favorite artists, there's something for everyone on your list in *A Few of Our Favorite Things!*



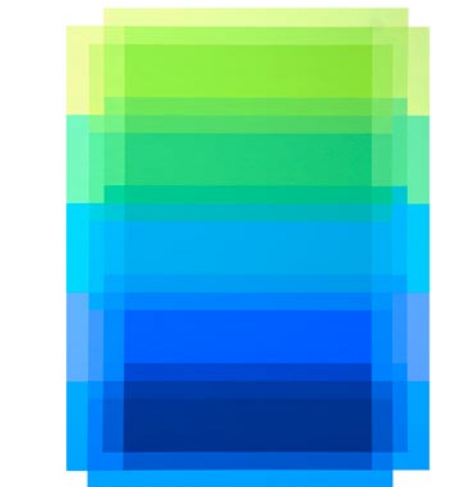
Works by Lonnie & Twyla Money season of light and gift-giving with spirited work from Jack Klippel, Carl Block, Michael Banks, Liz Sullivan, Wayne Hewell, Tim Whitten, Tres Taylor, Winton & Rosa Eugene, Peter Loose, Karl Mullen, Ben J. North, James Buddy Snipe, Lonnie & Twyla Money, Kent Ambler, and more! Whether you are looking to add to your own collection, or giving the gift of art this season, there are so many exciting pieces in

Bender Gallery in Asheville, NC, Features Works by Angela Johal

The Bender Gallery in Asheville, NC, will present works by Angela Johal, on view from Dec. 1 - 22, 2024.

Bender Gallery is pleased to present a solo exhibition of paintings delving into themes of time and light by widely exhibited and prolific artist, Angela Johal. Her work is inspired by growing up in the San Francisco Bay Area in the 1960s and 70s and the California Minimalism Movement.

Johal is a savvy disciple of the hard-edge geometric painters of the 1960s, with her new series of works continuing the work done by the California Minimalists, also known as the Light and Space Movement. The series "Music of the Spheres" and "Portals" are stripped down from her previous work, entering into the territory of Minimalism. The artist who coined the term in 1929, David Buriuk, wrote, "Minimalism derives its name from the minimum of operating means. Minimalist painting is purely realistic - the subject being the painting itself."



Work by Angela Johal

The "Music of the Spheres" series utilizes circles of gradations of color that overlap in areas, creating portals. Due to the shapes and music inspiration of this series, there's a sense of sound emanating from what could be interpreted as planetary bodies. The artist states: "California Minimalists are influenced by the light quality, climate, water, horizons, spectacular sunsets, and year-round color in the landscape.



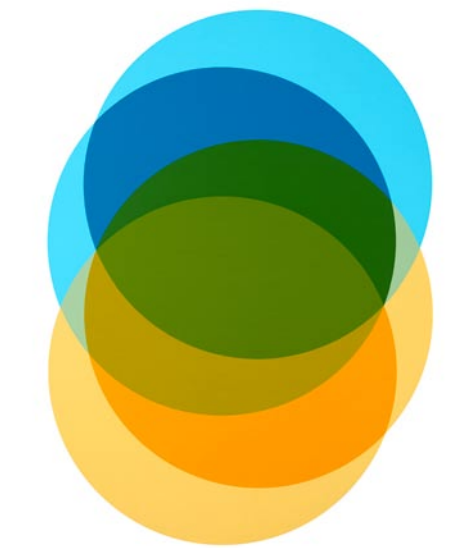
Work by Michael Banks

this year's show!

In keeping with our yearly tradition, we will have a wide selection of unique tree ornaments to choose from: miniature face jugs from Wayne Hewell, Carl Block, & Tim Whitten; hand-carved & painted 'critter' ornaments from Kentucky sculptors Lonnie & Twyla Money; gorgeous sculpted ceramic baubles from Ben J. North; joyful polka-dot painted adornments from Peter Loose; and seasonal vignette paintings from Liz Sullivan, just the right size to hang from your garlands and greenery.

Stay tuned all December long, as new work will arrive throughout the season! Join us however you are able as we celebrate the spirit of the season and prepare to welcome the coming year with art in our hearts!

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 828/281-2134 or visit (www.amerifolk.com).



Work by Angela Johal

The fast-paced California lifestyle creates a longing to retreat into the minimal designs of architecture, furniture, and art. My clean lines, strong compositions, attention to light and transparent illusions, soft color gradations, and vibrant colors are influenced by my environment."

Johal's geometric paintings are all done by hand, and she invents tools and uses taping as a method to create the purest lines. The precise lines allow the viewer no distractions to fully take in the color exploration. Her vibrant acrylic paintings are executed on sanded canvas and unframed. Referring back to Buriuk's quote from above, although there aren't any recognizable figures or objects in her paintings, the painting in its physical form is what is real. A frame would interrupt the flow of the ground as it meets the wall that it's hung on. Johal paints in her studio near a large window that looks out onto her garden. The hues of the flowers, leaves, branches, and atmosphere all impact the choice of colors she uses in a particular work. Other events like a California earthquake or the look of a vintage record can inspire her designs, but she really enjoys when her paintings can hold many layers of meaning.

Angela Johal (b. 1962, USA), holds a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from San Jose continued above on next column to the right

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State University in San Jose, CA. Johal has taken part in solo and group exhibitions in prestigious institutes such as de Young Museum, San Francisco; SFMOMA Artist's Gallery, San Francisco; and in art galleries in Los Angeles, Boston, New York City, Montreal, and more.

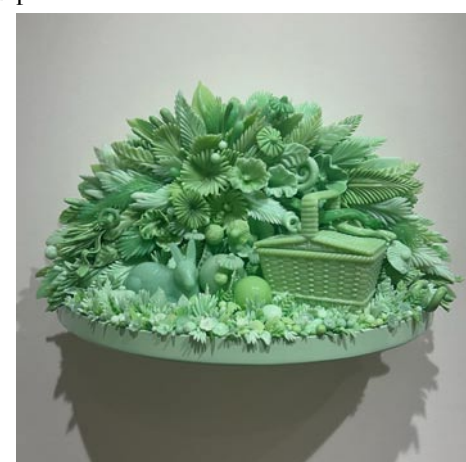
Bender Gallery is a contemporary fine art gallery exhibiting national and international artists in downtown Asheville, NC. For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 828/505-8341 or e-mail to (Info@bender-gallery.com).

Momentum Gallery in Asheville, NC, Offers Two New Exhibitions

Momentum Gallery in Asheville, NC, is presenting two new exhibits including a solo exhibition of works by Amber Cowan and its annual *Small Works / Big Impact* show, both on view through Feb. 1, 2025.

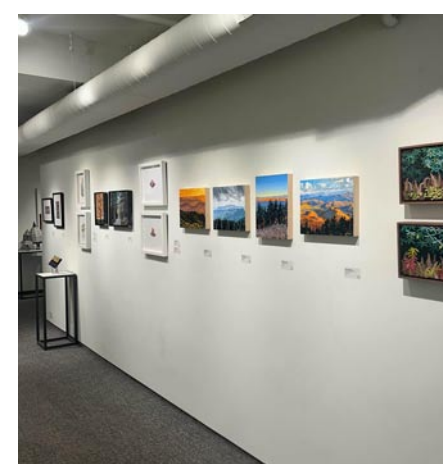
Amber Cowan is a contemporary glass sculptor whose practice is based on the use of recycled, upcycled, and second-life American pressed glass. Through processes of frameworking, hot-sculpting, and glassblowing, she creates wall-mounted and freestanding tableaus, rich with texture & ornamentation.

Her recent diorama-style pieces tell stories of self-discovery, escapism, and the power of the feminine by utilizing figurines and animals found in collected antique glass pieces.



Work by Amber Cowan

Cowan is a highly accomplished young artist. She is the recipient of the Rakow Commission from the Corning Museum



View of the "Small Works / Big Impact" exhibit

of Glass (2014), a US Artists Fellowship (2021), and the Delphi Award from the Smithsonian Women's Committee (2023). Last year, Cowan's exhibition at Heller Gallery was reviewed in the *New York Times*. Her work can be found in the permanent collections of over a dozen museums worldwide including the Museum of Art and Design in New York, the Museum of Fine Arts Houston, and the Shanghai Museum of Glass.

Small Work / Big Impact is Momentum Gallery's annual group exhibition which delivers a curated collection of paintings and mixed media works, original prints, and sculptural objects in carved brick, reed, and repurposed materials, etc. Professional experience and visual expression are concentrated in new, intimately scaled pieces by gallery standouts and special guests.

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Momentum Gallery in Asheville

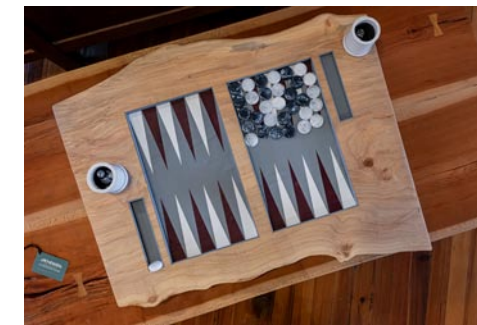
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The exhibition features works by: Samantha Bates, Chris Berti, Mariella Bisson, Eileen Braun, Dana Brown, Davis Choun, Jason DeMaio, Caroline Dewison, Amy Gross, Ellen Heck, Linda Mitchell, Casey

Roberts, Greg Sand, Paul Sattler, and more. For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 828/505-8550 or visit (momentum-gallery.com).

Groewood Gallery in Asheville, NC, Offers Annual Holiday Sip & Shop - Dec. 6 & 7, 2024

This holiday season, give the gift of handmade! Groewood Gallery in Asheville, NC, will host their Holiday Sip & Shop on Dec. 6-7, from 11am to 5pm. During this annual event, customers can pick up unique gallery items at a 10% discount (excludes wind sculptures), watch live demonstrations by local artists, and indulge in delightful beverages provided by Metro Wines on Charlotte St.



A Legacy Board by Ryan Theede

This Holiday Sip & Shop offers a refreshing alternative to big-box retail chains, as every item in our shop is American-made. Explore an array of festive delights and one-of-a-kind gifts, all responsibly made in small American studios. Our spacious showroom, spanning over 9,000 square feet, features finely crafted jewelry, wooden bowls and utensils, ceramic tableware, blown glass, handwoven scarves and blankets, and much more. It's a shopping experience you won't want to miss!

Demonstrating artists include: Legacy Boards on Dec. 6 & 7, from 11am - 4pm. Meet Bill and Kerri Dwyer, the friendly faces behind Legacy Boards in Marshall, NC. Their passion is crafting custom backgammon boards and game tables that are functional works of art. They'll be chatting with guests about their creative journey and sharing intriguing examples of their gameboards in various stages of production. This visit will give you a firsthand look at the love and effort they put into every detail.

Blowing Rock Art & History Museum and Blowing Rock Historical Society in Blowing Rock, NC, Offers Diorama of Mayview Manor Hotel



The Diorama of the Mayview Manor Hotel by Dan Nance

Blowing Rock Art & History Museum and Blowing Rock Historical Society in Blowing Rock, NC, is presenting the *Reimagined Ginny Stevens Gallery: Blowing Rock, A History Exhibition*, which features a diorama of the iconic Mayview Manor Hotel, crafted by Dan Nance, as an ongoing display.

This immersive exhibition celebrates the town of Blowing Rock's rich history and features an extraordinary new highlight: a 1-to-87 scale diorama of the Mayview Manor Hotel, crafted by renowned Charlotte-based realist painter and diorama artist Dan Nance.

The reimagined exhibition is a collabo-

ration between Ashlee Lanier, a freelance curator with a master's degree in public history from Appalachian State University and a bachelor's degree in osteoarchaeology from North Carolina State University, and Ian Gabriel Wilson curator of exhibitions and collections at BRAMH. Samantha Burnette, graduate student in the public history program at Appalachian State University, supported the project through extensive review of available historical materials and photographs in partnership with the Blowing Rock Historical Society and BRAMH. The exhibition offers visitors a unique opportunity to connect with the founding

Plus, you'll get to see finished game tables and boards on display, ready for you to take home. Brandy Clements of Silver River Center for Chair Caning on Dec. 6 & 7, from 11am - 5pm. Meet Brandy Clements of Silver River Center for Chair Caning (which was sadly destroyed in Hurricane Helene). Brandy will demonstrate hand-woven chair caning, an ancient and global craft with roots in ancient China and Egypt. Come and learn more about the diversity of the craft of chair seat weaving through her Brief History of Chair Caning Slideshow. Visitors are welcome to bring photos of their chairs to get advice on weaving projects.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings or visit (<https://www.groewood.com/event/holiday-sip-and-shop-asheville/>).

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narrative of Blowing Rock and experience the town's storied past. The diorama of the Mayview Manor Hotel is a special feature of the exhibition. The lavish 138-room hotel was constructed in 1921 by Walter L. Alexander on the cliffs of Blowing Rock and was once a symbol of elegance and adventure in the region. Set in circa 1924, the diorama brings this grand hotel back to life during a time when it hosted Annie Oakley, the famed sharpshooter who ran a shooting school on-site. The hotel closed in 1966 and was demolished in 1978 to make way for housing development, but thanks to Dan Nance's intricate craftsmanship, the spirit of Mayview Manor is revived for today's audiences. The Museum extends its deepest thanks to Dedee and Cam Harris, the Blowing Rock Tourism Development Authority, and the David R. Hayworth Foundation for their generous support in making the diorama a reality. In addition to the diorama, the exhibition offers several hands-on elements that invite visitors to engage with the region's history: · Historical Timeline: Visitors can explore a detailed timeline of Blowing Rock's founding and development. · Touch a Piece of History: Attendees can feel an actual piece of geiss rock from the Blowing Rock formation, offering a tactile connection to the area's heritage. · Postcard Station: Visitors can choose from three specially designed postcards, fill them out, and drop them off at the Museum's front desk. Each postcard will be hand-stamped and taken to the Blowing Rock

Post Office, creating a memorable, personalized keepsake for friends and family.

· Mayview Manor Phone Booth: Originally installed in the iconic hotel, the phone booth now serves as an oral history listening station, sharing memories and stories from longtime residents of Blowing Rock.

The exhibition encourages visitors to continue their exploration beyond the Museum by embarking on the Blowing Rock History Walk or visiting the town's historical markers. These elements allow guests to immerse themselves in Blowing Rock's living history, guided by the narratives introduced within the Ginny Stevens Gallery.

· BRAHM's mission is to curate, preserve, educate, and inspire. Rooted in the creative cultures of Appalachia, BRAHM aims to cultivate a community that extends beyond its walls and region, positioning Western North Carolina as a leader in the arts. The 25,000-square-foot Blowing Rock Art and History Museum, known as BRAHM, opened its doors on October 1, 2011. Located off Main Street in Blowing Rock, North Carolina, BRAHM provides cultural enrichment by promoting the arts and history through educational programs, exhibitions, and activities. Open year-round, BRAHM welcomes 24,000 visitors free of charge to experience 25 changing exhibitions. BRAHM also has an outreach education program that encourages arts education in local schools, daycares, and senior centers.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings or visit (blowingrockmuseum.org).

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, Features Works by Sarina Angell

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, is presenting *Congregations: Sarina Angell*, on view in the Community Gallery at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, through Dec. 7, 2024.

Angell offered the following artist statement, "My practice stems from an instinct to notice and collect—objects, memories, sounds, sentiments. I am drawn to represent moments sometimes overlooked, and to capture ephemera as it passes by. By accumulating and sorting representations of these moments into collections, I work across various media to create open-ended narratives. I like to punctuate my meticulous work with notes of humor, as a reward for noticing."

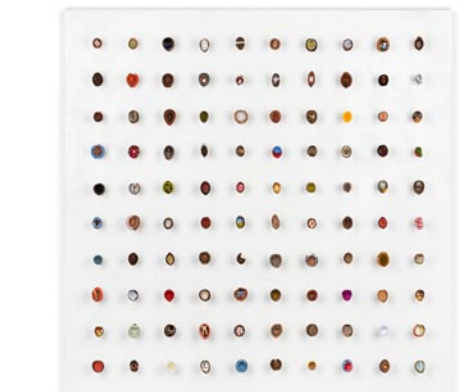
Sarina Angell is an artist living and working in Baltimore, MD. She earned a BFA in Fiber from the Maryland Institute College of Art, and recently completed the Core Fellowship at the Penland School of Craft. She maintains practices in both fine art and wearable art, and the two inform and engage with one another. Angell pulls from a dynamic collection of symbols that often reference her upbringing in the rural Southeast.

So often the events of the world break our hearts. We pay close attention to polarizing news; we confront and carry the grief of losing loved ones - to the pandemic, to other illnesses, to wars, and to other unnecessary violences.

Shannon Litzengerber says, "Given the existential dilemma we find ourselves in, what would it mean for a society to ambitiously mobilize artists to do their most essential work well and fully, with the aim of catalyzing transformative change? Could the chaotic domain of the artist's creative process be the fertile ground from which a healthier and more sustainable, just, and caring society emerges?"

Litzengerber is an embodied leadership facilitator and cultural champion working at the intersection of art, ideas, and transformational change; she asks an important question, one that underlies the curatorial mission of the Turchin Center. One of the goals of the Community Gallery is to offer opportunities for emerging artists to show us the beauty of the world through their creative vision.

In *Congregations*, Sarina Angell gently guides us to look closely at her delicate artwork and then take that attention to detail out into the world, finding beauty in places



Sarina Angell, "Nuts"

we often overlook, collecting beauty and delight as pivot points to the devastating events that can otherwise consume our thoughts. Beauty is a powerful ally in an unjustly damaged world; beauty invites a visceral response, invites wonder, invites awe.

Trebbe Johnson, founder of the global community *Radical Joy for Hard Times*, writes, "Beauty matters. You cannot escape beauty and you cannot stop being attracted to it because beauty allures. Beauty seduces. Beauty wants you to come closer." This is exactly what Angell's grid of repurposed hickory nut shells does: the enormous net of tiny shimmering objects compels you, seduces you, into coming closer to find the beauty of their contained worlds."

There are over 16 species of slow-growing hickory trees that produce edible nuts in North America, including shagbark, southern shagbark, shellbark or kingnut hickory, pignut, red hickory, black hickory, and mockernut. The Carolina Hickory is found only here in our Southern Appalachian Mountains. Although difficult to open because of the density of their shells, hickory nuts are one of the most calorie-rich in the forest, well worth the effort as each nut can pack nearly 200 calories in its tiny heart. The folklorists say that the thicker the hickory nut shell, the harder the coming winter. Wonder at the marvels of nature takes patience and being curious enough to want to understand what the world is made of.

Angell creates beautifully unique and lasting moments in each intricately strong hickory nut shell she transforms through her craft. Each tiny shell is a singular star;

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together, they create a constellation expanding into galaxies of line, texture, pattern, color, form — the building elements of art and of the universe. These seductive worlds open our eyes to beauty — stargazing we are transformed. Angell's artwork is fertile ground that changes the way we see the world, encouraging a "more sustainable,

just, and caring society," by revealing that we are all connected — to hickory nut shells, to stardust, and thus to each other.

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Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, Features Works by Bill Lagattuta and Friends

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, will present *Master Printer: Bill Lagattuta and Friends*, on view in the Petti/Peiser Gallery of the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, from Dec. 6 through Apr. 5, 2025.

In 2024, master printer Bill Lagattuta generously made a significant donation of his professional artwork to Appalachian State University, his undergraduate alma mater. Thirty of Lagattuta's fine art prints, created in collaboration with such well-known artists as Suzi Davidoff, Lesley Dill, Jim Dine, Tony Fitzpatrick, Tom Joyce, Louise Nevelson, Lilianna Porter, Johnnie Winona Ross, May Stevens, and Hollis Sigler, among others, are now part of the permanent collection at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts.

A master printer works diligently behind-the-scenes to assist artists in realizing their vision for fine art prints. Master printers are talented, disciplined, diplomatic, adventurous, and insightful in their supportive efforts to achieve a print that meets an artist's aesthetic expectations and their own exacting technical standards.

According to the Tamarind Institute where Lagattuta presided as the master printer for 27 years, "Lithography was invented in 1798 in Germany by Aloys Senefelder, apparently by accident ... and ... is one of the most versatile printmaking techniques that allows for a wide range of mark-making tools and materials. Unlike woodcut or intaglio, where the marks are incised into the block of plate, lithography is a chemical-based planographic (printing from a flat surface) medium that hinges on the principle that oil and water do not mix.



"Every Chance She Gets She Takes It," 1990, Hollis Sigler with Bill Lagattuta

Tamarind editions are hand-printed and carefully matched to the artist's approval print (known as a bon à tirer or B.A.T. meaning good to pull). Each impression includes the chop of the workshop and the collaborating printer." In this case, master printer, Bill Lagattuta. A chop mark or seal is made with an embossing tool in the margin of the print. Typically, the chop marks will appear on the front of a print but because the collaborating artist determines



"Madera Canyon Walk", Wire Rush, 1990, Suzi Davidoff with Bill Lagattuta

the location of the chops, some prints may be signed and "blind stamped" on the back. Collaborative printmaking requires trust and clear communication between an artist and the master printer as they refine the vision for each print. The resulting artwork is determined by the dynamics of this unique creative relationship.

After graduating with a BA from Appalachian State University in 1973 and his MFA from the University of Utah in Salt Lake City in 1975, Bill Lagattuta completed his master printer certificate training at the University of New Mexico's Tamarind Institute in Albuquerque in 1979. Tamarind Institute offers the only formal education program in the world for collaborative printmaking; they specialize in the fine art printing technique of lithography. From Tamarind, Lagattuta went on to work in a number of well-known print shops including Vermillion Editions (Minneapolis, MN), Sette/Sigura Publishers (Tempe, AZ), and Peregrine Press (Dallas, TX) before returning to work as the Master Printer and Shop Manager at Tamarind in 1988 until he retired in 2015. Lagattuta collaborated on more than 600 editions completed during his 27-year tenure at Tamarind. Through the fine art of creative collaboration, Lagattuta afforded visiting artists the opportunity to work under his tutelage to learn lithography and assisted them in translating their diverse aesthetic sensibilities (rarely inherently print-focused) into the lithographic medium.

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Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, Features Works by Portia Marie York & Dori Settles

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, will present *The Clothes I Wear*, featuring works by Portia Marie York and Dori Settles, on view in the Mayer Gallery, at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, from Dec. 6 through May 3, 2025.

Dori Settles offers the following artist statement, "Walk a minute in my shoes... The widening schism in America is on

everyone's minds. A nation once known as a melting pot, once accepting of people from all walks of life, has become one of hardened hearts and closed minds. How can we return to open dialogue without name calling and judgement?"

"We learn to walk a mile in someone else's shoes."

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Shoes: Storytellers of our Lives, by Dori Settles is an exhibit of glass shoes accompanied with stories written by the shoe owners. These stories, translated into glass, represent our common humanity. Like people, glass is both forgiving and easily shattered. It is sometimes clear, and other times opaque. It can allow us to see inside or look outside. Glass is the perfect medium to translate this expression into an installation built out of empathy. The result of using the pâte de verre technique lends to an added feeling of fragility, another reminder of the importance of honoring and holding space for others.

Dr. Portia Marie York offers the following artist statement, "*Bras of Beauty* explores the profound beauty and spiritual resilience found within the real and metaphorical scars of breast cancer warriors. Through intricately crafted crocheted bras, this collection seeks to impart a sense of lightness and to lift the veil of shame associated with the loss of breasts, hair, nails, and changes in skin tone — challenges often mistakenly viewed as a loss of femininity."

"These visually captivating, crocheted artworks advocate for awareness and support of breast cancer's impact on 1 in 8 women in the United States. The bras symbolize hope and celebrate the strength of women who have triumphed over breast cancer as well as those currently facing its challenges. The visual presentation invites conversations about cancer, breasts, image, femininity, beauty, and the impact of breast cancer on all women through a clothing item that women wear."

"The creation process of *Bras of Beauty* entailed hand-crafted, detailed crochet stitches and designs using many textures and weights of yarn, as well as other media applied to fabric to construct works of art that are not only visually alluring, but also advocate for the awareness of breast cancer," adds York. "The artist experiments with structure and form to transfer meaning to materials like yarn, thread, beads, brooches, and wire. Ultimately, this body of work emphasizes the exploratory nature of fiber arts that has continuously allowed space for experimentation, connection, and awareness."

Dori Settles, a native of southeastern Wisconsin, discovered her passion for the arts at a young age through piano lessons and children's art classes. During high school, she encountered American Sign Language (ASL) while watching the movie, *Children of a Lesser God*. Her appreciation for ASL led her to become a certified sign language interpreter. Her experience as an interpreter plays a large role in her view of the world. Working in diverse settings with individuals of varying backgrounds, including the Deaf-Blind community, Settles developed a profound appreciation for the spatial and tactile elements of her surroundings. This heightened awareness extends to her deep connection with nature.

Driven by her fascination with the intricate aesthetics and technical aspects of glass art, Settles has consistently pursued workshops to refine her skills and techniques in lampworking, glass fusion, kiln-casting, and pâte de verre. Pâte de verre remains the primary technique in her artistic practice. Today, Settles draws immense inspiration

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, Offers Exhibit of Prints From Its Collection

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, will present *Prints from the Permanent Collection: Celebrating the Generosity of Donors*, on view in Gallery A at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, from Dec. 6 through Apr. 5, 2025.

Like so many small and medium-sized university art centers, the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts relies on the generosity of donors to support the permanent collection which is enjoyed both on and off-campus by students, alumni, staff, and faculty as well as visitors to the center's galleries. *Prints from the Permanent Collection: Celebrating the Generosity of Donors* showcases both a recent donation by Julia Rothschild Gidney in honor of her parents, Dr. Judith Rice Rothschild and Dr. Gerard Harry



Dr. Portia Marie, "Tears for Ta-tas"

from the forest surrounding her home and studio in the mountains of North Carolina. When she's not immersed in her creative endeavors, she delights in spending quality time with friends, exploring the wonders of her new home state, and actively volunteering in her community.

Charlotte, NC, based fiber artist, Dr. Portia Marie York, has been honing her skills in crochet by exploring identity, well-being, and the convergence of math since 2009. Originally from the inner city of Boston, she learned to crochet at the age of 10 at a youth summer camp. Dr. York is the Founder and Creative Educator of York Creative Education Group and a professor at Lenoir-Rhyne University. Previously she taught at the University of North Carolina, Charlotte. Dr. York holds a Ph.D. in Curriculum and Instruction, Urban Education, a Master of Business Management, and a Master of Advanced Crochet Stitches and Techniques certification. Her practice centers on innovative fiber arts workshops and curricula, emphasizing the creative and well-being benefits of crochet.

Dr. York's research focuses on merging math education with crochet art to support Black girls in STEM/STEAM. She draws her creative energy from a rich tapestry of influences, including the cultural and identity-driven works of artists such as Xenobia Bailey, Jo Hamilton, Nick Cave, Toshiko Macadam, and Bisa Butler. She focuses on images, shapes, textures, and patterns, often drawing inspiration from mathematical concepts. Her creative process begins with a dive into personal and societal matters, which gradually evolve into visual narratives meticulously crafted over months of steadfast crochet sessions.

Dr. York has taught crochet to youth and adults in Charlotte, Santa Fe, Atlanta, Boston, Roanoke, Las Vegas, Haiti, Guatemala, and the Bahamas to express that crocheting is therapeutic, and draws on both the analytical and creative sides of the brain. Her work, a testament to her artistic commitment, exhibits regionally where her pieces and collections engage audiences with their dynamic presence.

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Rothschild, as well as the ongoing generosity of long-time donors Peter and Joni Webb Petschauer.

Since the Turchin Center opened in 2003, the Petschauer have donated nearly 150 artworks to the permanent collection. They continue to support the needs of the storage facilities for the collection, which serves as a teaching tool for both campus and community through the Campus Public Art Program and an annual art exhibition at the McKinney Alumni Center. This class project of the ART 4012 Exhibitions Practicum is taught by Professor Jody Servon.

Julia Rothschild Gidney grew up in Boone where her mother taught at Appalachian State University for 31 years. The

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Rothschilds were founding members of the Boone Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, avid travelers and supporters of the arts. Julia donated 11 linoleum, woodblock, and monotype prints on paper by the German Expressionist painter and printmaker, Otto Neumann (1895-1975) which were in her parents' collection to the Turchin Center in 2023. Neumann was a close relative of the Rothschilds; Julia remembers visiting his home as a young child. Otto Neumann was born in Heidelberg and studied at the Staatliche Akademie der Bildenden Künste in Karlsruhe before completing his studies at the Academia der Bildenden Künste in Munich.

Selected Artists in the exhibition include: Otto Neumann, Martha Bloom, Susan Mayhew Devine, William (Bill) Dunlap, Sherrie Edwards, Steve Ferguson, Bill Lagattuta, Joe Miller, Margaret (Peggy)

Sawtooth School For Visual Arts in Winston-Salem, NC, Presents Annual Juried Exhibition and Holiday Market

The Sawtooth School For Visual Arts, at the Milton Rhodes Center For The Arts in Winston-Salem, NC, will present the 2024 *Juried Exhibition*, on view through Feb. 1, 2025, and the Holiday Market will take place on Dec. 7, from 11am-4pm.

Within the *Juried Exhibition*, you will find original, high-quality works by various regional artists, many of whom are Sawtooth students and instructors. Our Spotlight exhibition inspires pride and support for the talented, dedicated, cross-disciplinary Piedmont Triad community of artists. Most of the works will be available for purchase throughout the show. The exhibition is free and open to the public.

The participating artists include: Marion Adams, Elzena Anderson, Sarah A Band, Bjorn Bates, Sarah Bell, Melissa Blackburn, Mary Beth Boone, Sarah Booze, Emily Clare, Casper Clifford, Latisha Coleman, Gabriela Costas, Ella Coyne, Rae Cozart, Jill Crainshaw, Gregory Dailey, Ann Davis, Jane Dicus, Bibba Dobyns, Emerson Doom, Terri Dowell-Dennis, David Draper and Veda Sanka, Kathryn Gauldin, Kim Gongring, Sara Gonzalez, Kathy Grace, Robert Grand, Sharon Hamilton, Jennifer Harkey, Sarah Harvell, Marisa Henry, Alix Hitchcock, Jacob Hoke, Sheila Hunter, Hannah Johansen, Kendra Jones, Rebecca Juliette-Duex, Lea Lackey-Zachmann, Sunstok Lee, Mike Loebenberg, Trena McNabb, Elizabeth Messick, Asie Mitchell, Carol Patton, Cassandra Phillips, Nicholas Poschl, Thaddeus Prevet, Stephanie Raborn, Mrunalini Ranganathan, Craig Richards, Lily Roman, Assan Salley, Liz Santis, Michelle Schenker, Faith Joelle Scott, Alice Shupe, Marietta Foster Smith, Earle Smith, Jane Sobie, Karl Stauber, Wyatt Stebbins, Teresa Sullivan, Bonnie Toney, Nicole Uzzell, Andrea Vail, Kimberly Varnadoe, Josie Vogel, Danner Washburn, Suzanne Watkins, Arista Wilson, Mona Wu, and Alexandra Zuckerman.

On Dec. 7, 2024, from 11am – 4 pm, our Holiday Market transforms the Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts, filling the halls, studios, theater, and galleries with artist vendors, hands-on activities, craft demonstrations, food trucks, and fun for the whole family!

Artists from across the region will offer a variety of handcrafted items, including ceramics, jewelry, textiles, painting, photography, and woodworking, making it easy to find something for everyone on your list.

Artworks Gallery in Winston-Salem, NC, Presents Annual Winter Group Exhibition

Artworks Gallery in Winston-Salem, NC, will present its Annual Winter Group Exhibition, on view from Dec. 1 through Jan. 25, 2025. The DADA Gallery Hop will be held



Otto Neumann "Untitled ((Odusseus, Ram)", 1953 Gift of Julia Rothschild Gidney, in honor of Dr. Judith Rice Rothschild and Dr. Gerard Harry Rothschild copy.

Polson, Mary Prather, Ad Reinhardt, and Greg Smith.

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Works from a previous Holiday Market

Our Holiday Market event is open to all with a \$5 suggested donation supporting Sawtooth's scholarship and community outreach programs.

Artists participating in the Holiday Market include: Amulet Home & Garden, Annie's Keepsakes, Shawna Arnold Art, Sarah A Bandz, Barton Woodworking and Ceramics, A.C. Bell Ceramics, Bibba Originals, Melissa Blackburn Glass, Bold and Dreamy, Dodie Campbell Ceramics, Love Tiya Caniel, Casper Ceramics, Thea Clark, Colors By Bekah, Ella Coyne, Dalberg Art Glass, Davis Art Project, Jane Dicus, Emerson Doom, Pam Fish, Sara Gonzalez, Jennifer Harkey Studio, Jessica Robin Harkey Illustration, Hartgrove Pottery, Humble B Bags, JeezLouiseGlass, Alice Jette Designs, Hannah Johansen S. Art, K. Jones, Junebloom, Sarah Katherine Art, Issis Kelly Studio, Grace Kookan, Jelene Kosma Pottery, Las Lobas Fine Jewelry, Laura's Stars, Sunstok Lee, Cynthia Leonard, Isabel Loggins, Laura Morales Studios, Warren Moyer, The Myth Merchant, NannetteDesign, One of One Artshop, Patty Pape, Penennial Peaces, Nicholas Poschl, Mrunalini Ranganathan, Ravena Metalworks, Red Triangle Studio, Rock Springs Paper Craft, Susan Roediger, Eamon Rogers, Faith Joelle Scott, Sheep in a Tree, Debra Spinks Art, Karl Stauber, Wyatt Stebbins, Stellar Loop, Toney Designs, Tsara Art, Wappots Parsley Pottery, Annie Grimes Williams, and Mona Wu.

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on Dec. 6, 7-9pm and an Art Crush will be held on Dec. 20, 7-9pm.

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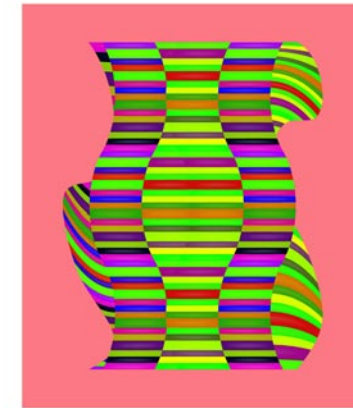
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bers exhibition celebrating the cozy months of winter. These works will ignite the holiday spirit and inspire the serene ambiance perfect for the winter months.

During these winter months, Artworks offers an intimate experience for you to create and share a gift from the heArt. The Gallery will be teaming with ArtShac for two festive events, including Holiday Card-Making in December with Randy Norris and collaging Vision Boards with Devin Lane to kick off your New Year in January. These experiences are free to attend, and all supplies will be provided.



Work by James Gemma

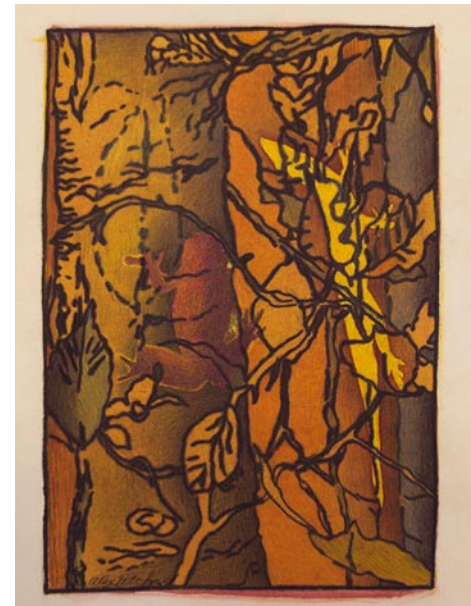
Creating opportunities with ArtShac include: Holiday Card-Making on Dec. 6, from 11:30am - 1:30pm, and Vision Collage Boards will be held on Jan. 4, from 1-3pm. Celebrate the season with a warm shopping experience supporting our local artisans.

The Art Gallery at Congdon Yards in High Point, NC, Features Works by Stephen Brooks and Roy Nydorf

The Art Gallery at Congdon Yards in High Point, NC, is presenting *Fish Stories and Other Truths about Nature Exhibition*, featuring works by Stephen Brooks and Roy Nydorf, on view through Jan. 3, 2025.

This captivating exhibition showcases the remarkable works of two talented artists, Roy Nydorf and Stephen Brooks. Their shared passion for the natural world is evident in their unique and expressive styles. Nydorf's intricate and detailed works capture the beauty and complexity of the natural world, while Brooks' bold and colorful works celebrate the joy and wonder of nature.

Oak Ridge, NC, resident Roy Nydorf is an award-winning painter, printmaker, draftsman and carver who has exhibited nationally and internationally, and is represented in numerous private and public collections, including the Smithsonian American Art Museum, the Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, and the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art. He earned a Master of Fine Arts with honors from Yale University, received his Bachelor of Arts from State University of New York at Brockport and attended the Art Students League of New York, and State University of New York at



Work by Alex Hitchcock

This exhibition is free and open to the public.

Artworks Gallery is an artist-run cooperative gallery located in Winston-Salem's downtown art district since 1984. The Gallery is committed to offering local artists of all media a creative and responsive environment in which to exhibit and sell their work.

The Gallery is located in a large and versatile exhibition space in the Ron Propst Studio Building which is on the corner of Trade and Sixth streets and includes the studios and shops of painters, potters, photographers, calligraphers, and sculptors. For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Gallery at 336/723-5890 or visit (www.Artworks-Gallery.org).

Albany. He is professor emeritus at Guilford College, where he taught art from 1978 until he retired in May 2018.

Stephen Brooks offered the following statement, "I spend my free time walking the ridges and hollows of the North Carolina Highlands. The dark, tangled spaces of rhododendron groves, the broad expanses of light at the mountain tops, and ancient mounds of lichen-covered granite: These observations inform my work."

"My paintings begin as a field of warm gray on the surface. Whether painting plein air or in the studio, I add multiple layers of color to describe the light and space. This process happens over a long period of time, allowing the layers to dry. Sanding, layering, glazing, repeating: all add up to the finished painting. Relics of experience, these paintings record my decisions, mistakes, and solutions. They are as much about me as the landscape."

"In the animal paintings, I attempt to expand my experience of the land we all inhabit," adds Brooks. "I approach these the same way I paint landscape. However, I am surprised by the quality of pathos or even humor in some. Personification is not my

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goal; it emerges without intent. I welcome this the same way I do any element that will make the painting speak.”

TAG showcases diverse artwork from established and emerging artists in various media. The gallery offers a variety of art classes, workshops, and special events for all ages and interests. TAG is committed

to making art accessible and inclusive for everyone, and its welcoming atmosphere makes it a great place to gather with friends and family.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Gallery at 336/887-2137 or visit (tagart.org).

GreenHill Center for NC Art in Greensboro, NC, Offers Annual Winter Show Fundraiser

GreenHill's annual *Winter Show* brings together over 70 artists each year from across North Carolina and constitutes an up-to-the-moment overview of the finest art and craft produced by artists in the state. Painting, sculpture, photography, ceramics, jewelry, woodwork, and fiber art are all displayed in a harmonious installation. Artists vary not only by medium, but also by experience, background and style, with an average of 40 new artists presented each year. The *Winter Show* will take place from Dec. 11 through Feb. 15, 2025.

This year, GreenHill's First Choice will be held on Dec. 5, from 5:30 - 7:30pm.; the Collectors Choice will be held on Dec. 7, from 7 - 10pm, and the Public Opening will be held Dec. 11, starting at 5:30pm. For info about ticket info visit (<https://www.greenhillnc.org/wintershow-2024>).



Work by Doodie Campbell

Henryk Fantazos, Holly Fischer, Kirk Fry, Natalie George, Julie Ann Greenberg, Travis Hicks, He Hongbei, Laura Hughes, Joanne Ivey, Lee Ko, Whitney Krebs, Denise Landi, Megan Lange, Susan Lenz, Kaidy Lewis, Phillip Loken, Amanda Mack, Ella Mackinson, Reneesha McCoy, Liz McKay, Kelsey Melville, Zaire Miles-Moultrie, Matthew Monk, Falcon & JD Milazzo, Dimeji Onafuwa, Karen Paden, John Parkinson, Victoria Pinney, Katie Podracky, Jessica Poland, Leslie Pruneau, Juie Rattley, Pete Sack, Kathy Schermer, Jet Schmidt, Valerie Schnaufer, Barbara Schreiber, Bruce Shores, Shelley Smith, Jessie Avant Smith, Greg Stanley, Anne Stine, Al Torres, Adele Wayman, Michelle Wilkey, Sydney Williams, Joyce Williams, Brent Kee Young, Mary Young, and Mary Zio.

All work is available for purchase. For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the center at 336/333-7460 or visit (www.greenhillnc.org).



Work by Thea Clark

Participating artists include: Margaret Groff Agner, Sara Anderson, Casey Anderson, Jack Barnes, Alicia Bell, Morgan Benschoff, Arthur Brouters, Janice Burns, Les III, Carla Camasso, Dodie Campbell, Emily Clare, Thea Clark, Nate Cotterman, Eva Crawford, Lynda Curry, Micha Daw, Devaul Emmett, Michelle Fairholm,

UNC-Wilmington in Wilmington, NC, Offers Annual Senior Exhibition



View of Senior Exhibition

The University of North Carolina at Wilmington, NC, is presenting *Last Call: Fall 2024 Senior Exhibition*, on view in the CAB Art Gallery, through Dec. 13, 2024.

Last Call: Fall 2024 Senior Exhibition is a cumulative exhibition of works created by the fall 2024 graduating class of studio art majors at University of North Carolina at Wilmington.

The exhibition is a collection of works from 21 artists showcasing various mediums including, but not limited to: oil paintings, colored pencil works, photography, sculpture, printmaking, etc.

Family, relationships, identity, mental health, and environment are just a few overarching themes presented within this

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Photo of entry and entry fee deadline is Nov 28, 2024.
Setup for display is Dec 8 between 4-7pm
Pick up artwork on Dec 8 between 5pm-6pm
Public voting is Dec 5, 7, 9. Winner announced Sunday Dec 8 at 4:45pm

Entry forms are available on our website
<https://www.cccaguild.org>
100 Recreation Lane, Jacksonville NC
(Jacksonville Commons Recreation Complex)

The Coastal Carolina Artists & Crafters Guild Presents the **CHAIR CONTEST**

Setup is Dec 8 between 4-7pm
Pick up artwork on Dec 8 between 5pm-6pm
Public voting is Dec 6, 7, 9. Winner announced Sunday Dec 8 at 4:45pm

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The Coastal Carolina Artists & Crafters Guild Presents the **Cookie Contest!**

Kids are the Judges
Drop off entries Dec 6th starting at 4pm - 6pm and Dec 7th 10am to noon.

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body of work.

The featured artists include: Ethan Bevenour, Sam Bott, Emma Brinkley, Carly Campbell, Ellie Fuller, Katelyn Guthrie, Mahal Gutierrez, Taylor Herr, Ian High, Audrey Irving, Audrey Johnson, Teagan Jones, Micah King, Liz Krumroy, Jozlyn Lemanek, Gabe Lucas, Lauryl Meile, Ashmalie Swan, Gracen Wiebe, Dedra Wil-

liams, and Tate Wood.

These graduating artists cordially invite the public to experience their *Last Call* as UNCW studio art students!

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the gallery at 910/962-3440 or visit (www.uncw.edu/art/gallery).

Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County in Fayetteville, NC, Offers Works by Katie Crawford

Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County in Fayetteville, NC, will present *The Whimsical Naturalist: NC Flora and Fauna* by Katie Crawford, on view in the Main Gallery of The Arts Center, from Dec. 6 through Jan. 10, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 6-8pm.

This exhibition combines whimsical narrative portraits with scientific discovery. Each watercolor portrait is a native North Carolina animal paired with a native plant found in that animal's environment. Each species is rendered with identifying characteristics as well as expressive character development.

The Whimsical Naturalist is an engaging world that people can step into! A world where nature's wonders and realities are emphasized through anthropomorphism, shifting perspectives and scientific knowledge. I hope people will walk in, smile, learn and leave thinking about how we are connected to our environment and each other.

A life-long creator in many media, I am currently concentrating on narrative watercolor/mixed media paintings and three dimensional needle felted sculptures. I hold a Bachelors of Science degree from James Madison University where I studied anthropology and art history. Art has always been my passion however so after graduating I became a self taught professional artist. My work is now represented by galleries in NC, CA and VA and is included in private collections throughout the world.

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For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Council at 910/323-1776 or visit (<https://www.theartscouncil.com/>).

Ellington-White Contemporary Gallery in Fayetteville, NC, Offers Works by Teaching Artists

Ellington-White Contemporary Gallery in Fayetteville, NC, is presenting *Artist Who Teach 2024*, on view through Dec. 21, 2024.

As part of our ongoing commitment to promote the visual arts, Ellington-White Contemporary Gallery (EWCG) in collaboration with Fayetteville State University (FSU), invited current and former Visual Art Education Professionals to submit entries for this national juried exhibition to showcase the arts as an essential part of a complete education, no matter if it happens in the home, school, or community.

National studies show that students of all ages - from kindergarten to college to creative aging programs - benefit from artistic exposure, learning, innovative thinking, and creativity. Celebrating Arts in Education with this national virtual event is a way to recognize and promote the impact of visual arts and share the message that "The Arts Matter."

Jurors for this exhibit included: Vickie Rhoda, artist, Professor of Art Education, Fayetteville State University, and Dwight Smith, artist, MFA, Associate Professor of Visual Arts, Fayetteville State University, and Founder Ellington-White Contemporary.

Participating artists include: Kristen Applegate, Herb Appleson, Leslie B Bailey, Lacy Beam Dellinger, Ron Beckham, John Calabrese, Jennifer Clifton, Erin Day, Hector Del Campo, Stephani Dishno, Rhonda Donovan, Mark Flake, Hannah Freeman,



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Red Springs Artspace announces a call for artists for *Landscapes of the Southeast*, a regional juried exhibition.

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The exhibition will be held February 2 through March 2, 2025, at Red Springs Artspace, 200 S. Main Street in Red Springs, NC.

To be eligible for prizes, all works, whether figurative or relatively abstract, must take Southeast landscape as their theme.

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is a visual arts venue for emerging and professional artists with exhibitions of original art and events that reflect and respond to cultural arts diversity.

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Red Springs Artspace in Red Springs, NC, Features Works by Ray Im

Red Springs Artspace in Red Springs, NC, will present *Material Integration II*, featuring works by Ray Im, from Dec. 15 through Jan. 26, 2025. A reception will be held on Jan. 10, from 5-8pm.

Ray Im is a Korean-born American lens-based artist and ceramicist. He earned his BFA in Studio Art with a concentration in Photography from Baylor University and an MFA in Ceramics from Cranbrook Academy of Art.



Work by Ray Im

Im blends traditional techniques of ceramics and photography to create a unique presentation in space. While examining the relationship between the two mediums, he offers a fresh perspective on the interplay between tradition and modernity in object and installation settings. He utilizes the German Deadpan style in his photography, giving his images a cool, detached, and emotionless quality, an approach that carries over into his interdisciplinary installation sculptures and pottery works.

Red Springs Artspace is an art gallery



Work by Ray Im

located in Red Springs, NC, owned by artists Jeffery Geller and Irina Shin-Geller. The gallery showcases a diverse range of artworks, antiques, and curiosities, providing a platform for local and international artists. With its historic setting and forward-thinking approach, Red Springs Artspace enriches the cultural landscape of its community and beyond. Currently the gallery is open by appointment only.

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Detail of watercolor painting by WAA member, CATHY POULOS "Lady Painted Bunting"

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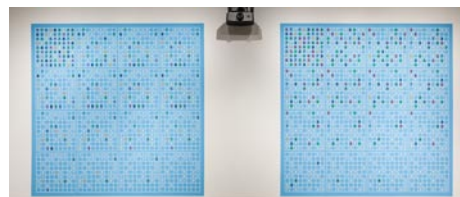
For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 910/240-2887 or visit (<https://www.redspringsartspace/>).

UNC - Chapel Hill in Chapel Hill, NC, Features Works by Sherrill Roland

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, NC, is presenting *Processing Systems: Bonding by Sherrill Roland*, on view in the Ackland Art Museum, through July 13, 2025.

In *Processing Systems: Bonding by Sherrill Roland*, monumental square grids of multi-colored numbers dominate the exhibition space like giant sudoku puzzles. To create them, artist Sherrill Roland reclaims United States Federal and State Correctional Identification Numbers and repurposes them through what he considers to be a systematized portraiture making technique. The grids on view act as logic exercises that scramble and rework the former correctional IDs of the artist and his father. The resulting wall drawings create theoretical portraits of the two subjects. The shared system employed to create the two works emphasizes the various bonds shared by these family members at the same time that the formal qualities of the drawings evoke lone figures bound by cells.

Sherrill Roland is an interdisciplinary artist who deals with ideas of innocence, identity, and community. For over three years, Roland worked through the American criminal justice system (including his arrest, trials, and imprisonment) to establish his innocence against a crime for which he was later exonerated. As vehicles for both self-reflection and emotional release, his works explore the social and political implications behind the structures and codes of the criminal justice system.



"Processing Systems: Bonding" by Sherrill Roland. Photograph by Alex Maness Photography

Born in 1984 in Asheville, NC, Sherrill Roland studied at the Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture (2018) and earned his MFA and BFA from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro (2017 and 2009). Roland is the recipient of the Gibbs Museum of Art's 1858 Prize for Contemporary Southern Art (2023); a Creative Capital Award (2021); the South Arts Southern Grand Prize & State Fellowship (2020); and was an Art for Justice Grantee (2020).

While the exhibition is on view at the Ackland Art Museum, a related exhibition, *Processing Systems: Numbers by Sherrill Roland* will be on view at the Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University through Jan. 12, 2025. Visit the Nasher Museum to see more numerical portraits by Sherrill Roland that are informed by Durham County exonerates.

This installation and related programming have been made possible by the generous support of Dorothy L. Heninger.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 919/966-5736 or visit (www.ackland.org).

Hillsborough Arts Council in Hillsborough, NC, Features Works by Monica Meyer

The Hillsborough Arts Council in Hillsborough, NC, is presenting *Nourishment: Nature and Nurture Photography by Monica Meyer*, on view through Dec. 22, 2024.

Monica Meyer, who spearheaded much of the remarkable *Día de los Muertos* showcase during October 2023's Last Friday & Art Walk, returns to the HAC Gallery with an exhibition that honors the lives and stories shaping our cultural experience.

In 2023, Meyer captivated audiences with her Living Ofrenda installation in the HAC Gallery & Gift Shop, offering a deeply personal reflection on memories of those who have passed and the significance of *Día de los Muertos*. This year, she invites us once again into a powerful, heartfelt celebration of life, culture, and the connections that unite us.

"Through the trees we find commonality, each a branch of our own family tree, needing it to grow our own roots; a forest,

not on our own, a forest of people forever intertwined. This is a dream of a learning experience - exploring the uniqueness and beauty of what nourished and nurtured us, and the nature that shaped our souls."

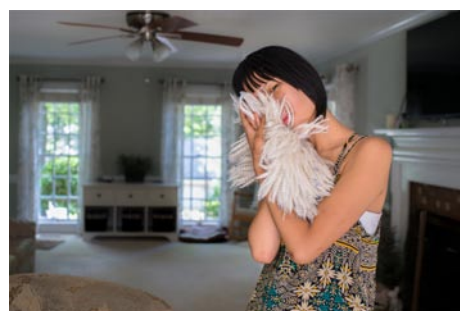
Monica Meyer is a daughter of immigrants and a military veteran. She is a California native that found a new home in North Carolina a little over 10 years ago. Through photography, Meyer has discovered an outlet and a therapeutic way to self-empowerment. Subconsciously, Meyer has focused on showcasing the strength of women, trying to build her own self-esteem that was lacking for years. With these series, she has also reconnected with a passion from her childhood, one that formed Meyer as a person and mother: the stories of our *antepasados*, or ancestors.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Council at 919/643-2500 or visit (www.hillsboroughartscouncil.org).

Duke University in Durham, NC, Features Works by Mary Berridge

Duke University in Durham, NC, is presenting *Visible Spectrum: Portraits from the World of Autism*, featuring photographs by Mary Berridge, on view at the Center for Documentary Studies, through Feb. 28, 2025.

Mary Berridge's award-winning series of photographs is paired with narratives written primarily by the subjects or their parents. The exhibition, *Visible Spectrum: Portraits from the World of Autism*, offers an intimate view of life with autism, as told from within an autism community, which includes Berridge and her son. It encourages an alternate way of seeing the condition, in which the diverse and unconventional perspectives of the autistic are valued.



"Mia with Fur", 2016 © Mary Berridge

It also explores the ways the autistic and their families navigate a world that is not made for them and in which they are not always welcome. Despite this, the stories may continue above on next column to the right

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surprise people with their thought-provoking and affirmative viewpoints on autism and being different. The formally composed and quietly luminous portraits allude to the rich inner lives of their subjects.

Berridge is an American photographer whose work has been exhibited in many galleries and museums including the Museum of Modern Art in New York, the De Young Museum in San Francisco, the Museum of Fine Arts in Houston, the Yale University Gallery of Art and the Princeton University Art Museum. Her photographs have received several awards (e.g., a Guggenheim Fellowship, an Aaron Siskind Fellowship, the Lange-Taylor Prize, a New York Foundation for the Arts Fellowship, a Documentary Project Fund Award and a LensCulture Portrait Award).

Her photographs have been published

in numerous anthologies and periodicals (e.g., *The New York Times Magazine*, *Harper's*, *TIME*, *Der Spiegel*, *Raw View*). After earning her MFA from Yale and a BA from the University of Michigan, she went on to teach at Princeton University as well as several other colleges and universities. She has published two books: "A Positive Life: Portraits of Women Living with HIV" (1997), and "On the Eve, Moscow, 1998" (2014).

Visible Spectrum is curated by students in the Documentary Studies course "Photo Fever: Curating Photography Exhibitions" (DOCST 333S/733S).

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Center at 919/660-3663 or visit (<http://documentarystudies.duke.edu/>).

The City of Raleigh, NC, Features New Works by Deborah Kruger

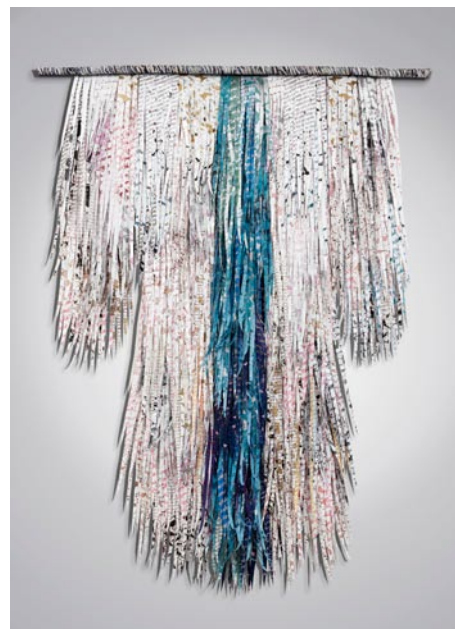
The City of Raleigh, NC, will present *TURBULENCE: Birds, Beauty, Language & Loss*, a solo exhibition on view at the Block Gallery, by environmental artist Deborah Kruger who is based in Durham, NC, from Dec. 4 through Apr. 25, 2025.



Work by Deborah Kruger

The exhibition focuses on Deborah Kruger's current body of work, motivated by the extinction of bird species, and the loss of indigenous languages around the world. Human-induced climate change and habitat fragmentation contribute to these problems. Saturated colors characterize Kruger's work which mimics bird plumage. She hopes to raise awareness, and inspire action about these impending losses that affect all of us.

"Artist Deborah Kruger addresses concerns about the environment through her thoughtful and meticulous studio practice. Block Gallery is proud to present an exhibition of her unique work," said Stacy



Work by Deborah Kruger

Bloom-Rexrode, Curator of Exhibitions and Collections.

Pattern and decoration have influenced Kruger's work since her training in textile design at the Fashion Institute of Technology (FIT) in New York. She has exhibited her work in museums and galleries in the USA, Europe, Australia and Mexico since the 1980s. Kruger's large-scale environmental artwork has recently been acquired by the Museum of Arts & Design (MAD) in New York City.

Kruger's artwork can also be seen in the *Coined in the South: 2024 Biennial* at the Mint Museum in Charlotte, NC, which is running concurrently with her solo exhibition in Raleigh.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings or visit ([events:https://raleighnc.gov/arts/places/block-gallery](https://raleighnc.gov/arts/places/block-gallery)).

So you're the Marketing Director of a visual arts organization, art museum, arts center, arts council or artist guild and you're wondering why you never see the exhibits presented at your facility included here. Maybe you're the owner of a commercial art gallery and you've never seen your exhibits included with others presented in your area. You might even be an individual artist who is having an exhibit in a non-profit space or commercial space and you don't see your exhibits included.

My question to you is - How long will you put up with that before you ask someone, "Why that is the case?" If you're not included - it's your fault.

Gallery C in Raleigh, NC, Features Works by Fabienne Delacroix

Gallery C in Raleigh, NC, will present *Le Paris de la Belle Époque: New Paintings by Fabienne Delacroix*, on view from Dec. 5 through Jan. 4, 2025. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 6-8pm.

Fabienne Delacroix, the internationally acclaimed artist renowned for her ability to evoke the timeless charm and romanticized essence of Belle Époque, brings her highly sought after work to Raleigh for five weeks. This highly anticipated showcase will feature twenty-two paintings recently completed in her Paris studio.

Following in the footsteps of her world-renowned father, Michel Delacroix, Fabienne paints in a naïve style that draws on the nostalgia of times past. The Parisian cityscapes featured in this show will serve as poetic windows to this legendary era, when France was enjoying a period of peace, leisure, and a thriving culture.

Fabienne Delacroix offers a unique opportunity to experience the beauty, style, and elegance of Paris and its environs - right here in Raleigh.

The Raleigh exhibit, *Le Paris de la Belle Époque*, comes on the heels of Fabienne Delacroix's sold-out exhibitions in Tokyo and South Korea. Of special interest will be several paintings that were



Work by Fabienne Delacroix

chosen by the Eiffel family for publication of a book celebrating the anniversary of the Eiffel Tower.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 919/828-3165 or e-mail to (art@galleryc.net).

Some Exhibits That Are Still On View

Our policy at *Carolina Arts* is to present a press release about an exhibit or event only once and then go on, but many major exhibits are on view for months. This is our effort to remind you of some of them.



Wendy Young "Portraits of Lee and Jackson" Hamburg, AR - Turchin Center

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, is presenting *A Long and Slow Surrender: Wendy Young*, on view in the Bickers Gallery, at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, through Dec. 7, 2024. Wendy Young never met a stranger; not only does she have the ability to talk to anyone anywhere about anything, most of the people she meets open up to her as soon as she introduces herself, inviting her into their homes, studios, storefronts, and shops, sharing their life stories on video, inviting her to take their pictures - welcoming her into their worlds. The worlds Young is welcomed into often clash with one another, sometimes violently, and yet this artist has the warmth and willingness to hear multiple viewpoints, even those she may disagree with. That fearless openness has allowed the artist to travel the Southern States for years. For further information call the Center at 828/262-3017 or e-mail to (turchincenter@appstate.edu).



Works by Nancy Williamson - Artists Collective

The Artists Collective | Spartanburg, in Spartanburg, SC, will present Its Annual Holiday Artisan Market, on view in the Solomon Gallery, through Dec. 28, 2024. A reception will be held on Dec. 19, from 5-8pm, as part of the Spartanburg ArtWalk. Many of the member artists will be on site to greet visitors and will be available to talk

about their work. Looking ahead at the holidays, do you often think you'd like to give unique gifts - one-of-a-kind pieces that the recipient will really cherish? Sure, there are websites offering such items, but why not "shop local" at the Artists Collective | Spartanburg's 2024 Holiday Artisan Market. "This much-anticipated annual market will feature works of 38 regional artists. These works will include everything from acrylic paintings to sculptures, jewelry, photography, ceramics, and just about everything in between," says Nancy Williamson, one of the artists and chairperson of the Holiday Artisan Market Committee. For further information visit (artistscollectivespartanburg.org).



Past winners of the 1858 Prize for Contemporary Southern Art - Gibbs Museum of Art

The Gibbs Museum of Art in Charleston, SC, will celebrate the 15th anniversary of the 1858 Prize for Contemporary Southern Art with a major exhibition highlighting artwork and success stories of the diverse group of American artists recognized by the annual prize. Originally established as the Factor Prize for Southern Art, the annual award, underwritten by the Gibbs young patrons' auxiliary group, Society 1858, since 2013, was developed to recognize the outstanding contributions of contemporary artists in the South. *Celebrating the 1858 Prize for Contemporary Southern Art*, will be on view through Jan. 12, 2025. "Recognizing and supporting artists from our region is at the heart of the Gibbs' mission," says Angela Mack, president and CEO of the Gibbs Museum of Art. "The Prize has evolved dramatically over the last 15 years, and we are proud to see many of its past recipients recognized by national and international art entities. We look forward to celebrating these extraordinary artists in the upcoming exhibition." For further information call the Museum at 843/722-2706 or at (www.gibbesmuseum.org).

The Craven Allen Gallery in Durham, NC, is presenting *Beverly McIver: Painters I Love*, on view through Jan. 25, 2025. *Painters I Love* features works by Michael Dixon, Richard Garrison, Clarence Heyward, Pedro Lasch, William Paul Thomas and Lamar Whidbee. For this show, McIver selected artists that she believes are modern masters in the art of painting. "Michael,



Work by Michael Dixon, Beverly McIver, and Lamar Whidbee - Craven Allen Gallery

Richard, Clarence, Pedro, William and Lamar are members of my art family" she says, "they are very talented creatives, and we have all been longtime supporters of each other." The exhibiting artists paint in a variety of styles, from figurative to non-representational. The common thread in their work, McIver explains, is that "they are not afraid to be vulnerable when creating, they enjoy expressing a bit of humanity through paint. For more info call the gallery at 919/286-4837 or visit (www.cravenallengallery.com).



Claude Howell (American, 1915-1997), "Sorting Fish" (detail), 1957. Ceramic tile mosaic. Collection of Cameron Art Museum. Gift of Henry Burbank Rehder in loving memory of Barbara Beeland Rehder. - Cameron Art Museum

The Louise Wells Cameron Art Museum, in Wilmington, NC, is presenting *Close to Home*, a celebration of CAM's collection featuring works by artists with a connection to our state, our region, our home, on view through Mar. 23, 2025. The exhibition features work by: Josef Albers, Romare Bearden, Mary Cassatt,

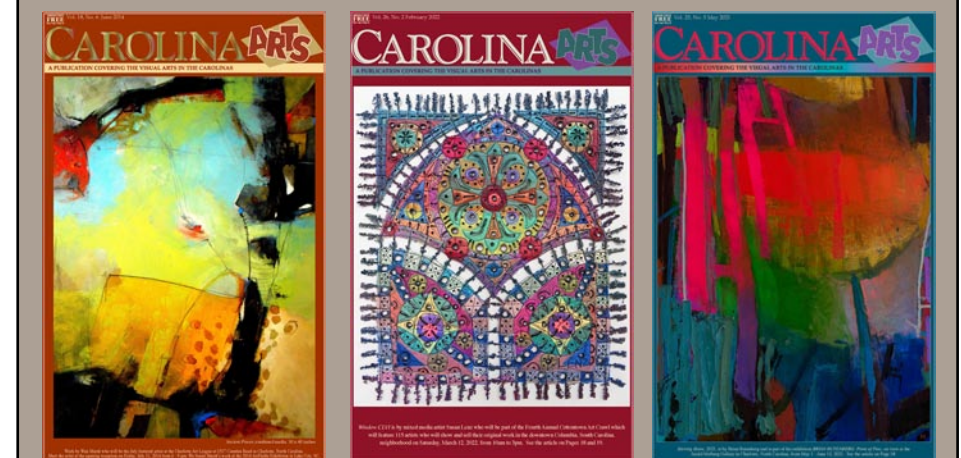
Diego Camposeco, Elisabeth Chant, Minnie Evans, Maud Gatewood, Claude Howell, Hiroshi Sueyoshi, and others. Join us as we explore images of people and places that evoke the varied spirit of our community. Beloved familiar works are joined by hidden treasures in a showcase of artistic voices; a collective search for the meaning of home. For further information call the Museum at 910/395-5999 or visit (www.cameronartmuseum.org).



Aldwyth in front of her work "Casablanca (Classico) 2004 - Coastal Discovery Museum

The Coastal Discovery Museum on Hilton Head Island, SC, showcases works by renowned Hilton Head artist in the exhibition, *This is Not: Aldwyth in Retrospect*, on view through Mar. 23, 2025. The Coastal Discovery Museum, a Smithsonian Affiliate, is pleased to present an exhibition of the rarely seen works of Hilton Head-based artist Aldwyth. Admission to the museum is free. *This is Not: Aldwyth in Retrospect* spans nearly 70 years of her work, including early examples of photography, painting, and fiber, as well as her later bricolages and epic-scaled collages that resemble medieval manuscript pages. Now in her late 80s, the artist who goes by the single name Aldwyth, arrived on Hilton Head Island in 1967, and has lived and worked in an octagonal house overlooking a salt marsh for decades. In early 2025, the museum will also host a screening of *Aldwyth: Fully Assembled*, the 2022 PBS documentary by award-winning filmmaker Olympia Stone. A fully illustrated catalogue, published by the Greenville County Museum of Art, accompanies the exhibition and is available for purchase in the Museum Store. For further information visit (www.coastaldiscovery.org).

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Editor's Note: I wish I could tell you that everything listed here is open or every event would happen, but we just don't know for sure and I don't blame any of the presenters if we were the last thing on their minds while dealing with this current disaster. My best advise to you is call before you go to visit someplace or go to see an exhibit listed. That's mostly for the areas hit by Hurricane Helene, in this case, Upstate SC.

Virtual Exhibitions



Work by Toni Elkins - Best of Show in the "SCWS's Spring Digital Show".

Ongoing - "SC Watermedia Society's Spring Digital Show". The winners of this show are: "The Fishes In Play" by Toni Elkins was selected as the 2024 Spring Digital's Best of Show. Works by Lori Wilson and Maura Kenny took second and third place respectively. Trish Poupard was recognized with an honorable mention award. The entire show can now be viewed on our website at (<https://scwatermedia.com/sds/>) along with the juror's statements and commentaries.

Allendale

Salkehatchie Arts Center, 939 N. Main St., Allendale. **Ongoing** - Featuring a retail store offering works by artists from the Salkehatchie region including Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Colleton, and Hampton Counties. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/584-6084.

Aiken

Aiken Center for the Arts, 122 Laurens St., SW, Aiken. **Main Gallery, Dec. 5 - Jan. 16, 2025** - "Into the Woods". A reception will be held on Dec. 5, from 6-8pm. The exhibit features works by landscape and abstract artist Jessica Graham, who joins area woodworkers: Richard Cale, Eddie Huff, John Jones and Janet and Walt Kortege. **Aiken Artist Guild Gallery, Dec. 5 - Jan. 16, 2025** - Featuring works by Karey Santos and Chris McKeel. A reception will be held on Dec. 5, from 6-8pm. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 803/641-9094 or at (www.aikencentertforhearts.org).

Anderson



Work by Steven Jordan

Anderson Arts Center, located in the Arts Warehouse, 110 Federal Street, downtown Anderson. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 19** - "Full Circle," a Steven Jordan Retrospect. Jordan returns to his hometown with an exhibit of art spanning 60 years. From early work to recent

paintings from Pawleys Island. The exhibit will include watercolors, oils, drawings, collages, assemblages and a few surprises. **Atrium Gallery, Through Dec. 19** - "Fred Helk". Helk, a wood artist spending his retirement in SC, has a unique talent for carving intricate pieces from wood. His attention to detail brings each piece to life, showcasing the reality of the subject he is depicting. The upcoming exhibit featuring his work will highlight his skill and creativity in capturing the essence of various objects through wood carving. Be sure to join us for this showcase of Fred Helk's wood artistry and paintings. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 864/222-2787 or at (www.anderson-artscenter.org).



Works from the silver exhibition at the Anderson County Museum

Anderson County Museum, 202 East Greenville Street, Anderson. **Through the Summer of 2025** - "Silver of South Carolina and Beyond". The Anderson County Museum is one of the most comprehensive collections of South Carolina silver ever assembled in our area. Many of the pieces are very rare. British soldiers evacuating Charleston in 1782 after the American Revolution took with them thousands of pounds of silver from the city's homes and churches. The pieces that have survived into the modern day are made more precious by their scarcity. Today Palmetto State silver attracts collectors from all over the globe. **Ongoing** - The Anderson County Museum has one of the largest galleries in the state! You can book a tour with one of our docent volunteers or explore on your own and get lost in history. We also have event space for rent if you would like to host your next event here. Anderson County Museum takes great care to catalog our artifacts. In fact, our artifact database is one of the most comprehensive in South Carolina. Check out our virtual exhibits or our past perfect collection to see some of our artifacts, and visit the Anderson County Museum to see them on display! Hours: Tue., 10am-7pm & Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/260-4737 or at (<https://andersoncountymuseum.sc.gov>).

Beaufort Area

Beaufort Art Association Gallery, 913 Bay Street, across the street from the Clock Tower, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - New works by more than 90 exhibiting members of the Beaufort Art Association Gallery - exhibits and featured artists change every six weeks. In addition to framed paintings in a variety of media, the gallery offers prints, photographs, unframed matted originals, jewelry, sculpture, ceramics and greeting cards. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/521-4444 or at (www.beaufortartassociation.com).

Sea Islands Center Gallery, 1106 Carteret Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Since 2012, the Sea Islands Center Gallery has hosted visiting artists and group exhibitions from South Carolina, Georgia, and Arkansas. The gallery also features USCB students' work from juried exhibitions and the art department's senior capstone project. The mission of the gallery is to promote the academic and creative programming goals of the Department of Visual Art & Design and to serve as a catalyst of creative inquiry and exploration within the Beaufort community. Masks and social distancing required. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8am-5pm & Fri., 8am-2:30pm. Contact: 843/521-3147 or at (<https://www.artgallery.uscb.edu/about>).

Alternative Art Spaces - Beaufort **Tabernacle Baptist Church**, 901 Craven Street in Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Home of the Harriet Tubman Monument, created by sculptor Ed Dwight, located on the church grounds at, SC. Dwight's 14-foot-tall bronze sculpture sits on church's grounds, where it is believed to be the church where Mrs. Tubman made a speech after the Combahee River Raid where contraband known as enslaved African men were inspired to become members of the colored regiment. The Tabernacle Baptist Church grounds is also the burial place of Robert Smalls, who was born a slave in Beaufort and became a Civil War hero and Congressman. A bust of Small is also on the church grounds. Hours: normal daylight hours. Contact: visit (<https://www.harriettubmanmonument.com/>) or follow on social media at ([facebook.com/htrmonument](https://www.facebook.com/htrmonument) and [instagram.com/htrmonument/](https://www.instagram.com/htrmonument/)).

Bluffton

Society of Bluffton Artists Gallery/Learning Center, 6 & 8 Church Street, corner of Calhoun and Church Street, Bluffton. **Through Dec. 31** - "SOBA's Annual Holiday Market Returns," discover unique, handcrafted gifts and décor. The Society of Bluffton Artists (SOBA) is thrilled to announce the return of its Holiday Market, a seasonal showcase featuring handcrafted, one-of-a-kind gifts by local artists. The he SOBA Art Gallery's featured artist room will transform into a festive shopping destination for the community. Visitors can explore and purchase a wide array of artfully crafted items perfect for the holiday season, including wreaths, small paintings, holiday décor, and gift-worthy treasures. Each piece is thoughtfully created by talented Bluffton artists, making the Holiday Market an ideal stop for unique and personal holiday shopping. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of mediums by over 100 area artists, with all work moderately priced. Changing shows every six weeks. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11:30am-3pm. Contact: 843/757-6586 or at (www.sobagallery.com).

Camden

Camden Bassett Gallery, Arts Center of Kershaw County, 810 Lyttleton Street, Camden. **Ongoing** - The Arts Center of Kershaw County is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization which promotes artistic and cultural experiences and provides educational and entertainment opportunities in music, visual art, drama, and dance for children and adults throughout the Midlands of SC. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Sat. 10am-2pm; hours may vary by exhibit. Contact: 803/425-7676 or at (www.artscenterkc.org).

Charleston

Avery Research Center for African History and Culture, at the College of Charleston, 125 Bull St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Exhibits on view include: "Since 1920: Zeta Phi Beta Centennial". The Gamma Zeta chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Incorporated presents a centennial exhibit filled with the rich history of the sorority in print and paraphernalia. Visitors can see in-depth the programming, philanthropy and reach of Zeta Phi Beta during their 100 years. "The Water Keeps Rising" Hip-hop artist and activist Benny Starr has created an interactive exhibit based on data from the Avery's State of Racial Disparities Report in Charleston County. This exhibit will create an immersive experience for visitors. In the areas of civic engagement, racial disparities, the environment and performance art/music, this exhibit will aim to connect the dots from historical data and archival information up to the present conditions of the Lowcountry. "Resilient". Local artist Chris "Kolpeace" Johnson will highlight the power of being resilient with this work that recognizes African Americans who have shown strength through adversity including the late local activist Muhiyidin D'baha and Cyntoia Brown, who faced life in prison after being convicted of homicide as a juvenile. These pieces are tributes to memorialize the impactful strength of an unsung hero in the community, engaging the soul and spirit. "The African Origins of Mathematics". Charleston resident and artist Robert "King David" Ross highlights the direct impact Africa has had on modern mathematics in this exhibit. Showcasing the first math instrument, the Ishango bone, the exhibit allows visitors to see the influence Africa has had on every aspect of life. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm, with guided tours at 10:30am, 11:30am, 1:30pm, 2:30pm, and 3:30pm. Contact: 843/805-5507 or visit (www.cofc.edu/avery).

Charleston Artist Guild Gallery, 160 East Bay St., Charleston. **Dec. 1 - 31** - "Black Ink & Earl Grey Tea," featuring works by Thomas Lee Hamm, II, which showcases a collection of works crafted with ink and natural pigments, exploring the textures of the Lowcountry. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm. **Ongoing** - Featuring an exhibit of works by over 80 plus members of CAG who display a wealth of talent in different media including, oils, acrylics, pastels, watercol-

ors, photography, printmaking & sculpture. The Gallery is also home for the CAG office. Hours: Daily, 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/722-2454 or at (www.charlestonartistguild.com).



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Photo by Marcus Middleton

City Gallery at Joseph P. Riley, Jr. Waterfront Park, 34 Pringleau Street, Charleston. **Dec. 13 - Feb. 9, 2025** - Calling Me Home: A Visual Ode to the Low-Country, featuring works by Marcus Middleton and "Children of Indigo" featuring works by Caroline Gutman. City Gallery will hold an opening reception for both exhibitions on Dec. 13, from 5-7pm. An artist's talk with Marcus Middleton will be held on Feb. 9, at 2pm. An artist's talk with Caroline Gutman will be held on Jan. 25 at 2pm. All events are free and open to the public. "Children of Indigo" is a documentary project that explores the plant's painful history in South Carolina and spotlights women in the Low-country today who have revived indigo cultivation and dyeing, building a flourishing community of textile artists and homesteaders. "Calling Me Home: A Visual Ode to the Low-Country" is a tribute to Wadmalaw Island and its environs. "Calling Me Home: A Visual Ode to the Low-Country" is photographer Marcus Middleton's tribute to Wadmalaw Island, or what he likes to call a "living museum." "The American South is both turbulent and beautiful, and my hope is to share that dynamic and sometimes contradictory experience with the audience; to capture Wadmalaw as it is, unspoiled by progress," says Middleton. In "Children of Indigo," Caroline Gutman explores how the commodity and its dye fueled slavery in the American colonies. Her body of work shows the remaining historical sites in contrast with contemporary textile artists and farmers confronting indigo's difficult past and reclaiming it. Indigo in America is haunted by a painful past. Like cotton, indigo carries inseparable links to centuries of American chattel slavery. Hours: Wed.-Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843/958-6484 or (www.charleston-sc.gov/citygallery).

Gallery By SEWE, Shops at Charleston Place, 205 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Gallery By SEWE is a new, brick-and-mortar extension of the annual Charleston event, The Southeastern Wildlife Exposition (SEWE), a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and the south-east's premier wildlife art show and outdoors lifestyle event, is hosting a new art gallery and studio space in the Shops at Charleston Place. The gallery will become a year-round extension of SEWE's passion for the great outdoors and showcase the organization's mission to preserve wildlife art and support conservation. The gallery will feature wildlife art, artists and exhibitors and host artist residencies, special exhibitions and events. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 10am-6pm. For more information, please call 843/278-4806 or visit (gallerybysewe.com).



Past winners of the 1858 Prize for Contemporary Southern Art

Gibbes Museum of Art, 135 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Gallery 2 & 3, Through Dec. 1** - "Artist Spotlight: David Driskell and Edward Middleton Manigault". The rotating artist spotlight series continues with two new spotlight explorations. One focuses on renowned American artist and art historian David Driskell, whose painting and printmaking practice was influenced by nature, abstraction and African imagery. The other spotlight features early modernist Edward Middleton Manigault, whose fanciful paintings were well-respected during his short lifetime and included in major modernist exhibitions, such as the 1913 Armory Show. **Galleries 8 & 9, Through Jan. 12, 2025** - "Celebrating the 1858 Prize for Contem-

porary Southern Art". The Gibbes Museum of Art has awarded 15 artists with the 1858 Prize for Contemporary Southern Art since its inception in 2008. Supported by the museum's dynamic young professionals' auxiliary group, Society 1858, the Prize recognizes artists whose work contributes to a new understanding of art in the South. This exhibition celebrates winners and finalists of what has become one of the South's most prestigious art prizes. Each of the artists recognized by the Prize has continued to garner accolades regionally, nationally and internationally. Their successes demonstrate the importance of creating platforms that recognize and support the significant art and artists of the South. **Galleries 1, 4, and 5, Permanent Exhibition** - "18th and 19th Century American Paintings and Sculpture". American paintings, from colonial portraits to Civil War-era landscapes, occupy the Gibbes Main Gallery. Portraits of leading political, social, and military figures include works by Jeremiah Theus, Henry Benbridge, Benjamin West, Gilbert Stuart, Thomas Sully and Samuel F.B. Morse. The gallery also features landscape and genre scenes by Angelica Kaufmann, Louis Mignot, Eastman Johnson, Conrad Wise Chapman, and William Aiken Walker. The paintings collection is complemented by examples of neoclassical sculpture on view in the Campbell Rotunda, and decorative art objects on loan from the Rivers Collection. **Gallery 5, Permanent Exhibition** - "Miniature Portraits". The first American miniature portraits were painted in Charleston, and today the Gibbes is home to one of the most prestigious portrait miniature collections in the United States. Containing more than six hundred objects, the collection spans nearly two hundred years and represents the work of over a hundred artists. Small enough to fit in the palm of the hand, these tiny portraits were treasured remembrances of loved ones in the age before photography. Presented in state-of-the-art display cases, and in viewable storage drawers featuring miniatures include works by Mary Roberts, Jeremiah Theus, Henry Benbridge, Charles Wilson Peale, Pierre Henri, Edward Greene Malbone, George Engleheart, and Charles Fraser. **Gallery 6, Permanent Exhibition** - "20th Century American Regionalism and the Charleston Renaissance". At the turn of the twentieth century, American artists looked to their European counterparts and beyond as they developed identifiably American artistic movements. Two particularly strong influences during this time period were French Impressionism and Japanese woodblock prints. Another prevailing theme during this period was the growing interest in American subject matter. American regionalism and social realism played important roles in the development of art in Charleston, which flourished as a destination for artists, particularly during the years of 1915 to 1945 a period now known as the Charleston Renaissance. **Gallery 7, Permanent Exhibition** - "Modern and Contemporary". Modern and contemporary art in America encompasses a wide range of styles, subject matter, and media. As a whole, the diversity of modern and contemporary art reflects the rich and varied heritage of our nation and the lowcountry region. Works in this gallery were created over the past forty years by artists who are native to the area, who have worked here, or who have created objects that reflect the complex story of the region. The works are grouped to reflect several themes including the southern landscape, the human figure, abstraction, and the legacy of slavery in America. **Visiting Artist Series, Through Dec. 8** - Artist Christopher "Kolpeace" Johnson. Columbia, SC, artist Christopher "Kolpeace" Johnson born in '94 explores his black southern culture & ancestral characters through liberating portraits while rapidly creating through studio and performance art with a contemporary graffiti voice. **Through Dec. 8** - Joshua Parks. Joshua Parks is a Black cultural worker who uses filmmaking, photography and archivism to analyze urban and rural communities in the Black Belt South, their relationship to land and water as the basis of subsistence, autonomy, survival, and collective memory, and how these elements influence cultural and spiritual development. **Museum Shop** - Now offering the inventory of the Tradd Street Press, reproductions of works by Elizabeth O'Neill Verner among other exhibit related art objects. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Admission: Yes. Contact: 843/722-2706 or at (www.gibbesmuseum.org).

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Halsey Institute of Contemporary Art, The Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Center for the Arts, College of Charleston School of the Arts, 161 Calhoun St., Charleston. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 7** - "Demond Melancon: As Any Means Are Necessary". The Halsey Institute of Contemporary Art at the College of Charleston School of the Arts proudly presents the first solo museum exhibition of innovative artist Demond Melancon. New Orleans-based artist Melancon, also known as Big Chief Demond Melancon of the Young Seminole Hunters, works solely with a

needle and thread to sew glass beads onto canvas, beginning this practice in 1992 when he first became part of a more than 200-year-old culture known as the Black Masking Culture of New Orleans. He is well known for creating massive suits as a Black Masker, notably seen during Mardi Gras, which are sculptural forms based on the size of his body and are composed of intricate, hand-sewn beadwork revealing a collective visual narrative. Hours: Mon.- Sat., 11am-4pm; until 7pm on Thur. and by appt. Contact: 843/953-4422 or at (<http://halsey.cofc.edu/exhibitions/>).

International African American Museum, 14 Wharfed Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The IAAM, which sits at the site of Gadsden's Wharf - one of the nation's most prolific former slave trading ports - includes nine core exhibition galleries and a special exhibition gallery, as well as a "floating" gallery that weaves contemporary art throughout the museum. The museum will open with more than 700 artifacts dating from 17th century to contemporary objects, alongside 1000 image and media collection pieces - all of which help connect the African American journey to its roots and connections to African and African Diaspora communities and cultures. The museum also houses the Center for Family History, a world-class genealogy and ancestry resource center, which began hosting genealogy classes and workshops in 2020. Admission: Yes. In an effort to increase access and decrease obstacles to participating in arts and cultural experiences, International African American Museum (IAAM) has joined Bank of America as a new partner in the bank's Museums on Us program, which offers free general admission on the first full weekend of each month to Bank of America, Merrill and Bank of America Private Bank credit and debit cardholders, at some of the nation's greatest museums and cultural attractions, which now includes IAAM. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 10am-5pm (last entry at 4pm). Contact: 843/872-5352 or at (iaamuseum.org).

Redux Contemporary Art Center, featuring Redux Studios, 1056 King Street, Charleston. **Main Gallery, Through Jan. 18, 2025** - "Afrofuturism: We Are Still Here," featuring works by Tony Williams, April Aune, Andrea Stubbs, and "Cookie" Washington. **Gallery 1056, Through Jan. 18, 2025** - Solo Exhibition by Rebecca Dew. **Lightning Gallery, Through Jan. 18, 2025** - "Dreams and Dissonance," featuring works by Keith Dugan and Sallie Martin. Receptions for these exhibits will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm, as well as for our Holiday Market and Open Studios! Come out and visit all of our artists in their studios to see what they are working on, get some holiday shopping in, and view our opening exhibitions. There will be drinks, music, snacks throughout the building and fantastic art around every corner! Bring yourself, your friends, and your families! **Ongoing** - In May, 2017, Redux relocated to 1056 King Street with 38 studios, three galleries, a larger print shop, classroom, dark room, and photo studio. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-4pm, or by appt. Contact: 843/722-0697 or at (www.reduxstudios.org).

Paul Alexander Gallery, Charleston County Public Library, 68 Calhoun St., Charleston. **Dec. 1 - 31** - "Charleston: My Way," featuring photographs by Sheryl Sabol. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-8pm; Fri. & Sat., 9am-6pm; and Sun. 2-5pm. Contact: Megan Summers at 843/805-6946 or at (www.ccpil.org).

The Charleston Museum, 360 Meeting Street, Charleston. Founded in 1773, is America's first museum. **Ongoing** - "Beyond The Ashes: The Lowcountry's New Beginnings". This exhibit will cover topics such as the political and social changes that took place in the wake of the Civil War, the Jim Crow Era, the Earthquake of 1886, the Charleston Renaissance, the transformation of Charleston in the 20th century, the impact of the World Wars on the area, and the local Civil Rights struggle. **Textile Gallery, Through Apr. 20, 2025** - "Lovely & Lethal: Killer Fashions From The Collection". Are these pieces à la mode or just macabre? Discover the consequences of style, from accessories made out of now extinct animals to clothing that could kill. We hope to see you in the Historic Textiles Gallery to view these object oddities showcasing fearsome fashions, sinister styles, and terrifying trends. **Lowcountry Image Gallery, Ongoing** - "A Historical Timeline of America's First Museum: 1773 - 2023". This timeline highlights the rich history of The Charleston Museum from its beginning to the present. Selected events from the past 250 years are showcased using iconic photographs from the Museum's Archives. The forebear of The Charleston Museum was founded on January 12, 1773, by members of the Charleston Library Society, when South Carolina was still a British colony. Although the form and substance

of the institution has changed over two and a half centuries, its general purpose at the time of its creation - to educate - is still central to its mission today. Throughout its history, the Museum has experienced wars, natural disasters, and most recently a worldwide pandemic, yet it has continued to thrive. Today, The Charleston Museum houses more than 2.4 million objects, and each year over 100,000 people, from around the world and from all walks of life, come here to learn. We invite you to enjoy this timeline highlighting selected events from the Museum's rich past, from its beginning to the present, with iconic images from the Museum's Archives. **Ongoing** - Featuring the most extensive collection of South Carolina cultural and scientific collections in the nation, it also owns two National Historic Landmark houses, the Heyward-Washington House (1772) and the Joseph Manigault House (1803), as well as the Dill Sanctuary, a 580-acre wildlife preserve. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & through the Summer months, Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 843/722-2996 or at (www.charlestonmuseum.org).

Winfred B. Moore, Jr. Art Gallery, Capers Hall, The Citadel, 171 Moultrie Street, Charleston. **Through Dec. 4** - "Opening the Gates: Artistic Connections on The Citadel Campus". Many distinguished artists have made their mark on The Citadel's Fine Arts program over the years. This group show features drawings, paintings, photographs, prints, video, and fabric art by artists including Robert Lange, Annie Leibovitz, Mary Whyte, Alice Keeney, Dos Banditos, Mary Edna Fraser, Jim Booth, John Duckworth, and more. Hours: Mon. - Fri., 11am - 3pm. Contact: call Tiffany Reed Silverman, Director of Fine Arts at 843/953-6918 or at (www.citadel.edu/finearts).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Charleston **Ashley River Tower**, Public area at Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston. **Ongoing** - "Contemporary Carolina Collection @ Ashley River Tower," featuring the largest collection of original, contemporary South Carolina art on permanent display, including 885 works by 53 talented artists, sculptors and photographers in South Carolina. Artists included are: Lucille Akinjoba, Jack Alterman, Thomas Blagden, Jr., Carl Blair, Patti Brady, Keith Brown, Julia Cart, Eva Carter, Jocelyn Châteaufort, Lese Corrigan, Townsend Davidson, Linda Fantuzzo, Buddy Folk, Squire Fox, Tony Williams, April Aune, Andrea Stubbs, and Anthony Green, Jon Holloway, Ann Hubbard, Lisa Salosaari Jasinski, Erik Johnson, Kim Keats, Ariane King Comer, Kit Loney, Paul Markidian, Nancy Marshall, Paul Matheny, John McWilliams, Sue Middleton, Marge Moody, Gordon Nicholson, Jane Nodine, Marcelo Novo, Karin Olah, Matt Overend, Rick Rhodes, Ed Rice, Molly B. Right, Susan Romaine, Kristi Ryba, Virginia Scotchie, Laura Spong, Tom Stanley, Christine Tedesco, Colleen Terrell, Leo Twiggs, Tjelda Vander Meijden, Mary Walker, Sue Simons Wallace, Joe Walters, Sam Wang, Enid Williams, Manning Williams, and Paul Yanko. Hours: daily, 8:30am-5pm. Contact: Kathleen Ellis, Director of National Communications, MUSC, at 843/792.5602 or e-mail at (ellisk@musc.edu).

Charleston City Night Market, between Church Street and East Bay Street, Charleston. **Fri. & Sat. nights, from Mar. - Dec.** - "2024 Charleston City Night Market". We are the largest art market in the Southeast and have won Charleston's choice for Local Art in 2018 and 2019, 2020, 2021 & 2022. The Night Market began as an Artisan/Hand Crafted only market in 2012, and now has over 200 various artists represented. This dynamic and diverse group has become an integral part of the Charleston City Market. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 6:30-10:30pm. For info e-mail to (chasnightmarket@gmail.com).

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The Old Slave Mart Museum, 6 Chalmers Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The Museum recounts the story of Charleston's role in this interstate slave trade by focusing on the history of this particular building and site and the slave sales that occurred here. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: The Office of Cultural Affairs at 843/958-6467 or at (<http://www.charlestonarts.c/>).

Clemson Area

Acorn Gallery, 2-G26 Lee Hall, Clemson University, 323 Fernow Street, Clemson. **Dec. 2 - 6** - "Bachelor of Fine Arts Senior Exhibits - Exhibit 2". Artist Talks & Reception on Dec. 5, from 5-6:30pm. Hours: Mon-Fri., 8:30am-4:30pm. Contact: call Denise Woodward-Detrich, Lee Gallery Director at 864/656-3883 or at (<http://www.clemson.edu/centers-institutes/cva/>).

Lee Gallery, 1-101 Lee Hall, Clemson University, 323 Fernow Street, Clemson. **Through Dec. 5** - "Artists Teaching: Teaching Artists - Part II," featuring works by Zen Cohen, John Cummings, Mandy Ferguson, Amanda Musick, Alex Schechter, Drew Sisk, Brooks Harris Ste-

vens, Kathleen Thum, and Denise Woodward-Detrich. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am- Noon, then 1-4:30pm. Contact: Denise Woodward-Detrich, Lee Gallery Director by calling 864-656-3883 or at (<http://www.clemson.edu/centers-institutes/cva/>).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Clemson **Cooper Library**, 4th floor, Clemson University Campus, 116 Sigma Drive, Clemson. **Through Apr. 12, 2025** - "Initial Impressions: Selections From The Print Studio". Featuring monotype and relief Prints by undergraduate art majors and art minors enrolled in Beginning Printmaking in Spring 2024. Hours: regular library hours. Contact: call Denise Woodward-Detrich, Lee Gallery Director at 864/656-3883 or at (<http://www.clemson.edu/centers-institutes/cva/>).

Madren Conference Center, Clemson University, Clemson. **Ongoing** - Featuring wood and steel bird carvings by Grainger McKey. Hours: regular building hours. Contact: Peter Kent at 864/656-0382 or e-mail at (peter.kent@clemsonews.clemson.edu).

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The Fran Hanson Discovery Center, South Carolina Botanical Garden, Clemson University, Clemson. **Featured Artists Gallery, Ongoing** - Featuring works by Nancy Basket, Sue Figliola, Sue Grier, Sandy King, Jo Ann Taylor and Phil Garrett, on a rotating basis. **Elizabeth Belsler Fuller Gallery, Ongoing** - This collection of watercolors, mixed media and pen & ink drawings was generously donated by a dear friend of the SC Botanical Garden, Elizabeth Belsler Fuller. This incredible collection ranges from 1947 to 1992. New pieces have been added this year in celebration of Belsler's 97th birthday. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Closed University Holidays and Home Football Game Saturdays. Contact: 864/656-3405 or at (www.clemson.edu/scbg/).

Clover

Gallery 120, 120 Bethel Street, Clover. **Ongoing** - Established in January 2015, Gallery 120 was created as a community art gallery with a mission to build a strong vibrant Arts community and encourage growth and exposure of professional and emerging artists while educating our community in the Fine Arts. Gallery 120 is a center where partnerships with other art groups serve as an opportunity for community involvement and showcase a variety of artwork, with a special focus on student art. Gallery 120 exhibits change monthly with professional and student artists. The gallery also offers a First Friday public art reception, held on the first Friday of every month from 6-8pm. We exhibit artwork created by artists who are professional and whose works are exceptional in skill and presentation. We showcase student artwork crafted by students in our schools, from the elementary level through high school level. The gallery also showcases works of emerging artists, whether they are hobbyists in drawing or painting or some other fine art medium. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 80

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bia Museum of Art, a selection of which is on view in this exhibition. Manos' account captures the beauty, simplicity, and hardships of rural Greek life with the sensitivity of one with familial ties to that country. In intimate images exploring love, loss, faith, and family, the artist prompts reflection on the nature of human relationships and the connections between land and labor. **Galleries 5 & 6, Ongoing** - "Modern & Contemporary Art from the Collection". Celebrating some of the CMA's greatest hits, this exhibition features over 30 paintings, drawings, photographs and sculptures from the Museum's collection that have not been on view recently. It offers the visitor experiences both serious and sensual and is designed to both entertain and enlighten. Notable works included are by Jasper Johns, Howard Thomas, Sally Mann and Edward Ruscha, whose famous image of the Hollywood Hills (on view) has become a staple of the art world. **Ray Taylor Fair Gallery, Ongoing** - Featuring a new and permanent installation of its ancient art collection. The installation includes approximately 50 objects that introduce the major ancient civilizations from the Mediterranean and Near East. Examples of the earliest form of writing from 12th century B.C. Mesopotamia, are shown next to Egyptian scarabs and Greek painted vessels. The world of the ancient Romans is represented by 2nd century glass and bronze items and portrait sculpture. Many of these works have not been seen since the Museum moved to its location on Main Street in 1998. The collection has grown over the last several years with the donation of 12 fine Roman sculptures in 2002 from Pennsylvania collector Dr. Robert Y. Turner. Admission: Yes, but there is no admission charge on Sun. **Free admission through Labor Day** - The Columbia Museum of Art has been selected to participate in Art Bridges Foundation's Access for All program, a transformative, three-year funding initiative aimed at increasing access to museums across America and fostering engagement with local audiences. Through this generous support, the CMA is launching Free Summer at the CMA, a new endeavor that offers all residents of South Carolina free general admission to the museum from. Hours: Tue.-Sun., from 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/799-2810 or at (www.columbiamuseum.org).

Ernest A. Finney, Jr. Cultural Arts Center, 1510 Laurens Street, Columbia. **Ongoing** - The Ernest A. Finney, Jr. Cultural Arts Center, a 501c3 organization located at 1510 Laurens Street, Columbia, South Carolina, (formerly the Southern Electric building) officially opened in the summer of 2022. This new center is home to African American culture, art, and expression. It is also a long-awaited gathering place for community conversations. The new center is in the historic Robert Mills district and just across from the historic Waverly Community, and a stone's throw from the one-hundred-year-old railroad tracks that have long defined small-town southern life in America. The focus of this Cultural Arts Center is on the making of art, the keeping of community, living Black history, and the ongoing generational celebration of music, visual art, poetry, dance, theatre, the culinary arts, and other community building and life sustaining activities. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-4pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: e-mail at (finneyjrca@gmail.com) or visit (finneyjrca.com).

McKissick Museum, University of South Carolina, USC Horseshoe, Columbia. **Through Dec. 14** - "Layers of Legacy: Exploring Daily Life and Colonialism in Cameroon". The exhibit investigates the art and culture of the Grassfields of northwestern Cameroon, a country of rich resources exploited by European agents of the transatlantic slave trade and colonizers from the late 1400s until the 1960s. This collection features objects ranging from household items to ritual masks that inspire contemplation of their purpose and the intersection of art with everyday life. Layers of Legacy also encourages reflection on our responsibility as viewers, urging us to consider the circumstances surrounding the objects' acquisition and the ethical implications of our engagement with them. Co-curated by the undergraduate and graduate students of the museology class on exhibition development, spring 2024, and taught by Dr. Lana Burgess. All objects on exhibition are in the permanent collection of McKissick Museum, University of South Carolina. **Through Dec. 14** - "Sign of the Times: Political Posters of the 20th and 21st Centuries". The political poster had its beginnings in the 1840s when a new lithograph printing process was developed. Hand colored portraits of presidential and vice-presidential candidates were first printed in the 1844 election for candidate Henry Clay and the winner, James K. Polk. The lithographic process improved over the years. During World War I and World War II, poster production was at its height, especially during Franklin Roosevelt's terms. During the 1950s and 1960s, the "floating head" poster was created where a photograph of the

candidate was used, eliminating the need for an artist. Between 1968 and 1972, many famous artists designed posters for fundraisers. However, popularity of political posters began to fade, as marketing candidates moved to television and then social media. McKissick Museum's political collection began when the museum was founded in 1976. Over the past forty plus years the collections have grown to over 10,000 items. Most of the collection features ephemera from presidential races. **Ongoing** - "Highlights from the Permanent Collections of McKissick Museum". **Permanent** - "Baruch Silver Collection," a collection of the Baruch family silver. And, "Natural Curiosity: USC and the Evolution of Scientific Inquiry into the Natural World". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/777-7251 or at (<http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/mcks/>).



Work by Sophia Brueckner

McMaster Gallery, room 119, basement level, McMaster Building, 1615 Senate Street, Columbia. **Through Dec. 6** - "Unrequited United: Sophia Brueckner". "Unrequited United" explores the unexpected emotional connections formed through Amazon Kindle's Popular Highlights feature in romance novels. A passage in an Amazon Kindle e-book becomes a Popular Highlight after a certain number of people independently highlight the same passage, revealing shared moments of emotional resonance. Contrary to expectations that romance readers would highlight only steamy scenes, the most popular highlights often focus on themes of grief, loneliness, and discontent—emotions rarely shared openly on social media. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm. Contact: Olga Dickey, Gallery Director, at 803/422-4289 or e-mail to (yukhno@mailbox.sc.edu).



Part of the installation, "Linthead" by Diana Farfán

Mill District Public Art Trail (MDPAT) throughout the Whaley, Olympia and Granby neighborhoods, known as Columbia, SC's Mill District, Columbia. **Ongoing** - The MDPAT was conceived as a project in 2017 by 701 Center for Contemporary Art board and staff to connect the three neighborhoods through a creative endeavor. The inaugural works on the trail were created by 11 South Carolina artists - collaborators David Cianni (Aiken) and Anna Redwine (Columbia), Diana Farfán (Greenville), Flavia Lovatelli (Columbia), Susan Lenz (Columbia), Robert Lyon (Columbia), Doug McAbee (Greenwood), Philip Moody (Rock Hill), Carey Morton (Charleston), Jordan Sheridan (Columbia), Brittany Watkins (Columbia), and Fletcher Williams III (Charleston). The works on the Mill District Public Art Trail invite us to explore the art and highlight the unique character of the distinctive neighborhoods within the Mill District. Part of this journey is discovering art in unexpected and surprising spaces. It is also an indication of the ongoing transformation taking place in this historically important community. Hours: normal daylight hours. For further information call 803/238-2351 or visit (<https://www.701cca.org/mill-district-public-art-trail-rfq-questions-answers>).

Richland County Public Library, 1431 Assembly St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring 20 pieces of public art on permanent display. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat, 9am-6pm; Sun, 2-6pm. Contact: 803/988-0886 or at (www.richlandlibrary.com).

701 Center for Contemporary Art, 701 Whaley St., Columbia. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 29** - "Roefs/Waddell Collection," one of the largest private contemporary art collections in the state. Curated over 26 years by Eileen Waddell and Wim Roefs, this extraordinary collection features artists from two continents, reflecting the shared



A view inside the Roefs/Waddell Collection exhibit at 701 Center for Contemporary Art.

passion and vision of these two dedicated collectors. This exhibition represents a small glimpse of works from a collection that has been evolving since 1996. Hours: Thur.-Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: call Caitlin Bright at 803/238-2351 or at (www.701cca.org).

SC State Museum, 301 Gervais St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - "The 521 All-Stars: A Championship Story of Baseball and Community." Featuring 40 photographs exploring the story of a Black baseball team from Rembert, SC, and their fans. Based on the 1998 book by Frye Gaillard with photographs by Byron Baldwin, the exhibition highlights the story of the 521 All-Stars team of Rembert, SC, a Black baseball team with roots going back to the 1920s. Named for Hwy 521, which runs past their baseball field, the 521 All-Stars play for the love of the game and the pride and solidarity it brings. Featuring more than 40 framed black and white photographs taken during the team's 1996-1997 season, 521 All-Stars depicts baseball in its purest form: scrap metal bases, rotten wood bleachers, teams made up of brothers, fathers, sons and, most importantly, fellowship within the community. **Ongoing** - The South Carolina State Museum, the state's largest and most comprehensive museum, is located along the banks of the beautiful Congaree River in downtown Columbia, South Carolina. Founded in 1988, the State Museum is the primary storyteller of the history of South Carolina. Through rich and diverse collections displayed through interactive and engaging exhibitions, the State Museum strives to honor the groundbreaking nature of its setting, providing both residents and visitors an in-depth picture of the state's past, present and future. There is much to see and do every day at the State Museum through a variety of exhibitions and educational programs both offered at the museum and through distance learning programs, as well as through entertaining community events of all kind. **The Crescent Café**, second floor mezzanine of the Museum. The house menu offers a variety of baked goods, juices, coffee, hot chocolate and tea. Lunchtime offerings include deli sandwiches and alternating daily soups, as well as grilled chicken salads and sandwiches. And let's not forget the house specialty: spectacular fudge, handmade on-site. Admission: Yes. The South Carolina State Museum is proud to be part of the Blue Star Museums initiative, a national appreciation program to thank our military families for their service and share with them America's cultural treasures. As a part of Blue Star Museums, active military and their families are invited to enjoy free general admission to the South Carolina State Museum from Armed Forces Day, through Labor Day, Sept. 2, 2024. For a list of participating museums, visit (arts.gov/bluestarmuseums). Hours: Mon.-Sat., from 10am-5pm and Sun., from noon-5pm. Admission: Yes. Contact: call 803/898-4921 or at (<http://scmuseum.org>).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Columbia area **Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center**, 1101 Lincoln St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artists throughout the convention center, including works by Mike Williams, Liisa Salosaari Jasinski, Tyrone Geter, Peter Lenzo, Jamie Davis, Tom Lockart & Mark Woodham, Angela Bradburn, Virginia Scotchie, Denise Dent, Sue Grier, Brian Rego, Heather LaHaise, Howard Hunt, Robert Campbell, Ernest Lee, David J.P. Hooker, Ralph Waldrop, Elena Madden, Debbie Martin, Blue Sky, Laura Spong, Jean McWhorter, Claire Farrell, Justin Guy, and Jonathan Green. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 803/545-01181.

Land Bank Lofts Gallery, Federal Land Bank Building, 1401 Hampton Street, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Land Bank Lofts Gallery is growing as a large-scale center for exhibiting home-grown original art. In 2016, the South Carolina Artists group set out to create a gallery in the historic building constructed in 1924. Home to the famous "Tunnel Vision" & "Haystacks" murals, the as it was originally known has been completely transformed into a modern masterpiece for today's lifestyle. Hours: call for hours. Contact: call 803/828-7790 or South Carolina Artists by calling 803/602-4814 or at (<http://www.southcarolinaartists.com>).

Sidewalk Gallery at The Meridian Building, 1320 Street, Columbia. **Through Dec. 31** - Featuring works by JJ Burton, Sean McGuinness,

Chilly Waters, & Sharon Licata. **Ongoing** - The gallery at the Meridian Building displays art within the lobby and features art in block-length window displays so patrons can peruse local art while walking downtown. Art of any medium is permitted, and most artists show 3-5 pieces, though more is allowed, with up to 22 being previously included; art cannot exceed \$2,500. Several individual artists are featured simultaneously in this space with three months being the average display period for each. Art within the building can be accessed during office hours, and pieces in the window can be viewed 24/7. Hours: The windows are open 24/7 with lighting in the evenings, the Main Street lobby is open 8am-6pm Mon.-Fri., closed to the public on weekends but can be accessed by appt. Contact: e-mail to (jaspergalleries@gmail.com).

Conway

Horry County Museum, 805 Main St, Conway. **Ongoing** - To collect and preserve material related to the prehistory, natural history, history and story of Horry County; to interpret and to create exhibits of such materials and to prepare educational programs related to them for presentation to the public, particularly the citizens of Horry County, South Carolina, and to operate a facility for this purpose. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 843/915-5320 or at (www.horrycountymuseum.org).

Due West



Work by Grace Carol Bomer

Bowie Arts Center, Bomer St., Erskine College, Due West. **Through Dec. 15** - "The Word Made Visible," featuring works by Grace Carol Bomer. **Through Dec. 15** - "Piercing the Veil," featuring works by Brian Hibbard. **Ongoing** - "Redemption Exhibit," "Woman: Image Bearer" and "Edgiefield Pottery Exhibit". Summer Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 864/379-8867.

Eloree

Eloree Heritage Museum and Cultural Museum, 2714 Cleveland Street, Eloree. **Ongoing** - Stroll Cleveland Street as it appeared in 1900 and delight in the recreated stores, bank and hotel; Explore the train station, logging and butchering areas; Visit Snider Cabin, birthplace of William J. Snider, founder of Eloree; Learn about tenant farming and meet midwife Mary Ella Jones who was responsible for delivering many Eloree babies; Take a rest in the two-seater outhouse; Explore a plantation gin house with its original gin, cotton press, and mechanicals; Learn how cotton is grown, picked and ginned today; See the variety of horse-drawn plows, planters and cultivators that farmers used to work their land; Meet Ruby Doo and learn about the history of mules and the vital role they played in southern agriculture; and Visit the upstairs gallery for the latest show featuring work by local and regional South Carolina artists, a baseball exhibit, a postcard exhibit or any of a variety of changing exhibits. Admission: Yes. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803-897-2225 or at (<http://www.elooreemuseum.org>).

Florence

Florence County Museum, 111 West Cheves Street, across the street from the Francis Marion University Performing Arts Center, Florence. **Through Dec. 1** - "Kindred Spirit: The Personal Worlds of William H. Johnson". William H. Johnson (1901 - 1970) was a man between worlds: raised in the rural South, but educated in New York; black, but his unknown father was white; American-born, but lived much of his adult life in Europe. This diverse heritage gave Johnson a unique perspective and insight, but at times it was also a difficult shadow which followed him as he traveled the world in search of his true artistic voice. Eventually, after many years away from his hometown of Florence, SC, Johnson returned to the United States. Although living in New York, his art began to focus almost entirely on the lives and experiences of African Americans in the rural

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South. "My travels taught me that an artist must live and paint in his own environment... This development shall continue for the rest of my life, and it is the painting of my people," said Johnson in 1941. **Special Exhibit Gallery, Through Feb. 23, 2025** - "Edward Gay: An American Landscape Painter". New York based artist Edward Gay (1837 - 1928) began visiting and painting in South Carolina after his daughter Vivien, an architecture student at Cornell University, was married to James Lide Coker, Jr., of Hartsville. Years later, the artist's son Duncan married James Coker's sister, Jennie. Because of these intermarriages, many of Gay's paintings entered Southern collections. "There's a story to be told here," said museum curator Stephen W. Molte, "This is an exhibition we have been looking forward to for a long time." The museum worked with descendants of the Gay family, as well as several art institutions and representatives from Coker University in order to bring the artworks together. **Educational Gallery, Through Dec. 12** - "Recollect". Celebrating 10 years in its current location and almost 100 years as an institution, "Recollect" describes the history of the museum. The exhibition takes a closer look at its earliest acquisitions and asks the viewer to consider how the museum has changed over time. Historical objects and images chronicle the past, present and future of the museum's work, including the role of museum founder Jane Beverly Evans and her vision. **Community Gallery, Ongoing** - This exhibit introduces visitors to the history of the museum and its formative collections. This gallery also exhibits the histories and diversity of the City of Florence, and the incorporated municipalities of Florence County. Additionally, the Community Gallery communicates the lives, stories and accomplishments of significant past and present citizens of Florence County and members of it's communities. This gallery is one of two permanent exhibit spaces designed by award winning exhibit design firm, HaleySharpe Design. **Pee Dee History Gallery, Ongoing** - This is the largest gallery space in the facility, comprising 3,300 sq. ft. of exhibit space. This permanent collections gallery occupies the entire second floor, east wing of the building. Artifacts are supported by historical images and narrative interpretation, giving a comprehensive introduction to the Pee Dee region from prehistory to the present. This gallery is one of two permanent exhibit spaces designed by award winning exhibit design firm, HaleySharpe Design. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 2-5pm. Contact: 843/676-1200 or visit (www.floppmuseum.org).

Steven F. Gately Gallery, Francis Marion University, 142 North Dargan Street, Florence. **Through Dec. 14** - "Jamie Azevedo: Paper Dolls". What if it were possible to gather with all the grandmothers and great-grandmothers in your family tree? Imagine the wisdom that could be shared, the stories exchanged, and the profound connection to the past brought into the present. In her latest fine art photography collection, Jamie Azevedo explores these very questions, offering a deeply evocative experience through imagery that celebrates the women who came before us. **Through Dec. 14** - "2024 FMU Annual Juried Student Exhibition," juried by Jamie Azevedo. **Ongoing** - The Steven F. Gately Gallery is a visual arts gallery located on the first floor of Francis Marion University's charmingly renovated University Place building on N. Dargan Street, Florence, SC. The gallery hosts rotating exhibitions from a variety of artists. Named for the late Steven F. Gately, a long time art professor at Francis Marion University. The Gately Gallery is an extension of Francis Marion University. The gallery's mission is to provide the community with a venue to experience a wide range of culturally diverse regional, national, and international visual artwork from emerging and established artists. Hours: Tue.-Wed., noon-6pm; Thur.-Fri., 10am-6pm & 2nd and 4th Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 843/661-4637, 843/661-4638 or at (<https://www.fmarion.edu/universityplace/>).

Fort Mill

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Florence **Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Library**, 506 South Dargan Street, 2nd floor of the library, Florence. **Ongoing** - Featuring paintings from the Mulholland-Attanasio Permanent Collection. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-6:45pm; Fri., 9am-5:15pm; & Sat., 9am-12:45pm. Contact: 843/413-7060 or at (www.florencecblibrary.org).

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Gaffney

Cherokee Alliance of Visual Artists Gallery, 210 West Frederick Street, located in the former Old Post Office building one street over from the Main Street with the City of Gaffney Visitors Center, Gaffney. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by Cherokee County artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., from 8:30am-5pm and Fri., from 8:30am-3:45pm. Contact: call Shelba Cook at 864/490-0609 or call the Visitors Center at 864/487-6244.

Georgetown

Prevost Gallery, The Rice Museum, 633 Frint Street, Georgetown. **Through Jan. 11, 2025** - "Georgetown to Coast - Let Freedom Fly," an exhibition of artworks celebrating Georgetown County by members of the Waccamaw Neck Arts Alliance. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/546-7423 or at (www.ricemuseum.org).

The South Carolina Maritime Museum, 729 Front St, Georgetown. **Ongoing** - In 1996, the Harbor Historical Association launched a dream to create a museum that would celebrate the maritime history of South Carolina and Georgetown, the state's second largest port. In 2011, with community support, the South Carolina Maritime Museum opened on the waterfront in historic downtown Georgetown. Home to the prized Fresnel lens of the old North Island lighthouse, our mission is to create enjoyable experiences for both young people and adults by featuring exhibits, programs and events related to South Carolina's rich and remarkable maritime history. Admission: Free, donations appreciated. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/520-0111 or at (scmaritimemuseum.org).

Greenville

Throughout Greenville. Ongoing - "Public Art in Greenville". The City of Greenville's long-standing support for public art is a testament to our belief that the arts enhance the quality of life for residents and visitors, and strengthen our community - socially, economically, and culturally. The City's permanent collection includes more than 120 works of public art (including sculptures, statues, murals, architectural elements/structures, historic pieces, etc.). Ongoing efforts to enhance the built environment through public art and creative placemaking contribute to the area's unique aesthetic identity, and create platforms for community engagement and dialogue. For more info visit (<https://storymaps.arcgis.com/collections/4a3096011985490b971d3f778466c9b4>).

Downtown Greenville. Ongoing - "First Fridays," featuring a gallery crawl presented on the first Fri, of the month from 6-9pm. Visit galleries throughout the downtown area. For info: (www.fristfridaysonline.com).



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Lipscomb Gallery, at South Carolina Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities, 15 University St., Greenville. **Ongoing** - We feature several exhibitions throughout each year - our own students and faculty, plus many guest artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4:30pm. Visitors are asked to sign in at the Administration Building's front desk before entering campus. Contact: 864/282-3777 or 864/282-3705.

Metropolitan Arts Council Gallery, 16 Augusta Street, Greenville. **Through Dec. 6** - "12 x 12 Exhibit," featuring new works by the participating artists from the Greenville Open Studio Tour in a unique display of 12 x 12 (x 12) inch works. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Greenville area artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/467-3132, or at (www.greenvillearts.com).

Museum & Gallery, Bob Jones University, Wade Hampton Boulevard, Greenville. **Ongoing** - "Likely and Unlikely Pairings," featuring a fascinating juxtaposition of art and mundane objects revealing a variety of viewpoints. Through this special comparative display, the unique presentation serves as an engaging tool for all viewers interested in understanding the many facets of art, culture, and thought. **Ongoing** - Permanent exhibition of the finest collection of religious art in America, including works by Rubens, Botticelli, and Van Dyck. Offering visitors a 60-minute

audio-guided tour of over 40 favored works for a modest fee. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 864/242-5100, Ext. 1050 or at (www.bjmg.org).

Thompson Gallery, Thomas Anderson Roe Art Building, Furman University, Greenville. **Jan. 6 - Feb 7** - "After You," featuring works by William Paul Thomas. A reception and art talk will be offered on Jan. 23. Filled with enigmatic family portraits and other personal mementos, "After You" is a living archive created by Thomas for his young daughter to one day explore the visible and unseen aspects of her genetic inheritance. The show is curated in partnership with the students of Furman's ART 340, who have created a participatory and multi-media experience that prompts questions into the broader ways we come to know family history, seek our heritage and establish human connection. Hours: M-F, 9am-5pm. Contact: Stephen Mandravelis by e-mail at (stephen.mandravelis@furman.edu), or call 864/294-2282.

Visual Arts Institute, on the Greer Campus of Greenville Technical College about 4 miles north of Greer on Highway 290, Locust Hill Road, Taylors. **Benson Campus Galleries, Through Dec. 9** - "2024 Visual Arts Annual Student Exhibition". The Department of Visual Arts (DVA) curriculum comprises multiple disciplines in fine art and applied art. Most of these disciplines are showcased in VAASE. For high school students considering furthering their studies in art, come see this exhibition to discover the many study possibilities at Greenville Technical College. VAASE provides a glimpse of many of the fine arts (painting, drawing, and printmaking, for example) as well as applied arts such as web design, graphic art, photography, typography and animation. VAASE speaks to DVA's goals of preparing students to move directly into the workforce or on to four-year institutions. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-7pm & Fri., 9am-2pm. Contact: Laraine Wells, Administrative Assistant at 864/848-2023 or e-mail at (laraine.wells@gvtec.edu).

Work by Victoria Vincent

Work by Clyde Lyon

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greenville **Centre Stage Theatre Gallery**, 501 River Street, Greenville. **Through Jan. 11, 2025** - "Mid-Mod Winter," featuring works by Clyde Lyon. In his first solo show, Clyde Lyon will take you back to the middle of the last century - to a time when brutalist and modern design were pushing the boundaries of art and architecture. Lyon uses the least forgiving of inputs: steel cut nails, upcycled metal components, torches, welders and grinders; to create pieces that evoke both a modern and timeless (Mid-Mod) style. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by visual art members of MAC. Exhibits are offered in collaboration with the Metropolitan Arts Council. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 2-5pm & 2 hr. prior to shows. Contact: MAC at 864/467-3132, at (www.greenvillearts.com/mac-featured-galleries/).

Greenwood

Arts Center of Greenwood, at the Federal Building, 120 Main Street, Greenwood. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat.,

1-5pm. Contact: call 864/735-3948 or at (www.artcentergreenville.org).

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10am-3pm. Contact: 864/388-7800 or at (www.emeraldtriangle.us/arts-center).

Lander University Fine Art Gallery, Cultural Center Building, 320 Stanley Ave., Greenwood. **Ongoing** - The Lander University Fine Art Gallery features a variety of exhibits throughout the year. The gallery features national and regional artist, as well as student and faculty work showcasing painting, sculpture, ceramics, graphic design, and photography. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: call Jon Holloway at 864/388-8810 or at (<https://www.facebook.com/pages/category/Art-Gallery/Lander-University-Fine-Art-Gallery-166498067092236/>).

Greer

Edward R. Driggers City of Greer Center for the Arts, 804 Trade St., Greer. **Ongoing** - Featuring artists studios. Hours: Hours: Tue., noon-8pm; Fri., 9am-3pm; & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: call Sara Odem at 864/5383 or at (<http://http://greerculturalarts.com/>).

Hartsville

Black Creek Arts Center, 116 West College Ave., Hartsville. **Jean & James Fort Gallery, Through Dec. 21** - "Annual Holiday Market". **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-1pm and 2-5pm; Fri., 10am-2pm and 1st Sat. of the month 10am-1pm. Contact: 843/332-6234 or at (www.blackcreekarts.org).

Hartsville Museum and Sculpture Courtyard, 222 North Fifth Street, corner of Fifth Street and Home Avenue, Hartsville. **Ongoing** - Housed in a 1930's Post Office Building, the museum has kept many of the unique architectural features of the building. The skylight, original to the building, has been retrofitted with stained glass panels depicting the flora and fauna significant to the area. The Sculpture Courtyard added in 2000 features many different types of sculpture. The Showcase Gallery presents special exhibits focusing on history, the arts or present day events. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm (closed from noon-1pm on Fri.). Contact: 843/383-3005 or at (www.hartsvilmuseum.org).

The Patz Fowle Visual Arts Studio, SC Governor's School for Science + Mathematics, 401 Railroad Avenue, Hartsville. **Ongoing** - A public, boarding high school for students in grades 11 and 12. The school concentrates on science and mathematics, but offers the full spectrum of the humanities as well. For info visit (www.scgssm.org).

Hilton Head Island Area

Art League of Hilton Head Gallery, at the Arts Center of Coastal Carolina, 14 Shelter Cove Lane, Hilton Head Island. **Through Jan. 3, 2025** - "Holiday Gallery of Gifts," featuring handmade gift items, jewelry, and artwork by local artists for sale this holiday season. A reception will be held Dec. 4, from 5-7pm. A festive tradition continues this holiday season as Art League Gallery is transformed into a Gallery of Gifts, featuring one-of-a-kind decor and gift items handmade by local artists. Shoppers can shop for works of art—whether paintings, photography, pottery or mixed media—artistic stocking stuffers, jewelry, and unique ornaments and holiday decor. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by members of the Art League of Hilton Head. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/681-5060 or at (www.artleagueuhi.org).



Work by Jesse Barns

Art League of Hilton Head Academy, 106 Cordillo Parkway on Hilton Head. **Dec. 3 - 5, 2024, from 10am-2pm** - Fine Art Prints, Posters, Books, and Supplies Exclusive Discounted Sale. Join us at Art League Academy for an exciting sale event that will delight art enthusiasts, collectors, and creators as we approach the season of giving. Seize the opportunity to find the ideal gift for the artist or art lover in your life, or to enrich your own collection and supplies. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: call 843/842-5738.

Coastal Discovery Museum, at Honey Horn, off Highway 278, across from Gumtree Road,



Aldwyth in front of her work "Casablanca (Classic)" 2004

Hilton Head Island. **Main Gallery, Through Mar. 23, 2025** - "This is Not: Aldwyth in Retrospect". The Coastal Discovery Museum, a Smithsonian Affiliate, is pleased to present an exhibition of the rarely seen works of Hilton Head-based artist Aldwyth. The public is invited to the opening Guest Curator Mark Sloan, former director of the Halsey Institute of Contemporary Art in Charleston, will conduct a tour of the exhibition before the reception at 4 pm. "This is Not: Aldwyth in Retrospect" spans nearly 70 years of her work, including early examples of photography, painting, and fiber, as well as her later bricolages and epic-sized collages that resemble medieval manuscript pages. **Ongoing** - Featuring a butterfly sculpture by South Carolina artist Eric Moore; work by sculptor John Van Alstine; and murals by Italian artist Htnes. Admission: FREE. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 11am-3pm. Contact: 843/689-6767 or at (www.coastaldiscovery.org).

Lake City

Acline Studios, 132 North Acline Street, Lake City. **Ongoing** - Featuring the working studios of: Ada Smolen-Morton, Ashley Hamilton, Colleen Critcher, Daniela Arenas, Douglas Gray, Elizabeth Borowsky, Jan Chenoweth, Kara Artman, Latoya Thompson, Malik Hayward, Morgan Elvington Walker, Princess Chandler, Roger Halligan, Sasha Federer, and Tiffany Thomas. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/374-0180.

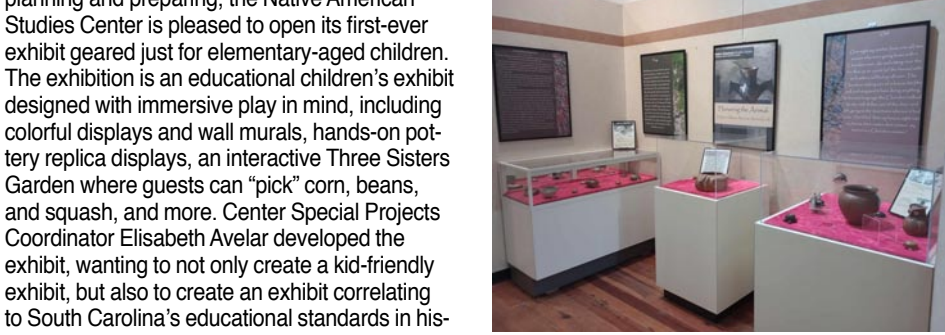
TRAX Visual Art Center, 122 Sauls Street, Lake City. **Through Dec. 28** - "Alice Ballard: Metamorphosis of Nature's Forms". Alice Ballard is a master ceramic sculptor born in Florence, SC. Ballard spent her formative years traveling and living around the world, including Paris, France, with her Air Force family before settling in her current home in Upstate South Carolina. Ballard's life's work has been centered around observing and interpreting our universal world, and its abundant life forms, into transcendent sculptural statements as a continuing reminder of the deep interconnectedness of all things. Ballard received her Masters Degree in Art from the University of Michigan before becoming a professional artist and educator. Her teaching experience spans five decades and includes artist residencies in southern Alaska, leading classrooms at Charlotte Country Day in the mid-80s, positions at Francis Marion University, Coastal Carolina, Penland School of Crafts, Arrowmont Craft School, the SC Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities Greenville, and Christ Church Episcopal Middle School. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/435-3860 or at (<https://www.traxvisualartcenter.com/>).

Lancaster

USC Lancaster Native American Studies Center, 119 South Main Street, Lancaster. **Five Points Gallery, Through Aug. 30, 2025** - "Soul of the South." Curated by the Morris Center for Lowcountry Heritage, takes visitors on a musical journey highlighting the influences that Native Americans, enslaved Africans, and the European colonizers in the Lowcountry had on various genres of music: gospel, jazz, blues, musical theater and rock and roll. Largely sponsored by Gretsch, the renowned drum and musical instrument maker, the exhibit also showcases local musicians and groups whose notoriety reached beyond the Lowcountry. **North Gallery, Through Aug. 30, 2025** - "Soul of the South." Curated by the Morris Center for Lowcountry Heritage, "Soul of the South" takes visitors on a musical journey highlighting the influences that Native Americans, enslaved Africans, and the European colonizers in the Lowcountry had on various genres of music: gospel, jazz, blues, musical theater and rock and roll. Largely sponsored by Gretsch, the

renowned drum and musical instrument maker, the exhibit also showcases local musicians and groups whose notoriety reached beyond the Lowcountry. **Red Rose Gallery, Through May 3, 2025** - "What the Fire May Gift," featuring artwork by USCL's 2023 Artist-in-Resident William "Bill" Harris, a Catawba potter and former Catawba Nation Chief. The exhibit features over 30 pieces of pottery, some created during Harris's term as the Center's 2023 Artist-in-Residence last fall, where he appeared courtesy of a 2024 South Carolina Arts Commission Folklife and Traditional Arts Grant. The exhibit also contains work from Harris' proteges Elizabeth Harris and Kent Harris, whom Harris works with as part of the group Blue Herron Clay, as well as work from his grandmother, Georgia Harris, a prolific potter who taught her grandson the traditional artform. **Duke Energy Gallery, Through Aug. 5, 2026** - "Clay and Play!". After four years of planning and preparing, the Native American Studies Center is pleased to open its first-ever exhibit geared just for elementary-aged children. The exhibition is an educational children's exhibit designed with immersive play in mind, including colorful displays and wall murals, hands-on pottery replica displays, an interactive Three Sisters Garden where guests can "pick" corn, beans, and squash, and more. Center Special Projects Coordinator Elisabeth Avelar developed the exhibit, wanting to not only create a kid-friendly exhibit, but also to create an exhibit correlating to South Carolina's educational standards in history and covering the educational disciplines of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics) and literacy. **D. Lindsay Petus Gallery, Ongoing** - "The Story of Catawba Pottery." This National Endowment for the Arts funded exhibit traces the art, culture and history of Catawba pottery, the oldest Native American pottery tradition in the United States. **Back Gallery, Semi-permanent Exhibit** - "This is Us: Native American Studies". This exhibit celebrates the history and 10th Anniversary of USCL's Native American Studies, including artifacts and artwork from Collections, and a history of the building our Native American Studies Center calls home. **Ongoing** - The Center is 15,000 square foot facility in historic downtown Lancaster. Guests will have the opportunity to tour the NAS Center's gallery spaces, archives, classrooms, and archaeology, language, and audio-visual labs. Home to the world's largest collection of Catawba Indian pottery, the NAS Center will offer exhibits of regional Native American Art, classes and programs focused on Native American history, culture, archaeology, folklore, and language. Hours: Tue., Wed., Fri., & Sat., 10am-5pm; Thur., 10am-7pm; by appt. Contact: 803/313-7172 or visit (<http://usclancaster.sc.edu/NAS/>).

Moncks Corner



View of Native American Art Exhibit

Berkeley County Museum and Heritage Center, 950 Stony Landing Road, Moncks Corner. **Through Jan. 31** - "Honoring the Animal: Effigies in Native American Art and Craft." Many thanks to the Wassamasaw Tribe of Varnertown Indians and the Native American Studies Center at USC-Lancaster for this beautiful temporary exhibit. **Ongoing** - Located within the Old Santee Canal Park, the Berkeley County Museum tells the 12,000-year-old story of the region. Exhibits and artifacts focus on the American Revolution, Native Americans, early medicine, rural electrification, and the Francis Marion National Forest. Gifts, book, prints, jewelry, and other items available in the gift shop. Admission: the museum is free, but there is a parking fee for the park. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 9am-4pm; Fri & Sat., 9am-4pm; and Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 843/899-5101 or e-mail at (info@berkeleymuseum.org).

Mount Pleasant

Sweetgrass Cultural Arts Pavilion, Mount Pleasant Memorial Waterfront Park, 99 Harry M. Hallman, Jr. Blvd., under the bridge, Mount Pleasant. **Ongoing** - The pavilion is a tribute to the generations of men and women who have carried on this African tradition for more than three centuries. Kiosks and panels tell the history of this unique craft, and the open-air facility provides a venue for local basketmakers to display and sell their wares. Hours: daily, 9am-5pm. Contact: 800/774-0006 or at (www.townofmountpleasant.com).

Marion

Marion County Museum, 101 Wilcox Avenue, Marion. **Ongoing** - Changing exhibits are displayed in two galleries downstairs. These can be local exhibits, or traveling exhibits from the South Carolina State Museum's collections. The Magnolia Room of the museum is furnished with lovely antiques once used in the Aiken-Rhett House in Charleston. These pieces were a gift from the Charleston Museum. The upstairs galleries feature a turn-of-the-century classroom, a farm room, and a variety of displays concerning the people and places of Marion County. Hours: Tues.-Fri., 9am-noon & 1-5pm. Contact: 843/423-8299 or at (<http://www.marionsc.org/museum>).

McClellanville



Work by Mary Walker

McClellanville Arts Council Gallery, McClellanville Arts Center, 733 Pinckney Street, McClellanville. **Through Jan. 4** - "Scenes from Alice in Wonderland," featuring prints by Mary Walker. Walker is a painter and printmaker living on Johns Island, SC. She has been drawn to the "Alice in Wonderland" story all her life. She decided to produce a series of prints and publish a

book which is available at the Art Council. Walker will offer a stencil monoprint workshop November 9, 9:30-5 pm at the Arts Council. **Ongoing** - Featuring a selection of artworks by area artists. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 843/887-3157 or at (www.mcclellanvilleartscouncil.com).

McCormick

The MACK, McCormick Arts Council Gallery, 115 Main Street, located in the historic Keturah Hotel, McCormick. **Ongoing, The Artisans Gallery Shop at the MACK** - Featuring works of over 30 artisans including paintings, pottery, jewelry, jacks, gourds, woodworking, textiles, soaps and more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/852-3216 or at (<http://http://mccormickarts.org/>).

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Myrtle Beach / Grand Strand

Franklin G. Burroughs · Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 South Ocean Blvd., beside Springmaid Beach, Myrtle Beach. **Through Feb. 23, 2025** - "Paul Yanko: Primary Structures". Combining architectural and organic shapes, then layering them with varying densities of vividly colored paint, abstract artist Paul Yanko creates intricately detailed compositions that draw the viewer in like a maze and invite a closer inspection. Yanko's work has focused on developing a response to abstraction that addresses nuances of color and surface along with the representation of flat and illusionistic space. He has described his work as "an ongoing exploration in the development of disparate and complex surface qualities reconciled through various means of paint application." **Through Dec. 29** - "47th Annual National Exhibition of the South Carolina Watermedia". A reception and awards ceremony will be held on Oct. 3, fro, 5:30-7:30pm. With nearly 180 entries, the Society's most competitive show in years, juror Ken Call meticulously curated a collection of 58 pieces that represent artists from coast to coast. The exhibition features many Southeastern artists, particularly those residing in Georgia, North Carolina and, of course, South Carolina. With works ranging from abstract to stark realism, the breadth of watermedia is explored and enriched through this year's Annual National Exhibition. **Ongoing** - Myrtle Beach's Franklin G. Burroughs-Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum strives to be one of the finest visual arts museums in the Carolinas. With 11 galleries that change throughout the year, Myrtle Beach's only art museum offers exhibitions featuring paintings, textiles, sculpture, photography, video, ceramics, assemblage, collage and more. A visit to the Art Museum's exhibitions can be enhanced by its lively programming, including artist receptions, tours, lectures, workshops and classes for both adults and children. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 843/238-2510 or at (www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org).

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Seacoast Artists Gallery, located at The Market Common, 3032 Nevers Street, Myrtle Beach. **Ongoing** - features the works of over 70 local artists of the Seacoast Artists Guild of South Carolina, a nonprofit visual arts organization dedicated to advancing excellence in the visual arts through teaching, exhibits, workshops and special events. Guild membership benefits include monthly meetings, programs & presentations; and opportunities to participate in Spring & Fall Art Shows and Web Gallery. Artwork includes oil, acrylic, watercolor, fiber art, mixed media, clay, metal engraved jewelry, sculpture, assemblage, and fine art photography. Art classes and workshops offered. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 843.232.7009, e-mail at (seacoastartistsgallery@gmail.com) or at (seacoastartistsguild.com).

Newberry

Newberry Arts Center, 1200 Main Street location, Newberry. **Ongoing** - The Newberry Arts Center was established in 2014 and is operated by the City's Parks, Recreation and Tourism Department. In less than a year a solid arts program was established that includes programs for all ages. The mission of the Newberry Arts Center (NAC) and Newberry Arts Program is to provide quality arts experiences to all interested citizens and increase support for working artists while creating appreciative current and future art patrons by involving the diverse population and fostering local economic growth while enhancing the quality of life for all residents. The NAC also established and hosted the first ever South Carolina Clay Conference, an annual conference for clay enthusiasts held in Newberry each year. Hours: Call for hours. Contact: 803/597-1125 or at (www.NewberryArtsCenter.com).

North Charleston



Work by Jazmo Hankins

Park Circle Gallery, formerly the Olde Village Community Building, 4820 Jenkins Avenue, in the bustling Park Circle neighborhood of North Charleston. **Dec. 4 - 28** - "The Ether and the Innerspace," featuring drawings and paintings by Jazmo Hankins. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-7pm. Hankins of Mount Pleasant, SC, presents a collection of drawings and paintings that explore the origins of ideas and dreams. Do they come from within or without? **Dec. 4 - 28** - "Don't It Feel Good?," featuring oil paintings by Lucius Nelson. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-7pm. The exhibit is a decadent romp through the surreal Southern gumbo of late-stage consumer culture, spiritual short-circuiting, and human resilience. Borrowing from the methods and imagery of the Renaissance, Nelson's oil paintings bask in the syrupy collision of the high-class and the lowbrow. What emerges is at once beautiful and grotesque. **Ongoing** - In addition to the monthly exhibitions, the "gift shop" at the North Charleston City Gallery, which features a variety of items by local artists, will also be moved to PCG. Cultural Arts will also continue to host art workshops and recurring meetings for art groups and guilds in the space once gatherings are safe to resume. Admission: Free. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 11am-6pm & Sat., noon-4pm. Contact: 843/740-5854, or at (<https://www.northcharleston.org/residents/arts-and-culture/>).

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet



View of Brookgreen Gardens during the Nights of a Thousand Candles event

Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Garden Drive, US 17, south of Murrells Inlet. **Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "Nights of a Thousand Candles". See Brookgreen Gardens come to life amid the soft glow of more than 2,700 hand-lit candles and millions of sparkling lights. From 4 - 9pm, walk the paths with a warm cup of cider, hear the sounds of holiday music, and celebrate the season with family and friends! For ticket info visit (www.brookgreen.org). **The Stanley and Naomi**

in Show, Outstanding Merit, and Honorable Mentions will be selected by the juror, Lauren Nye. Participating sculptors include: Ann Melanie of Anderson, SC (HONORABLE MENTION); Adam Walls of Hope Mills, NC; Bob Doster of Lancaster, SC; Beau Lyday of Valdese, NC; Carl Billingsley of Ayden, NC; Corrina Sephora of Atlanta, GA; Doug McAbee of Laurens, SC (HONORABLE MENTION); Hanna Jubran of Grimesland, NC (BEST IN SHOW); Joni Younkins-Herzog of Athens, GA (HONORABLE MENTION); Mark Chatterley of Williamston, MI (OUTSTANDING MERIT); and Matthew Newman of Damascus, VA. Organized by the City of North Charleston Cultural Arts Department and presented as a component of the annual North Charleston Arts Fest, this unique exhibition offers established and emerging artists the opportunity to display their inspiring and extraordinary sculptures throughout the picturesque North Charleston Riverfront Park, set along the banks of the Cooper River. An estimated 50,000 people visit this public park annually to enjoy the amenities located in the heart of the city's arts community. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: call 843/740-5854, visit (NorthCharlestonArtsFest.com) or at (<https://www.northcharleston.org/residents/arts-and-culture/>).

Orangeburg

Cecil Williams Civil Rights Museum, 1865 Lake Drive, Orangeburg. **Ongoing** - Established in 2019, the exquisite ultra-modern facility displays 1000 images of the Civil Rights Movement, but from the perspective of The Epochal South Carolina Events That Changed America. The massive archives comprise the largest collection of images of this type among all museums in the United States; including the Atlanta based High Museum which archives 300 images. The images were created by the founder, Cecil Williams, who began photography at age 9 and covered almost all historically significant events in South Carolina; from 1959 Briggs v. Elliot in Summerton, thru the 1969 Charleston Hospital Workers' Strike...and Beyond. From 1955 through 1969, Williams was a freelance journalist for "JET" magazine. His images have appeared in thousands of magazines, newspapers, historical publications, and motion picture productions. The museum design itself is part of the founders' DNA because; upon graduating from high school, Williams wanted to attend Clemson University to study architecture but denied because of his race. He then purchased a drafting board and through the years, designed three residences; including one featured in "EBONY", and the museum's design which has evolved into a living history facility. Hours: call ahead for hours. Contact: call 803-531-1662 or at (www.cecilwilliams.com).

Lusty Gallery, Orangeburg County Fine Arts Center, Edisto Memorial Gardens, 649 Riverside Drive, Orangeburg. **Through Dec. 20** - "Falling Into Self, Cultivating What's Within," the first showing of works by the emerging Orangeburg artist, Xavier Harris. Passion and compassion are the two words that immediately come to mind when studying the collection Harris is building for his first solo exhibition. Hanging in the expansive space of the Lusty Gallery that uniquely complements any works on its walls, the space adds an aura of its own to canvases confidently vaunting a bold use of colors. Like many methodical pieces, Harris' implies an easily exacted work instead of the hours of experimentation and fusing efforts to match the mood of his senses, visually and emotionally. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8:30am-4:30pm & Fri., 8:30am-noon. Contact: Vivian Glover at 803-606-7770 or at (<https://orangeburgarts.org/>).

Rock Hill

Center for the Arts, 121 East Main St., Rock Hill. **Dec. 12, 2024, from 7 - 9pm** - "2024 Art Frency" at Hopkin' Rock Hill, 110 Southern St., Rock Hill. "Art Frency" provides an opportunity for new and established art patrons to start or add to their art collections with high quality local and regional artwork at affordable prices. Enjoy a frosty beverage from one of Hopkin's many taps while you listen to live music by Ryan Lockhart and bid on your favorite works of art. Expect to find 50 works in a wide variety of artistic styles of art available for auction at the 2024 Art Frency. Invitational artists were selected because of their reputation and respect among their peers and the community, as well as for their continuing support of the Arts Council of York County. Artwork juried into the event by Harriet Marshall Goode and Mike Gentry includes works by emerging and established artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-6pm; Fri., 9am-5pm; and on 2nd and 4th weekends, Sat., 10am-2pm; & Sun., 2-4pm. Contact: 803/328-2787 or at (<http://www.yorkcountyarts.org>).

Museum of York County, 4621 Mt. Gallant Road, Rock Hill. **Through Dec. 15** - "Return to Earth," features photographs of actual fungi by Mike Hammer. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 803/329-2121 or at (<http://chmuseums.org>).

Bleifeld Gallery, Ongoing - All the works on view in the Bleifeld Gallery are from the collection of Brookgreen Gardens. The gallery showcases the work of historic and contemporary sculptures whose subjects are taken from the natural world. It includes work by Anna Hyatt Huntington, Gertrude Lathrop, Stanley Bleifeld, Grainger McKoy, Sandy Scott, Kent Ulberg, and numerous other prominent sculptors, past and present. The gallery officially opened in Feb. 2017. **Ongoing** - "Lowcountry: Change and Continuity," a major new exhibit, tells the story of human interaction with this land over the centuries. It features wall size photomurals by SC naturalist photographer Tom Blagden, along with a range of artifacts tracing the history of man's occupation of this extraordinary landscape. **General Gardens, Ongoing** - One of the largest collections of outdoor sculpture in America. This preeminent collection of American representational sculpture includes - 560 works by 240 artists - representing such well-known artists as Charles Parks, Daniel Chester French, Carl Milles, August Saint-Gaudens and Anna Hyatt Huntington. Hours: daily, 9:30am-5pm. Admission: Yes. Admission to Brookgreen is good for seven days. Contact: 843/235-6000, 800-849-1931, or at (www.brookgreen.org).

Richburg

Olde English District Visitors Center & Market, 3200 Commerce Drive, Suite A, Richburg. **Ongoing** - This is your one stop shop for finding specialty food products, art (pottery, jewelry, etc.) and many other local, unique items from our region. We also carry a variety of South Carolina souvenirs. Hours: daily, 9am-5pm. Contact: 803/385-6800 or at (www.oldeenglishmarket.com).

Ridgeland

Morris Center for Lowcountry Heritage, 10782 Jacob Smart Blvd. S., on US 17, in a 1937 historic Sinclair Service Station, Ridgeland. **Through Feb. 22, 2025** - "Language of Clay: Catawba Indian Pottery and Oral Tradition". This immersive exploration of Catawba pottery, curated by the University of South Carolina Lancaster's Native American Studies Center, promises to captivate audiences with its profound connection to oral traditions. Pottery making is the single most unbroken material tradition of the Catawba Nation's long history and is still done with methods handed down through generations. The "Language of Clay" features dozens of clay pottery pieces created by Catawba artisans from the 19th century to the present that represent various Catawba traditions and legends. **Ongoing** - Morris Center for Lowcountry Heritage hosts exhibitions on local history, art, and culture. We also provide hands-on art workshops throughout the year. Admission: FREE. Hours: Tue.-Sat., from 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/284-9227 or at (www.MorrisHeritageCenter.org).

Ridge Spring

Art Association of Ridge Spring Gallery, Art Center in Ridge Spring, located behind the Ridge Spring Civic Center, 108 Maintenance Shop Circle, Ridge Spring. **Ongoing** - The Center contains works in a variety of media by: Ron Buttler, D.S. Owens, Carolyn Boatwright, Betsy Connelly, Kedryn Evans, Jessica Goodman, Melanie Knight, John Zurlo, Donna Minor, Joanne Crouch, Gloria Grizzle, Linda Lake, Gwen Power, Deborah Reeves, Marion Webb, and Barbara Yon. It is also home of the Ridge Quilt Trail. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: 803/685-5577 or e-mail to (artass-ridgespring@gmail.com).

Rock Hill

Center for the Arts, 121 East Main St., Rock Hill. **Dec. 12, 2024, from 7 - 9pm** - "2024 Art Frency" at Hopkin' Rock Hill, 110 Southern St., Rock Hill. "Art Frency" provides an opportunity for new and established art patrons to start or add to their art collections with high quality local and regional artwork at affordable prices. Enjoy a frosty beverage from one of Hopkin's many taps while you listen to live music by Ryan Lockhart and bid on your favorite works of art. Expect to find 50 works in a wide variety of artistic styles of art available for auction at the 2024 Art Frency. Invitational artists were selected because of their reputation and respect among their peers and the community, as well as for their continuing support of the Arts Council of York County. Artwork juried into the event by Harriet Marshall Goode and Mike Gentry includes works by emerging and established artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-6pm; Fri., 9am-5pm; and on 2nd and 4th weekends, Sat., 10am-2pm; & Sun., 2-4pm. Contact: 803/328-2787 or at (<http://www.yorkcountyarts.org>).

Museum of York County, 4621 Mt. Gallant Road, Rock Hill. **Through Dec. 15** - "Return to Earth," features photographs of actual fungi by Mike Hammer. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 803/329-2121 or at (<http://chmuseums.org>).

The Rock Hill Pottery Center, Getty's Art Center, 201 East Main Street, in Old Town Rock Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Bob Hasselle, Christine White, Katherine Petke, Hope Fregerio, and Brian Schauer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm and Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: call 803/370-8109 or find then on Facebook.

Winthrop University Galleries, Rutledge Building, Winthrop University, Rock Hill. **Rutledge Gallery, Through Dec. 13** - "Tyronne Get-er Exhibition". A reception will be held on Nov. 7, from 5:30-7pm. **Elizabeth Dunlap Patrick Gallery, Through Dec. 13** - "Marissa Paternoster and Marysa Picket Exhibition". A reception will be held on Nov. 7, from 5:30-7pm. Hours: Mon., Wed. & Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: call 803/323-2493, e-mail Karen Derksen, Galleries director, at (derksenk@winthrop.edu) or at (www.winthrop.edu/arts).

Seneca Area

Blue Ridge Arts Council Gallery, 111 E. South 2nd & Townville Streets, Seneca. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 20** - "One-Woman Show by Melody Davis". **Foyer Gallery, Through Dec. 20** - "Night Scene". **Members Gallery, Through Dec. 20** - "Opposites Attract," featuring works by Brittany Fyffe and Stephanie DeRyke. **Classroom Gallery, Through Dec. 20** - "Black & White & Annual Pop-Up Sale". Hours: Wed.-Fri., 1-4pm and Sat., 10am-1pm. Contact: 864/290-4476 during gallery hours, 727/457-5274 until 6pm or (www.blueridgeartscenter.com).

Spartanburg

Throughout downtown Spartanburg, 3rd Thursday, from 5-8pm - "Spartanburg ArtWalk," a free self-guided tour through participating galleries across Spartanburg's Cultural District. Contact: visit (www.chapmanculturalcenter.org).

Throughout downtown Spartanburg's Cultural District, Ongoing - The Creative Crosswalk Project is a public art initiative in which local artists and designers design and paint a series of crosswalk murals, transforming the crosswalks into works of art, on Main Street in Spartanburg, SC. The downtown cultural district area is often bustling with events and pedestrians, and the pedestrians rely heavily on a multitude of crosswalks to safely traverse the downtown Spartanburg area. The problem is that crosswalks are incredibly easy to overlook, they are rarely visually appealing, and they can even be quite dangerous. In an effort to remedy these issues, Chapman Cultural Center, the City of Spartanburg, and the Spartanburg Area Chamber of Commerce came together to organize the Creative Crosswalk Project. For more info visit ([https://www.chapmancultural](https://www.chapmanculturalcenter.org/pages/blog/detail/article/c0a1555/)

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28 - "Annual Holiday Artisan Market". Looking ahead at the holidays, do you often think you'd like to give unique gifts – one-of-a-kind pieces that the recipient will really cherish? Sure, there are websites offering such items, but why not "shop local" at the Artists Collective I Spartanburg. "This much-anticipated annual market will feature works of 38 regional artists. These works will include everything from acrylic paintings to sculptures, jewelry, photography, ceramics, and just about everything in between," says Nancy Williamson, one of the artists and chairperson of the Holiday Artisan Market Committee. "Every piece is original and unique, and sure to please any recipient, and while you're at it, pick up something – or a few things – for yourself." Prices of the art will range from under \$5 to more than \$1,000. **Ongoing** - The Collective features a twenty thousand square foot facility offering affordable studio space, retail space, three galleries, a full ceramics studio, printery, and works by 50 local artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm; with extended hours on the 3rd Thur. of each month until 9pm for Spartanburg's Art Walk. Contact: 864/804-6501 or at (artistscollectivespartanburg.org).



Work by Maggie Genoble

Curtis R. Harley Art Gallery, Performing Arts Center, USC-Upstate, 800 University Way, Spartanburg. **Through Dec. 13** - "Pink Noise," featuring works by Jessica Swank & Maggie Genoble. **Ongoing** - Directed and curated by Leah Cabinum. Featuring selections from the permanent collection by artists Andy Warhol, Jerry Uelsmann and Beatrice Riese. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: e-mail Leah Cabinum at (lcabinum@uscupstate.edu).

Guild Gallery, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg, Chapman Cultural Center, 200 East St. John St. Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by member artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: Caitlin Boice at 864/764-9568 or at (www.artistsguildspartanburg.org).

Justine V.R. "Nita" Milliken Wing, Milliken Fine Arts Building, Converse College, Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - Featuring a collection of 52 prints, given by Spartanburg resident Frank Toms which includes works by Joan Miro, Salvador Dali, Alexander Calder, Helmut Newton and others. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/596-9181 or e-mail at (artdesign@converse.edu).

Mayfair Art Studios, a division of Chapman Cultural Center, 1885 Hayne Street, within the Arcadia Mill Village, Spartanburg. **1st Fri. of the month** - "First Fridays" – Open Studios for its resident creatives to showcase their work. At First Fridays, resident creatives open their studio doors so the public can gain perspective on their creative process. You'll be able to view the latest work from the creatives while getting to know each of what and what drives their creativity. Explore their's Made at Mayfair! PLUS - August's First Friday will feature an Art Market with additional creatives so you can shop from local arts and craftspeople! Featured Artists: Sarah Smith: The River Goat; Rosetta Nesbitt: Art by Rosetta Nesbitt; Dierdre Holland: T's Creations; Jan Pruitt: Granny Jan's Homemade Fudge; and Keith Hansen: Mission Pens. Beer and wine are available for those 21+. **Ongoing** - Works by Carl Tait and Harold Krisel are on display. Tait was a successful painter, textile designer, and interior designer. His ties to the Spartanburg community originate from his longtime employment at Milliken and Company. Tait was born in Old Town, Maine in 1917 and graduated from the New Hampshire Institute of Arts and Science. In the late 1940s, he moved to New York City where he designed an exclu-

sive line of ladies' handkerchiefs for the department store B. Altman, now considered vintage, collectible items. He also became associated with the American Artist Group designing Christmas cards, an occupation which he kept up throughout the majority of his artistic career. Krisel was a distinguished artist, architect, and teacher as well as a loving father and husband. Though Krisel may not be a household name among Spartanburg residents, he has made a significant artistic contribution to the Spartanburg community. Born in Brooklyn, NY in 1920, Krisel's interest in art and design started at a young age. He attended the American Artist School in New York city as a teenager where he met renowned modern artists, including Piet Mondrian, who greatly influenced his abstract style. After studying architecture at the New Bauhaus in Chicago from 1946-1949, he received his graduate degree from Illinois Institute of Technology in 1952. The following year, he began working for architectural firm Skidmore, Owings and Merrill when Roger Milliken hired them to design Milliken's new research facility in Spartanburg. Upon realizing Krisel was also a sculptor, Milliken hired him to design the spray fountain outside of the facility which functions as a recycler of air conditioning water. He then went on to design the Trident Fountain located outside of the Papadopoulos building on Wofford College's campus. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-7pm & Sat, 9am-3pm. Contact: 864-278-3228 or at (https://www.mayfairartstudios.org/).

Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts, Wofford College, Spartanburg. **Richardson Family Art Museum, Through Dec. 13** - "The League of Extraordinary Artists: The Art Students League of New York and Its Impact on Southern Art Presented by the Johnson Collection". Since its inception 150 years ago, the Art Students League of New York has been a leader in defining and nurturing American art. Many of the country's brightest luminaries have been formed in its Manhattan halls, and it remains a prestigious proving-ground for artists. Eschewing formal degrees or a standardized curriculum, the Art Students League instead employs the classical atelier method, where instructors mentor and collaborate with students in small studio groups. Artists with ties to the American South have been pivotal in building the brand, the reach, and the reputation of the Art Students League. Featured artists include: Sigmund Abeles, Charles Alston, Carroll Cloar, Josephine Couper, Sidney Dickinson, Lamar Dodd, Jeanne Dreskin, Anne Goldthwaite, Marie Hull, Rockwell Kent, Margaret Law, Blanche Lazzell, Norman Lewis, Blondelle Malone, Mabel Pugh, Haywood Rivers, Oli Sihovnen, Theodoros Stamos, Eugene Thomason, Edmund Yaghjian, and Rufus Zogbaum. **Through Dec. 13** - "Insider Addition: Folk and Self-Taught Art in the American South". The exhibition is a glimpse into the unconventional mixed media art of folk, self-taught, and community-trained artists from the American South. While many of these artists never intended for their creations to fill the walls of galleries and museums, their talent, long overlooked by the mainstream art world, was noticed by Asheville- and St. Simon's Island-based artist and collector Randy Siegel. His collection, as seen in this exhibition, showcases various ways in which artists interpret and express the unique culture of their Southern communities. Featured artists include: Z B Armstrong, Hawkins Boulden, Adam Brandau, Thornton Dial, Sam Doye, Minnie Evans, Howard Finster, Carlton Garrett, Bessie Harvey, Lonnie Holley, Clementine Hunter, Anderson Johnson, George Kornegay, Charlie Lucas, Ethel Mae Matthews, J.T. "Jake" McCord, Gertrude Morgan, Nellie Mae Rowe, Lorenzo Scott, John Serl, Mary T. Smith, Lizzie Wilkinson, Purvis Young, and Malcah Zeldis. **Ongoing** - Featuring the Cerise and Amber Persian Ceiling sculptures created by renowned American sculptor Dale Chihuly. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue, Wed, Fri., & Sat., 1-5pm; Thur., 1-9pm; and closed Sun. & Mon. Contact: call 864/597-4180 or at (www.wofford.edu).

Spartanburg Art Museum, Chapman Cultural Arts Center, 200 East St. John Street, Spartanburg. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 31** - "Winston Wingo Solo Exhibition". This exhibition "making it," is a retrospective show with group of works spanning his career as an artist creating drawings, painting, and sculptures over a number of years from four series of works. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Closed on national holidays. Contact: 864/582-7616 or at (www.spartanburgartmuseum.org).

USC Upstate Art Gallery, Chapman Cultural Center, 200 E. St. John Street, Spartanburg. **Through Dec. 20** - "Sights Unseen," featuring works by Jonathan Pritchard. **Ongoing** - Directed by Leah Cabinum, the gallery features



Works by Jonathan Pritchard

the work of diverse artists from the Southeast and beyond. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm, Thur. 10am-7pm & Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: e-mail Leah Cabinum at (lcabinum@uscupstate.edu).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Spartanburg **Campus of University of South Carolina Upstate**, 800 University Way, Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - "USC Upstate Outdoor Sculpture Collection". Available to viewers year-round, these 13 works can be seen in front of the Campus Life Center, the Humanities and Performing Arts Center, the Horace C. Smith Science Building, Tukey Theatre and the Kathryn Hicks Visual Arts Center. While the majority of the outdoor sculptures belong to internationally acclaimed artist Bob Doster, other artists included are Jim Gallucci, Daingerfield Ashton, Winston Wingo, Dan Millspaugh, Adam Walls, and Hanna Jubran. Contact: e-mail Leah Cabinum at (lcabinum@uscupstate.edu).

Headquarters Library, Spartanburg County Public Libraries, 151 South Church Street, Spartanburg. **Crutchfield Gallery, Through Dec. 4** - "11th Annual Juried Exhibition," featuring works by artists from both North and South Carolina, juried by Freda Sue. This year's juror is Freda Sue. A Taiwanese native. She serves as an Assistant Professor and the Foundations Coordinator at the University of South Carolina Upstate in her adopted home of South Carolina. She earned her MFA from the Savannah College of Art and Design, and is an active member of the Contemporary Print Collective and the Taiwan Society of Printmaking. **AT&T Exhibition Lobby, Ongoing** - Displaying exhibitions year round ranging from art exhibits to local history to nationwide exhibits of varying topics. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat., 9am-6pm; and Sun., 1:30-6pm. Contact: Miranda Mims Sawyer by e-mail at (mirandas@infodepot.org) or call 864/285-9091. **The Upper Level Gallery (administrative office on the 3rd floor), Ongoing** - Display local artisans artwork. Hours: Mon. & Wed., 10am-6pm; Tue., Thur., & Fri., 10am-4pm; and Sat., 10am-1pm. Contact: Miranda Mims Sawyer by e-mail at (mirandas@infodepot.org) or call 864./285-9091.

Summerton

Lake Marion Artisan's Gallery, 108 Main Street, Summerton. **Ongoing** - Operated by the Lake Marion Artisans (LMA) an organization which is committed to enriching the surrounding communities of Lake Marion through the arts. As such, we promote and showcase everything from unique crafts to fine arts, much of which are creations of our local artisans. Our website provides news, educational information, and links to selected resources of interest to those interested in the Arts. Hours: check for hours. Contact: e-mail to (lakemarionartisans3@gmail.com) or visit (https://sites.google.com/site/summertonartisans/).

Summerville

The Public Works Art Center, 135 West Richardson Avenue, intersection of West Richardson

Avenue and Cedar Street, Summerville. **Ongoing - Sculpture in the South Studio**, the organization which purchases sculpture and places it around downtown Summerville. **CCAC Studio Gallery, Ongoing** - Now the permanent home of the Carnes Crossroads Artist Cooperative. The CCAC has handcrafted items for sale and offers classes in a variety of media. The CCAC also has an Online Store that features handcrafted items from many of the artist members. The Online Store is at (www.carnescrossroadsartistcooperative.com). New items are added each week and FREE SHIPPING is always available in the 48 contiguous United States. **Ongoing** - Offering studio spaces for artists, engaging exhibitions, art classes for adults and children, a boutique gift shop, music events, an outdoor market, a special event rental space, and so much more. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/900-3225. e-mail to (info@publicworksartcenter.org) or at (https://publicworksartcenter.org/).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Summerville **Downtown Summerville**, Main Street and West Fifth Street South, Summerville. **Currently** - With the cooler weather, now is a perfect time to take a walking tour through beautiful Summerville to see the sculptures around town. Consider this route to see a number of sculptures while you enjoy the outdoors! Start with picking up the walking tour brochure at the Visitors' Center, located at 401 N. Main Street, they are open 9am to 5pm. While there, see Bobbe Gentry's "Fantasy Flight". **Ongoing** - Sculpture In The South has been instrumental in placing 43 bronze pieces around Summerville including the Public Sculpture Collection and the B.I.R.D.S. Sculpture Trail. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/851-7800 or at (www.sculptureinthesouth.com).

Sumter

Sumter County Gallery of Art, Sumter County Cultural Center, 135 Haynesworth St., Sumter. **Artisan Center Gift Shop** - Featuring art objects from local and regional artists. Hours: Tues-Sat 11-5pm & Sun., 1:30-5pm. Contact: 803/775-0543 or at (www.sumtergallery.org).

Travelers Rest

White Rabbit Fine Art Gallery, 5 So. Main Street, Travelers Rest. **Ongoing** - Featuring original artwork made by local and regional artists on an ongoing basis, with new guests monthly, including works by: Susan Savage, Kymberlea Easter, Patty Cunningham, Robert "Artsy Bob" Havens, Crystal Knope, Cathryn Rice, Steve Wallace, Gayle Latuszek, Amanda Franklin, and Nancy Yan, among others. Pieces include 2D and 3D work, scarves and household items. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm; Sun., 11am-3pm; (whiterabbitfineartgallery@gmail.com).

Walterboro

SC Artisans Center, 334 Wichman Street, 2 miles off I95, exits 53 or 57, Walterboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring work of over 300 of the SC's leading artists. The Center offers educational and interpretive displays of Southern folklife. Its mission is to enhance the appreciation and understanding of the rich cultural heritage of South Carolina. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 843/549-0011 or at (http://www.scartisanscenter.com).

Westminster

The Gateway Arts Center of Westminster South Carolina, 213 E. Windsor Street, Westminster. **Ongoing** - Through active collaboration with the Westminster Music Centre, Mountain Lakes Convention and Visitors Bureau, Westminster Depot and other local non profit arts organizations; by establishing an active membership; and with a well-rounded schedule of yearly events that complements established venues: it is our mission to help open the doors of creativity to everyone. Hours: Thur.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm, (during exhibits). Contact: 864/613-2211 or (https://gatewayartscenter.net).

SC Commercial Galleries

Editor's Note: I wish I could tell you that everything listed here is open or every event would happen, but we just don't know for sure and I don't blame any of the presenters if we were the last thing on your minds while dealing with this current disaster. My best advice to you is call before you go to visit someplace or go to see an exhibit listed. That's mostly for the areas hit by Hurricane Helene, in this case, Upstate SC.

Aiken / North Augusta

Lee-Johnston Originals and Art, 401 W. Martintown Rd., on the courtyard of the North Hills Shopping Center, Suite 10, North Augusta. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-produced fine and decorative art, ranging from limited-edition photographic prints to hand-stitched quilts, by local and regional artists, including: Nancy B. Smith, R.R. Frazier, and Joni-Dee Ross. The

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gallery also carries books and original greeting cards. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 803/8198533.

The Artists' Parlor, 126 Laurens Street, N.W., Aiken. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine American crafts and art objects. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 803/648-4639.

Wild Hare Pottery, 1627 Georgia Avenue at the corner of Alpine Avenue, N. Augusta. **Ongoing** - Featuring handcrafted pottery in porcelain, earthenware, stoneware, and raku by David Stuart. Hours: M-F, 10am-5pm. (Call ahead.) Contact: 803/279-7813.

Anderson

Brushstrokes, 1029 S. McDuffie St., Anderson. **Ongoing** - Uniquely painted furniture, faux finishes and original artwork featuring the works of Pamela Tillinghast Sullivan. Hours: Mon.-Tues. or by appt.; Wed.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 864/261-3751.

Beaufort Area

Downtown Beaufort, 1st Friday of the Month, 5-8pm - "First Friday Art Walk".

Atelier Off Bay, 203 West Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring a group of 14 working professional artist's studios and galleries open to the public in Historic Beaufort. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/379-0186 or at (www.atelieroffbay.com).

BASecamp Gallery, 500 Carteret Street, Ste. D, Beaufort. **Seasonally** - The Beaufort Digital Corridor supports Beaufort's visual arts community through BASecamp Gallery where local artists are invited to display and sell their work. We host a quarterly artist reception to introduce the newest exhibiting artist and invite our members and community art lovers to attend. Hours: call ahead. Contact: 843/470-3506 or at (www.beauforddigital.com/community/gallery).

Beaufort River Glass, 812 Bay Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - We offer many home accents, garden accents, functional art, original paintings, and much more! Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/379-5445 or at (https://www.beaufortriverglass.com).

Charles Street Gallery, 914 Charles Street, @ Charles & Greene Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Located in a lovingly restored building, we offer custom framing and handcrafted furniture, and feature exhibits by local artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 843/521-9054 or at (www.thecharlesstreetgallery.com).

Green Herring Art and Framing Studio, 917 Bay Street Suite G, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Hank D. Herring specializes in framing and mixed media art. See his work or schedule an appointment for custom framing. Contact: 843/501-1806.

I.Pinckney Simons Gallery LLC, 711 Bay Street, downtown Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Since 1979, the I. Pinckney Simons Gallery has endeavored as art consultants to both clients and artists to educate, collect, and place original art. We specialize in the personal interest of the client whether it is antique American paintings, regional artists, or artists of a designated locale. Today, we stay current with contemporary established artists of our Southeastern Region with interest in the Lowcountry. Our gallery exhibits a fine collection of over 30 award winning artists offering original paintings in all mediums, sculpture, glass, jewelry, and beautiful hand sculpted ceramic vessels. Commissions are always considered to complete specific interests of clients. We look forward to your gallery visit in person or virtual. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-4:30pm & Sat., 11am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 843/379-4774 or at (www.ipsgallery.com).

Legacy Art Gallery, 917 Bay Street, located in the Old Bay Marketplace, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring original artwork of the Southern - Gullah legacy. Original paintings, prints and gifts of the artist, Lisa Gilyard-Rivers. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: at (www.legacyartgallery.com).

Longo Gallery, 103 Charles Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring new works including paintings, collages and constructions by Eric Longo & sculptures by Suzanne Longo. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/522-8933.

Ly Bensons Gallery, 870 Sea Island Parkway, Frogmore, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring the exhibits, "The Gullah/African Link" and "Out of Africa," featuring rare Shona Verdite sculptures by various artists from Zimbabwe, Africa, and

original photographs by Gullah photographer and gallery owner Rev. Kenneth F. Hodges. Also, an array of antiques, batiks, and artworks for the discerning collector. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 843/525-9006 or at (www.lybensons.com).

Melissa Lyons Art, 805 Bay Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring classic, timeless, original artwork with a coastal, rustic vibe. Lyons says, "I am a God taught artist featured in Target stores, on HGTV, and more! Shop for my original artwork at (www.melissalyonsart.com) or stop by to see me paint in person!" Hours: by chance. Contact: at (www.melissalyonsart.com).

Mystic Osprey Gallery, 23B Market, #1, Habershaw Marketplace, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Mystic Osprey Gallery showcases artists from around the country who explore Nature, Habitat, and Our Place Within and the work includes original paintings, sculptures, prints, jewelry, and ceramics. The Osprey celebrates nature. We hope these artistic and symbolic representations of nature, habitat, and how we as humans fit into this environment might help us become better stewards of our planet, its fauna, and flora. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-6pm or by appt. Contact: 843/475-6781 or at (https://www.mysticosprey.com/).

Rhett Gallery, 901 Bay St., Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring prints and paintings of the Lowcountry by four generations of artists, wildfowl carvings by William Means Rhett, antique prints & maps, Audubons, and Civil war material. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5:30pm; Sun. 11am-2pm. Contact: 843/524-3339 or at (www.rhettgallery.com).

Thibault Gallery, 815 Bay Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - This gallery is a haven for talented artists to showcase their art, as well as an attraction for tourists and locals alike. Here you will find original art in a variety of mediums, from oil paintings and water color paintings, to fine art photography. Watch our artists at work. You can commission a one-of-a-kind piece or take home something that fits in your bag. From large wall art and giclee prints to note cards and postcards, we have it all. You will always find just the right gift for someone special, or that perfect artwork to make your room complete. We welcome you to stop in often as we will always have new and interesting things. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/379-4278 or at (www.ThibaultGallery.com).

Windhorse Gallery & Marketplace, @ The Shed, 809 Paris Avenue, Port Royal. **Ongoing** - Located in front of our woodworking studio @ The Shed in the heart of Port Royal, SC. Windhorse is a culmination of custom & one-of-a-kind furniture pieces, coastal inspired but far from ordinary works by local & regional artists, small-production & natural wines, artisanal cheeses, and other specialty delights. With a rotating collection of local & national artists and a seasonal selection of wines, Windhorse will feature works that inspire the mind and wines that transport the palate. Hours: Tue.-Wed., 11am-4pm & Thur.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact: 843/795-2429 or at (https://windhorsegalleryandmarketplace.com/).

Belton

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Beaufort **Coastal Art Supply**, 216 West Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - Featuring art supplies for professionalists, hobbyists, and beginners of all ages with great prices! Art activities for children. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/524-2787 or e-mail to (coastalartsupply@gmail.com).

Carlene Shuler Brown Gallery, 3605 Old Williamston Road, Belton. **Ongoing** - Original watercolor paintings and prints by Carlene Shuler Brown. Also acrylic collages and paper collages using stained papers, oriental papers and lace papers by Carlene Shuler Brown. Commissioned paintings Painting and drawing classes are offered. Custom framing is offered also. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 864/225-3922.

Bluffton

Ben Ham Gallery, 210 Bluffton Road, old Town, Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Located in the heart of Historic downtown Bluffton, SC in one of the hottest areas in the Lowcountry and a short drive from Palmetto Bluff and Hilton Head Island. Ben designed and built the interior of the Lowcountry style building. It is the perfect space to see his stunning pieces. Hours: Call for hours. Contact: 843/815-6200 or at (www.benhamimages.com).

Calhoun Street Gallery, 44 Calhoun Street, Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring SC artists Michael Story and Jane Word, and local Bluffton

artists Robert Sefton, Judith Beckler, Jay Kenaga, Linda Schwartz, Rima Bartkiene, as well as 18th & 19th century antique art, and many more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., noon-3pm. Contact: 843/837-4434 or at (www.redschoolhouseantiques.com).

Four Corners Art Gallery and Fine Framing, 1263 May River Rd., Historic District, Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by 12 artists with an especially local flavor. The works are in acrylic, oil, mixed media, pen and ink, pottery and wire sculpture. A real treat. We have a fine collection of custom picture frame mouldings and an experienced staff to work with anything from the unusual to the museum treated piece. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 11am-2pm. Contact: 843/757-8185.



Work by Murray Sease

La Petite Galerie, in a lovely historic space at 56 Calhoun Street (adjacent to The Store) in old town Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring six of the area's favorite artists, this special collection is an ever-changing delight, with many pieces spilling out into the adjacent garden. In addition to the oil, acrylic, watercolor, pencil and mixed media pieces, plus sculpture, you'll find lovely handmade jewelry, blown and fused glass, whimsical and soulful clay pieces, wonderful copper "spinners," fish, turtles, and other fun garden art. Visit soon to see this special little gallery – you are likely to catch one of the artists on duty sketching or painting on the shady garden deck! Hours: daily 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/707-4280 or at (lapetitegalerie.com).

Maye River Gallery, 37 Calhoun St., Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by painters Cindy Chiappetta, Jo Dye, Anne Hakala, Judy Saylor McElynn, Audrey Montgomery, Joyce Nagel, Mary Grayson Segars, Barbara Snow and Kathy Tortorella work in a wide variety of mediums including Oil, Watermedia, Printmaking, Collage and Mixed Media, while expressing equally divergent points of view. Also part of the group, Marci Tressel, resident photographer; Earline Allen, porcelain artist; two jewelers: Susan Knight, silversmith and Paulette Bennett, lamp work bead artist, as well as Donna Ireton, contemporary basket maker and newest member, Laura Burcin, fiber artist. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-2633 or at (http://www.mayerivergallery.com/).

Pluff Mudd Art, 27 Calhoun St., Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Terry Brennan, Bob Berman, Peggy Carvell, Laura Cody, Diane Dean, Cheryl Eppolito, Ed Funk, David Knowlton, Marilyn McDonald, Daurus Niles, Linda Patahiva, Jim Renauer, Patti Seldes, Michael Smalls, Ellen Blair Rogers, Steve White, Pat Wilcox, Carol Williams and Irene K. Williamson. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-5590 or at pluffmuddart.com.

Preston Pottery Studio, 10 Church Street, Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring above average pottery since 1973 by Jacob Preston. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-3084.

The Red Piano Art Gallery, 40 Calhoun St., Suite 201, next to the Cottage Cafe and above Gigi's, enter at the left side of the building, off the courtyard, Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Presenting a broad collection of 19th and 20th century representative American paintings and sculpture. Landscapes, still lifes, genre scenes, figures and historical subjects by many of America's leading representational artists, impressionists and expressionists are available for discriminating private, corporate and institutional collectors. Hours: M-F, 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 843/785-2318 or at (http://redpianoartgallery.com/).

Camden

Artists' Attic, 930 S Broad St., Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring a new frame shop and Saturday hours, along with our regular gallery, and cooperative open studios shared by 8 professional artists working in various mediums. Including Dot Goodwin, Jane Hannon, Ann Starnes, Emily Houde, Kathy Redner, Benira Sutphin, Tari Federer, and Deb Maza. Commissions are accepted. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm; Sat., 10am-3pm and by appt. Con-

tact: 803/432-9955 or e-mail at (tarifederer@earthlink.net).

Dovetails, 645 Rutledge Street, Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring custom bench crafted furniture by Jim Rose. Each piece is made by hand to the client's specifications. Jim works in a variety of woods including heart pine, walnut, cypress, maple, and cherry. Jim also works in exotic woods from South America and Africa. Visitors can watch individual pieces of furniture being built. Every piece has its own personality and becomes an instant heirloom. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 770/330-5000 or 803/446-3124.

Laurie B. McIntosh Art Studio, 1014 Broad Street, Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Laurie McIntosh. McIntosh is an accomplished South Carolina artist and painter known for large bodies of thematic work inspired by her specific interests and life experiences. Hours: by appt. Contact: 803/319-2223 or at (LaurieMcIntoshStudio.com).



Work by Laurie Brownell McIntosh

Rutledge Street Gallery, 508 Rutledge St., Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art from regional and national artists including Clara Blalock, Elizabeth Barber, Anne Bivens, Yong Chu Chang, Marjorie Greene, Joyce Hall, Seth Haverkamp, Carrie Payne, John Pototschnik, Bob Ransley, Dennis Snell, Maci Scheuer, and many more. Chinese Antique Furniture Pieces. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/425-0071 or at (www.rutledgestreetgallery.com).

Central



Work by Susan Lenz

Susan Lenz Fiber Arts Studio, 320 North Church Street, Central. **Ongoing** - Susan Lenz stitches both by hand and machine but also indulges a passion for book arts and unique, 3D found art objects. Altering found photos is an obsession. My work has appeared in national publications, numerous juried exhibitions, and at fine craft shows including the Philadelphia Museum of Art and Smithsonian Craft Shows. She has been featured on art quilting television programs and on South Carolina ETV's "Palmetto Scene". Her work is in the permanent collection of the Textile Museum in Washington, DC, and the McKissick Museum in South Carolina. The Grovewood Gallery in Asheville, NC, represents her. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 803/254-0842 or at (www.susanlenz.com).

Chapin

Palmetto Fine Arts & Custom Frame Gallery, 140-E Amicks Ferry Road, Chapin. **Ongoing** - Featuring picture frames, gifts, and original art. Hours: Mon.-Tue. & Thur.-Fri., 10am-6pm and Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/932-0265 or at (palmettoarts.com).

Charleston

Throughout Historic downtown Charleston. Dec. 6, from 5-8pm - "Charleston Gallery Association Art Walk". Art galleries around Charleston will be buzzing with artists and art lovers. More than 40 galleries participate in this quarterly event. Galleries offer refreshments, music and a unique opportunity to meet their artists. For a calendar of official CGA Art Walk dates and a downloadable map of participating

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galleries go to (www.charlestongalleryassociation.com).

Anglin-Smith Fine Art, 9 Queen Street, corner of Queen & State Streets, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works by Betty Anglin Smith, Jennifer Smith Rogers, Tripp Smith, Shannon Smith Hughes, Kim English, Darrell Davis, Colin Page, Carl Plansky, and David & Jennifer Clancy. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 843/853-0708 or at (www.anglinsmith.com).

Artizom Framing & Gallery, 334 E. Bay Street, Suite J, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring the contemporary artwork of Jackie and Charles Ailstock. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm, Sat. 11am-5pm, or by appt. Contact: 843/723-3726 or at (www.artizom.com).

Atelier Gallery Charleston, 153 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The gallery's focus is to support and promote a variety of artists, from the Southeastern region, while merging the classics with the moderns. Traditional portraits and landscapes are displayed alongside contemporary canvases and sculptures. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/722-5668 or at (www.theateliergalleries.com).

Atrium Art Gallery, 61 Queen Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The gallery's open beautiful space in an historic Charleston building shows the works from over 10 artists offering contemporary, abstract, realism, landscape, lowcountry and photography. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/973-3300 or at (www.atriumartgallery.com).

Ben Ham Images, 416 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Ben Ham Images recently expanded to its new 2200 square feet of elegant gallery space in Charleston. Located downtown in the "Upper" King Street design district amidst world class shopping and restaurants, the Charleston gallery is truly an unique experience that transports you on a spectacular journey. Hours: Sun.-Mon., noon-5pm and Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/410-1495 or at (<http://benhamimages.com>).

Bird's I View Gallery, 119-A Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring originals and prints of bird life by Anne Worsham Richardson, as well as works by Nancy Rushing, Alice Grimsley, and Deetta Cutting Zimmerman. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/723-1276, 843/766-2108 or at (www.anneworshamrichardson.com).

Carolina Antique Maps and Prints LLC, 91 Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring Antique Maps and Prints from the 16th to the 19th century. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/722-4773 or at (www.carolinantiqueprints.com).

Cecil Byrne Gallery, 140 East Bay Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art from leading impressionist artists, as well as artisan made pottery and furnishings. Visit us online or in person to see the work of painters Liz Haywood-Sullivan, Jeanne Rosier Smith, Mike Beeman, Cecilia Murray, Ann Watcher, Sue Gilkey, and James Nelson Lewis. Museum quality pottery items from artists Susan Barrett and Liz Kinder are complemented by amazing blown glass from artist Nicholas Kecic. Tables for your home made right here in Charleston by artist Capers Cathuen can be seen throughout the gallery. Capers uses salvaged wood from the farms and coastal areas around Charleston to fashion one of a kind pieces for your home. Hours: Contact: 843.312-1891 or at (www.cecilyrnegallery.com).

Charleston Art Brokers, AIM on King, 648 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Representing emerging and established fine art artists and photographers from Charleston and the Southeast. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: (caro@charlestonartbrokers.com) or at (www.charlestonartbrokers.com).

Charleston Crafts Cooperative Gallery, 140 East Bay Street, Charleston. **Dec. 1 - 31** - "Light and Life: A celebration of the Holiday Season". An open house will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm, in conjunction with the Charleston Gallery Association Art Walk evening celebrations. December is holiday time! The holiday season is a celebration of family and friends. 'Tis also the season for gifts, and Charleston Crafts Gallery features one of a kind handmade local art for all your gift giving needs. Work by seven of our artist members featuring cozy wearables, purses, fine art, and jewelry in fine crafts media will be in the spotlight this month. **Ongoing** - Established in 1989, Charleston Crafts Cooperative Gallery is a dynamic com-



Work by Cordella Story

munity of nearly 30 jury-selected artisans. All are residents of South Carolina, making this the city's only exclusively local craft gallery. Enjoy a multitude of Hand-made art to enliven your home, enhance your style and inspire one-of-a-kind gift giving. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/501-7522 or at (www.shopcharlestoncrafts.com).

Chuma Gullah Gallery, 188 Meeting Street, Units N1-N3, inside the Charleston City Market Great Hall Mall, Charleston. **Ongoing** - We are a resource center to learn more about the Gullah Culture through Gullah Art, Gullah Books, Gullah Crafts, Gullah Storytelling, Gullah Spirituals, Gullah Tours and Gullah Food. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-6pm. Contact: 843/722-1702 or at (<http://gallerychuma.com>).

DE LA Gallery, 36 N. Market Street, Unit#102, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Within our inviting and refreshing space, you will find the works of Hasselblad Master Award (2018) winning photographer Jorge De La Torre. Jorge is a self taught photographer with a modern and minimalist approach to his work. Traveling all over the world, Jorge captures, in a unique way, the beauty of the landscapes, seascapes, urban life and nature that surrounds us. Hours: daily 10am-9pm. Contact: 843/277-0217 or at (www.delagallery.com).

Cleod Glass + Works Charleston, 3 Broad Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - CLEOD Glas + Works combines the ancient art of glassblowing with a modern aesthetic to create products that feature clean lines, pure intention, and a thoughtfully curated color palette. All of their products are designed by James McLeod and are hand-made in Essex, MA, using the finest lead-free crystal. Now, James and his family have made Charleston their home, and are bringing their beautiful glassworks to the Lowcountry. Hours: Contact: 843/789-4031 or at (www.cleodglassworks.com).

COCO VIVO interior and fine art for relaxed living, Gallery Row, 25 Broad St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Tony van Hasselt, aws, Mitch Billis, Patricia Roth and Roger Milinowski. Also representing jewelry designer Betty Holland and photographer Sandy Logan. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5:30 & Fri. till 8pm. Contact: 843/720-4027.

Corneau Goldsmithing Jewelry Gallery, 92 Hasell Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring custom designed jewelry and select artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm & 2nd Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 843/203-6630 or at (www.cgjewelrygallery.com).



Work by Daphne vom Baur

Corrigan Gallery, 38 Queen Street, Charleston. **Dec. 6 - 31** - "Horsing Around," featuring paintings by Daphne vom Baur. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm, during the Charleston ArtWalk, where the artist will be present. The exhibition includes recent oil works by Daphne vom Baur focused on horses and figures entitled "Horsing Around". Her long Charleston history in the contemporary art world includes being a part of two galleries she and her husband, David Hamilton, grandson of Elizabeth O'Neill Verner, owned. A progressive gallery, that included her studio, in the mid-70s in the downtown area showed Wolf Kahn as well as Manning Williams, Horace Day, Paul Resika and others. In the 1990s through 2002 they maintained The Verner Gallery mixing his grandmother's works with contemporary

Charleston artists and others. **Ongoing** - The Corrigan Gallery llc is celebrating its 17th year of representing local artists creating nontraditional work. Artists represented include: John Moore, John Hull, Mary Walker, Kristi Ryba, Susan Perkins, Sue Simons Wallace, Jennie Summerall, Bill Meisburger, Bill Buggel, Arthur McDonald, Nancy Langston, Paul Mardikian, Gordon Nicholson, Case Jernigan, Lolly Koon, Daphne vom Baur, Midge Peery, Valerie Isaacs, Frances Humphreys Roosevelt, Ann Igoe, Emily Jenkins, David Edwards. Visiting Artists - Enid Williams and Ed Wortcek. Estates of Elizabeth O'Neill Verner and Alfred Hutty, second market works by Manning Williams, William Halsey, Corrie McCallum, Wolf Kahn, Henri Matisse, and Print Studio South artists. Located in the heart of the downtown historic district across from the Dockstreet Theatre. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10-5 pm or by chance & appt. Contact: 843/722-9868 or at (corrigangallery.com).

Dare Gallery, 31 Broad Street, between Church & State Sts., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Located on historic Broad Street's GALLERY ROW in the French Quarter of Charleston, SC, the gallery features an extensive variety of fine art including landscape, figurative, still life & marine paintings plus exquisite pottery, photography, fine handcrafted jewelry, unique works in glass & metal plus bronze sculpture – all by some of the most sought after artists in the low country and accomplished artists from across the nation. Many of the artists represented have a personal connection to Charleston and the coastal Carolinas and tend to include pieces that celebrate the colorful tapestry of the southern coastal culture. Visit the gallery to see crashing waves, lush marshes, still lifes of camellias & oyster shells, coastal wildlife and sensitive yet powerful portraits of the south. Hours: Mon. - Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/853-5002 or at (www.daregallery.net).

Helena Fox Fine Art, 106-A Church Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Helena Fox Fine Art specializes in fine contemporary, American representational art. Proudly representing goldsmith and jeweler, Sarah Amos, original paintings by Kenn Backhaus, John Cosby, Julyan Davis, Terry DeLapp, Donald Demers, Kathleen Dunphy, Mary Erickson, West Fraser, Kamner Haislip, Betsy Havens, Jeffrey T. Larson, Joseph McGiur, Billy O'Donnell, Joe Paquet, Jessie Peterson Tarazi, Scott Prior, Seth Tane and bronze sculptures by Kent Ulberg. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/723-0073, e-mail at (gallery@helenafoxfineart.com) or at (www.helenafoxfineart.com).

Dog & Horse Fine Art & Portraiture, 102 Church St. Charleston. **Ongoing** - Dog & Horse Fine Art & Portraiture represents artists nationally and internationally recognized as leading talent in sporting, equine and canine art. Along with exquisite fine art by thirty artists, including Beth Carlson, Anita Baarns, Larry Wheeler, Ian Mason, and Kathryn Freeman, to name a few, the gallery also offers individualized assistance to ensure the most suitable artist for a custom portrait. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/577-5500 or at (www.dogandhorsefineart.com).

Horton Hayes Fine Art, 30 State Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring marshscapes and Lowcountry images of shrimpers, crabbers, clambers, and oyster harvesters in oils and acrylics by Mark Horton. Also works by Nancy Hoerter, Shannon Runquist, Rhett Thurman, and Chris Groves. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm; 2nd Sun. of each month, 12:30-5pm & by appt. Contact: 843/958-0014 or at (www.hortonhayes.com).

Imaging Arts Gallery, 175 King Street, between Clifford and Queen, Charleston. **Ongoing** - A unique showcase of photography including LeCroy's vastly enlarged leaves, plants, and flowers - a culmination of photography and technology, as they reveal detail and color that is beyond the reach of the unaided eye. The fine art photography contains a selection of cityscapes, black and whites, international architecture, and others. Unique framed pieces that combine 19th century daguerreotypes, ambrotypes, and intypes with enlarged images will delight history enthusiasts. LeCroy's photographs are additionally on exhibit at the New York Hall of Science, New York. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 843/577-7501 or at (www.imagingarts.com).

Indigo Fine Art Gallery, 102 Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - The gallery is dedicated to bringing national and international artists to the art scene. Art collectors from all over find their way into the cozy and quaint atmosphere of Historic Gallery Row. Galerie on Broad features impressionistic landscapes and figurative works by nationally and internationally known artists such as Calvin Liang, Camille Przewodek, Lori Putnam, Dee Beard Dean, Richard Oversmith, Kate Mullin, Katie Dobson Cundiff, James Richards, Giner Bueno, Marc Esteve, and John Michael Carter. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/410-6332 or at (www.galerieonbroad.com).

Gaye Sanders Fisher Gallery, 124 Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring original oil and watercolor paintings by Gaye Sanders Fisher. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 843/958-0010 or at (www.gayesandersfisher.com).

Gordon Wheeler Gallery, 180 East Bay Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Original paintings and limited edition prints of golf, lowcountry landscapes and Charleston scenes by Gordon Wheeler. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun. 11am-4pm.

Contact: 843/722-2546.

Grand Bohemian Gallery, Grand Bohemian Hotel Charleston, 55 Wentworth Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The collections at the Grand Bohemian Gallery are comprised of internationally and locally renowned artists. Exclusive to the Grand Bohemian Gallery are internationally-acclaimed artists Stefano Cecchini – famed Italian artist best known for his depictions of wildlife - and French Colorist Expressionist artist Jean Claude Roy. Other featured artists include Ali Launer, Amber Higgins, Donna Dowless, Elizabeth Nelson, Gartner & Blade, James Kitchens, Jerry McKellar, Kathleen Elliot, Mitch Kolbe, Oris, Susan Gott, Peter Keil, Philippe Guillerm, Stefan Horik, Thomas Arvid, and John Duckworth. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-7pm, Fri. & Sat., 10am-8pm, and Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/724-4130 or at (www.grandbohemiangallery.com).

Hagan Fine Art Gallery and Studio, 125 Church Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Hagan Fine Art Gallery & Studio is the working studio of Charleston artist Karen Hewitt Hagan and represents over 25 well known impressionist and abstract artists from around the globe. Currently featuring the following artists: Fernando Aracil, David Boyd, Kyle Buckland, Jim Carson, Mary Ann Cope, Anna Carll, Jose Cortes, Marcel Demagny, Noah Desmond, Marcel Demagny, Amy Dixon, Sara Jane Doberstein, Anastasia Dukhanina, Mary Garrish, Joe Gyurcsak, Larry Horowitz, Tim Adams, Kevin Macpherson, Wan Marsh, Olessia Maximenko, Antonin Passemard, Tanvi Pathare, Angela Powers, Carole Boggemann Peirson, Shane Snider, Daniil Volkov, Alice Williams and Mark Yale Harris. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/901-8124 or at (www.haganfineart.com).

Lowcountry Artists Gallery, 148 E. Bay St., Charleston. **Dec. 1 - 31** - "Lowcountry Light," featuring works by Tina Mayland. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm. Mayland is a native Charlestonian for whom the Lowcountry of South Carolina is as close to paradise as any place on earth. Returning home after 30 years of a high-tech career that took her to Atlanta, DC, and New Jersey as VP of Marketing for AT&T, she "rewired" from her all-consuming corporate life and began her "encore career" as a full-time artist. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Norma Morris Cable, Fran J. Davies, Lynne N. Hardwick, Kellie Jacobs, Rana Jordahl, Ivo Kerssemakers, Gaston Locklear, Nicole Robinson, Sandra Roper, and Lisa Willis along with 25 additional guest artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-6pm & Sun., 1am-5pm. Contact: 843/577-9295 or at (www.lowcountryartists.com).

Martin Gallery, 18 Broad Street, ground floor of the Peeople's Building, corner of Broad and State Streets, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring paintings by Mitch Billis, Kathleen Billis, Italian master Imero Gobbato, William Crosby, Christopher Schink, Jennifer Spencer, Jared Clackner, and Gilles Charest; sculpture by Leo Osborne, Claire McArdle, and James R. Pyne; and photography by Michael Kahn. Also, offering select jewelry and glass art by America's best artisans, featuring custom designs by acclaimed master goldsmith Glade Sarbach Davis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun., 1-5pm & by appt. Contact: 843/723-7378 or at (www.martingallerycharleston.com).

Mary Martin Gallery I, 103 Broad Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Mary Martin Gallery has always specialized in representing top contemporary artists, and has also identified and mentored little-known artists to national recognition. MMG is the perfect venue for artists who represent a variety of styles and techniques. Some of the most notable artists of museum quality are Jean-Claude Gaugy, Martin Eichinger, Andre Kohn, Vadim Kleven-skiy, Tatyana Klevenskiy, Richard Johnson, Alvar, Pujol, Pietro Piccoli, Baques, Mario, Monica Meunier, Larry Osso, Mark Yale Harris, Philippe Guillerm, Richard Riverin, Judy Fuller, Graciela Rodó Boulanger, Ann Dettmer, Sangita Phadke, R. John Ichter, John Gregory, and others. Hours: Sun.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm or by appt. Contact: 843-723-0303 or at (www.marymartinart.com).

Mary Martin Gallery II, 143 East Bay Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Mary Martin Gallery has always specialized in representing top contemporary artists, and has also identified and mentored little-known artists to national recognition. MMG is the perfect venue for artists who represent a variety of styles and techniques. Some of the most notable artists

Lambert Gallery, 749 Willow Lake Road, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Original paintings and limited edition prints of golf, lowcountry landscapes and Charleston scenes by Gordon Wheeler. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun. 11am-4pm.

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Laura Liberatore Szweda Studio, Summerville. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary fine art paintings. Hours: by appointment only. Contact: 843/693-5760.

LePrince Fine Art, 183 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - LePrince Fine Art features the works of it's founder, Kevin LePrince, and a select few emerging artists. The gallery functions as LePrince's primary studio. He can be found in the gallery daily at his easel. Other artists featured include Mark Bailey, Ignat Ignatov, & Vicki Robinson. Mark recently was awarded "Best Show in Show" at the Governors Art show in Colorado for his restaurant interior "Emerge". California based Ignat Ignatov is a signature member of the California Art Club. Charleston's own Vicki Robinson adds a touch of lowcountry color to her works. This studio gallery welcomes all and encourages interaction. Hours: daily 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/452-3935 or at (www.leprince.com).



Work by Tina Mayland

Michael Parks Gallery, 35 Broad Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art photography by Michael Parks and a variety of fine artworks by selected artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/348-3202 or e-mail to (michaelparksgallery@gmail.com).

Miller Gallery, 149 1/2 East Bay Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Miller Gallery is now an online gallery. Contact: 843/764-9281 or at (www.millergallerychas.com).

Mitchell Hill Gallery, 414 King Street, located next to Hall's Chop House just down from the Visitor's Center, Charleston. **Ongoing** - What started as a pop-up for art for charity has evolved into one of Charleston's premier galleries Mitchell Hill features the innovative artwork of over twenty regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 10am-6pm; Thur.-Sat., 10am-9pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843/564-0034 or at (www.mitchellhillinc.com).

Neema Fine Art Gallery, 3 Broad St., Ste. 100, Charleston. **Ongoing** - South Carolina's newest art gallery featuring original works of art by both established and standout emerging African-American artists who are from or who currently reside in South Carolina. Gallery owner, curator and gallery director is Meisha Johnson. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am-6:30pm or by appt. Contact: 843/353-8079 or at (www.neemagallery.com).

One of a Kind Art & Fine Craft Gallery, 74 N. Market Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring unique arts and crafts from over 400 American artists, including many local artisans. Hours: Sun.-Thur., 10am-10pm & Fri.&Sat, 10-11pm. Contact: 843/534-1774.

Paul Silva Gallery, 188 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The art and musings of Paul Silva. All mediums from oils and acrylics to mixed media digital art. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 9:30am-6pm. Contact: 843/849-0031 or at (www.paulsilvaart.com).

Peabody Watercolors Gallery, 102 Church Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Frank Peabody III (b. 1934) a 1956 graduate of Princeton University who spent most of his life as a busy executive in the professional services industry in Louisville, KY, and later in New York.

of museum quality are Jean-Claude Gaugy, Martin Eichinger, Andre Kohn, Vadim Kleven-skiy, Tatyana Klevenskiy, Richard Johnson, Alvar, Pujol, Pietro Piccoli, Baques, Mario, Monica Meunier, Larry Osso, Mark Yale Harris, Philippe Guillerm, Richard Riverin, Judy Fuller, Graciela Rodó Boulanger, Ann Dettmer, Sangita Phadke, R. John Ichter, John Gregory, and others. Hours: Sun.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm or by appt. Contact: 843/818-3545 or at (www.marymartinart.com).

Meyer Vogl Gallery, 122 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Dec. 6 - 23** - "SCAPES: Group Exhibition". A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm. Meyer Vogl Gallery is inviting all of the gallery artists to submit just one piece for this show, and to select a "scape" – be it a landscape or tablescape or cloudscape or cityscape or seascape or moonscape or roomscape or bodyscape or anything-you-can-think-of-scape. **Ongoing** - Permanently featuring oil paintings by distinguished artists Laurie Meyer and Marissa Vogl, we also exhibit works by local and nationally recognized guest artists. These artists are diverse and unique, ranging from emerging to established contemporary masters; the unifying element is that they excite us. By exhibiting artwork for which we feel an emotional connection, we hope to engage the senses of art lovers and introduce collectors to exhilarating new works. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 843/452-2670 or at (www.meyervogl.com).

Meyer Vogl Gallery, Daniel Island, 250 River Landing Drive, Daniel Island, Charleston. **Ongoing** - This recently opened is the second location for Meyer Vogl Gallery. After almost 6 years at the gallery's downtown location, the business' owners -- artists Laurie Meyer and Marissa Vogl and director Katie Geer -- are thrilled to expand to become Daniel Island's very first art gallery. Featuring oil paintings by artists Meyer and Vogl, Meyer Vogl Gallery also exhibits works by a number of local and internationally recognized artists. These artists are diverse and unique, ranging from emerging to established contemporary masters. By exhibiting artwork for which the owners feel an emotional connection, they hope to engage the senses of art lovers and introduce collectors to exhilarating new works. Hours: Tue. - Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/452-2670 or at (www.meyervogl.com).

Robert Lange Studios, 2 Queen St., Charleston. **Dec. 6 - 23** - "Tides of Color," featuring an exhibition of coastal inspirations by KC Collins. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm. Local artist KC Collins invites art lovers and coastal enthusiasts to explore her latest exhibition showcasing a vibrant collection of oil paintings inspired by the beauty of the South Carolina coastline. The exhibit features a series of stunning oil paintings that capture the essence of coastal life, from serene beach sunsets to dynamic ocean waves. In this exhibition, Collins aims to immerse viewers in the vibrant colors and textures of the sea, celebrating the natural beauty that surrounds her in Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Ali Cavanaugh, Megan Aline, Robert Lange, Nathan Durfee, Kerry Brooks, Jessica Dungean, Fred Jamar, Michael Moran, Amy Lind, Adam Hall, Joshua Flint, Sean Clancy, and JB Boyd. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 11am-7pm. Contact: 843/805-8052 or at (www.robertlangestudios.com).

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Stewart Fine Art, 12 State Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Sue Stewart, Charles DuPre DeAntonio, Robert Isley, Margaret Dyer, Fran Moeller Gatins, and James Wellington Taylor. Jr. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5:30pm. Contact: 843/853-7100 or at (www.suestewartfineart.com).

Srebrenick Gallery, 195 1/2 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring paintings, pastels and drawings by C. Katriel Srebrenick and guest artists. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 843-580-8488 or at (www.sregallery.com).

Stono Gallery, 3874 Savannah Highway Suite 1, Red Top Village Shopping Center (near Ravenel and Rantowles), Johns Island. **Ongoing** - Stono Gallery is an eclectic and bohemian fine art gallery featuring original paintings and other works of art by local, national, and international artists. Over 100 original paintings are on display and for sale. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm and Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: Simon Schatmeyer, 843/697-7347 or at (www.stonogallery.com).

Studio 151 Fine Art Gallery, 175 Church St., just south of the corner of Market and Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring original art in traditional, realism, wildlife, impressionism collage, and abstracts in a variety of mediums, including photography and hand crafted jewelry. Offering the works of Colleen Wiessman, Rosie Phillips, Shelby Parbel, Bob Graham, Amelia Whaley, Dixie Dugan, Nancy Davidson, Sandra Scott, Jennifer Koach, Michel McNinch, Amelia Rose Smith, Lissa Block, Debra Paysinger, Charles Moore, Roger Tatum, Daryl Knox, Gina Brown and Madison Latimer. We also participate in Charleston's historic French Quarter art walks every March, May, October and December. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm, Fri. & Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/579-9725 or at (www.studio151finearts.com).

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His talent as an artist did not emerge until after his retirement. Since then, he has aggressively studied and painted locally throughout Vermont, South Carolina, and in a wide range of locations from Burma to Corsica to Venice, throughout Italy, Spain, the South Pacific, and many places in between. Hours: call about hours. Contact: 843/577-5500 or at (www.peabodywatercolors.com).

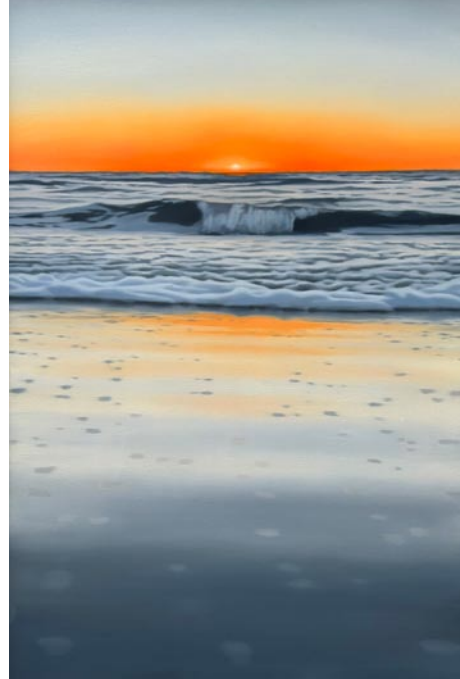
Principle Gallery: Charleston, 125 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The gallery finds joy in sharing museum-quality works from established American and international artists within the realm of Contemporary and Classical Realism. In its inaugural year, the gallery invites you into its light-filled space for monthly shows featuring fresh, exciting work from the multi-faceted and diverse Principle Family of Artists, along with national invitational shows, and curated events. Hours: Mon.-Tue., 10am-3pm; Wed.-Sat., 10am-6pm; & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/727-4500 or at (www.principlegallery.com).

Reinert Contemporary Fine Art, 181 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine contemporary works and artisan jewelry. Hours: daily from 9am-5pm. Contact: call 843/694.2445 or at (www.rickreinert.com).

Reinert Fine Art Gallery, 179 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Reinert Fine Art showcases the contemporary impressionist works in oil by Rick Reinert and more than 40 other artists offering their unique and diverse styles. Hours: daily from 9am-5pm. Contact: call 843/694.2445 or at (www.rickreinert.com).

Revealed Art Gallery, 119-A Church Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Revealed is a contemporary art gallery in Charleston, SC. Located in the French Quarter, it features a vibrant compilation of artists that vary in style and medium. Revealed's collection offers a range of creative gems for both locals and visitors to discover. All are welcome and encouraged to explore this new and unique space. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun. noon-4pm. Contact: 843.872.5606 or at (www.revealedgallery.com).

Rhett Thurman Studio, 241 King St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Rhett Thurman. View the video "Celebrating Rhett Thurman: Painting in Charleston for 50 Years!" at (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WJ2XNBpQvA&feature=youtu.be>). Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/577-6066 or e-mail at (rhettthurmanstudio@gmail.com).



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Work by Larry Watkins

Southern Ruetz: Hat Bar & Maker Mail, 128 Meeting Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Charleston's original Hat Bar and custom hat shop in the historic French Quarter. Design your hat with an expert hat artist and experience true Charleston charm. Shop from 70+ local Charleston women and veterans in our upstairs Maker Mail. The Maker Mail is where local artists shine! Discover unique, handmade items from over 70 local vendors, including painters, photographers, fashion designers, woodworkers and everything inbetween. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri. &

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Tara Vis Gallery, 218 C King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - At Tara Vis Gallery, you will discover photographic journeys, what brought each of us to this place in the photography field, and why their prowess in these endeavors places them at the top of the list in this field. I want Tara Vis Gallery to be a place where you can lose yourself in the images and stories, a respite from the mundane, taking you places that many people on this earth will never have the opportunity to experience. Featuring work by Patrick Kelly, Ben Reed, Brian Bielmann, Tom Whitfield, and Sorin Onisor. Hours: Thur.-Sun., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/577-0253.

The Audubon Gallery, 190 King St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - "Charleston's only gallery for the Natural History and sporting art enthusiasts!" Locally owned, the gallery specializes in the golden age of natural history (1700-1900), emphasizing John James Audubon, one of Charleston's most highly regarded artist. Here, you will find a tour-de-force of Audubon's "Birds of America" as well as other highly acclaimed natural history art. A sportsman's paradise with a large selection of antique wildfowl decoys, collectibles, nostalgic paintings, prints of days afield and favorite hunting dogs. We offer museum-quality framing and conservation services for works of art on paper to protect and present your most treasured pieces. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/853-1100 or at (www.audubonart.com).

The Brizard Studio, one King Street, Suite 404, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Original fine oil paintings by Robin Brizard, award-winning impressionist artist. Hours: by appt. only, call 843/577-0964.

The Charleston Renaissance Gallery, 103 Church Street, at St. Michael's Alley, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Showcasing nineteenth century oil paintings, works on paper and sculpture of the American South. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/723-0025 or at (www.fineartsofcharleston.com).

The George Gallery, 54 Broad Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The George Gallery represents contemporary American artists including Frank Phillips, Salter Scharstein, Tom Stanley, Allison Gildersleeve, Alan Jackson, Heather Jones, Catherine Booker Jones, Paul Yanko, Justin Giunta, Lori Glavin, Catherine Erb, Betsy Brackin, Vicki Sher, Amanda Norman and Alan Taylor Jeffries. A selection from the estates of William Halsey and Otto Neumann are also available through the gallery. In addition to sales, we offer consultation services for commercial and residential projects. We are here to make your art collecting experience simple and enjoyable. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/579-7328 or at (www.georgegalleryart.com).

The Space, 2143 Heriot Street, Studio F, just past Carter's Storage, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The Space is a newly renovated art venue with private studio rental, a public gallery and photography studio. The Space hosts Camera Works Cafe, art exhibitions, and special events. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: call Mark Stetter at 212/495-9807 or at (thespacecreates.com).

The Sportsman's Gallery, 165 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring one of the largest, most diverse collections of contemporary sporting and wildlife art found today and once having viewed it, we are confident you will concur. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10:30am-5:30pm, Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/727-1224 or at (www.sportsmansgallery.com).



Work by Tina Mayland

Wells Gallery, The Sanctuary at Kiawah Island Golf Resort. Located just 30 minutes from Charleston, Wells Gallery is the premiere gallery at The Sanctuary Resort dedicated

to providing contemporary art works focused on the Lowcountry and Southern experience. **Ongoing** - Featuring a selection of oil paintings, sculptures, jewelry, and watercolors from renowned local and national artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm, & Sun., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/576-1290, e-mail to (kiawah@wellsgallery.com) or at (www.wellsgallery.com).

Trager Contemporary, 577 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - is dedicated to presenting distinctive local, national, and international emerging and mid-career artists working in traditional, nontraditional, and mixed media, from painting and sculpture to installations and works on paper. Not only are we focused on showcasing and cultivating the work and careers of our artists, but we also believe in supporting the practical components of art for creators, enthusiasts, and collectors through gallery talks, workshops and events, and a speaker series. We aim to build a diverse community of people who want to engage with art, broaden the dialogue about culture and contemporary art, and provide a gathering space where all are welcome. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-7pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843.882.5464 or at (www.tragercontemporary.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Charleston **Avondale Therapy**, 815 Savannah Highway, Suite 101, Charleston. **Ongoing** - This space is an ideal location for contemporary art with its concrete floors, high white walls, and dramatic lighting, one has the sense of an New York City gallery verses the hidden gem of West Ashley. Hours: M-F by appt. Contact: 843/870-0278.

Emeline, 181 Church Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Located in Charleston's historic district, Emeline is a clever and thoughtfully designed retreat crafted with the curious traveler in mind. The experienced team embodies the persona of a consummate host, always focused on the vibrant days of hospitality. Emeline's accommodations provide a warm welcome after a busy day exploring all the notable points of interest that lie just outside its doors. This captivating refuge with 212 all-king bed guest rooms includes 128 luxury suites and 16 double king bed accommodations. Hours: reg hotel hours. Contact: 843/577-2644.

Chesterfield

Douglas Gallery, 144 Main St, Chesterfield. **Ongoing** - Featuring the works of Jonathan Douglas. Fine art oil and watercolor paintings primarily focused on local scenery painted plein aire and in studio. Hours: open by appt. only. Contact: e-mail at (144main@gmail.com) or at (www.douglasgallery.org).

Columbia Area

Congaree Vista Area, downtown Columbia, **3rd Thursday of every month, 5-8pm** - "Third Thursday Art Night in the Vista," including: Koger Center for the Arts Plaza Stage, One Eared Cow Glass, Lewis & Clark, Mike Williams Art, and Stormwater Studios. Contact: at (www.stormwaterstudios.org).

Alicia Leeke Fine Art Studio, 3821 Edinburg Rd., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring original acrylic cityscapes, abstracts, monotypes, and drawings on canvas and fiber. Giclee's on canvas and paper also available. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 803/429-5456 or at (www.alicialeeke.com).

ArtCan Studio & Gallery, 108 Beaufort Street, Chapin. **Ongoing** - Featuring original paintings, handpainted furnishing, and limited and open edition lithographs by Judy Bolton Jarrett. Hours: Thur. & Fri., noon-5:30pm; Sat., noon-4pm or by appt.(call before coming). Contact: 803/345-6588 or at (www.judyjarrettgallery.com).

Artsy Fartsy Art Gallery and Coffee Bar, 906 Knox Abbott Drive, Cayce. **Ongoing** - Featuring art by local artists and cafe and wine bar. We also have MIND GRAVY which is our poetry night every wed 8-10pm. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 7pm-2am. Contact: 803/7084731 or e-mail at (Ladyartnsoul@gmail.com).

Bella Vista Art & Framing, 705 Gervais St., downstairs of City Market Antiques, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art of varied national artists, regional artists ,vintage art, antiquarian engravings and etchings, original photography. Also a Mort Kunstler dealer and large selection of SC artists ,giclees, and limited edition prints. And, offering a full service custom framing shop featuring professional, quality framing at below industry prices. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 803/765-0808 or e-mail at (bellavistaart@bellsouth.net).

Carol Saunders Gallery, 922 Gervais St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art objects and works by local artists, including Mana Hewitt, Stephen Chesley, Carol Pittman, Mike Williams, Laura Spong, Heidi Darr-Hope, Judy Hubbard, Jeri Burdick, Clay Burnett, and Eddie Bryan. Hours: M-F, 10am-5:30pm; Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/256-3046.



Work by Tim Turner

City Art, 1224 Lincoln Street, Columbia. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 31** - "Tim Turner Exhibition: Songs of Celebration". A reception will be held on Nov. 21, during the 39th Annual Vista Lights event. Turner uses acrylics in a limited color palette on large scale canvases made from old paintings to create vessels and other details to relay the story. A reception will be held during the 39th Annual Vista Lights event (which last from 6-10pm) on Nov. 21. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Jane Aldridge, Jo Dean Bauknight, Angela Bradburn, Carolita Cantrell, Mark Conrardy, Bob Doster, Max Miller Dowdle, Claire Farrel, Michael Fowler, Harriet Goode, Mary Gilkerson, Randy Hanna, Mana Hewitt, Alicia Leeke, Rena MacQueen, Fred McElveen, Barbie Mathis, Faith Mathis, Lee A. Monts, Kathy Morganeli, Bruce Nellsmith, Heather Noe, Carol Pittman, Sylvia Ady-Potts, Alex Powers, Cindy Saad, Ed Shmunnes, Wanda Steppe, Wendyth Wells, Sam Wilkins, and Katarina Zaric. This represents a rare opportunity to view a very wide range of acclaimed SC artists at one time. City Art features three distinct gallery spaces. A complete fine artists supply store is located on the lower level. Fine custom designer framing is available at City Art. In addition, the Gallery is host to a variety of events by rental clients. City Art is a wonderful space to enjoy and purchase original art, art supplies, fine framing, take art classes and have wedding receptions, parties etc. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 11am-5pm & Thur.-Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/252-3613 or at (www.cityartonline.com).

George Stone Fine Art, 413 Crown Point Road, Columbia. **Ongoing** - George Stone is a representational oil painter who focuses primarily on landscape and still life subject matter. He attempts to convey the beauty and dignity of everyday scenes to his viewers through a clear concept, accurate drawing, expressive values and color and a well-designed composition. He is especially interested in developing a mood in his landscapes by capturing the quality of light present during different times of day, different seasons of the year and different locations. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 803/354-0902 or at (<https://www.georgestonefineart.com>).

Havens Framemakers and Gallery, 1616 Gervais St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Exhibiting paintings by local artists: Jamie Blackburn, Diane Gilbert, Betsy Havens, Rob Shaw, Steven Whetstone, James E. Calk and others. Featuring an extensive collection of handcarved museum quality frames. Art and frame restoration. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-6pm; Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/256-1616 or at (www.havensframemakersandgallery.com).

HoFP, 2828 Devine Street, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art from around the world and around the corner. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5:30pm; Sat., 10am-5pm, & by appt.. Contact: 803/799-7405 or at (www.hofpgallery.com).

im-mer-sion, an interactive art space, @ Main Course, 1626 Main Street, Columbia. **Ongoing** - im-mer-sion showcases a variety of interactive art room exhibits created by local, SC-artists. Spend the afternoon with friends taking fun and creative photos, or host an event with champagne and charcuterie boards. The options are limitless. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-11pm & Fri.-Sun., 9am-11pm. Contact: 814/795-3843 or at (www.immersionsc.com).

Lewis & Clark Gallery, 1001 Huger Street, behind One Eared Cow Glass, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring work by Clark Ellefson and other contemporary artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm; Sat., 9am-3pm & by appt. Contact:

803/765-2405 or at (www.lewisandclarkklamps.com).

Michael Story Studio/Gallery, 116 Brook Trout Ct., Lexington. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional landscapes in oil & pastel by Michael Story. Giclee & reproduction prints. Hours by appt. only. Contact: 803/356-4268 or at (www.michaelsstory.com).

Mike Brown Contemporary, 1221 Lincoln Street Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Roland Albert, Carl Blair, Michael Brodeur, Michaela Pilar Brown, Beverly Buchanan, Ashlynn Browning, James Busby, Michael Cassidy, Steven Chapp, Stephen Chesley, Diane Kilgore Condon, Jeff Donovan, Mark Flowers, Mary Gilkerson, Klaus Hartmann, Leslie Hinton, Sjaak Korsten, Peter Lenzo, Reiner Mahrlein, Sam Middleton, Jaime Misenheimer, Philip Morsberger, Dorothy Netherland, Marcelo Novo, Jay Owens, Hannes Postma, Anna Redwine, Paul Reed, Edward Rice, Silvia Rudolf, Kees Salentijn, Laura Spong, Tom Stanley, Leo Twigg, Katie Walker, David Yaghjian and Aggie Zed. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-7pm and Sat., 11am- 5pm. Contact: 803/446-3399 or e-mail to (assistant@mikebrowncontemporary.com).



Work by Noelle Brault

Noelle Brault Fine Art, 2305 Park Street, (historic Elmwood Park) Columbia. **Ongoing** - Noelle Brault is an impressionist artist who utilizes a unique blending of vibrant colors to capture the beautiful light and shadow found in South Carolina's Lowcountry and her native home of Columbia. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 803/254-3284 or at (noellebrault.artspan.com).



Works from One Eared Cow Glass for upcoming holidays

One Eared Cow Glass Gallery & Studio, 1001 Huger St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Handblown glass by Tom Lockart and crew, including perfume bottles, ornaments, vases, sculpture, bowls, and paperweights, in all price ranges. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/254-2444 or at (www.oneearedcow.com).

Over the Mantel Gallery, 3142 Carlisle Street, Columbia. **Ongoing** - OTM Gallery opened in Columbia, South Carolina in 2013 and has since earned awards for "Best Columbia Metropolitan Art Gallery" (2018) and "Best Columbia Metropolitan Gallery for Local Art" (2019). OTM is owned by Julia Moore and operated by Julie Coffey. Its purpose is to offer original artwork to the community at affordable prices. OTM brokers approximately 50 extremely talented artists most of whom maintain residences in the southern states of the US. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/719-1713 or at (<https://overthemantel.com>).

Prompt Designs Art Gallery, 3041 N. Main St., near where the train tussel crosses Main St., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring original oils and giclees by Porter O'Brien Dodd. Hours:

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Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/252-2927 or e-mail at (promptdesigns@bellsouth.net).

Rob Shaw Gallery and Framing, 2123 Park St. (historic Elmwood Park), Columbia. **Ongoing** - The gallery features palette knife paintings by Rob Shaw as well as rotating shows from local and national artists. I have included a calendar for upcoming artists and events on my website. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 803/369-3159 or at (www.robshawgallery.com).

SoulHaus Art, 1223 Lincoln Street, (former space for Mike Brown Contemporary and ifArt Gallery)Columbia. **Ongoing** - SoulHaus Art aims to promote and support contemporary, pop, undervalued, and emerging artists through events, educational programming, community partnerships, and gallery representation. Hours: N/A. Contact: (soulhaus.art).

State of the Art Gallery and Pottery Studio, 2007 State Street, Cayce. **Ongoing** - Located in Cayce, SC, State of the Art Studio is the perfect place to take pottery classes in the Midlands of South Carolina. SOTA's pottery classes are conveniently located for residents of the Lexington, Columbia, and surrounding areas. Part gallery, part artisanal shop, part pottery studio, State of the Art is a place that proudly displays creative works from South Carolina in a way that is casual, friendly, and relatable. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/807-9944 or at (stateofthearts.com).

State & Frink, 2025 State Street, Cayce. **Ongoing** - A rental event space, work space & gallery. Featuring works from members of the Cayce Arts Guild. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: Ashley Hunter by e-mail at (ahunter@mpastrategies.com) or at (Stateandfrink.com).

Stormwater Studios, 413 Pendleton Street, behind One Eared Cow Glass Gallery & Studio and Lewis & Clark Gallery, Columbia. **Through Dec. 1** - "The Stormwater Resident Artists' Semi-Annual Exhibition". This group exhibition showcases works from all nine resident artists, offering attendees the chance to meet the artists, visit their studios, and explore a diverse range of styles and techniques. Quincy Pugh, the newest resident artist, will debut Asian-influenced works and pieces inspired by personal loss. The exhibition also features landscapes by Stephen Chesley, Michel McNinch, and Gerard Eriey, abstracts and sculptures by Eileen Blyth, spiritual narratives by Heidi Darr-Hope, figurative art by David Yaghjian, and botanical prints by Pat Gilmartin. **Dec. 3 - 8** - "Midlands Clay Society Holiday Sale". Join us this year for our "23rd Annual Midlands Clay Arts Holiday Sale," and find unique pieces for your home, friends, and family! Local ceramic artists showcase their sculptural, functional, and whimsical wheel thrown and hand built ceramic art. Join us at Stormwater Studios on Dec. 5, 11am-8pm, with a special artists reception at 5pm. Hours: on Dec. 6, 11am-8pm and Dec. 7, 10am-4pm. **Dec. 11 - 15** - "Lives We Lost"/Creeksploring" featuring works by Rylee Heil and Jackson Tucker. The duo exhibition features the work of USC undergraduate student artists Jackson Tucker and Rylee Heil, showcasing pieces from their graduate application portfolios. Jackson's photography and Rylee's drawings delve into themes such as environmentalism, mental health, and economic issues. Join us for a reception and artist talk on Dec. 13, from 6-8pm, where the artists will discuss their work over refreshments and light food. The exhibition runs from Dec. 11 through Dec. 15, and is open to the public daily from 11am-3pm. **Dec. 18 - 22** - "Trenholm Artists Guild at Stormwater Exhibition". A reception will be held on Dec. 19, from 5-7pm. The Trenholm Artists Guild (TAG) exhibition will showcase a diverse array of artwork created by its talented members, working in various mediums. Hours from 11am to 3pm daily. **Ongoing** - Resident artists include: Eileen Blyth, Stephen Chesley, Gerard Eriey, Heidi Darr-Hope, Pat Gilmartin, Robert Kennedy, Sharon Licata, Michel McNinch, Kirkland Smith, and David Yaghjian. Stormwater, a newly launched nonprofit organization that supports the thriving working artist community in Columbia's Vista district, announces that local painter Malik Greene will join Stormwater Studios as the artist-in-residence in the organization's inaugural BIPOC Residency Program. Funded by an anonymous donor and matched with funds from One Columbia for Arts and Culture, this one-year residency program was created to reflect the greater art community at Stormwater by building a more inclusive culture that encourages, supports and celebrates diverse voices. As a resident, Greene will occupy one of the 10 working artist studios at Stormwater Studios, participate in the bi-annual group shows as well as the operational duties that keep the gallery open to the greater Columbia community. Hours:

Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun. 1-4pm or by appt. Contact: at (www.stormwaterstudios.org).

Vista Art & Frame, 1752 Airport Blvd., Cayce. **Ongoing** - Featuring paintings of the South by Stephen O. Gunter. Hours: M.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-4pm; & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 803/794-7252 or at (www.vistaart.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Columbia **Grapes and Gallery**, 1113 Taylor Street, across the street from Oliver's mission, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Serving craft beer, wine bar and painting studio. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 4-9:30pm & Sat., noon-9:30pm. Contact: 803/728-1278 or visit (www.grapesandgallery.com).

Conway

Conway Glass Center, 708 12th Ave., historic Creel Oil building Conway. **Under the tent in the parking lot, Dec. 7, from 10am-4pm** - Annual Pop-Up Glass Gallery, "featuring a dazzling array of ornaments perfect for the holiday season. Our Annual Pop-Up Glass Gallery is a beautiful opportunity to kick off the holiday season and find that handmade ornament that will make your celebrations even brighter. Please bring your friends and family and enjoy our festive holiday kick-off! **Ongoing** - Featuring an open-air gallery and glass educational studio dedicated to raising the awareness of the visual arts in Conway and Horry County, SC. Hours: Tues., Thurs. & Fri., by appt. 10am-5pm; & Wed., 10am-5pm, no appt. needed. We have self-service pickup available 24 hours a day. Contact: 843/248-3558, or at (www.conway-glass.com).

Denmark

Jim Harrison Gallery, One South Main Street, intersection of Main Street and Highway 78, Denmark. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by the late Jim Harrison including original paintings, limited edition prints and a variety of unlimited edition reproductions, bronzes, etchings and other collectible items from Harrison in his more than thirty-year career as an artist. Hours: Tue., Thur., & Fri., 11am-5pm and Wed. & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/793-5796 or at (www.jimharrison.com).

Edgefield

Jane Bess Pottery LLC, 206 Lynch St., just off of Main St., around the corner from Glass Images, Edgefield. **Ongoing** - Functional stoneware pottery by artist/owner, Jane Bess. Working pottery studio and retail shop featuring many one-of-a-kind items...wonderful entertaining pieces. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; or by appt. Contact: 803/637-2434 or at (www.janebesspottery.com).

PK Pottery, 79 Wood Duck Drive, Edgefield. **Ongoing** - Wheel thrown, individualized and personalized gifts, trophies, judges gifts - all strong and durable for daily use - oven and dishwasher safe. Hours: call about hours or to make appt. Contact: 803/637-2007 or (<http://www.pkpottery.net>).

Edisto Island

Edisto Fine Art, 805 Oyster Park Drive, behind Enterprise Bank and in the building with Edisto Art Gallery, Edisto Island. **Ongoing** - we offer original fine art, oil paintings of local and southern scenes, although one artist loves painting icebergs from high latitudes. Our painters are adept at finding the striking colors and shapes of Edisto Island and the surrounding area. Edisto Fine Art largely exhibits representational work but that is not to say there are not abstracted landscapes and surreal works to be found, too. Edisto Fine Art represents Nancy Zydler, Susalee Lamb, Pam Watts, Rosie Phillips, Deborah Rosato, Gail Greer, Diane Leake and more fine artists. Edisto Fine Art sponsors a First Friday celebration every month. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am to 5pm and by appt. Contact: call Nancy Zydler at 912/704-6715 or e-mail to (edistofineart@gmail.com).

With These Hands Gallery, 547 Highway 174, Edisto Island. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers a collection of unique handmade, one-of-a-kind, American craft. Representing over 150 artists, you will find: kaleidoscopes, wind chimes, jewelry, hand blown glass, stained glass, pottery, oil lamps, wooden toys, wooden sculptures & decoys, metal sculpture, fiber to wear, photography, original paintings, giclee's, prints, and more! Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/869-3509 or at (www.WithTheseHandsGallery.com).

Florence

ARTSAWAY, 919 South Cashua Drive, Florence. **Ongoing**- Featuring works by local and regional artists Hours: Wed. - Fri., 11am - 5:30 pm & Sat. - 11am - 4pm , Tuesday by appt , Contact: 843/230-0550 or e-mail to (artsawayllc@gmail.com).



Work by Lynda English

Lynda English Gallery-Studio, 403 Second Loop Rd., Florence. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists in a variety of media. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/673-9144 or at (www.lyndaenglishstudio.net).

Fort Lawn

Shops on the Lawn, 5819 Lancaster Highway, Fort Lawn. **Ongoing** - Shoppers will find the latest in original artwork, home decor and furniture, clothing and accessories, vintage goods, and more treasures in a bright and friendly atmosphere. Lancaster County Chamber of Commerce will welcome "Shops" into its membership with a ribbon cutting at 11am and refreshments will be available to shoppers throughout the day. award-winning artists from throughout the region. Think Bob Doster metal sculpture and collectibles, Dianne Mahaffee watercolors and pottery, handcrafted candles by "Willow Oak Wicks" alongside handwoven baskets by Carolyn Kemp and the Fort Lawn Basket Cases Cooperative. There is no shortage to the number of artists represented in this artist-owned shopping destination, including custom floral designs and upcycled home decor by former Deb Robbins. DIY'ers will find a great selection of Dixie Belle paints and supplies, along with tips and guides for first-time up-cyclers. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/872-8000, e-mail at (debarobbins19@gmail.com) or follow on Facebook at (<https://www.facebook.com/shopsonthelawn>).

Fort Mill/ Tega Cay

Olive's, 229 Main Street, Fort Mill. **Ongoing** - Olive's exhibits local artist in the Carolina's. It also has a handmade by local artisan, gift shop, as well as a working ceramic studio. Olive's offers workshops and regular classes as well as ceramic parties and events. Presently works by Dottie Leatherwood, Todd Baxter, Rachel Ohls and proprietor Debbie Whitsett among others are being exhibited. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-6pm or studio open until 8:30pm as reserved. Contact: 704/301-2619 or at (www.olivesmudpuddle.com).

Georgetown

Art Harbor Gallery, 912 Front Street, Georgetown. **Ongoing** - a gallery of contemporary fine art! We feature original artwork by local and regional artists in a variety of media and styles. It is our goal to highlight these talented artists and help bring attention to Georgetown, SC, as a community and arts destination. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm and Sun., 10am-3pm. Contact 843/608-9269 or at (artharbor.org).

The Georgetown Art Gallery, 705 Front Street, Georgetown. **Ongoing** - Original works and prints by 20 artists, including: Sandra Anderson, Debanjana Bhattacharjee, Sissy Carroll, Jonnie Cowan, Lori Dauphin, Susan Duke, Dorothy Ellis, Judy Maring, Amy Marr, Katherine W. Patrick, Tina Proctor, Paula Robertson, Kurt Russell, Sharon Sorrels, Terry Strawser, Kathleen Stuart, Jef Sturm, Joe Tempel, Jane Thomas and Susan Tiller. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 11:30-4:30pm. Contact: 843/527-7711 or at (<https://www.georgetownartists.com>).

Greenville Area

Downtown Greenville - "First Fridays," featuring a gallery crawl presented on the first Fri, of the month from 6-9pm. Visit galleries throughout the downtown area. For info: (www.fristridaysonline.com).

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Art Crossing at River Place, 300 River Street, @ S. Main, along the Reedy River, Greenville, SC, or at (www.artcrossing.org). **Ongoing** - This site includes a number of artists' studios including: Alexia Moutseelou Giannopoulos (Studio #101), Marcy Connor (Studio #102), Larry Seymour (Studio #103), Meredith Piper (Studio #105), Shannon Dudar (Studio #105), Douglas Piper (Studio #106), Jared Emerson (Studio #107), Christine Fowler (Studio #109), Chris Bruner (Studio #110), Cece Burnett (Studio #112), and Kim Hassold (Studio #202). Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am to 6pm and on 1st Fri., from 6-9pm. Contact: at (www.artcrossing.org).

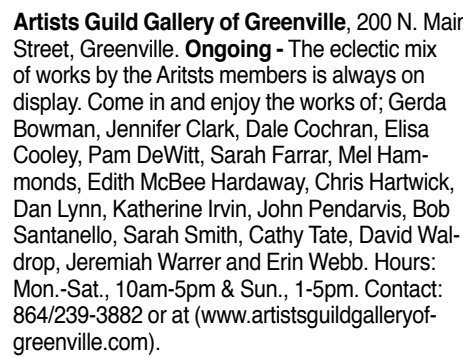


Work by Beth Elliott

Art & Light, 16 Aiken Street, Greenville. **Dec. 3 - 28** - "In The Company Of," is a two-person exhibition of work by Western North Carolina artists Beth Elliott (Asheville, NC) and Rachael Van Dyke (Boone, NC). A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 6-8pm. "In The Company Of" is a two-person exhibition that explores the interplay between the figurative and the abstract. Through organic biomorphic vessels and naive gestural paintings this collaborative show playfully considers the relationships and the responses we have with the objects and people that surround us. Beth Elliott reduces the vessel and its surface design to simple, modest, representational forms, the surfaces of which outline internal stories and landscapes. Rachael Van Dyke's bold, colorful still lifes and quirky, narrative portraits speak to the human need for companionship, belonging and natural beauty. **Ongoing** - Art & Light Gallery is a woman-owned and operated fine art gallery that has been bringing incredible artistic talent to novice and seasoned collectors alike since 2007. Featuring a roster of over 50 artists, from emerging to established, we strive to create a thoughtful and special collection of work in a space that is uniquely southern and inviting. From sculpture to paintings and original works on paper, Art & Light Gallery provides something for everyone looking to enhance their space and tell their one-of-a-kind story. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/252-5858, e-mail at (art@artandlightgallery.com) or at (www.artandlightgallery.com).

Art & Light Gallery Annex, Pendleton Street, 1211 Pendleton, Flatiron Building, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring an individual artist for a two month period. Hours: by appt. Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/25-2588 or e-mail at (Art@artandlightgallery.com).

Artists Guild Gallery of Greenville, 200 N. Main Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - The eclectic mix of works by the Artists members is always on display. Come in and enjoy the works of: Gerda Bowman, Jennifer Clark, Dale Cochran, Elisa Cooley, Pam DeWitt, Sarah Farrow, Mel Hammmonds, Edith McBea Hardaway, Chris Hartwick, Dan Lynn, Katherine Irvin, John Pendarvis, Bob Santanello, Sarah Smith, Cathy Tate, David Waldrop, Jeremiah Warrar and Erin Webb. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 864/239-3882 or at (www.artistsguildgalleryof-greenville.com).



Work by Lisa Shimko - Good Art Co.

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to inspire, engage and educate our community. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 864/381-7539 or e-mail at (info@getgoodart.co).



Work by Enid Williams

Hampton III Gallery, 3100 Wade Hampton Blvd., 10 Gallery Center, Taylors. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Sigmund Abeles, John Acom, Luke Allsbrook, Dave Appelman, J. Bardin, Emery Bopp, Sharon Campbell, Stephen Chesley, Bette Lee Coburn, William Halsey, Lee Hall, James Kirby, Paul Matheny, Corrie McCallum, Glen Miller, Philip Morsberger, Philip Mullen, Charles Quest, Ed Rice, Boyd Saunders, Tom Stanley, Leo Twigg, Art Werger., Enid Williams, Paul Yanko, and Jas Zadurowicz. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 1-5pm; Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 864/268-2771 or at (www.hamptoniiigallery.com).

L.E.B. Glass Studio LLC, 40 Pine Knoll Drive, Greenville. **Ongoing** - A full service stained glass studio specializing in the design and construction of stained glass windows. Located in Greenville, SC, the company is owned and operated by Lou Ellen Beckham-Davis. 2024 marks our 37 year anniversary! Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 9am-1pm. Contact: 864/268-6049 or at (lebglass.com).

Little House Art Studios, 602 Strange Rd., Taylors. **Ongoing** - Featuring exhibits of fiber art, mixed media collages and painting by Susan R. Sorrell and Anne K. Taylor's photography, paintings and collages. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 864/517-4023 or at (www.littlehouseartstudios.com).

Liz Daly Designs, 1801 Rutherford Road, Greenville. **Ongoing** - The gallery continues to show many local artists who work in various mediums, and has expanded to include art from other areas. Liz Daly-Korybski creates jewelry from glass in her on site studio, and other artists can be seen creating in the gallery as well. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 864/325-4445 or at (www.dalydesigns.com).

Ilyn strong, 119 North Main Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - featuring the works of over 60 national custom jewelry designers and glass blowers. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am - 5:30pm. Contact: 864/233-5900 or at (www.ilynstrong.com).

Mary Praytor Gallery, 26 So. Main Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Exhibit of gallery artists include: Scott Belville, Judy Jones, Kent Ambler, Stephen Dell, Spela Brenick, Jack Burgess, Margaret Dyer, Ashley Norwood Cooper, Jonathan Fenske, Dobee Snowber, Jim Heiser, Mary Walker, Ken Page, Mark Mullinger, and Mark Anderson. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm; Thur.& Fri. evenings & Sun. afternoons by appt. Contact: 864/235-1800.

Melinda Hoffman Studio, East Butler Road, Mauldin. **Ongoing** - The studio of Melinda Hoffman. Hours: call for an appt. Contact: 864/320-0973 or at (melindahoffmanart.com).

No. 3 Pottery, 105 South Maple Street, Simpsonville. **Ongoing** - We are a pottery studio and retail shop located right in the heart of Simpsonville, SC. Our goal is to create a community for all artists right here in Simpsonville. In addition to No. 3 Pottery pieces, we also sell pottery from FaberSmith Press and Pottery, wood slat art by Saw and Slat, handmade earrings from Shapes by Sadie, Whimsical Bird Art by Linda Eversole, and locally handmade soaps and candles. We offer small pottery classes in hand building or throwing and specific project based workshops. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 864/228-7929 or at (no3pottery.com).

Olde Towne Galleries, 1300 Laurens Road, Greenville. **Ongoing** - A fine art gallery featuring works by local, regional and international artists, including watercolor landscapes and florals by Judy Sahn, Celtic landscapes by Donna Nyzio, pottery by Veronica Inman, photography and hand-woven linens and garments

by Gail Gray and Russian Gzhel ceramics and handpainted boxes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 864/235-5592.

Oyé Studios, 37 East Hillcrest Drive, (yes it's in a church building) Greenville. **Ongoing** - The Oyé Studios mission is to be home to a cadre of artists who value dedication to practice, artistic fellowship and cross-pollination, and a constructive affect in the Greenville community. Featuring works by Taylor Adams, Rey Alfonso, Patricia DeLeon, Kelly Grant Bertrand, Jessica Fields, Michelle Jardines, Signe & Genna Grushovenko, Glory Day Loflin, Christopher Rico, Dorothy Shain, Keith Seitz, and the office of Everett King Consulting. Hours: open by appt. only. Contact: e-mail to (oyestudios37@gmail.com) or at (<https://www.oyestudiosgvl.com/>).

Ric Standridge Gallery, 1021 S. Main St., Greenville. **Ongoing** - We feature a continuing series of Standridge paintings and individual artist exhibitions as well as theme and invitational shows by artist from all geographic regions. We represent a diverse group of artistic styles of painting, sculptures and preeminent glass collection. Hours: Tue. & Thur., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: at (www.ricstandridge.com).

Sea Island Gallery, 115 Pelham Road, Pelham Court Shopping Center, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Original SC & southwest paintings by Douglas Grier, raku pottery by Tim Tyler, oils on paper by Betsy Bayne and a wide selection of prints by many artists. Hours: Tues. - Fri., 10am - 5:30pm; Sat., 10am - 4pm. Contact: 864/271-2007.

Southern Accent Designs, 300 River Street, along the Reedy River, Studio 101B, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Marcy Connors. Hours: Call ahead Tue.-Sat. Contact: 603/520-6570 or at (<https://gallery.southernaccentdesigns.com/>).

Southeast Center for Photography, 116 E. Broad Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - An exhibition and education venue promoting the art and enjoyment of fine photography. Through monthly juried exhibitions, local, national and international photographers of all skill levels have the opportunity to have their work presented and enjoyed by collectors, curators, enthusiasts, interior designers, and colleagues. In addition, exceptional photographers will be invited to participate in solo or group shows. Our workshop and class schedule cover all aspects of photography and challenges, encourages and inspires the photographer in all of us. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm and First Fridays until 9pm. Contact: 864/605-7400 or at (www.sec4p.com).

Spoonbill Gallery, 1292 Pendleton Street in the Village of West Greenville. **Through Jan. 4, 2025** - "8th Annual Ornament Show," featuring heirloom small works, Handcrafted ornaments, and unique decor to ring in the season. Spoonbill Gallery is thrilled to announce its "8th Annual Ornament Show," showcasing an enchanting collection of small works, handcrafted ornaments, holiday wreaths, home décor, and novelty gifts created by a diverse group of talented artists. A special reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 6 to 9pm, as part of the Metropolitan Arts Council's popular First Fridays event. **Ongoing** - The gallery's collection features a variety of national artists complemented by a showcase of rising talents. Spoonbill Gallery is dedicated to fostering a deeper appreciation for art and culture, serving as a hub for artistic expression and creativity in the southeast. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/735-7879 or visit (www.spoonbillgallery.com).

The Artistry Gallery and Workshops, 12 Andrews Street, across from St. Francis Hospital, Greenville. **Ongoing** - This beautifully refurbished factory located in Greenville, SC houses the Artistry Gallery as well as the workshops of 6 artists and craftsmen. We collaborate on projects, as well as work on commissioned and individual pieces. Whether we are beating a hot-molten piece of iron, dying, marbling, or sewing fabric, rasping and planing a wooden element, twisting fabric for tie dying, painting an elaborate canvas, jewelry-smithing, or manipulating an ethereal installation, we draw inspiration from each other. Hours: by appt. Contact: 864/982-2087 or at (www.theartistrygallery.com).

The Bank Building Studios, 1279 Pendleton Street, in the heart of The Village of West Greenville, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring working studios of Barbara Castaneda, Fotini Christophillis, and Traci Wright Martin. Hours: call ahead for hours or by chance during weekdays. Contact: 864/630-1652 or at (www.patriciakiburg.com).

Olde Towne Galleries, 1300 Laurens Road, Greenville. **Ongoing** - A fine art gallery featuring works by local, regional and international artists, including watercolor landscapes and florals by Judy Sahn, Celtic landscapes by Donna Nyzio, pottery by Veronica Inman, photography and hand-woven linens and garments

Thornback Contemporary Art Gallery, Lofts of Greenville, 201 Smythe Street (we are on the Smythe Street facing side of the building), Ste. H, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary works by Southeastern artists. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 10am-3pm and Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 864/915-8732 or e-mail to (info@thornbackgallery.com).

Wilkinson ART, 39 Blair Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Marty Epp-Carter, Steven Chapp, Donald Collins, Terry Jarrard-Diamond, Tom Dimond, Phil Garrett, Luis Jaramillo, Nancy Jaramillo, Dana Jones, Catherine Labbé, Caren Stansell, Freda Sue. Gallery of printmaking, drawing, collage, painting, mixed media. Link to social media and subscribe to e-mail at (<http://lineandcolor.net>). Hours: Tues-Fri, 1pm-6pm, Saturdays 1pm-4pm, please call ahead. Closed Sundays and Mondays. Receptions and events are announced by email and social media. Contact: Joel Wilkinson at 864/235-4483 or e-mail at (jwilkinsonstudio@gmail.com).

Woodbine Studio & Gallery, 1112 Rutherford Drive, (we are located in the Meyer Center complex) Greenville. **Through Jan. 3, 2025** - "Dispatch From The Joey Pouch," works by Vee Sampson and Philip Garcia. **Ongoing** - Art studio and gallery, created by Dwain and Meredith Skinner. Hours: Tue. - Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: at (woodbinestudio.com).

Alternative Art Space - Greenville
The Anchorage. @ The Village of West Greenville, 586 Perry Ave., Greenville. **Through Dec. 31** - Works by Phillip Livingston (Greenville, SC.) will usher the transition from summer to fall in the Art & Light gallery partnership with The Anchorage restaurant in the Village of West Greenville. Philip Livingston studied art at the University of South Alabama where he received a BFA in Graphic Design and Painting. Prior to becoming a full-time artist, he spent 20+ years creating ad campaigns and graphic design for national brands at ad agencies in Boston, MA and Washington DC. In the recent work on view at The Anchorage, Livingston presents a sculptural relief series that began as an experimental project. Hours: regular restaurant hours. Contact: 864/363-8172 or at (www.artandlightgallery.com) or call the Anchorage at 864/219-3082 or visit (www.theanchoragerestaurant.com).

Greenwood

Main & Maxwell, 210 Main Street, at the intersection of Main Street and Maxwell Avenue Greenwood. **Ongoing** - A gallery and retail shop specializing in local South Carolina artists offering handcrafted art, pottery, jewelry, fiber and gifts for all occasions. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 864/223-6229 or at (www.mainandmaxwell.com).

Hickory Grove

Myersart Pottery, 1281 Legion Road, Hickory Grove. **Ongoing** - John and Jan Myers are influenced by the surroundings of their 100-acre farm. There they grow fish and flowers, feed wildlife and a large variety of birds. The Myers see natural beauty around them and share it with you in their decorative and functional pottery. Our glazes are high fired and lead free. Our pottery is dishwasher safe and microwaveable. Hours: call for current hours. Contact: 803/925-2274 or at (Myersart.net).

Hilton Head Island

Camellia Art, 8 Pope Avenue, Hilton Head Island. **Ongoing** - Featuring custom framing and art gallery with works by Marge Agin, Evelyn B. Ballentine, Vickie Ebberts, Cassandra M. Gillens, Kelly Graham, Ben Ham, Bruce Holler, Bill Little, Louanne Laroache, Lynn Parrott, Laurie McIntosh, Brian Vaughn, and Martha Worthy. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 9am-1pm. Contact: 843/785-3535 or at (<http://camelliaart.com>).

Fastframe, 95 Matthews Dr., unit A-6, Hilton Head Island. **Ongoing** - Featuring original work in oils, acrylics, pastels, water colors, and gouache, by David Randall and a variety of local artists. Also a broad mix of limited editions, prints and posters also available. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/342-7696 or at (www.fastframe.com).

Joostello gallery, 8 Archer Rd., red fish restaurant building, Hilton Head Island. **Ongoing** - Representing an international landscape in compositions of oil, photography and print-making, from the Lowcountry to Morocco, Budapest, Kyoto, Latin America, and Provence. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 1-9pm & Sun., 5-9pm or by appt. Contact: 843/686-6550 or at (www.joostello-gallery.com).

Smith Galleries, Gallery of Fine Craft, Art, & Framing, in the Village at Wexford, upstairs in Ste. J-11, 1000 William Hilton Parkway, Hilton Head Island. **Ongoing** - Hilton Head's

complete gallery representing more than 300 of the country's finest craftsmen offering the finest in the area of jewelry, kaleidoscopes, wooden jewelry boxes, Sticks furniture, art glass, kitchen utensils, metal and pottery. The gallery carries original art as well as fine prints and reproductions and offers complete framing services. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/842-2280 or at (<https://smith-galleries.myshopify.com/>).

Lake City

Chenoweth, Halligan Studios and Front Gallery, 221 Rodgers Street, Lake City. **Ongoing** - This is the studios & project gallery of Roger Halligan and Jan Chenoweth. This is a working studio and presentation gallery with an adjoining outdoor sculpture grounds close to TRAX Gallery and the Lake City downtown. Hours: open by appt. and on special occasions. Masks and social distancing are required for a viewing. Contact: call 423/280-0531.

Olio Studio, 104 West Main Street, Lake City. **Ongoing** - Olio Studio is an art studio that offers classes, workshops, arty parties, paint your own pottery, local art and other art events & activities. Hours: Mon., 1-6pm; Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm; and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/374-6546 or at (www.olio-studio.com).

Lancaster



Work by Bob Doster

Bob Doster's Backstreet Studio, Gallery, & Garden, 217 E. Gay St., at the intersection of White St. & Gay St., one and one half blocks east of Main St., Lancaster. **Dec. 7, from 9am-5pm** - "Bob Doster's Backstreet Studio Open House". Our annual open house features new works by Bob Doster alongside collector's favorites, refreshments, prize drawing. Meet the artist, tour the studio, and enjoy the gallery exhibits during this popular event. Plenty of free parking and visitors can make a day of it when downtown Lancaster opens its doors for shopping, exhibitions, children's activities, outdoor market, and more! **Ongoing** - Featuring works by award winning sculptor Bob Doster, along with changing exhibits of local, regional, and national artists working in all mediums. Hours: by appt only. Contact: 803/285-9190 or at (www.bobdoster.com).

Chastain's Studio Lofts, 107 South Main Street, Lancaster. **Ongoing** - Chastain's Studio Lofts is a place for artists, wanna-be artists and those who appreciate visual arts or want to learn more about it. It's a place of color and shapes, of imagination and beauty, of heart and soul. Most of the pieces were done by artists from Lancaster County and the surrounding communities, and most pieces are for sale at reasonable prices. Classes are also offered at the gallery. Hours: Tue. and Thur., 1-5pm and by appt. Contact: 803/804-3659 or at (www.chastainstudiolofts.com).

Latta

RJK Frames and Things, 112 E. Main Street, Latta. **Ongoing** - Featuring Imperial Russian bone china, exceptional gold trimmed lacquer boxes, Soviet propaganda posters, rare Russian Orthodox Icons and Avant Garde drawings. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 8am-6pm. Contact: 843/752-9319 or (<http://www.rjkframesandthings.com>).

Lexington

Mary Elliott Williams' Studio, 1044 Hope Ferry Rd., Lexington. **Ongoing** - Precious Faces, artworks mainly in pastel and oil, commissions accepted. Hours: by appt. Contact: 803/356-0381 or at (www.artistofothesouth.com).

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Sandlapper Art & Frame, 711 E. Main St., Suite M, downstairs in Lexington's Historic Old Mill, Lexington. **Ongoing** - Offering custom picture framing and fine art sales. Also handmade

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gifts such as pottery, jewelry, metal art, etc. The store has a very "coastal" flair but all mediums and subjects are exhibited. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-3pm; & by appt. Contact: 803/785-4278 or at (www.sandlapperart.com).

Mt. Pleasant - Isle of Palms - Sullivan's Is.

A Simple Tree, 1304 Erckmann Drive, Suite D, Mt. Pleasant. **Ongoing** - Framing for artists and art galleries. Ready made frames in stock. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 843/606-0017 or at (www.asimpletree.com).

Accent Framing & Gallery, 1303 Ben Sawyer Blvd., Mt. Pleasant. **Ongoing** - Original art by many of the Lowcountry's best artists featuring Martin Ahrens, Fletcher Crossman, Lynn Salkeld, Charles Parnell and Shea Fowler. Hundreds of prints and photographs in stock. We also offer painting lessons by master artists. Hours: M.-F., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/884-5828.

Adele's Pottery Studio & Gallery, 1659 Middle St., Sullivan's Island. **Ongoing** - Featuring wheel thrown & hand-blown clay works by Adele Deas Tobin. Also offering classes for children and teens. Pottery on the wheel Sept.-May. Hours: daily, 11am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 843/883-9545.

New Location Anglin-Smith Fine Art, 123 Pitt Street, Suite 100, Mt. Pleasant. **Ongoing** - Featuring the working studio of Jennifer Smith Rogers and Shannon Smith Hughes. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 843/853-0708 or at (www.anglinsmith.com).

Artwrx Framing & Galleria, The Plaza @ Park West, Mt. Pleasant. **Ongoing** - Featuring a unique, one-of-a-kind collection of original artwork, prints, giclees, hand painted gifts, custom mirrors, hand blown glass lamps, and hand made jewelry by local artists such as Greg Drexler, Susan Hauser, Will Helger, Steve Neff, Richard Rose, Michael Story, and photographer Lea Dales. Also - Professional, on-site custom framing, as well as a space for gifts. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/971-4643.

Charleston Artist Collective, 414 Whilden Street, Mount Pleasant. **Ongoing** - Our mission of the Charleston Artist Collective is to provide an platform for local artists to grow their potential and to provide collectors, young or experienced, access to original affordable art while giving back to Charleston area non-profits and organizations. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm or Sun. by appt. Contact: 843/936-2022 or at (<https://charleston.artistcollectives.org/>).

Complements Gallery, 630 Johnny Dodds Road, Mt. Pleasant. **Ongoing** - Featuring pottery by Mary Jeffries. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/881-4035.

Karen's Korner, Gateway to the Beach center, 1405 Ben Sawyer Blvd., near CVS, Mt. Pleasant. **Ongoing** - Offering high quality custom framing, originals and prints by Charlynn Knight, Carol McGill, Sabine Avacalade, Kevin Curran, and Carol Ann Curran. Photography by Scott Henderson, Marc Epstein, as well as pottery, stained glass and other fine art objects. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/971-4110 or at (www.karenskornerframeandart.com).

Perspective Gallery, in Crickentree Shopping Center on Johnnie Dodds Blvd., Mount Pleasant. **Ongoing** - The Mount Pleasant Artists Guild has opened their first art gallery The Guild has been considering for some time the possibility of opening a gallery to showcase the work of the many talented artists who create original artwork in an assortment of media. Perspective Gallery is in the former location of the Treasure Nest Art Gallery. A steering committee was brought together to formulate a plan and oversee the work required to create the gallery environment the guild had been seeking. Over 40 artists are currently exhibiting their lively, colorful work, in oils, watercolors, photography, mixed media and more. A wide range of styles is represented. It is the goal of the Mount Pleasant Artists Guild and the staff of Perspective to bring to the East Cooper area a truly high quality, diverse collection of artwork that will appeal to residents and visitors alike in a pleasant, inviting gallery setting. We are looking forward to working with individual art collectors and designers to find something truly unique and beautiful. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: call Becky Taylor at 843-800-5025 or at (www.mpagperspectivegallery.com).



Work by Monique Carr

Sandpiper Gallery, 2201 Middle Street, across the street from Poe's Restaurant and beside Station 22 Restaurant, Sullivan's Island. **Ongoing** - Minutes from Charleston on charming Sullivan's Island, the gallery features a fresh mix of breath-taking paintings, pottery, exquisite jewelry and unique works in wood, glass and metal. The eclectic collection of works in this gallery is sure to bring a smile and will interest both the seasoned fine art collector as well as the fine craft enthusiast; from stunning paintings to special gifts from the lowcountry. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/883-0200 or at (www.sandpipergallery.net).

The Gallery at Sweetgrass, 5757 Palm Blvd., nestled in the Sweetgrass Plaza at Wild Dunes Resort, Isle of Palms. **Ongoing** - The Gallery currently showcases regionally and nationally recognized artists that have created pieces celebrating the beauty, color and tranquility of our coastal locale. Works range from oil-painted landscapes, seascapes and streetscapes to impressionist and abstract views. In addition, the Gallery offers serene fine art photography, pottery, woodworking and jewelry. The Gallery hosts an artist-in-residence program, with featured artists who create in the Gallery while sharing their artistic passion with the Isle of Palms community and resort guests. Hours: daily, 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/886-2109 or at (galleryatsweetgrass.com).

Myrtle Beach / Grand Strand

William H. Miller Studios & Fine Art, 702 8th Ave N, Myrtle Beach. **Ongoing** - Featuring regular works by William H. Miller and the artists on 8th Avenue. Twice monthly group art shows. Monthly First Friday Art Walks 5-8pm. Hours: Tue.-Sat., from 1-5pm, or by appt. Contact: 843/410-9535 or at (williamhmilller.com).

Newberry

The Carpenter Gallery, 1220 Main Street, corner of Main and College Streets, Newberry. **Ongoing** - We are a fine art gallery in downtown Newberry, SC, representing international and regional artists. We offer original oil and watercolor paintings, pottery and handmade jewelry and textiles. Our goal is to support our wonderful artists' talents while offering a refreshing gallery experience in a charming small town. Hours: N/A. Contact: (<https://carpenter-gallery.com/>).

North Charleston

Steve Hazard Studio & Art Gallery, 4790 Trade Street, located in the business park across from the Festival Center, off Patriot Blvd. between Dorchester Road & Ashley Phosphate Road, Suite H, North Charleston. **Ongoing** - A new venue for on-going art shows of Contemporary Fine Craft and Fine Art available for purchase. A gallery and working studio featuring works by Steve Hazard including 2-D & 3-D wall art, welded metal furniture, sculpture, functional objects, and jewelry in fused glass and etched clear glass. Art commissions & unique design projects accepted. Find art beyond the ordinary, off the beaten path. Contemporary abstracts, nonrepresentational & figurative works created by local, national & international artists including sculpture, objects, original paintings & reproductions. Free admission and free parking. Hours: by appt only. Contact: 843/864 4638 or e-mail to (algraffiti@aol.com).

Studio Union, 2010 Hackermann Avenue, North Charleston. **Ongoing** - Studio Union provides a hive for emerging and established artists to interact, develop new work and share in public exhibitions. Contact: (www.studiounioncha.com).

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet

Floyd Fine Arts, 11096 Ocean Hwy 17., in The Shops at Oak Lea, Pawleys Island. **Ongoing** - Representing Sigmund Abeles, Ellen Buselli, Ray Ellis, Joseph Cave, Laura Edwards, Claire K. Farrell, Paula B. Holtzclaw, Kathy Metts, Mike Williams, and Charles Williams; also sculptors Gwen Marcus and Catherine Ferrell. A large inventory of original antique natural history prints and engravings by Mark Catesby, John J. Audubon, John Gould, and others. Also original antique maps and charts from the 16th through the 19th centuries. Hours: Tue-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 843/979-0149 or (www.cherylnewbygallery.com).

Gray Man Gallery, 9841 Ocean Highway, Pawley's Island. **Ongoing** - Gray Man Gallery is celebrating over forty years as a custom frame shop and art gallery in Pawleys Island! We're known for our excellent customer service, attention to detail, and our selection of exquisite local artwork. Founded by local artist Vida Miller in 1980, the Gray Man Gallery is the largest and most experienced custom framer on the south end of the Grand Strand. We feature gifts, books, original artwork, and prints by a number of talented Lowcountry artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Mon. + Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 843/237-2578 or at (graymangallery.com).

Island Art Gallery, a Fine Art Gallery, Villages Shops, 10744am Ocean Highway, Pawleys Island. **Ongoing** - Island Art Gallery is an artist-owned gallery with eight owner artists and twenty-seven exhibiting artists. We represent artists from North and South Carolina in a variety of mediums including oil, pastel, acrylic and watercolor. We offer ongoing studio art classes and workshops from established local and visiting artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: call 843-314-0298 or at (www.pawleysislandart.com).

Pendleton

Art Gallery on Pendleton Square, 150 Exchange Street, Pendleton. **Ongoing** - The gallery is operated by the Gallery of the Pendleton Square Artist Coop. Media include: paint in oils, acrylics and watercolor; mixed media; jewelry; pottery and ceramics; sculpture in modern materials; fabric art; photography. Second Friday receptions (6-8pm) present works of a featured (non-member) artist or selected (member) artist, with refreshments. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun., 10am-2pm. Contact: 864/221-0129 or at (<http://www.artgalleryps.org>).

Ridgeland

Watson Studio and Gallery, 516 South Green Street, Ridgeland. **Ongoing** - Works by George Watson in painting, blown glass, and pottery. Preview some of his work at (<https://www.watsonstudio.com/>). His work can also be seen at (https://www.pinterest.com/watsonstudio/_created/). This is an artist who has spent his life creating new and original work, striving to make each piece his best. This work is a must see for any collector of high-quality art. Hours: Open by appointment or by chance. Contact: E-mail to (glassartist70@hotmail.com), or call George at 781/217-1430.

Rock Hill

Art on the Corner @ Rinehart Realty, 154 E Main Street, Rock Hill. **Ongoing** - We are located in the downtown Rock Hill office of Rinehart Realty, on the corner of Main and Hampton St. right beside The Artist Collective. Our unique gallery has everything from colored pencil on Stonehenge paper, oil on fabric, to watercolors and so much more. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. If the door is locked, just tap on the glass! Contact: 803/329-3219 or e-mail Gabriella Brewer at (artonthecorner@rinehartrealty.com). Visit Facebook at (<https://www.facebook.com/ArtOnTheCornerRH/>) or Instagram at (art.onthecorner).

Blue Rose Pottery, 1549 Cherry Road, just off I-77, Rock Hill. **Ongoing** - In 1994, after retiring from a corporate retail position, our owner decided to start Blue Rose Pottery - featuring Polish Pottery. A collector of dishes and pottery over the years - she believed the beauty, function and value of the stoneware made in Boleslawiec, Poland, was unsurpassed. Her goal, to share her love of Polish Pottery with customers all over the world and offer a broad assortment of items and color combinations to complement and décor, complete and cook's kitchen, and dress every table whatever the function. Hours: closed now due to COVID-19, call for info. Contact: 866/831-8066 or at (www.BlueRosePottery.com).

The Frame Shop and Gallery, 570 N. Anderson Rd., Rock Hill. **Ongoing** - Offering original fine art, limited edition prints and posters as well as custom framing services. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803-328-8744.

The Hickory Post, 202 East Main Street, Rock Hill. **Ongoing** - Home to The Rock Hill Artist Collective. This 6,000sq.ft. building also houses 13 studio spaces to: Lindsay Conlan, Ashley Flynn, Kim Bryan, Harriet Marshall Goode, Ashley Barron, Sarah Simpson, Stefan Duncan, Kristen Gurri, Kat Hoover, Robin Stallings, Michael James, Louise Hane, and The Gypsy Debutant (a women's clothing boutique). Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/417-6502 or e-mail to (info@thehickorypost.com).

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are just part of what The Art Lounge has to offer. Custom frame shop and gallery with the newest frame samples and designs. Custom mirrors, shadowboxes, canvas stretching and framing, and more. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm & Fri., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 864/804-6566 or at (www.artlounge1.com).



Work by Yvonne Roussseau

Art on the Square - Summerville, 420 Nexton Square Drive, Summerville. **Ongoing** - ART on the Square is a fine art gallery now opened at the Nexton community in Summerville, SC. The gallery represents over 30 local award-winning artists offering painting, photography, sculpture, pottery, jewelry, stained glass and mosaics. Our location at Nexton Square is easily accessible with free parking and is located next to premier shopping and dining! Hours: daily 11am-8pm. Contact: 843/871-0297 or at (<https://artonthe-square.gallery/>).

Four Green Fields Gallery & Gifts, 117-A Central Ave., Summerville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the new home of Silver Pail Pottery by potters Jillian and Robin Carway. The gallery showcases the work of 45+ American fine craft artists with an emphasis on local and South Carolina artisans. Offering a wide range of talent from the master potter to the emerging silversmith. Other media represented include fiber, wood, photography, baskets, paper, glass, metal, leather and handmade artisan products. Craft artists interested in exhibiting with Four Green Fields can find an "Artist Info Packet" on the website. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/261-7680 or at (www.fourgreengfieldsgallery.com).

Imperial Framing & Specialities, 960 Bacons Bridge Road, Palmetto Plaza, Summerville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Lowcountry artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-2pm.

Contact: 843/871-9712.

Karyn Healey Art, just off Hutchinson Square in the heart of Summerville. **Ongoing** - Karyn is a painter observing life in the Lowcountry of South Carolina, focusing on stories of daily life and social issues in oil paint, gouache, casein, and collage. Hours: Open by appointment only. Contact: Call 843/609-7404; (<https://www.instagram.com/karynhealeyart/>) or (<https://m.facebook.com/KarynHealeyArt/>).

People, Places, & Quilts, 129 W. Richardson Avenue, Summerville. **Ongoing** - Featuring fabric, books, patterns, notions, quilts and Folk Art. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/937-9333 or at (www.pquilts.com).

Alternative Art Spaces
Coastal Coffee Roaster, 106 E. 3rd North Street, Summerville. **Ongoing** - Coastal Coffee Roasters began as a simple idea: to share our family's passion for fresh, organic coffee with the world. We love the coast as much as we love our coffee, so we headed towards the South Carolina Coast with our vision of transforming the world's highest quality, sustainably grown beans into the best freshly roasted coffee available. We use a creative, locally roasted process to bring our passion for great coffee to life in every bag. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 7am-2pm. Contact: 843/378-4559.

Travelers Rest

White Rabbit Fine Art Gallery, 5 So. Main Street, Travelers Rest. **Ongoing** - Our ongoing exhibit is ever-changing and features the work of the founding members of the Gallery; all are local artists from the Upstate area. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 11am-5pm; Fri. & Sat., 11am-6pm and lter on First Fri. Contact: Patty Cunningham at 610/659-4669; or Susan Savage at 864/903-3371; or at (<http://www.artintr.com/white-rabbit-gallery.html>).

Wild Hare Gallery & Studios, 212 N. Poinsett Hwy., Travelers Rest. **Ongoing** - Wild Hare Gallery is Travelers Rest's newest art gallery, owned by local artists Kym Easter and Joann Benzinger. The focus of the WH Gallery is on modern, local arts and fine crafts. Guest artists are exhibited for three to six months; this allows for new and interesting art at all times. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-4pm or by appt. Contact: call 864/630-1423. 864/444-1152 or at (www.wildharegallery.com).

Walterboro

Artists' Hub of the Ace Basin, 255 East Washington Street, Walterboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring a co-op of local artists and crafters from the Ace Basin area. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9pm. Contact: 843/635-2682.

Gallery also includes 3-D art such as sculptures and pottery. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-8pm; Sat., 10am-9pm, & Sun. for special events. Contact: 336-584-3005 or at (<https://burlingtonartist-sleague.com/>).

1873 Capt. James & Emma Holt White House, 213 South Main Street, 2 1/2 blocks off 185/40, exit#147, Graham. Home of the Alamance County Arts Council. **Sister Galleries & Sun-trust Gallery**, Through Jan. 17, 2025 - "The Life and Art of Charles M. Schulz". Charles Monroe Schulz brightened the world for 50 years with his Peanuts comic strip, which debuted October 2, 1950. With Snoopy, Charlie Brown, and the rest of the lovable Peanuts gang, Schulz explored the emotional territory of friendship, disappointment, faith, and tolerance. He was an artist and a storyteller who transformed images of everyday life into art that captured the humor, vulnerability, and dignity of the human spirit. Through Peanuts, Schulz connected the world with his drawings and stories. "The Life and Art of Charles M. Schulz" explores Schulz's personal history and his role as the sole inspiration and artistic talent behind Peanuts and its unique cast of characters. Schulz once proclaimed, "It seems beyond the comprehension of people that someone can be born to draw comic strips, but I think I was." **Ongoing** - We are committed to shaping the cultural identity of Alamance County by making art a tangible presence in the lives of its citizens. We strive to enhance the quality of life by engaging people in a diverse array of art through the delivery of programming and education, and through the provision of facilities, advocacy, promotion, and funding. **Ongoing** - Picasso's Gift Shop,

located in the Captain White House, promises unique finds of local, regional, and international art. The beautiful arts and craft items sold in the store help support the artist in the community. Featuring a wide variety of art, pottery and glass. Admission: free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/226-4495 or at (www.alamancearts.org).

Albemarle

Falling Rivers Gallery, 330-N Second Street, Albemarle. **Through Jan. 4** - "From Our Hands... Holiday Craft Show". One stop shopping for all your holiday gifts. Support local artists by purchasing unique handmade items for all of your friends, family and clients. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a cooperative venue of the Stanly Arts Guild. Member staffed, this gallery offers the very best in local art and crafts including oil and watercolor, photography, pottery and ceramic art, jewelry, native American art, gourd sculpture and much more. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Thur. till 6:30pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 704/983-4278 or at (www.fallingrivers-gallery.com).

Apex

Throughout the downtown area of Apex, **Through Mar. 2025** - "4th Annual Apex Sculpture Walk". This exhibition offers works by established and emerging professional artists on display throughout the heart of beautiful downtown Apex. For further info visit (<https://www.apexnc.org/1642/Apex-Sculpture-Walk-2024-2025>).

The Haile Cultural Arts Center, 237 North Salem Street, Apex. **Main Gallery, Dec. 6 - 20** - "17th Annual Tree & Wreath Exhibit and Auction". A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 6-8pm and the Auction ends at 10am on Dec. 20. Take a stroll through the enchanting holiday wonderland in the gallery this December. See what Apex area businesses, schools, performing groups, and other organizations can create for their themed greenery. Take your chance on the silent auction with a bid on your favorite display, because every tree & wreath will go home to the highest bidder. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm & sat., 9am-1pm. Contact: 919/249-1120 or at (www.apexnc.org).

Asheville Area



John Frederick Kensett (American, 1816 - 72), "Singing Beach & Eagle Rock, Magnolia, Massachusetts," 1864, oil on canvas. Courtesy of the Thomas H. and Diane DeMell Jacobsen PhD Foundation.

Asheville Art Museum, 2 South Pack Square at Pack Place, Asheville. **Explore Asheville Exhibition Hall, Through Feb. 20, 2025** - "American Made: Paintings and Sculpture from the DeMell Jacobsen Collection". The exhibition features over 80 paintings and sculptures. Though many objects in the exhibition have been on view at other museums, ranging from the Metropolitan Museum of Art to the Smithsonian American Art Museum, this exhibition showcases the best of the DeMell Jacobsen Collection brought together in one location. "American Made" provides an in-depth look at the evolution of American creativity from the Colonial era to the early 20th century. The highlights include portraits by masters like Benjamin West, Thomas Sully, and Sarah Miriam Peale. There are sweeping landscapes by Thomas Cole, Asher B. Durand, and Jasper Francis Cropsey, and still lifes by Severin Roosen, Charles Ethan Porter, and Adelaide Coburn Palmer. The exhibition also features captivating genre scenes and the work of American artists who traveled to Europe, such as Mary Cassatt, John Singer Sargent, and Childe Hassam. **Appleby Foundation Exhibition Hall, Through Jan. 20, 2025** - "Ginny Ruffner: Reforestation of the Imagination" and "Bill Viola's Moving Stillness: Mount Rainier". Both exhibitions explore our unique connections with the environment through art innovation. These exhibitions invite visitors to engage with innovative art that bridges technology and nature, reflecting our profound connection to the environment. Ruffner's work emphasizes themes of reforestation and environmental awareness, while Viola's installation offers a meditative exploration of human consciousness and examines our understanding of the natural world. **Wells Fargo Art PLAYce, Through Jan. 20, 2025** - "Special Installation I Forest Feels," by Amanda N. Simons. A response to the exhibition "Reforestation of the Imagination by Ginny Ruffner, Forest Feels" invites its viewers to participate in two distinct realities of an art museum experience: to observe the work as it is in this moment, and also to change the work by contributing to its evolution. There are many ways to participate

in this piece! Please interact in a way that feels right to you. Rearrange the components, create a plant (real or imagined), add on, take away, or just stay awhile and enjoy some sensations. Amanda N. Simons (b. 1984, Flint Michigan, USA) is a visual artist, writer, educator, and safety advocate whose interdisciplinary art practice currently explores the intersections of queer identity, and experience-based learning. **The Van Winkle Law Firm Gallery, Through May 31** - "Anti Form: Robert Morris's Earth Projects". The Asheville Art Museum presents Anti Form: Robert Morris's Earth Projects. The suite of lithographic drawings by Robert Morris presents a series of ideas for ten works of art shaped out of earth, atmospheric conditions, and built environments. Created in 1969, the series marks an important moment when artists began to reimagine what art could be. Morris was a pioneer in conceptual art working at the forefront of Minimalism, Process art, and Land art. He theorized and championed the work of art as an idea rather than a physical form, influencing generations of artists to come. This exhibition is organized by the Asheville Art Museum and Jessica Orzulak, Associate Curator and Curatorial Affairs Manager. **Debra McClinton Gallery, Through Mar. 31, 2025** - "Forces of Nature: Ceramics from the Hayes Collection". Ceramic artists throughout history have become masters of all four elements - creating clay from a mixture of earth and water to shape their work, drying it in air, and hardening it in fire. Throughout this process, the artist decides which aspects of the work will be tightly controlled, and when the elements can step in to leave nature's mark. This exhibition traces the historical, stylistic, and conceptual origins of work that either embraces or refuses the element of chance in ceramics, looking at modern and contemporary work made in Western North Carolina. The ceramics in this exhibition are all drawn from the robust collection of Andrew and Hathia Hayes, who have been collecting important regional pottery and sculpture for decades. Through their close relationships with artists, they have brought together works that show not only the different aesthetics seen in the region, but also a picture of the ceramics community. Regional artists including Cynthia Bringle, Donna Craven, Mark Hewitt, Fred Johnston, Ben Owen III, and Norm Schulman will be on view, demonstrating the many different approaches to ceramics in this region. **Ongoing** - The Asheville Art Museum, the hub for 20th- and 21st-century American art in Western North Carolina, has re-opened to the public. The \$24-million, state-of-the-art facility encompasses 54,000 square feet and adds 70 percent more Collection gallery space. For the first time in the Museum's history, it has the capacity to host major traveling exhibitions from nationally recognized museums. The expansion increases its physical space and dramatically increases its role as a community center, educational resource, economic engine for WNC, and cultural concierge for the region's residents and visitors. Admission: Yes and **Pay-What-You-Wish admission for visitors from areas affected by Hurricane Helene**. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Fri. till 8pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/253-3227 or at (www.ashevilleart.org).

Asheville Gallery of Art, Ltd., 82 Patton Avenue, across from Pritchard Park opposite the old location, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art by 31 local artists in oils, acrylics, watercolor, pastel, encaustic, and prints. Hours: Mon., 11am-6pm & Fri.-Sat., noon-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/251-5796 or at (www.ashevillegallery-of-art.com).

Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, 120 College Street, Asheville. **Through Jan. 11, 2025** - "The Farm at Black Mountain College". The story of Black Mountain College (BMC) has grown to mythical proportions since the liberal arts school officially closed its doors in 1957. Countless books, exhibitions, and artworks have been created to capture what it was like to live and learn at this singular college and to chart its unparalleled cultural legacy. But before this exhibition and accompanying book, nobody had written about the farm at BMC in any great detail. Built on more than a decade's worth of deep, original archival research, "The Farm at Black Mountain College" exhibition constitutes a deep new history of BMC. By focusing on the farm, the exhibition sidesteps the popular paradigm of approaching BMC through its famous faculty and students, and instead offers a new cast of characters, one that includes mostly students, women, and farmers. It spotlights the importance of collaboration, both on campus among students, faculty, and faculty families, and in the community with farmers and organizations in nearby cities and towns. Finally, the exhibition shows what happens when communal living is no longer communal, and offers a detailed account of the final dark days of the college, a dramatic and often dangerous story. **Ongoing** - An exhibition space dedicated to exploring the history and legacy of the world's most acclaimed experimental

educational community, Black Mountain College. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-4pm or by appt. Contact: 828/350-8484 or at (www.blackmountaincollege.org).

NC Homespun Museum, next to Groveswood Gallery, at Grove Park Inn, 111 Groveswood Road, Asheville. **Ongoing** - This museum presents a historical overview of Biltmore Industries, an Arts and Crafts enterprise once renowned for its hand-loomed fabrics. The museum showcases memorabilia including photographs, letters, artifacts, woven samples and tailored suits from the active years of the industry. Located on the historic Groveswood grounds, adjacent to The Omni Grove Park Inn. Admission is free (donations appreciated). Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm, & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/253-7651.

NC Glass Center, 140 Roberts Street, Suite C, Asheville. **Ongoing** - The North Carolina Glass Center is a non-profit, public access glass studio providing daily educational offerings & demonstrations. We are proud to represent the work of our artists and instructors in the NCGC glass gallery. Hours: Mon., Wed., Thur. & Sun., 10am-5pm and Fri. & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/505-3552 or at (www.ncglasscenter.org).

Southern Highland Craft Guild, Biltmore Village, 26 Lodge Street, former Biltmore Oteen Bank Building in Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a wide range of work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild, including: pottery, glass, wood, jewelry, fiber, metal, paper, mixed media and natural materials. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828-277-6222 or at (www.craftguild.org).

Southern Highland Craft Guild at the Folk Art Center, Blue Ridge Parkway Milepost 382, Asheville. **Dec. 7 & 14 from 10am-4pm** - "Holiday Sale Market at the Folk Art Center". The Southern Highland Craft Guild begins the holiday season with their annual Holiday Sale Markets at the Folk Art Center. These Saturday sale events last from 10am-4pm and will feature a different selection of artists each weekend with handcrafted gifts and home decor. This is the best opportunity to find deals on quality gifts during the holiday season and a chance to connect with the craftspeople in the region. For our makers, this is a chance to cycle out remaining 2024 one-of-a-kind pieces, or an opportunity to share new designs and techniques with the public. Handmade options include ceramic tableware, fine jewelry, hand-woven and dyed apparel, bound journals and etched cards, blown vases and ornaments, turned wooden bowls and more, all at a discounted price. **Main Gallery, Through Jan. 18, 2025** - "New Members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild". This show will debut the work of 27 new members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild, accepted into the Guild for their fine quality craftsmanship in 2023 and 2024. The room will be filled with wearable, decorative, and sculptural fiber, glass, wood, clay, jewelry, metal, and mixed media. **Permanent Collection Gallery, Ongoing** - "Craft Traditions: The Southern Highland Craft Guild Collection". The Guild's Permanent Collection is comprised of approximately 2400 craft objects and dates from the late 19th century to present. Beginning with a donation from Frances Goodrich in 1931, the Permanent Collection serves the Guild's

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mission of craft conservation and education. This new installation will feature over 200 works that highlight our holdings in traditional art: wood-carving, pottery, dolls, basketry, weavings and furniture. The subject of this ongoing exhibition is craft history - that of the Southern Highland Craft Guild and the Studio Craft Movement. Wells Fargo of Asheville has donated Hardy Davidson's Carvings to the SHCG's Permanent Collection. Hailing from Swannanoa, NC, woodcarver Hardy Davidson became a Guild Member in 1944 and was awarded Life Membership in 1973. **Focus Gallery, Through Nov. 11** - "Beautiful Mystery, featuring both traditional and contemporary craft by five members of the Guild. The colorful batik paintings on display are by Robin Ford, the clay pieces by Susan Griener and Joe Frank McKee, jewelry by Ilene Kay, and wood sculptures by new member, Brian Melton. Hours: daily from 9am-6pm. Contact: call 828/298-7928 or at (www.southernhighlandguild.org).

Southern Highland Craft Guild on Tunnel Road, 930 Tunnel Road, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild in various media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/298-7903.

YMI Gallery, YMI Cultural Center, 39 S. Market Street @ Eagle Street, Asheville. **Ongoing** - "In the Spirit of Africa". Featuring traditional and contemporary African masks, figurative woodcarvings, beadwork, jewelry, and textiles. Discover the purpose of mask and sculptures, which reflect African ancestral heritage and learn to appreciate symbolism and abstraction in African art. **YMI Conference Room, Ongoing** - "Forebears & Trailblazers: Asheville's African American Leaders, 1800s -1900s". The permanent exhibit offers a pictorial history of African-Americans from throughout Western North Carolina. Photographs of both influential and everyday people create a panorama of the variety of life among blacks in the mountain region. Here are the young and old, the prominent and the unknown, the men and women who helped create our city's life. **YMI Drugstore Gallery, Ongoing** - "Mirrors of Hope and Dignity". A moving and powerful collection of drawings by the renowned African-American artist Charles W. White. **Entry, Ongoing** - "George Vanderbilt's Young Men's Institute, 1892-Present". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/252-4614.



View inside the Odyssey Gallery of Ceramic Arts

Odyssey Co-Op Gallery, 238 Clingman Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Our Gallery features works by 25 local clay artists, working in a variety of styles to create functional and non-functional pottery and works of figurative and abstract sculpture. Hours: Wed.-Mon., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/505-8707 or at (<https://www.odysseycoopgallery.com/about/>).

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View of a past Biltmore Christmas at Biltmore Estate

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Asheville **Biltmore Estate**, One Lodge Street, Asheville. **Through Jan. 5** - "Christmas at Biltmore." Experience the beloved tradition, Christmas at Biltmore, when America's Largest Home®, Antler Hill Village, and the entire estate are at their most enchanting: beautifully bedecked for the holidays. **Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "Chihuly at Biltmore," a thrilling new exhibition experience. Featured in museums and gardens around the world, including the spectacular 2018 Chihuly at Biltmore exhibition, Dale Chihuly's awe-inspiring works have captivated millions. A new experience of the artist's iconic creations makes its debut at Biltmore Estate this spring. Presented in an intimate gallery setting at Amherst at Deepark®, Chihuly at Biltmore includes pedestal works, drawings, and large-scale installations of chandeliers, towers, mille fiori, and neon. For info about tickets and special packages visit (<https://www.biltmore.com/stay/village-hotel/special-offers/>) or for general info visit (www.biltmore.com).

The North Carolina Arboretum, Milepost 393, Blue Ridge Parkway, 100 Frederick Law Olmsted Way, Asheville. **Baker Art Center, Through Jan. 24, 2025** - "Only Owls". This exhibit brings together an array of artistic representations of owls in pencil, charcoal, ink, watercolor, and woodcut, all from Leigh Yawkey Woodson Museum of Art collection. **Ongoing** - The Asheville Quilt Guild features a permanent, rotating quilt exhibit at Arboretum's Education Center. Visitors can also enjoy the Arboretum's Quilt Garden year-round, with plantings and patterns that change with the seasons. Admission: Yes. Hours: Education Center hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/665.2492 or at (www.ncarboretum.org).

Beaufort
Mattie King Davis Art Gallery, historic Rustell House of the Beaufort Historical Association, 100 Block Turner Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - The Mattie King Davis Art Gallery, Carteret County's Oldest Gallery, is housed in one of the Historic Site's oldest buildings and features over 100 local and regional artists. An extensive collection of fine art, pottery, crafts, and gifts can be found at this special gallery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 252/728-5225 or at (<https://beauforthistoricite.org/gallery/>).

Blowing Rock

Blowing Rock Art and History Museum, corner of Chestnut and Main streets, downtown Blowing Rock. **Cannon Gallery, Through Feb. 22, 2025** - "Anna Buckner: And other Myths". Buckner is a painter in the most expanded sense of the word, creating compositions at the intersection of design, textile, and painting. "And other Myths" features a body of work that leverages the storytelling potential of quilting within the context of painterly composition and design precision. She is interested in exploring the limits of existing structures within painting, language, textile patterning, new media, and emerging modes of teaching and learning. **Fort, Atwell, & Rankin East Galleries, Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "The Hard Edge & The Soft Line: A Retrospective of Maud Gatewood". Maud Gatewood (1934-2004) is an exceptional figure in the art history of North Carolina and the American Southeast. A painter of exacting technique with a keen eye for composition and cultural commentary, her pictures capture the Carolinas (and the expanding world beyond) across much of the 20th Century. A native of Yanceyville in Caswell County, NC, Gatewood's paintings reveal rural landscapes and their denizens in the midst of transformation while also cleverly framing the experience of modern life with acerbic wit and a surprising wealth of empathy. "The Hard Edge & The Soft Line: A Retrospective of African-Americans from throughout Western North Carolina. Photographs of both influential and everyday people create a panorama of the variety of life among blacks in the mountain region. Here are the young and old, the prominent and the unknown, the men and women who helped create our city's life. **YMI Drugstore Gallery, Ongoing** - "Mirrors of Hope and Dignity". A moving and powerful collection of drawings by the renowned African-American artist Charles W. White. **Entry, Ongoing** - "George Vanderbilt's Young Men's Institute, 1892-Present". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/252-4614.

Southern Highland Craft Guild at Mosses Cone Manor, Milepost 294, Blue Ridge Parkway, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring the work of members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild members in various media. Demonstrations offered each month. Hours: daily 9am - 5pm. Contact: 828/295-7938 or e-mail at (parkway-craft@bellsouth.net).

Boone

Downtown Boone, Dec. 6, from 4-8pm - On the first Friday of every month, artists are given the opportunity to sell their art in the heart of downtown Boone. This time around is a special one, so a few changes will be made to the First Friday operations. The town will be hosting numerous festive events - snowball fights, Santa photo ops, and more. Because of the expected busy environment, there will be a dedicated artist market for First Friday artists in the North Depot St. Parking lot. The public is welcome to browse through various artists' work, talk with the artist themselves, and overall just have a great kick off to the weekend! For further info contact the Watauga Arts Council at 828-264-

1789 (<https://www.watauga-arts.org/king-streetart.html#/>).

Appalachian Cultural Museum, University Hall Drive, off Hwy. 321 (Blowing Rock Road), Boone. **Ongoing** - The permanent exhibit area includes, TIME AND CHANGE, featuring thousands of objects ranging from fossils to Winston Cup race cars to the Yellow Brick Road, a section of the now closed theme park, "The Land of Oz". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/262-3117.

Hands Gallery, 543 West King Street, Boone. **Ongoing** - What began as the dream of a small group of craftspeople in 1975 continues today in a very personal and continually-changing environment. The history of Hands Gallery Co-op is as varied and intriguing as the artists who have come and gone over the years. Dozens of artisans have explored the business opportunities Hands has given their work, while donating time and ideas to the growth and success of the gallery. Today, the co-op serves as a role model for arts and crafts co-ops throughout the Southeastern US. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm, except Thanksgiving & Christmas. Contact: 828-262-1970 of at (<http://www.handsgallery.org/>).

King Street Art Collective, Watauga Arts Council, 585 West King Street, (above Doe Ridge Parkway) Boone. **Ongoing** - A gallery and interactive art space with changing exhibits and activities celebrating the arts. Hours: Thur., 11am-5pm; Fri.-Sat., 10am-6pm; and Sun., 10am-2pm. Contact: 828-264-1789 or at (<https://www.watauga-arts.org/kingstreetart.html#/>).

Hollis Sigler with Bill Lagattuta, "Every Chance She Gets She Takes It," 1990, Turchin Center for Visual Arts

Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, Appalachian State University, 423 West King Street, Boone. **Hodges Gallery, Through Dec. 7** - "Looming in the Shadows of Lodz," featuring works by Leslie Starobin, Tamar Segev, and Ori Segev. The exhibition features the work of three Americans inspired by a roots' trip to Poland. Employing narrative and visual storytelling through representation and abstraction, the artists present their family's migration and wartime legacy in this multi-media exhibition. This multi-generational family project has been inspired, in part, by writings on post memory and visual culture. "Scholarly work on the Holocaust has looked to this moment when survivors and other contemporary witnesses are leaving our midst, with great trepidation," writes Dr. Marianne Hirsch in The Generation of Postmemory: Writing and Visual Culture After the Holocaust. "How will the story survive without their acts of witness? The second generation has acted as a gatekeeper, but we now have to realize that we are ourselves handing the story on to the third and making it available for others to connect their own very different histories. **Bicker's Gallery, Through Dec. 7** - "A Long and Slow Surrender, featuring works by Wendy Young". Young is an artist and educator currently living in Cerrillos, NM. In 1982, Young was pursuing a career in music as a French Horn major at the University of Southern Mississippi. Her goal was to become a studio musician and play background music for cartoons. "Horn licks in cartoons are spectacular." When her parents gave her an SLR camera that year for her 19th birthday, she put down her horn and started making images. The artist notes, "I was smitten by the amazing properties of photography. The idea that I could aim my camera at something or someone that interested me, develop the film, make a print, study the print, and learn from it still captivates me after 41 years." Young talks about this exhibit, "It all started with a disagreement with a friend. She stated vehemently that all the Confederate monuments needed to come down. Now, although I understand the conflict that the monuments present, my gut reaction was, 'No damn Yankee is going to tell me what to do with my statues!' As a Southerner, I often felt that most Northern attitudes toward the South were misconceptions. Now I see those misconceptions have dark truths behind them. I struggled with that reaction because I have no real connection to these monuments." **Community Gallery, Through Dec. 7** - "Congregations: Sarina Angell". Sarina Angell is an artist living and working in Baltimore, MD. She earned a BFA in Fiber from the Maryland

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Institute College of Art, and recently completed the Core Fellowship at the Penland School of Craft. "My practice stems from an instinct to notice and collect—objects, memories, sounds, sentiments. I am drawn to represent moments sometimes overlooked, and to capture ephemera as it passes by. By accumulating and sorting representations of these moments into collections, I work across various media to create open-ended narratives. I like to punctuate my meticulous work with notes of humor, as a reward for noticing." **Mayer Gallery, Dec. 6 - May 3, 2025** - "The Clothes I Wear," featuring works by Dr. Portia Marie York and Dori Settles. "Bras of Beauty by Dr. Portia Maria York," explores the profound beauty and spiritual resilience found within the real and metaphorical scars of breast cancer warriors. Through intricately crafted crocheted bras, this collection seeks to impart a sense of lightness and to lift the veil of shame associated with the loss of breasts, hair, nails, and changes in skin tone – challenges often mistakenly viewed as a loss of femininity. "Shoes: Storytellers of our Lives," by Dori Settles is an exhibit of glass shoes accompanied with stories written by the shoe owners. These stories, translated into glass, represent our common humanity. Like people, glass is both forging and easily shattered. **Gallery A, Dec. 6 - Apr. 5, 2025** - "Prints from the Permanent Collection: Celebrating the Generosity of Donors". Like so many small and medium-sized university art centers, the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts relies on the generosity of donors to support the permanent collection which is enjoyed both on and off-campus by students, alumni, staff, and faculty as well as visitors to the center's galleries. "Prints from the Permanent Collection: Celebrating the Generosity of Donors" showcases both a recent donation by Julia Rothschild Gidney in honor of her parents, Dr. Judith Rice Rothschild and Dr. Gerard Harry Rothschild, as well as the ongoing generosity of long-time donors Peter and Joni Webb Petschauer. **Petti/Peiser Gallery, Dec. 6 - Apr. 5, 2025** - "Master Printer: Bill Lagattuta and Friends". In 2024, Master Printer, Bill Lagattuta generously made a significant donation of his professional artwork to Appalachian State University, his undergraduate alma mater. Thirty of Lagattuta's fine art prints, created in collaboration with such well-known artists as Fitz Davidoff, Lesley Hill, Jim Dine, Tony Sutzpatrick, Tom Joyce, Louise Nevelson, Lilianna Porter, Johnnie Winona Ross, Mary Stevens, and Hollis Sigler, among others, are now part of the permanent collection at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts. A master printer works diligently behind-the-scenes to assist artists in realizing their vision for fine art prints. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., noon-8pm; & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/262-3017 or at (www.turchincenter.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Boone **Throughout Appalachian State University campus, Boone. Through May 14, 2025** - "38th Rosen Sculpture Competition and Exhibition". This is a national juried competition presented annually by An Appalachian Summer Festival and the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts. Since its establishment by Martin and Doris Rosen in 1987, the Rosen Competition continues a tradition of showcasing contemporary American sculpture in outdoor settings across the beautiful campus of Appalachian State University. The competition, in its 38th year, has become firmly established as a cultural treasure and a significant point of pride for Appalachian State University and our entire region. The competition has garnered national praise for the free access to the "best of the best" in contemporary sculpture it offers for countless residents and visitors across North Carolina and beyond. The Rosen Family proudly continues the legacy of Martin and Doris by generously supporting this important program dedicated to sharing the power and joy of public art, creating a fascinating glimpse into the world of contemporary sculpture, and building new audiences for the visual arts. This program is made possible by the generous support of the Martin & Doris Rosen Giving Fund/Debbie Rosen Davidson and David Rosen and the Charles & Nancy Rosenblatt Foundation. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: For more information, please visit (tcva.org). Free guided tours for classes and groups are available upon request. Please contact the Turchin Center by e-mail at (turchincenter@appstate.edu) or call 828/262-3017 to schedule a tour.

Watauga Arts Council, 377 Shadowline Drive, Boone. **Dec. 1 - 31** - "Art Education & Community Showcase". **Through Dec. 31** - "End of Season Collective Showcase". This year, WAC is offering a unique opportunity for art groups and guilds in the area to display and sell their artwork at the WAC gallery. From

Plein Air Painters to the Blue Ridge Art Club and the High Country Watermedia Society, this collective showcase will feature a wide variety of artwork from local groups. The show will be open through the end of the year and will be exhibited in WAC's own gallery. Stop on by and see their wonderful works! **Ongoing** - In 1981, a core group of Watauga County residents who love the arts and wanted to protect Appalachian culture and crafts gathered together and formed the Watauga Arts Council. Their goal was to create activities and events that shared their love of the community, to educate children, to continue the tradition of artistry and craftsmanship in the High Country, and to provide artists with the assistance they need to grow and develop their voice. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 828/264-1789 or e-mail to (info@watauga-arts.org).

Brasstown

Folk School Craft Shop, John C. Campbell Folk School, Olive D. Campbell Building, Brasstown. **Ongoing** - The shop represents more than 300 juried craftspeople and features an impressive collection of traditional and contemporary Appalachian craft, including jewelry, pottery, wood, fiber, ironwork, basketry and other disciplines. You'll find marquetry earrings, clay serving platters, turned-wood bowls, functional fireplace poker sets and many more unique items. The shop is also proud to be the home of the world-renowned Brasstown Carvers. A book room houses hundreds of instructional and celebratory books on everything from basketry to writing. Buy a few art supplies or a CD from our collection of traditional Appalachian music. You can take home a Folk School T-shirt, hat or bag as a souvenir. Find the perfect scenic postcard to tell everyone back home about your visit to the Folk School. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-5pm; Thur. til 6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 800/365-5724 or at (www.folkschool.org).

Brevard

Downtown Brevard, Dec. 27, 5-8pm "Brevard 4th Friday Gallery Walk". Enjoy an evening stroll in downtown Brevard, NC as you explore the art galleries, art stores, retail stores and restaurants that are staying open late from 5-9 pm on the 4th Friday from April - December. Experience art, music and wine. Be sure to look for the 19 animal sculptures and five murals located in downtown as well. Make an evening of it and 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 the TC Arts Council at 828/884-2787 or go to (<https://www.tcartarts.org>) and click on Art Tours.

Number 7 Fine Arts and Crafts Gallery, 2 West Main Street, historic McMinn building, Brevard. **Ongoing** - A Fine Arts and Fine Crafts cooperative featuring the juried works of 22 of Transylvania County's finest artists and craftspeople. New works on display daily. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/883-2294 or at (www.number7arts.com).

Spiers Gallery, Sims Art Center of Brevard College, 1 Brevard College Drive, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Spiers Gallery is a contemporary 1,500 square foot gallery located within the Sims Art Center on the Brevard College campus. Exhibitions in Spiers Gallery are ongoing throughout the year and include shows by Brevard College students and faculty members, as well as visiting artists from Western North Carolina and around the country. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 828/883-8292.

Transylvania Community Arts Center Gallery, 349 S. Caldwell St., Brevard. **Through Dec. 14** - "Forms and Figures," an open exhibition of fine art and craft. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/884-2787 or at (<http://www.tcartarts.org>).

Burlington

Point of View Gallery, 717 Chapel Hill Road, Burlington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by member artists: Kathy Alderman, Frances Baker, India Cain, John Dodson, Steven Durland, Debra Farmer, Bill Ferree, Brenda Garner, Wendy Gellert, Michael Kennedy, Cheryl Knox, Peggy McCormick, Jacqueline Mehring, Christine Seiler, Lane Watson, and Rose Wenkel. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat. & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/270-4998 or at (www.PointOfViewGallery.com).

Burnsville

Burnsville Gallery, Toe River Arts Council, 102 W. Main St., Burnsville. **Ongoing** - Featuring

works by artists from Mitchell and Yancey Counties sponsored by the Toe River Arts Council. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/682-7215 or at (www.toeriverarts.org).

Cary

Throughout Cary, Final Friday of the Month, from 6-8pm - "Cary Art Loop," featuring an evening tour of art spaces in Cary held on the final Friday of the month. Take the C-Tran to the Cary Art Loop! The free bus will make stops at the Coffee and Crepes, Studio 180 Salon, Ashworth Village, Cary Arts Center and Page-Walker Arts & History Center/Cary Town Hall. Contact: (www.caryartloop.org).

Bond Park Community Center, 150 Metro Park Drive, Cary. **Through Jan. 26, 2025** - "Delphine Peller: Rooted Imagination". Mixed media technique and will feature botanicals, trees, bugs and critters. Peller's paintings are texture rich and infused with color built from layers within the main composition. Her paintings are often inspired by nature and feature organic shapes, intense colors, with interplay of light and shadow. After 20+ years as a successful artist, she volunteers her time helping her arts community of Wake Forest. She states that "My goal is for the viewer to contemplate the nuances and unique qualities of the moment. Layers, depth, and components are to be appreciated, but not to define the whole image. The common thread for my work is the creativity joining representational, raw, and abstract elements." Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-10pm and Sat., 9am-6pm. Contact: 919/462-3970 or at (www.townofcary.org).

Cary Arts Center, 101 Dry Avenue, Cary. **Cary Arts Center Gallery, Through Jan. 24, 2024** - "Cary Photographic Artists Annual Members Exhibition." The Cary Photographic Artists (CPA) formed in January 2007 as Cary's only organization dedicated to photography as fine art. CPA is dedicated to expanding and enhancing knowledge, skill, appreciation, and sharing of both the artistry and the craftsmanship of photography. For more information about programs, outings, education, and fellowship with other photographers. **Cary Arts Center Principal's Hall, Through Jan. 24, 2025** - "Pastel Works by Joel Sobelson". "The approach to my work is to find a good story and tell it... with all the emotional authenticity, style and heart I can bring to the easel," says Sobelson. **Cary Arts Center Display Cases, Through Jan. 24, 2025** - "Linda Simpson: Metal Mania". Sculptural metal jewelry becomes dynamic wearable art. Small objects, tools, and utensils of iron and sheet metals are forged into art. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-10pm & Fri.-Sat., 9am-11pm. Contact: 919/469-4069 or at (www.townofcary.org).

Cary Gallery of Artists, 200 S Academy St, Ste 120, Ashworth Square, Cary. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers high quality art in a variety of styles. Paintings, pencil and colored pencil artwork varies from traditional still lifes and landscapes to abstracts. Portraits of people or animals are available. Photographic work captures magnificent landscapes, small moments in life, portraits, and far away places. The pottery and clay art includes edgy handbuilt pieces, thought-provoking sculpted masks, and decorative and functional pottery that captures images of nature. Our jewelry artists provide a wide range of hand-crafted necklaces, earrings, bracelets and other ornaments from metals, stones, beads and fused glass. Our glass artist creates stained glass hangings, custom stained glass windows and fused glass art. You can also find unusual hand-made books and hand-painted porcelain both antique and new. Hours: Wed.&Thur., 11am-3pm and Fri.&Sat., 11am-5:30pm. Contact: 919/462-2035 or at (www.carygalleryofartists.org).

Herbert Young Community Center, 101 Wilkinson Avenue, Cary. **Through Feb. 9, 2025** - "Bonnie Brooks". Brooks is a visual & NFT artist doing detailed paintings to full abstraction. She has a Master of Fine Arts and has been an artist for over 40 years. She is a traditional artist, painting mostly in oil on canvas. She does detailed, realistic landscapes which take her 3 to 18 months to complete, painting an inch an hour. She also does acrylic abstracts that are more relaxed and freer. Her abstracts are her stress relief paintings using oil and water with acrylics with up to a gallon of paint using palette knives. Her abstract art moves and flows with unique qualities. The best art doesn't tell your mind what to think but frees your mind in new ways. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-10pm; and Sat., 9am-6pm. Contact: 919/4604965 or (www.townofcary.org).

Page-Walker Arts & History Center, 119 Ambassador Loop, Cary. **Through Jan. 4, 2025** - "Fine Arts League of Cary (FALC) Annual Members' Exhibition". A reception will be held on Dec. 1, from 2-4pm. Celebrate the arts in Cary with members of the Fine Arts League of Cary as they showcase their talents in this annual art exhibition which brings together a wide range of styles, imagery, and techniques. **Through Jan. 4, 2025** - "Ralph Souder: Creations in Wood". A reception

will be held on Dec. 1, from 1-3pm. "I am a wood turner. I work with exotic woods from all over the United States; from Alaskan Birch to Mesquite from Las Vegas. I particularly love working with large burls. I enjoy creating large bowls, hollow forms and platters, as well as small spirit forms," said Souder. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-9:30pm; Fri., 10am-5pm; & Sat., 10am-1pm. (It is strongly advised that you call ahead about hours this space will be open.) Contact: 919/460-4963.

Town Hall Gallery, City of Cary Town Hall, 316 North Academy Street, Cary. **Through Feb. 7, 2025** - "Haruka Masuda". "The way I express my Art is called "KATAZOME", which is originally derived from the traditional technique of dyeing Japanese kimono. Using special carved paper called "KATAGAMI", I can express the intricate lines and patterns finely and repeatedly. Furthermore, KATAZOME allows me to dye fabric as if many layers were weaved on a single piece of cloth. Consequently, the figurative description and abstract expression are orchestrated on the screen," says Masuda Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 919/469-4061.

Ackland Art Museum, UNC - Chapel Hill, Columbia & Franklin Streets, Chapel Hill. **Through Dec. 15** - "Ackland Upstairs Fall 2024". Located on the second floor, Ackland Upstairs is a dynamic space, with art changing every eight weeks during the academic year. The Ackland staff collaborates with UNC-Chapel Hill faculty to create installations that support their courses, drawing from the thousands of artworks stored in the Museum's vaults. As a result, there is always something new on view Upstairs, and always a new context in which to consider it. For faculty and students, Ackland Upstairs is an extension of their classroom. For all Ackland visitors, it offers a glimpse into the courses taught on campus and a window into the Museum's extensive holdings. **Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "Dürer to Matisse: 400 Years of European Prints". The exhibition offers an exceptional opportunity to view nearly 100 prints by some of the most recognized artists late from the late fifteenth century to the mid-twentieth century, beginning and ending with two towering giants of printmaking—Albrecht Dürer and Henri Matisse. The Ackland Art Museum holds North Carolina's largest and most comprehensive collections of art on paper, but due to light sensitivity, these works can only be displayed for short periods. Works by Rembrandt van Rijn, Giovanni Battista Piranesi, Francisco de Goya, Edgar Degas, Mary Cassatt, Vincent van Gogh, Käthe Kollwitz, Edward Munch, and many others, showcase the craftsmanship, expressive power, and aesthetic beauty achieved through printmaking. While a more personal selection emphasizing high quality and good condition than a comprehensive history of the medium, the prints on view do chart the progression of art historical movements from the Renaissance to Cubism and beyond, through woodcuts, engravings, etchings, aquatints, mezzotints, and lithographs. Some newly acquired and never before displayed at the Ackland, and others off view for decades, these prints reveal how the use of black ink, paper, and various printmaking techniques can create a wealth of innovative and technically stunning works of art. **Through July 13, 2025** - "Processing Systems: Bonding by Sherrill Roland". In the exhibition, monumental square grids of multi-colored numbers dominate the exhibition space like giant sudoku puzzles. To create them, artist Sherrill Roland reclaims United States Federal and State Correctional Identification Numbers and repurposes them through what he considers to be a systematized portraiture making technique. The grids on view act as logic exercises that scramble and rework the former correctional IDs of the artist and his father. The resulting wall drawings create theoretical portraits of the two subjects. The shared system employed to create the two works emphasizes the various bonds shared by these family members at the same time that the formal qualities of the drawings evoke lone figures bound by cells. **Permanent Collection Galleries, Through Dec. 31, 2025** - At any one time, there are about 250 works of art from the Ackland's distinguished permanent collection on view. The displays cover many eras and cultures, including most of the Museum's collection areas: the Ancient Mediterranean, Africa, Asia, the Americas, and Europe. Occasional galleries present small selections of prints, drawings, photographs, and other light-sensitive works. You can search our online collection database and filter by works on view. Try saving your own collection of objects using the new "favorites" function! **Museum Store Gallery** (Franklin and Columbia Street), Store hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-

will be held on Dec. 1, from 1-3pm. "I am a wood turner. I work with exotic woods from all over the United States; from Alaskan Birch to Mesquite from Las Vegas. I particularly love working with large burls. I enjoy creating large bowls, hollow forms and platters, as well as small spirit forms," said Souder. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-9:30pm; Fri., 10am-5pm; & Sat., 10am-1pm. (It is strongly advised that you call ahead about hours this space will be open.) Contact: 919/460-4963.

Chapel Hill - Carrboro

"Processing Systems: Bonding" by Sherrill Roland. Photograph by Alex Maness Photography.

Art Center, 300-G East Main Street, Carrboro. **Ongoing** - Nurturing the arts in the triangle since 1974 through performance, education and exhibition. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm and Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/929-2787 or at (<http://artscenterlive.org>).

The Sonja Haynes Stone Center for Black Culture and History, UNC-Chapel Hill, 150 South Road, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Dedicated in 2004, the Sonja Haynes Stone Center houses classrooms, a library, an art gallery and museum, an auditorium, and a dance studio. More than ninety-five percent of the Center's cost was met through private gifts, contributed by more than fifteen-hundred donors. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 919/962-9001, e-mail to (stonecenter@unc.edu) or visit (<http://sonjahaynesstonectr.unc.edu/>).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Chapel Hill

Horace Williams House, 610 E. Rosemary Street, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - The Horace Williams House is the only historic house open to the public in Chapel Hill. The house retains its original architecture including woodwork, floors, ceilings, and mantles. They have a collection of antique furniture, including a set of four chairs and a newly acquired settee that once belonged to Horace Williams. They offer self-guided tours of the house, including an exhibit about the history of those who lived there. They also have a number of self-guided walking tours of the surrounding community, which you can pick up free of charge at the Horace Williams House. Explore the historic district along East Franklin Street, wander the Old Chapel Hill Cemetery, and more. Hours: Thur. & Fri., noon-4pm and Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 919/245-4320 or e-mail to (info@vish-chapelhill.org).

Charlotte Area

South End Art Gallery Crawl - From 5-8pm on the 1st Friday of each month.

Bechtler Museum of Modern Art, Levine Center for the Arts, 420 South Tryon St., Charlotte. **Through Jan. 20, 2025** - "Clare Rojas: Past the Present". Over the past twenty years, Clare Rojas (b. 1976) has developed a multifaceted art practice that draws on a wide range of inspirations, from ecofeminism to diverse literary and musical sources, the folklore of her Peruvian ancestry, the crisp formalism of 20th-century abstraction, and the fantastical spirit of Surrealism, which she has shaped into her own unique visual vocabulary. Clare Rojas: Past the Present features nearly 100 examples of the artist's work from the past five years, including large-scale and intimate paintings, bronze sculptures, works on paper, and an installation of wallpaper designed in collaboration with Schumacher x Peg Norriss. While Rojas has veered between abstraction and magical realist figuration throughout her career, the compelling recent work included in this exhibition deftly conjoins these modes of artmaking in compositions that center female empowerment and that marry an exploration of the legacies—and lacunae—of modernism with contemporary experience, confronting issues surrounding representation, the fragile state of the environment, and the patterns of everyday life. The exhibition launches the Bechtler Museum's 15th anniversary celebra-

tion, and with it, a year of exhibitions and programs dedicated to important female artists of the modern and contemporary periods. **Through Mar. 3, 2025** - "Chance Encounters: Surrealism Then and Now." Surrealism was an artistic and literary movement formed in Paris in 1924 that emphasized the fantastical, dream imagery, and subconscious thought. Privileging experimentation and uninhibited modes of expression, Surrealism produced radical new techniques and visual forms that continue to inspire artists today. Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the publication of the Surrealist Manifesto, the Bechtler's new exhibition, Chance Encounters: Surrealism Then and Now, pairs examples of historical Surrealism from the museum's collection with works by contemporary artists whose practices extend the legacies of Surrealist exploration. Paying tribute to the inclusive and international scope of the movement, the exhibition includes Max Ernst, Meret Oppenheim, Rufino Tamayo, alongside Heri Dono and Naudine Pierre, and includes loans from local private and public collections. **Ongoing** - The Bechtler Museum of Modern Art is named after the family of Andreas Bechtler, a Charlotte resident and native of Switzerland who assembled and inherited a collection of more than 1,400 artworks created by major figures of 20th-century modernism and donated it to the public trust. The Bechtler collection comprises artworks by seminal figures such as Alberto Giacometti, Joan Miro, Jean Tinguely, Max Ernst, Andy Warhol, Alexander Calder, Le Corbusier, Sol LeWitt, Edgar Degas, Nicolas de Stael, Barbara Hepworth and Picasso. Only a handful of the artworks in the Bechtler collection have been on public view in the United States. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon., Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun. noon-5pm; and open until 9pm the 1st and 3rd. Fri. of each month. Contact: 704/353-9200 or at (www.bechtler.org).

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Harvey B. Gantt Center for African-American Arts & Culture, Levine Center for the Arts, 551 S. Tryon St., Charlotte. **Through Jan. 20, 2025** - "Becoming The Sea," an exhibition highlighting 12 artists who participated in the first two years of Black Rock Senegal, an artist residency founded in Dakar in 2019. Black Rock Senegal and Harvey B. Gantt Center for African-American Arts + Culture are thrilled to announce "Becoming The Sea". Inspired by Black Rock's proximity to the Atlantic Ocean, the exhibition includes painting, photography, video, sculpture, writing, and installation. The exhibition reflects the unique perspectives, techniques, culture, and traditions experienced by the artists during their time at Black Rock. "Becoming The Sea" is part of the 50th Anniversary Gantt Golden Year Celebrations, and is curated by Dexter Wimberly. Participating artists include: Tunji Adeniyi-Jones, Sonya Clark, Nona Faustine, Moses Hamburg, Grace Lynne Hayes, Devin B. Johnson, Heather Jones, Tajh Rust, Darryl Deangelo Terrell, Chelsea Odufu, Katherine Olschbaur, and Ytasha Womack. **Through Jan. 20, 2025** - "From the Heart: The John and Vivian Hewitt Collection of African-American Art". From the Heart celebrates the John and Vivian Hewitt Collection of African-American Art, an assemblage of fifty-eight two-dimensional works exploring the expression and passion of twenty artists. The Hewitts' stewardship culminated in a collection of artwork by 19th and 20th-century masters including Romare Bearden, Elizabeth Catlett, and Henry Ossawa Tanner. Through their 50 years of collecting, the Hewitts became close friends with many artists, and by the 1970s, they were hosting visitors in their home to showcase works by Hale Woodruff, Ernest Crichlow, Alvin Hollingsworth, and J. Eugene Grigsby, a cousin of Mrs. Hewitt. **Through Apr. 13, 2025** - "American Gurl," co-curated by Zehra Zehra and Kilo Kish. The exhibition is an ongoing curatorial project featuring work that explores all shades of American dreaming. This project's installment takes shape as a film exhibition that presents eight films by intergenerational artists with curiosity around the perspectives and nuances within the Black feminine experience and our relationships with beauty, success, freedom, and power in America. "American Gurl" is presented in collaboration with Womxn in Windows, a platform whose mission is to share the perspectives of women of color through video, art, film, and performance. **Ongoing** - Featuring selections from the John & Vivian Hewitt Collection of African-American Art, one of the nation's most important and comprehensive collections of African-American art. Hours: Thur. - Sat., noon-6pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 704/547-3700 or at (www.ganttcenter.org).

Lake Norman Art League Gallery, 442 S. Main St., located across the street from Wooden Stone, next to Masterworks; enter at the rear of the building, and turn right into the lobby, Davidson. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Lake Norman Art League members. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-7pm. Contact: 704/620-4450 or at (www.LKNorm.org).

Latin American Contemporary Art Projects (LaCa), 1429 Bryant Street, in the heart of the revitalized FreeMoreWest neighborhood, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - LaCa Projects is a platform dedicated to the presentation, development,

featuring works by Jodi Lynn McNeely. This series has been several years in the making. As you inspect each piece of work, look for the 'path'. It represents our journey. We all are on our own journey, have our own story. As I talk to folks about their stories, I'm amazed at how similar our experiences can be. Our life events, whether the same or different can cultivate preparedness in each of us in much the same way. Note that each individual person carved into my works of art is either touching the path or connected to someone who is. If they are extremely close, they share a hand or foot. Staying connected to someone is critical in this thing called life. As I travel through life, I am constantly reminded at how important being connected is. This is especially relevant during the rough times. Establishing strong relationships for me has been an essential part of my journey. I often carve the likeness of folks I know or have met on my journey into my work. Do you see yourself? I am constantly reminded of how important the people around me are. My life has been full of heart break, pure joy and everything in between. Sound familiar? I am determined to learn from the heart break, remember the pure joy and live everything in between to the fullest. Hours: open while campus is open, but reservations help us alert our security team to visitors, provide directions to the galleries, and COVID-19 security protocol instructions to the visitors. Contact: 704/330-6869 or e-mail to (foundation@cpcc.edu) to schedule an appointment. For directions to Central Piedmont's campuses, visit (cpcc.edu/locations).

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Levine Museum of the New South, 401 South Tryon Street, (former Wells Fargo Museum) Charlotte. **Ongoing** - "Charlotte: Moving Forward, Looking Back". To move forward and make the city a better place for everyone, we must look back and learn from choices made in the past. The exhibit tells the story of Charlotte from Native and early European settlement to today. The exhibition combines stories of people, places, and events in a foundational narrative of Charlotte history that answers thought-provoking questions about how we got here and where we are headed. Experience Charlotte stories through objects from the Levine Museum's collections, interactive media displays, and art by local creatives. **Ongoing** - Building a stronger, more equitable community by connecting people to Charlotte and to each other through history, culture, and celebration. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm; Wed. till 9pm; Sat., 10am-5pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 704/333-1887 or at (museumofthenewsouth.org).



Work by Andrew Leventis

McColl Center for Art + Innovation, 721 North Tryon Street, Charlotte. **Through Dec. 14** - "Fall 2024 Artist-In-Residence Showcase". Nostalgia is a double-edged sword. The links from past to present and the line between valuable and disposable is more blurred than ever in a world of mass production and planned obsolescence. The Fall 2024 Artists-In-Residence include: Claire Kiestler, Andrew Leventis, and Cathy McClure. They are artists continuously reappraising our everyday cultural objects of both now and then, while repackaging them for reflection on what we truly value. Claire Kiestler is a fiber artist, printmaker, and installation artist whose work investigates the systems within our society and the residue they leave behind. Painter Andrew Leventis makes meticulously detailed oil paintings of contemporary vanitas, a motif popularized in early still life in which food, flowers, and other perishable objects represent the fleeting nature of life and the passing of time. Cathy McClure uses an anti-disciplinary approach, upending expectations through reverse-engineering and experimentation. McClure's work tells a story about our societal penchant for instant gratification, over-production, and chronic excessive consumption. **Through Jan. 18, 2025** - "The Audacity". McColl Center is pleased to present The Audacity, a group exhibition curated by Doris Kapner, featuring Studio Artists Madie Foss, Melanee Hamilton, Bethany Salisbury, Melissa Stutts, Karina Walter and Betsy Rosen in collaboration with Héctor Vaca Cruz and Kass Small. The Audacity examines the conflicting and arbitrary expectations placed on women, often referred to as the "Goldilocks Dilemma." Women are criticized for being too much or too little: too loud, too soft, too assertive, too agreeable—rarely seen as "just right." **Through Jan. 18, 2025** - "Ties That Bind: Portraits by Mitchell Kearney of Artists at McColl Center, 1999–2008," curated by Melissa Stutts. Twenty-five years ago, the dream of creating an urban artist's colony in a fire-ravaged church in uptown Charlotte became a reality. Since 1999, McColl Center's artist residency program has been a haven for artists—a place where they have the time, space, and resources to make their dreams a reality. Photographer Mitchell Kearney was there from the start. Founding president, Suzanne Fetscher, an artist herself, asked Kearney to capture the creative process. His charge was to offer a glimpse into how art is made by each resident artist, and to show a place that connects the community to the artist at work and not just the finished artwork. "Ties That Bind: Portraits by Mitchell Kearney of Artists at McColl Center, 1999–2008" reveals an intimate and collaborative approach. Both

the artist and the photographer are at work, doing what they love. Although McColl Center is no longer a church, there is still something sacred in the act of creativity. Hours: Call about visiting. Contact: 704/332-5535 or at (www.mccollcenter.org).

Mint Hill Arts Gallery, 11205 Lawyers Road, Ste. A, Mint Hill. **Ongoing** - We are more than just a gallery; we are a vibrant hub of creativity, passionately committed to fostering a thriving arts community. Our gallery's mission is deeply rooted in our connection to the local community. From the moment you step through our doors, you'll be enveloped by the warmth and artistic spirit that defines our town. As artists ourselves, we understand the importance of cultivating an environment that nurtures and celebrates creativity in all its forms. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-3pm. Contact: 980/226-5532 or at (minthillarts.org).

Mint Museum Randolph, 2730 Randolph Road, Charlotte. **Through Feb. 16, 2025** - "Objects of Affection: Jewelry by Robert Ebendorf From the Porter + Price Collection". This exhibition celebrates the work of artist Robert Ebendorf, one of the most influential artists in the studio jewelry movement, beginning in the 1960s to today. The exhibition features more than 180 works of jewelry, metalwork, drawings, and archival materials drawn from the Porter + Price Collection designed by Ebendorf, as well as faculty and graduates of the metal design program at East Carolina University. Ebendorf's work combines exceptional craftsmanship, acquired through traditional training in gold- and silversmithing, with the inventive use of found objects and other alternative materials such as acrylic and ColorCore. "Objects of Affection" follows the evolution of Ebendorf's designs from Scandinavian modernism of his early work to his first use of found objects, including tintype photographs in the 1960s; juxtapositions of colored acrylic and precious metals in the 1970s; use of found newspaper and other textual elements in the 1980s; his pivotal incorporation of animal parts in the 1990s; and the remixing and further development of many of these approaches in the 21st century. **Delhom Gallery, Through June 8, 2025** - "The Delhom Service League: 50 Golden Years". The Delhom Service League (DSL) provided a half-century of generous support and impactful initiatives to The Mint Museum, helping to fund the acquisition of more than 200 works of art in the Mint's collection. The exhibition celebrates the Delhom Service League's enthusiastic support for the Mint by proudly displaying significant works funded or gifted by the affiliate group, plus selected publications, photographs and other memorabilia. In 2022, the Delhom Service League made the difficult decision to dissolve as a Mint affiliate. The league nevertheless remains an indelible part of the Mint's history, and its many contributions rightly deserve the museum's never-ending recognition and gratitude. **Ongoing** - "The Cole Family: A Dynasty of North Carolina Potters". From crocks, jars, and jugs to pitchers, candleholders, and vases, "turning pots" is one of the oldest and richest craft traditions in North Carolina. For more than 200 years, members of the Cole family have been potting in central North Carolina—Randolph, Moore, Lee, and Montgomery counties. Six generations of Coles, and no fewer than 18 individuals, are represented in The Mint Museum's permanent collection. More than 60 highlights of their wares are included in the installation "The Cole Family: A Dynasty of North Carolina Potters". One reason for its long-term success is that making pottery has so often been a family tradition in the state. Fathers taught the art of forming, glazing, and firing clay objects to their sons, and in later generations also to daughters, who in turn taught their children, and so on through the decades. These family dynasties not only helped to keep the potting craft alive, but ensured continuity in techniques and craftsmanship, as well as introduced artistic innovations in succeeding generations. "The Cole Family: A Dynasty of North Carolina Potters" presents a visual history of "turned pots" and the family that helped turn North Carolina into one of America's centers for handmade, traditional pottery. **Bridges and Levine Galleries, Ongoing** - "Contemporary British Studio Ceramics: The Grainer Collection". Focused on the collection of Diane and Marc Grainer, this installation is a survey of contemporary British studio ceramics. Comprising functional and sculptural objects made between the 1980s and today, the show features work by artists either born or residing in Great Britain, including established "contemporary classics" like Gordon Baldwin and Rupert Spira, and cutting-edge ceramicists such as Julian Stair and Kate Malone. Several recently-gifted works from the Grainers are included. **Alexander, Spangler, and Harris Galleries, Ongoing** - "Portals to the Past: British Ceramics 1675 - 1825". The Mint Museum's collection of eighteenth-century British

pottery and porcelain is widely respected for its scope and quality. The collection numbers over 2,000 objects and includes important examples of both salt-glazed and dry-bodied stoneware from Staffordshire; tin-glazed earthenware from Bristol, Liverpool, and London; and cream-colored earthenware from Derbyshire, Staffordshire, and Yorkshire. Notable eighteenth-century porcelain factories represented include Chelsea, Bow, and Vauxhall in London, Longton Hall in Staffordshire, Worcester, Bristol, and others. Individual works in the collection are exceptional because of their rarity, craftsmanship, provenance, or as representative examples of particular types or methods of production or decoration.

Ongoing - "American Glass". The nineteenth and early twentieth centuries represented a time of extraordinary growth for the American glass industry. Such companies as Boston & Sandwich Glass Company in Sandwich, MA; Steuben Glass Works in Corning, NY; and Libbey Glass Company in Toledo, OH, began operation and soon developed notable reputations for producing fashionable wares that were coveted by many middle- and upper-class consumers. "American Glass" showcases objects by these and other American glass companies, illustrating the variety of forms and styles that prevailed during this period. Glass-manufacturing techniques will be another focus of the exhibition, with representative examples of pressed, cut, blown, and molded glass. Nearly all of the works on view are from The Mint Museum's permanent collection of glass, which is second in size only to the ceramics collection in the museum's Decorative Arts holdings. **Ongoing** - "Arts of Africa". The African continent is remarkable in its geographic, social, political, and cultural diversity. This impressive diversity is reflected in the visual arts through a variety of media and forms including ceramics, masks, textiles, sculptures, prestige staffs, and shrines. With exceptional loans from private collectors and The Mint Museum's own collection of African Art, the museum is pleased to announce the expansion of its presentation of Arts of Africa, thereby providing visitors a more in-depth, meaningful, and exciting overview of African art.

Heritage Gallery, Ongoing - Feature works of art, archival documents, and photographs documenting the growth and evolution of the museum, from its beginnings as the original branch of the US Mint to its founding as an art museum to the present and beyond. **Ongoing** - "Art for the Millions: WPA Prints" and "Carolina Clay," featuring a display of colorful wares made between 1920 and 1950 as potters from NC adapted their works to a market economy. "Art of the United States," featuring contemporary works from the Mint's permanent collection, including works by Romare Bearden, Maud Gatewood, John Biggers Juan Logan, Tarlton Blackwell, Radcliffe Bailey, Kejo Griffin, and others. "Art in the Americas," featuring paintings, precious metalwork, sculpture, furniture and decorative arts from the 17th through the 19th centuries illustrate the unique culture that emerged from the Spanish colonization of the Americas. **Crosland Gallery** - Featuring a presentation of portraits with many fascinating images presented. **Rankin Gallery** - Featuring a presentation of the Romare Bearden Collection, including two "new" Beardens. Admission: Yes. Hours: Wed., 11am-9pm (free admission 5-9pm); Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 704/337-2000 or at (www.mintmuseum.org).



Deborah Kruger (Durham, NC, 1953-). "Ropa Arco Iris," 2023, 53 X 45 X 2", hand screen-printing on recycled plastic, hand and machine sewing, wrapping, waxed linen thread. Courtesy the artist.

Mint Museum Uptown, Levine Center for the Arts, 500 South Tryon St., Charlotte. **Dec. 14 - Apr. 27, 2025** - "Coined in the South: 2024". The exhibition aims to bridge the gap between museums, galleries, and studios by showcasing thought-provoking works by the emerging artists living or working in the Southern United States. The name "Coined in the South" refers to both Grainers are included. **Alexander, Spangler, and Harris Galleries, Ongoing** - "Portals to the Past: British Ceramics 1675 - 1825". The Mint Museum's collection of eighteenth-century British

narratives and cultural histories. The exhibition transcends any singular aesthetic, theme, or medium, striving to mirror the rich diversity and creative spirit of the Southern arts community. Jurors who helped select works for this exhibition include: Marshall N. Price, PHD, Chief Curator and Nancy A. Nasher and David J. Haemisegger Curator of Modern and Contemporary Art, Duke University; Victoria Ramirez, PHD, Executive Director, Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts; and Stephanie J. Woods, Assistant Professor, Interdisciplinary Art, University of New Mexico.

Through Mar. 2 - "Kenny Nguyen: Adaptations". Adaptation is defined as "the process in which a living thing changes slightly over time to be able to continue to exist in a particular environment." Kenny Nguyen feels this process materialized within himself, his lineage, and his methodology of making. Born and raised on a coconut grove in the Bôn Tre province of Vietnam, the artist lived a quiet rural life and later moved to the States at the age of 19. This dispersion from his homeland mapped a new internal geography—a subtle double-consciousness that the artist works with—traversing the spiritual and physical, the contemporary and historical. **Through Feb. 2, 2025** - "Southern/Modern: Rediscovering Southern Art From the First Half of the Twentieth Century." The first exhibition to present a comprehensive survey of works by artists working in the American South in the first half of the 20th century. Created in collaboration with Georgia Museum of Art, the exhibition includes more than 100 paintings and works on paper by artists working in states below the Mason-Dixon line and as far west as those bordering the Mississippi River, as well as some artists living outside of the region who made significant bodies of work during visits. Curated by the Mint's Senior Curator of American Art Jonathan Stuhlman, PhD, and independent scholar Martha Severens, Southern/Modern: Rediscovering Southern Art From the First Half of the Twentieth Century takes a broad view of the South and is structured around key themes that traverse geographic regions, including time and place, race, family ties, and social struggles. It also takes a broad, inclusive view of the art of the region, incorporating the creativity and talent of women artists and artists of color across its various thematic sections to provide a fuller, richer, and more accurate overview of the artistic activity in the American South at the time. **Through Aug. 10, 2025** - "Women of Land and Smoke: Photographs by Graciela Iturbide and Maya Goded". The exhibition includes over 50 photographs that present an overview of Iturbide and Goded's careers that span the Americas. For the past three years, the Mint has been building a significant portfolio of works by Mexico City-based photographers Graciela Iturbide and Maya Goded. Over the decades, the two photographers have created revealing, poignant, and powerful images that examine the intersection of contemporary life and centuries-long practices throughout North and South America. **Craft + Design Galleries, Ongoing** - "Craft in the Laboratory: The Science of Making Things," is the first installation in the Southeast to explore how craft artists and designers use science and math concepts when creating works of art. Presented by Müller Corporation, Craft in the Laboratory also celebrates a reinstallation of the Mint's Craft + Design Galleries—the first since 2010. Co-curated by the Mint's Senior Curator of Craft, Design, and Fashion Annie Carlano and Assistant Curator for Craft, Design, and Fashion Rebecca Elliot, "Craft in the Laboratory" includes 100 works from the Mint's collection that are made from precious metals, wood, steel, polymers, and even agricultural waste, that emphasize the precision of science used to craft works of art. Made by nationally and internationally renowned artists, the objects are organized by material and subject throughout the galleries. **Now** - The Mint Museum's new four-story installation "Foragers" offers a transcendent experience while celebrating the tradition of women as makers and providers. Unlike anything ever seen at The Mint Museum before, Brooklyn-based artist Summer Wheat's "Foragers" is a monumental piece of public work of art spanning 96 windows, four stories, and 3,720 square feet at Mint Museum Uptown's Robert Haywood Morrison Atrium. The myriad of vibrant panels that give the illusion of stained glass and celebrates the tradition of women as makers and providers. "Foragers" is part of a larger exhibition "In Vivid Color," which brings together four innovative contemporary artists—Wheat, Gisela Colon, Spencer Finch, and Jennifer Steinkamp—who create works celebrating the power of color and its ability to permeate the space around us. Their work is juxtaposed with a selection of paintings and works on paper, drawn primarily from The Mint Museum's permanent collection, which showcase artists' more traditional exploration of color.

Ongoing - The Mint Museum Uptown houses the world renowned collections of the Mint Museum of Craft + Design, as well as the American Art and Contemporary Art collections and selected works from the European Art collection. The building also includes a café, a Family Gallery, painting and ceramics studios, classrooms, a 240-seat auditorium, a Special Events Pavilion with outdoor terrace, and an expanded Museum Shop

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specializing in crafts of the Carolinas. Admission: Yes. Hours: Wed., 11am-9pm (free admission 5-9pm); Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Now Fri. till 9pm. Contact: 704/337-2000 or at (www.mintmuseum.org).

Pauline Dove Art Gallery, Central Piedmont Community College, located inside the college's new Parr Center, Charlotte. **Through Dec. 10** - "Catawba Cultural Center Exhibition". The Center works to protect and preserve the cultural heritage of the Catawba Nation. Central Piedmont Community College's Pauline Dove Art Gallery is pleased to present an exhibition featuring time honored and contemporary artistic techniques by Catawba artists. The Catawba Cultural Center in Rock Hill, SC, works to protect and preserve the cultural heritage of the Catawba Nation. This special exhibition features artists affiliated with the Catawba Cultural Center working in a variety of media, including: pottery, painting, drawing, photography, jewelry, and other creative techniques. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: Follow us on Instagram and Facebook at Central Piedmont Arts or call Amelia Zytka, Senior Art Gallery Coordinator at 704/330-6847 or visit (http://blogs.cpc.edu/cpcartgalleries/).

The Civic & Cultural Arts Center of Pineville, 316 Main Street, right next door to "old" Pineville Police Station, Pineville. **Ongoing** - The CCAC is a 501(C)(3) non-profit organization offering a place where artist of every discipline have an opportunity to network and enhance their gifts. The CCAC is a gathering place for emerging and established artists of all ages to present, create and collaborate in giving life to their art, with a goal of embracing and promoting the artistic, creative and entrepreneurial possibilities available in our community through classes, workshops and on-going events and programs. Hours: Sat. 9am-1pm and most week nights from 6:30-9pm. Contact: call Lee Baumgarten at 704/889-2434, or visit (www.ccacpineville.org).

The Light Factory Photo Arts Center, inside the Visual and Performing Arts Center, 700 N. Tryon Street, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The Light Factory Photo Arts Center is a vibrant, inclusive photographic center serving the Charlotte area by enriching our community through the creation, exploration, and sharing of photography. We engage with the community through the creation, exploration, and sharing of photography. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-4pm. Contact: 704/333-9755 or at (www.lightfactory.org).

The Sonia and Isaac Luski Gallery, at the Foundation for the Carolinas building, 220 N. Tryon Street, (old Montaldo's/Mint Museum of Craft + Design site), Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring work on loan from Sonia and Isaac Luski including works by: Chuck Close, Lewis Jones, Herb Jackson, Mark Peiser, Richard Ritter, Richard Jolley, Harvey Littleton, Lino Tagliapietra and many more. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 704/973-4500 or at (www.ftc.org).

Cherokee

Qualla Arts and Crafts Mutual, 645 Tsali Blvd., across from the Museum of the Cherokee Indian, Cherokee. **Ongoing** - Featuring basket weaving, pottery, wood carving, finger weaving, beadwork, stone carving and fine painting by members of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. Artisans must go through a juried process to become affiliated with the organization and current membership stands at about 300. Hours: open daily, year round, with seasonal hours. Contact: 828/497-3103 or at (www.cherokee-nc.com).

The Museum of the Cherokee People, 589 Tsali Boulevard, Cherokee. **Through Feb. 28, 2025** - "sover-eign-ty: Expressions in Sovereignty of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians". This exhibition illuminates the complexities of tribal sovereignty and the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians' continuing legacy of resilience. In this exhibition, visitors will learn how, through adaptability and innovation, the EBCI has combated attempts to eradicate, remove, and assimilate its people and remained on the Qualla Boundary - 57,000 acres (0.0067661% of the original Cherokee territory) which is owned by the EBCI and held in trust by the federal government. **Ongoing** - Welcome to a sweeping history of the Cherokee Nation, engaging and oftentimes heart-rending, from ice age beginnings to present-day life and culture. In the brushstrokes of this fascinating heritage, you'll discover the warp and weft of treaties, the roots of a naturalistic language, artifacts of particular periods, great figures and heroes and entrancing stories of a civilization along with the Cherokee's distinctive values and ways of

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being in the world before and after "the Trail of Tears." The museum offers courses and workshops that combine scholarly content with voices of Cherokee people and experiences on the Qualla Boundary. A perfect place to begin exploration of Cherokee heritage and traditions is the Museum of the Cherokee Indian in Cherokee, North Carolina. Visitors are greeted at the entrance by a 20-foot hand-carved statue of Sequoyah, the inventor of the Cherokee alphabet. An interpretive site for the Trail of Tears National Historic Trail, this state-of-the-art facility traces the story of the Cherokee from the earliest inhabitants of the area 11,000 years ago to the present. An extensive exhibit of artifacts and photos is enhanced with computer-generated holograms and other imagery, sound, and special effects that leave a lasting and haunting impression on the visitor. The museum gift shop is rich in Cherokee tradition. Locally created baskets, pottery, wood carvings, decorated gourds and beadwork are among the art available for sale. Books on Cherokee history, culture, language, and genealogy line the shelves, along with audio CDs and tapes by local musicians and storytellers. Admission: Yes. Hours: Daily, 9am-5pm; closed New Years Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. Contact: 828-497-3481 or at (https://mci.org/).

Columbia

Pocosin Arts School of Fine Craft and Contemporary Craft Gallery, 201 Main Street, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Arts School of Fine Craft is eastern North Carolina's premier hand-craft education center offering workshops, community programs, artist residences and gallery space. The Pocosin Gallery exhibits and sells work by current and former Pocosin resident artists, and students from around the country. Knowledgeable staff provides information about Pocosin Arts' programs, artists, studios and community involvement. The Pocosin Gallery in addition to Pocosin Art' studios, lodge, and exceptional programming provides a unique destination for visitors. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 252-796-2787 or at (https://pocosinarts.org/).

Concord

ClearWater Arts Center & Studios, 223 Crowell Dr., NW, Concord. **Ongoing** - ClearWater Arts Center & Studios enables inspiration, creative expression and community connections through providing access to top-notch artists, their teaching and their works; as well as affordable space for working artists to build their practice and community, and for the community to hold private or public events and to gather. Hours: Wed.-Fri., noon-5pm; however, the Manager is usually onsite 11am-6pm most weekdays with some exceptions. Calling ahead, to be sure the door will be open, is recommended. Contact: 704/784-9535 or (www.ClearWaterArtists.com).

The Galleries of the Cabarrus Arts Council, in Concord's Historic Courthouse, 65 Union Street South, Concord. **Through Jan 11, 2025** - "Clay," their annual pottery exhibition sale. The works will encompass a wide variety of styles and glazes. Included will be both utilitarian and one-of-a-kind work. Participating potters include: Andrea Freeman, Maddison Graybill, Brett Beasley, Daniel Blumfield, Joseph Sand, Tom Budzak, Renata Cassiano Alvarez, Laura Cooke, Sharon Dowell, Casey Doyle, Joanna Henry, Diana Hoover, Dulce Mange, Jennifer Mecca, Samantha Oliver, Ashley Paskov, Julian Shen, Paula Smith, Grace Stott, Jim and Mary Weaver, and Abby White. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 704/920-ARTS or at (www.cabarrusartscouncil.org).

Cullowhee

Fine Art Museum, Fine & Performing Arts Center, Western Carolina University, Cullowhee. **Through Dec. 6** - "At the Table". The exhibition is inspired by Western Carolina University's 2023-24 campus theme of Community and Belongingness and ties in with recent conversations in our community about the importance of having one's voice heard and being given a seat at the table. Featuring numerous nationally known artists, the exhibition brings together contemporary works of art from the 1980s to the present that explore ideas of community, power, and representation through their depiction or use of a "table." The exhibition features Works by Beth Lipman, Bob Trotman, Charles F. Quest, Cara Romero, Danielle Daniels & Amanda Ballard, Donna Ferrato, Elizabeth Murray, Faith Ringgold, Heather Mae Erickson, Hollis Sigler, Jacqueline Hassink, Joy Harjo, Narsiso Martinez, Faith Ringgold, Roger Shimomura, Sandy Skoglund, and Shari Urquhart. **Through Dec. 6** - "Bachelor of Fine Art Portfolio Exhibition". The exhibition highlights

their comprehensive course of study at Western Carolina University and serves as a preface to their forthcoming careers as professional artists. The studio art portion of this exhibition can be viewed inside the WCU Fine Art Museum. **Ongoing** - The WCU Fine Art Museum is currently offering an interactive 360° virtual tour of the exhibition, "Cultivating Collections: Paintings, Ceramics, and Works by Latinx and Latin American Artists". This multi-year series of exhibitions highlight specific areas of the WCU Fine Art Museum's Collection, which includes over 1,800 works of art in a wide range of media by artists of the Americas. As the Museum's holdings increase, either through donations or purchases, it is essential for the Museum to evaluate strengths, identify key acquisition areas, and also pinpoint where significant change is needed. Throughout the fall more virtual events will be available, learn more at arts.wcu.edu/cultivatingcollections. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/227-3591 or at (https://www.wcu.edu/bardo-arts-center/fine-art-museum/).

Dallas

Gaston County Museum, 131 W. Main Street, Dallas. **Ongoing** - Explore the art and history of Gaston County in our permanent and rotating exhibits. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 704/922-7681 or at (gastoncountymuseum.org).

Dillsboro

Jackson County Green Energy Park, 100 Green Energy Park Rd., Dillsboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring art created with renewable energy featuring blown glass, forge-hammered metals, ceramics. The Jackson County Green Energy Park (JCGEP) utilizes clean, renewable energy resources to encourage economic development, provide environmental protection, and offer educational opportunities that together will help lead towards a more sustainable future for Western North Carolina. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 1-4pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/631-0271 or at (www.jcgep.org).

Durham



Mia with Fur, 2016 © Mary Berridge

Center for Documentary Studies at Duke University, 1317 West Pettigrew Street, Durham. **Through Feb. 28, 2025** - Visible Spectrum: Portraits from the World of Autism, featuring photographs by Mary Berridge. Berridge's award-winning series of photographs is paired with narratives written primarily by the subjects or their parents. The exhibition, "Visible Spectrum: Portraits from the World of Autism," offers an intimate view of life with autism, as told from within an autism community, which includes Berridge and her son. It encourages an alternate way of seeing the condition, in which the diverse and unconventional perspectives of the autistic are valued. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 919/660-3663 or at (http://documentarystudies.duke.edu/).

Claymakers, Gallery of Fine Handmade Pottery, 451 S. Driver Street in Old East Durham, Durham. **Ongoing** - Shows an ongoing, but rotating, exhibit of Claymakers Community artists. Current exhibitors include Corinne Fox, Deborah Harris, Laura Korch, Barbara McKenzie, Teresa Pietsch, Elizabeth Paley, Gillian Parke, Savannah Scarborough, and Evelyn Ward. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 1-6pm & 3rd fri. of the month from 6-9pm. Contact: 919/530-8355 or at (http://www.claymakers.org/).



Work by McKayla Walker

Durham Arts Council Building, 120 Morris Street, Durham. **Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "Our House: Annual DAC Student & Instructor Exhibit". The Durham Arts Council School is in the

spotlight with Our House, an annual exhibition of student and instructor artwork. This celebration of DAC School participants showcases our vibrant community arts education program; the Durham Arts Council School provides over 700 courses each year to more than 6,000 adults, teens and children in drawing, painting, dance, photography, writing, fiber arts and more. The art in "Our House" reflects the hard work and creativity of our students, and the professionalism and expertise of our instructors. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-9pm & Sun. 1-6pm. Contact: 919/560-2787 or at (www.durhamarts.org).

Liberty Arts Gallery, 918 Pearl Street in the Cleveland-Holloway neighborhood of East Durham. **Ongoing** - Liberty Arts is a nonprofit arts community whose collaborative practice reflects the dynamic personality of Durham. Our mission is to expand access to three-dimensional art and share the skills required to make it. All are welcome to take part through hands-on classes, public events, mentorships, and commissions. Liberty Arts believes in community outreach and encourages visionary thinking. Founded in 2001, Liberty Arts serves as an incubator in which artists work together to teach, learn, and inspire. All artists also take on public and private commissions, in addition to exhibiting and selling their work at the Liberty Arts Gallery. Hours: We are open to the public but would need to schedule an appointment to make sure someone is here to meet you. Contact: 919-260-2931, e-mail at (info@libertyartsnc.org) or at (www.libertyartsnc.org).

North Carolina Central University Museum of Art, 1801 Fayetteville Street, across from the Farrison-Newton Communications Building on the campus of NCCU, Durham. **Ongoing** - Permanent collection focuses on African American art of the 19th & 20th century, including works by Edward Mitchell Bannister, Henry Ossawa Tanner, Romare Bearden, Jacob Lawrence, Elizabeth Catlett, and Norman Lewis. As well as more contemporary works by Sam Gilliam, Richard Hunt, William Artis, and Kerry James Marshall. The museum's annual schedule of activities includes temporary exhibits of works from other museums, various retrospectives, and faculty and student art shows. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 919/560-6211.

Power Plant Gallery at ATC, 318 Blackwell St Durham. **Ongoing** - The Power Plant Gallery is an off-site extension of the arts at Duke, promoting visual arts engagement with students, faculty and visitors from Durham and beyond. With 1,500 square feet of exhibition space, the gallery is equipped to exhibit a range of media, from photography and painting to video and installation. Featuring a rotating program of work by Duke students, faculty, and visiting scholars, as well as locally, nationally and internationally recognized artists, the gallery is a new and exciting addition to the growing, vibrant Durham art scene. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: call 919/660-3695 or e-mail at (mfaeda@duke.edu).

Room 100 Gallery, Golden Belt complex, Building 2, room 100, 807 East Main Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - The gallery is committed to promoting the work of emerging local, regional and national contemporary artists. Exhibitions of varying size and theme will be on view throughout the year with openings coinciding with Third Friday Durham. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm and Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/967-7700 or at (www.goldenbeltarts.com).

The Durham Art Guild, Royall Center for the Arts, 120 Morris Street, Durham. **DAG Trust Gallery, Through Jan. 26, 2025** - "Durham Artist Guild's 70th Annual Juried Exhibition," juried by William Cordova. Over 600 pieces of artwork were submitted to the show and 80 pieces were selected by our juror. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-9pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 919/560-2713 or at (www.durhamartguild.org).

The Nasher Museum of Art, Duke University Central Campus, 2001 Campus Drive, Durham. **Through Dec. 11** - "Inscrutable Objects". This installation brings together sculptures, drawings and photographs that might be hard for most of us to comprehend. They challenge convention and encourage close viewing. Reminiscent of an ancient and official text, Ion Bitzan's Old Document of Ownership is comprised of a vaguely recognizable but invented and indecipherable language. Photographs by Brittany Nelson and Letha Wilson employ experimental techniques to challenge our assumptions of photography. Wilson uses materials such as concrete, which oozes out of the photograph in Tent Rocks, to create unconventional landscapes. Nelson's photographs use digital and analog processes without a camera to make topographic, geometric shapes. Artists often imbue their works with paradox. Christian Marclay's Breathless III, a recorder, and Secret, a record, are found objects modified by the artist so that they no longer function. No one

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can play music on these objects because of Marclay's simple but irreversible modifications. Colin Quashie and Sanford Biggers also use found objects, combining them with absurdist humor to raise serious questions of identity and history. These inscrutable objects are filled with subtle social commentary to question how we perceive the world around us. **Through Jan. 12, 2025** - "Processing Systems: Numbers by Sherrill Roland" (b. 1984, Asheville, NC) from his ongoing exploration of the criminal justice system. The works are part of a cross-disciplinary project that critically examines United States Federal and State Correctional Identification Numbers, which are assigned to inmates upon incarceration and historically have been used to reduce individuals to a series of digits. Roland, who was wrongfully incarcerated in 2013, uses this numeric system to generate artworks that follow specific rules, like the sudoku puzzles that helped him pass time while he was in prison. **Through July 15, 2025** - "Art of the Andes". Art of the Andes features ceramics, textiles, metalwork, and carvings produced by cultures across the Andes region, a 4,500-mile-long mountain range on the Pacific Coast of South America. These objects, many on view for the first time, reveal the diverse and sophisticated artmaking techniques through which ancient Andeans expressed ancestral beliefs and personal and political identities. The wall case provides a comparative view of the ceramic production of several prominent Peruvian civilizations, presented chronologically from left to right. From the colorful painted motifs of the Nasca and the sculptural realism of the Moche to the whistling vessels of the Chanca, the ceramics depict both realistic and stylized animals, people, deities, food, and scenes of warfare, performance, and pleasure. **Through July 20, 2025** - "Art of the U.S.: American Stories/American Myths." What comes to mind when you think of the history of the United States? The "discovery" of the continent by European explorers? The American Revolution and founding of the country? Westward expansion, or perhaps the turmoil of the Civil War? This re-installed gallery incorporates historical and contemporary works of art from the United States to tell some of these stories and confront some of these myths. The gallery includes a variety of works to encourage visitors to think about how these narratives shape our understanding and may preserve or counter fallacies of nationhood and democracy. **Ongoing** - The Collection Galleries feature rotating installations of the Nasher Museum's extensive holdings of historical art. Eight galleries, as well as the entrance to Wilson Pavilion, are dedicated to the museum's strengths, which represent a brief history of human creativity from different times and parts of the world. Just beyond the entrance, visitors will find the Incubator, a flexible space for rotating student- and faculty-curated exhibitions. Visitors are invited to return again and again to The Collection Galleries, where Nasher curators continue to refresh the galleries with gems from the collection. The museum's contemporary collection is showcased through rotating exhibitions within a separate pavilion. Works from the contemporary collection create new conversations and connections among historical works in The Collection Galleries. A breakthrough work by New York artist Fred Wilson from 1990, Colonial Collection, anchors the Arts of Africa Gallery. A painting by Kehinde Wiley is on view in the European Art Gallery. **Ongoing** - Nasher Museum Café and Museum Shop. Admission: Yes, but free to Durham residents, courtesy of "The Herald-Sun" newspaper. Hours: Tue - Sat, 10am-5pm; Thur. till 9pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/684-5135 or at (www.nasher.duke.edu).

Elizabeth City

Arts of the Albemarle, a regional arts partner serving Pasquotank, Camden and Gates Counties of NC, The Center, 516 East Main Street, (corner of Main & Poindexter Streets), Elizabeth City. **Ongoing** - The Jaquelin Jenkins Gallery and The 516 Gallery, are home to over 250 artists, craftsmen, photographers, potters, fiber artists and jewelers. The AofA at "The Center" hosts solo and shared exhibits once a month followed by opening receptions during Downtown Elizabeth City's First Friday ArtWalk each month, as well as workshops with some of our exhibiting and visiting artists. These workshops are open to members and non-members. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: Katie Murray, Executive Director (kmurray@artsaoa.com) or Barbara Putnam, Gallery Manager (bputnam@artsaoa.com). Both can be reached at 252/338-6455 or at (www.artsaoa.com).

Fayetteville



Work by Angela Stout

Cape Fear Studios, Inc., 148-1 Maxwell Street, Fayetteville. **Through Jan. 7** - "Annual Holiday Members' Show." Our gallery will showcase the artwork of our local artist members, including painting, mixed media, photography, pottery, jewelry, stained glass, woodworking and metalworking. **Ongoing** - New Gallery exhibit every 4th Friday of the month. We are a nonprofit cooperative of 30 local artists (always looking for new members) creating 2D & 3D art. Our Gallery displays exhibits of visiting artist's work as well as our own exhibits with individual studios where member artists create fantastic works of art onsite. The Gallery show is free of charge and the public is welcome to watch the artists at work. Group and individual classes in a variety of media are ongoing. Reg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/433-2986, e-mail to (capefearstudios@capefearstudios.com) or at (www.capefearstudios.com).



Work by Aghdas Mohammadkhan

Ellington-White Contemporary Gallery, 113 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville. **Through Dec. 21** - Artist Who Teach 2024, juried by Vickie Rhoda, Artist, Professor of Art Education, Fayetteville State University and Dwight Smith, Artist, MFA, Associate Professor of Visual Arts, Fayetteville State University and Founder Ellington-White Contemporary. As part of our ongoing commitment to promote the visual arts, Ellington-White Contemporary Gallery (EWCG) in collaboration with Fayetteville State University (FSU), invited current and former Visual Art Education Professionals to submit entries for this national juried exhibition to showcase the arts as an essential part of a complete education, no matter if it happens in the home, school, or community. National studies show that students of all ages—from kindergarten to college to creative aging programs—benefit from artistic exposure, learning, innovative thinking, and creativity. Celebrating

Arts in Education with this national virtual event is a way to recognize and promote the impact of visual arts and share the message that "The Arts Matter." **Ongoing** - A visual arts venue for emerging and professional artists with exhibitions of original art and events that reflect and respond to cultural arts diversity. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 910/483-1388 or at (<http://www.ellington-white.com>).

Rosenthal Gallery, 1200 Murchison Road, Fayetteville State University, Fayetteville. **Through Dec. 6** - "Phantasmagoric: FSU Art Department Senior Showcase". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/630-7107.

The Arts Center, Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County, 301 Hay Street, Fayetteville. **Main Gallery, Dec. 6 - Jan. 10, 2025** - "The Whimsical Naturalist: NC Flora and Fauna by Katie Crawford". A reception will be held on Dec. 6 from 6-8pm. This exhibition combines whimsical narrative portraits with scientific discovery. Each watercolor portrait is a native North Carolina animal paired with a native plant found in that animal's environment. Each species is rendered with identifying characteristics as well as expressive character development. "The Whimsical Naturalist" is an engaging world that people can step into! A world where nature's wonders and realities are emphasized through anthropomorphism, shifting perspectives and scientific knowledge. I hope people will walk in, smile, learn and leave thinking about how we are connected to our environment and each other. Hours: Mon., 10am-2pm; Tue., 11am-2pm and Wed.-Thur., 10am-2pm. Contact: 910/323-1776 or at (<https://www.theartscouncil.com/>).

The Art Gallery @ FTCC, 2817 Fort Bragg Road, FTCC, General Classroom Building (GCB) 221, Fayetteville Technical Community College, Fayetteville. **Ongoing** - The Art Gallery at FTCC displays exhibitions each semester that feature the artwork of students, faculty, and outside artists. Exhibitions are free and open to the public to enjoy. Hours: call for hours or connection to virtual exhibit. Contact: Dennis Johnson, Dept. Chair, by e-mail at (johnsoden@faytechcc.edu) or call 910/678-0092.

The Museum of the Cape Fear Historical Complex, 801 Arsenal Avenue, Fayetteville. **Ongoing** - The museum operates under the Division of State History Museums, Office of Archives and History, within the North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/500-4240 or at (<https://museumofthecapefear.ncdcr.gov/>).

Frisco

Frisco Native American Museum, 53536 North Carolina Hwy 12, Frisco. **Ongoing** - The museum contains a nationally recognized collection of Native American artifacts, exhibits and natural history displays. Galleries filled with native art include information on Native Americans across the United States, as well as artifacts from the first inhabitants of Hatteras Island. Designated as a North Carolina Environmental Education Center and a Historic Albemarle Tour site, the museum also includes several acres of nature trails winding through a lush maritime forest. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 10:30-5pm or by appt. (off season: Sat. & Sun. only). Contact: 252/995-4440 or at (nativeamericanmuseum.org).

Fuquay-Varina

Fuquay-Varina Arts Center, 123 E. Vance Street, Fuquay-Varina. **Ongoing** - The Art Center contains a theater, art gallery, classrooms and dance studio. Gallery exhibits generally will change every six to seven weeks. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/567-3920 or at (fvarts.org).

Goldsboro

Arts Council of Wayne County, 139 W. Walnut Street, Goldsboro. **Ongoing** - We represent local and regional artists in our Youth and Main Galleries, Art Market, and off-site Artist Studios. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/947-0009 or at (artsinwayne.org).

Greensboro Area

Open Air Market, corner of South Elm & MLK in downtown Greensboro. **First Fri. of every month, 4-9pm** - "Indie Market," a place where local artists and crafts people can come together to offer handmade and vintage goods.

African American Atelier & Bennett College for Women Gallery, Greensboro Cultural Center, 200 N. Davie Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local, regional and national African American artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Wed., till 7pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 336/333-6885.



Work by Kaidy Lewis

GreenHill, a space for NC art, 200 North Davie Street, Greensboro Cultural Center, Greensboro. **Dec. 11 - Feb. 15, 2025** - "Winter Show". GreenHill's annual "Winter Show" brings together over 70 artists each year from across North Carolina and constitutes an up-to-the-moment overview of the finest art and craft produced by artists in the state. Painting, sculpture, photography, ceramics, jewelry, woodwork, and fiber art are all displayed in a harmonious installation. Artists vary not only by medium, but also by experience, background and style, with an average of 40 new artists presented each year. This year, GreenHill's First Choice will be held on Dec. 5th, from 5:30-7:30pm. Collectors Choice will be held on Dec. 7th from 7-10pm, and the Public Opening will be held on Dec. 11, 2024 starting at 5:30pm. Hours: Wed., noon-7pm; Tue., Thur. & Fri., noon-5pm; and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/333-7460 or at (www.greenhillnc.org).

Guilford College Art Gallery, Hege Library, Guilford College, 5800 W. Friendly Ave., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Other galleries located throughout Hege Library display rotating objects from the College's permanent collection. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sun., 2-5pm, also closed during College holidays. Contact: call Theresa Hammond at 336/316-2438 or e-mail to (thammond@guilford.edu).

Guilford Native American Art Gallery, Greensboro Cultural Center, 200 N. Davie St., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Carolina's Native Americans. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 336/273-6605.

NC A&T State University Galleries, 1601 E. Market Street, Dudley Building, NC A&T State University, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - The Matthee Reed African Heritage Collection seeks to educate people about the culture, history and accomplishments of African societies and peoples of African descent. It achieves this through the development of exhibits drawn from its extensive collection of African artifacts, which represent a cross-section of African cultures from over thirty-five countries. The collection is made up of fine examples of African material culture including sculptures, masks, figures, household implements, musical instruments, and textiles. The modern collection includes works from Nigeria, Ghana, Ethiopia, Haiti and elsewhere in the African Diaspora. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & sat., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/334-3209.

Revolution Mill, 1250 Revolution Mill Drive, Greensboro. **Gallery 1250, Ongoing** - "Triple Visions: works by Jan Lukens, Michael Northuis and Roy Nydorf." Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-6pm, select evening + weekend hours. Contact: (www.janlukens.com).

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Maud Gatewood, "The Bundles from the Creek Bed," 1996. Acrylic on canvas, 60 x 72 in. Bequest of Maud F. Gatewood, 2004, 2006 21. 5

Weatherspoon Art Museum, University of North Carolina - Greensboro, Cone Building, Tate and Spring Garden Streets, Greensboro. **Louise D. and Herbert S. Falk, Sr. Gallery, Through Dec. 21** - "Interpreting America: Photographs from the Collection". Drawn from the Weatherspoon's stellar collection, these photographs illustrate what artists have had to say about American culture from the late 19th- to the early twenty-

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first centuries. The period spanned by these images shows tremendous change—from civil war battles, western expansion vistas, and class and racial divisions to life in rural America today, increased economic prosperity, and hints of cultural alienation. Photographs such as the ones featured in this exhibition have shaped our ever-evolving definition of what the terms "America" and "American" mean—through the pictorial images themselves and via our interpretations of them, both at the time of their fabrication and present-day. While Carleton Watkins's and William Henry Jackson's photographs were meant to impress armchair viewers with the majesty of the untamed West, Roger Minick and Robert von Sternberg's photographs highlight the humor found in the actions of tourists who visited such landscapes. Despite the 150+ years that separate the creation of Lewis Hine's and Leonard Carter's images, both photographers used their cameras as tools for social reform. Berenice Abbott, Frank Paulin, Garry Winogrand, and Burk Uzzle focused on the vital interaction between three aspects of urban life: its diverse people; the places they live, work, and play; and their daily activities. Place is equally important in the photographs by William Christenberry, Stuart Klipper, and Alfred Steiglitz. Lastly, psychologically probing images by Diane Arbus, Donna Ferrato, Nikki Lee, Robert Mapplethorpe, and Francesca Woodman round out the offerings. **The Gregory D. Ivy Gallery, Weatherspoon Guild Gallery, and Gallery 6, Through July 5, 2025** - "Making Connections: Art, Place, and Relationships". Following the success last academic year of the collection exhibition, Making Room: Familiar Art, New Stories is Making Connections: Art, Place, and Relationships. Building on the museum's desire to engage its audiences in more personal and meaningful ways, this installation of works from the collection showcases the Weatherspoon as an academic museum with deep connections to and relationships with its campus, Greensboro, and broader communities. Back in 1941, the Weatherspoon was founded with the goal of serving as a teaching resource specifically for UNCG's department of art. Over the course of its 80+ years, the museum's mission has expanded to serve many more. Objects included in this iteration of collection highlights showcase the Weatherspoon's relationship over the years with various art collectors, UNCG fine art alumni and faculty, Greensboro community leaders, artists who taught at Black Mountain College and those who exhibited in the museum's signature exhibition, Art on Paper, as well as a few of the many UNCG departments that currently incorporate the museum's collection into their pedagogy. **The Bob & Lissa Shelley McDowell Gallery, Through Apr. 26, 2025** - "Crip" I Artists Engage with Disability."v This group exhibition features contemporary artists who engage with experiences and understandings of disability. They do so by thinking about the ways that one's personal experience of disability always intersects with other aspects of their life. Some of the artists in the show identify as disabled and some do not, but each has a relationship to at least one identity that is not perceived as normal. Too often, such artists are expected to "perform" these identities by making images of themselves. While those images can help diversify the art world, they can also pigeonhole artists, flatten our interpretations of their work, and make the distinctions between "normal" and "not-normal" more rigid. Artists whose work is featured in the exhibition include: Liz Barr, Emilee Gossiaux, Max Guy, Christopher Robert Jones, Carly Mandel, Darin Martin, Alison O'Daniel, Berenice Olmedo, Carmen Papalia, Bronthe Purnell, Finnegan Shannon, Heather Kai Smith, and Alex Dolores Salerno. **Weatherspoon Atrium Mural, Through Dec. 31** - "Pause and Breathe, We Got This," a mural by Sheena Rose. A homecoming in the works. The Weatherspoon is excited to announce its commission of a major new artwork by artist Sheena Rose, MFA '16. A multidisciplinary artist working in animation, drawing, painting, and performance, Rose's vibrant and energetic work is at once anchored in her Caribbean heritage and expansive in its explorations of culture and human experience. **Lobbies** - Featuring works of art complementing current gallery exhibitions which are rotated in the atrium and public areas throughout both floors of the gallery. Tom Otterness' site-specific work, "The Frieze" is permanently installed in the atrium. **Sculpture Courtyard** - Featuring selections of American sculpture from 1900 to the present from the Weatherspoon Collection and on loan works from contemporary artists. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Wed. & Fri.-Sat., from 10am-5pm and Thur., 10am-8pm. Contact: 336/334-5770 or at (<http://weatherspoon.uncg.edu/>).

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Creative Aging Network-NC (CAN-NC), 2400 Summit Ave., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - The mission of the Creative Aging Network-NC (CAN-

NC) is to provide innovative arts programming and education to enhance the well-being and social connection among older adults throughout North Carolina. The CAN-NC campus, located just 3 miles from downtown Greensboro, NC, serves as a site for intergenerational and multicultural engagement, collaboration and education. Hours: call for regular hours. Contact: 336/303-9963 or at (<https://can-nc.org/events>).

Greenville

Emerge Gallery & Art Center, 404 S. Evans St., Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by students, faculty, alumni (East Carolina University) and local artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-9pm; Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 252/551-6947 or at (www.emergegallery.com).

Greenville Museum of Art, 802 South Evans Street, Greenville. **West Wing & Commons Gallery, Through Jan. 3, 2025** - "Aphorisms & Verses: Works from the GMoA Collection by Ben Shahn and Marvin Saltzman." The exhibition explores intersections of visual and literary art through a focus on inspiration, collaboration, and emotional evocation in the artists' work. The West Wing Gallery will feature lithographs by 20th-century social realist artist Ben Shahn (1898-1969) from his 1968 "For the Sake of a Single Verse" series, which was inspired by Austrian poet and novelist Rainer Maria Rilke's "The Notebooks of Malte Laurids Brigte". The Commons Gallery will feature two series of serigraphs by Chapel Hill, NC-based artist Marvin Saltzman (b. 1931), including the 1963 Paint the Window Purple portfolio (made in collaboration with poet Ronald Bayes) and the 1970-75 Chapel Hill Gravel portfolio (made in collaboration with 5 different poets). "Aphorisms & Verses" includes creative opportunities for audiences to interact and engage with the displays. All three sets of prints come from the GMoA Permanent Collection. **The Francis Speight and Sarah Blakeslee Gallery, Ongoing** - Is dedicated to the work of these two artists. Speight was born in Bertie County, North Carolina, and moved back to Greenville to teach at East Carolina University after spending a majority of his career at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts. Blakeslee was born in Illinois and met Speight at the Academy as a student. The couple lived outside of Philadelphia until moving to Greenville in 1961. **The Kenneth Noland Gallery, Ongoing** - Celebrates the art and legacy of Black Mountain College, an innovative liberal arts college that operated between 1933 and 1957. Kenneth Noland, born in Asheville in 1924, attended Black Mountain College on the G. I. Bill from 1946 to 1948. He studied under Josef Albers and Ilya Bolotowsky, who introduced him to the work of artists interested in geometry and color. **The Rachel Maxwell Moore Art Foundation Gallery, Ongoing** - Features rotating works purchased for the Museum by the foundation. Rachel Maxwell Moore was a leading civic figure and arts advocate in Greenville, and was central to the founding of the Museum's predecessor in 1939. She established the Rachel Maxwell Moore Art Foundation in 1963, and before she passed away in 1964, bequeathed funds to the foundation for the sole purpose of purchasing works of art for the Museum's permanent collection. **Ongoing** - GMoA has a strong collection of North Carolina pottery, and especially from Jugtown Pottery in Seagrove, North Carolina. Jugtown Pottery was opened by Jacques and Juliana Busbee in 1921. They were influential at Jugtown and elsewhere in Seagrove by introducing local North Carolina potters to international ceramic styles and glazes. Much of our pottery collection was given to the Museum by Mrs. Lindsay Savage in 1948 and Dr. James H. Stewart in the 1980s. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10-4:30pm. Contact: 252/758-1946 or at (www.gmoa.org).

Wellington B. Gray Gallery, Jenkins Fine Arts Center, East Carolina University, East 5th St. and Jarvis Street, Greenville. **Dec. 6 - 13** - "F'all 2024 BFA Senior Exhibition". Receptions on Dec. 6, from 5-8pm, and Dec. 13, from 5-8pm. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/322-6665 or at (<https://art.ecu.edu/exhibitions-gray-gallery/>).

Hickory

Full Circle Arts, 42-B Third Street NW, Hickory. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by member artists in a variety of mediums. Full Circle Arts is a not-for-profit educational organization whose mission is to encourage public appreciation and education for the arts. Hours: Wed.Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 828/322-7545 or at (www.fullcirclearts.org).



Image from the exhibit, "Art of Profession"

Hickory Museum of Art, Arts and Science Center, 243 Third Avenue NE, Hickory. **Coe, Shuford, Windows, & engageHMA Galleries, Through Feb. 2, 2025** - "The Art of Profession". This exhibition is a celebration of the creative process regardless of your discipline and career pathway. Art and creativity play a role in all of our lives from the way we problem solve to the techniques we develop to do our professions. Hickory Museum of Art invited students and faculty from Catawba Valley Community College, Caldwell Community College & Technical Institute, Lenoir-Rhyne University and Appalachian State University to show how they utilize the creative process. **3rd Floor Gallery, Through Feb. 16, 2025** - "Brry G. Huffman: Life Illustrated". A reception will be held on Dec. 1, from 3-5pm. Six decades ago a young newly married woman began painting pictures of her everyday life. What started out as an endeavor to please herself with a memory became an obsession of documenting her thoughts, experiences, joys and sorrows, and loss and frustrations of life. As a private quiet person this became her practice of dealing with life. **Ongoing** - "Discover Folk Art: Unique Visions by Southern Contemporary Folk Artists". A unique experience for the whole family to investigate the Museum's extensive Southern Contemporary Folk Art Collection. The Exhibition Features: • Re-creations of Artists' Working Environments • Over 200 Folk Art Objects • Sounds & Smells • and More! Free Family Guides for the exhibition are available at the Museum's check-in desk in the first floor shopHMA. Copies of the children's book, "Discover Folk Art: An Adventure with Artie at the Hickory Museum of Art", are also available in the store for \$9.95. In the book, Artie (HMA's art-loving mascot) takes a group of children on a tour of the galleries and introduces them to work by several folk artists including Sam "The Dot Man" McMillan and Q.J. Stephenson. **Little Hands, Big Hands Gallery, Ongoing** - "Little Hands, Big Hands". Younger visitors can be imaginative through creative exploration and play. Including a puppet theater, mini art gallery, giant reading throne and more. Admission: Free. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/327-8576 or at (<http://hickoryart.org>).

Hiddenite

Hiddenite Arts & Heritage Center, 316 Hiddenite Church Road, Hiddenite. **Ongoing** - The Mission of the Hiddenite Arts & Heritage Center is to serve and promote the talented local and regional artists and craftspeople at The Lucas Mansion and the Educational Complex. The Center endeavors to connect the public with the rich arts and cultural and natural heritage of the northwest NC region by making quality arts and heritage programming accessible for all. Additionally, the Center will build upon its role as the Alexander County Visitor Center highlighting the many qualities of Alexander County. The Center will also strive to improve its offerings at the Educational Complex including performing arts, visual arts, literary arts, pottery and quilting. Hours: Mon.-Fri. 10am-4:30 & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/632-6966 or at (hiddenitearts.org).

Highlands

The Bascom, a center for the visual arts, 323 Franklin Rd., covered bridge entrance at the end of Main Street, Highlands. **Bunzl Gallery, Through Jan. 11, 2025** - "From the Lowlands to the Highlands," featuring works by Will Henry Stevens, curated by Michael Manes. A reception will be held on Sept. 15, beginning at 5pm. Will Henry Stevens' life (1881-1949) began and ended in a small riverboat community along the Ohio River, but the years between spent in New Orleans and Western North Carolina were defined by his tireless pursuit of a visual language for his vast creative energy. His enduring curiosity about the natural world, and his belief that there was a purpose – a design – in nature, led him effortlessly between representational and abstraction as he freely adjusted both style and medium to convey nature's essence. In this spirit, "From the Lowlands to the Highlands" includes both landscapes and abstracts capturing the two regions closest to the artist's heart, the Louisiana bayou and the Appalachian Mountains. The artist was drawn to "humble" scenes such as log cabins, cemeteries, and the mountaineers of Western North Carolina, as well as the bayou and common people of Louisiana. This monumental exhibition will showcase Stevens' love for nature, his understanding and proficiency with color, materials, and composition, and how two

very different environments shaped the career of a Southern Modernist. **Thompson Gallery, Through Jan. 4, 2025** - "Feel the Heal: Community Partner Exhibition." The exhibition offers many different artistic interpretations of human resiliency including illness, loss, and grief. "The Feel the Heal" initiative is based on the belief that art has the power to heal, inspire, provoke, and challenge. This initiative raises awareness about how art is a catalyst for positive change and enhances the wellbeing of individuals, society, and the environment through artists' creativity. This exhibition will give "Heartists" an opportunity to share their journey with all those who visit The Bascom. **Education Gallery, Ongoing** - The Bascom offers our students and instructors an opportunity to display their creative works from workshops and classes. The perspectives of these talented individuals reveal self-expression, cultural awareness and technical discipline. These ongoing displays expose the viewer to the analysis, invention, exploration and decision making processes used by students during the development of ideas into a work of art. **Horst Winkler Sculpture Trail, Through Apr. 30, 2026** - "Biennial Outdoor Sculpture Program 2024 - 2026." including works by Georgia Watts, MG Morrow, Francis Akosah, Corrina Sephora, J. Aaron Alderman, Kristina Peay, and Matt Amante. In its fourth year, The Outdoor Sculpture Program features new works by celebrated local and regional artists on The Bascom Campus along the Horst Winkler Sculpture Trail and in Cashiers, through the efforts of our partner organization, Vision Cashiers. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/526-4949 or at (www.thebascom.org).

High Point

The Art Gallery at Congdon Yards (TAG) located at 400 West English Rd., Suite 151 in Congdon Yards, High Point. **Through Jan. 3, 2025** - "Fish Stories and Other Truths about Nature Exhibition," featuring works by Stephen Brooks and Roy Nydorf. This captivating exhibition showcases the remarkable works of two talented artists, Roy Nydorf and Stephen Brooks. Their shared passion for the natural world is evident in their unique and expressive styles. Nydorf's intricate and detailed works capture the beauty and complexity of the natural world, while Brooks' bold and colorful works celebrate the joy and wonder of nature. **Ongoing** - TAG showcases diverse artwork from established and emerging artists in various media. The gallery offers a variety of art classes, workshops, and special events for all ages and interests. TAG is committed to making art accessible and inclusive for everyone, and its welcoming atmosphere makes it a great place to gather with friends and family. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon to 5pm. Contact: 336/887-2137 or at (tagart.org).

Hillsborough

Downtown Hillsborough, Dec. 27, from 6-9pm - "Hillsborough Art Walk Last Fridays". The Hillsborough Arts Council invites you to visit walkable historic and hip Hillsborough. Park one and enjoy art galleries, artist studios, boutiques and award-winning restaurants. Stops on the Hillsborough Art Walk Last Fridays include: Hillsborough Arts Council Gallery & Gift Shop, Orange County Historical Museum, Hillsborough Gallery of Arts, Hillsborough/Orange County Chamber of Commerce, Hillsborough Artists Cooperative and The Skylight Gallery, Thomas Stevens Gallery, Coldwell Banker Howard Perry and Walston, The Paynter Law Firm, Margaret Lane Gallery, K's Closet - Hillsborough and Cedar Walk Wellness Center. Contact: (www.lastfridaysartwalk.org).

C3/HAC Satellite Gallery, 128 N Churton Street, Hillsborough. **Ongoing** - In partnership with C3 Hillsborough, a co-working space for many local businesses and entrepreneurs, HAC is further connecting artists & audiences through a collaborative gallery space. HAC's Satellite Gallery program seeks to expand our collective support of local artists and create more spaces for diversity in Hillsborough arts events & programs. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm and open till 9pm on select Last Fridays. Contact: 919/643-2500 or at (www.hillsborougharts.org).

Eno Arts Mill, 437 Dimmocks Mill Road, Suite 17, in Hillsborough. **Ongoing** - The Eno Arts Mill is an arts hub located in the historic Eno Mill in West Hillsborough, NC, managed by the Orange County Arts Commission. The Eno Arts Mill is home to the Eno Mill Gallery, a 1,000 square foot exhibit space that offers our studio artists the opportunity to exhibit their work. Each of our studio artists have a one-month featured exhibit of their work on a rotating basis. New gallery exhibits open the first Friday of each month and feature the opportunity to visit our artist studios and enjoy live music, food trucks and beverages. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/245-2335 or at (artsorange.org).

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View of a previous Solstice Lantern Walk & Market, presented by the Hillsborough Arts Council, photo by Hillsborough Photography.

The HAC Gallery, Hillsborough Arts Council, 102 North Churton Street, across the street from the Wooden Nickel, Hillsborough. **Through Dec. 22** - "Nourishment: Nature and Nurture Photography by Monica Meyer". Meyer, who spearheaded much of the remarkable Día de los Muertos showcase during October 2023's Last Friday & Art Walk, returns to the HAC Gallery with an exhibition that honors the lives and stories shaping our cultural experience. **Dec. 21, from 5-8pm** - "Solstice Lantern Walk & Market!" Gather at Hillsborough's Farmers Market Pavilion to discover local artisans, walk the Spiral of Light labyrinth, and begin the meditative, illuminated journey along Riverwalk! Keep an eye on (www.hillsboroughartscenter.org/solstice) to stay up-to-date on all 2024 event details! This year, Fall Last Fridays Makers Markets AND Solstice Lantern Walk will feature romantic market lighting provided by HAC Sponsor and Churton Street Champion, Get Lit Event Lighting! Solstice Lantern Walk and other programs like it are made possible with the love and support of passionate community members like you! **Ongoing** - Offers a venue for emerging and mid-career artists to show and sell their work. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-4pm. Contact: 919/643-2500 or at (www.hillsboroughartscenter.org).

Hudson

Red Awning Gallery at the HUB Station Arts Center, 145 Cedar Valley Road, Hudson. **Ongoing** - An 80-year-old, former school campus has been transformed by the Town of Hudson into a 21st century hub for business development and artistic creation and enjoyment. The Town chose to blend the past with the present as they envisioned the future for residents and visitors. We invite you to visit HUB Station – former Hudson School – a classical structure and repurposed treasure celebrating the vitality of community through arts and business. Gallery hours: Wed.-Fri., noon-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 828/726-8871 or at (<https://www.thehubstation.com/>).

Kings Mountain

Southern Arts Society Gift Shop & Gallery, 301 N. Piedmont Ave. (NC 216), located in the old Southern Railway Depot at the corner of Battleground Ave and N. Piedmont Ave in the Kings Mountain Art Center, Kings Mountain. **Ongoing** - Exhibits, gift shop & classes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-2pm and by appt. Contact: 704/739-5585, e-mail at (southernartsociety@gmail.com) or at (www.southernartsociety.org) and Facebook.

Kinston

Community Council for the Arts, 400 N. Queen Street, Kinston. **Ongoing** - The Community Council for the Arts is the regional center unifying community ties through exposure to the arts and providing rich cultural experiences while promoting tourism, economic development, and educational opportunities for all. **Ongoing** - Shop the Art Market - Featuring paintings, pottery, jewelry, glassware, baskets, textiles, soaps, quilts, woodwork & more - always changing. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 252/527-2517 or at (www.kinstoncca.com).

SmART Gallery, 210 N. Queen Street, Kinston. **Ongoing** - As an art gallery in Kinston, SmART Gallery promotes and showcases the work of the "smARTist" – artists-in-residence participating in the SmART Kinston City Project Foundation. Our gallery provides an inviting and welcoming space for the public to buy and admire these artists' works. By providing a space in which to display their latest pieces, artists appreciate their role in sharing their creative aspirations with a wider audience. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 2-6pm & Sun. 1-4pm. Contact: 252/933-9072 or e-mail at (smartgallery2019@gmail.com).

Lenoir

Western North Carolina Sculpture Center & Park, 4612 Patterson School Drive, Lenoir.

Ongoing - The Western North Carolina Sculpture Center & Park is dedicated to connecting people with the arts through exhibitions, interactions with artists, and the opportunity to experience creative processes in an inclusive environment. The WNC Sculpture Park is on track to hit the 100 sculptures mark this year, a great milestone to coincide with its 5th year anniversary. Hours: e-mail for hours. Contact: e-mail at (wncsculpture@gmail.com) or at (www.wncsculpture.org).

Lumberton

Inner Peace Center for the Arts, 700 N. Roberts Avenue, Lumberton. **Ongoing** - We are an art gallery designed to educate, enlighten, enrich and entertain patrons of all ages while providing leadership and support to advance the visual and performing arts in our community. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 11am-5pm. Contact: 910/733-1046 or at (www.ipcarts.com).

Marion

Alternative Art Space - Marion
McDowell High School, 600 McDowell High School Road, Marion. **Dec. 7, from 10am-4pm** - "36th Annual Appalachian Potters Market". Over 50 potters are registered this year (the most we have had in 10 years) and we will have activities for the family, live music, and refreshments available for purchase. Admission is \$5 for ages 16 and older. Contact: visit (<http://www.mcdowellarts.org/appalachian-potters-market.html>).

Marshall

Flow Gallery, 14 S. Main St., Marshall. **Ongoing** - Flow is a cooperative gallery owned, operated and curated by artists, offering for sale the best of local and regional crafted objects and arts, traditional and contemporary. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 828/649-1686 or at (www.flowmarshall.com).

Mars Hill

Mars Landing Galleries, 37 Library Street, Mars Hill. **Ongoing** - Mars Landing Galleries is a standout gallery for the works of artists and makers nestled in and around the Blue Ridge Mountains. Each exhibit space is curated as a solo-show, in an effort to provide viewers ample space for contemplation, connection, and ultimate appreciation of exquisite works not readily displayed locally. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5 or by appt. Contact: 828/747-7267.

Weizenblatt Gallery, Moore Fine Art Building, Mars Hill University, 79 Cascade Street, Mars Hill. **Through Dec. 5** - Featuring a group exhibition on the theme of sexual violence. A reception will be held on Nov. 1, from 5-8pm, which coincides with the Mars Hill First Friday. This is a subject that affects everyone. The exhibition is open to all 2D and 3D artists in the greater Asheville area. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: Skip Rohde, Weizenblatt Gallery Director at 828/273-6476 or visit (<https://www.mhu.edu/about/what-to-do-and-see/weizenblatt-gallery/>).

Marshville

Marshville Museum and Cultural Center, 201 North Elm Street, Marshville. **Ongoing** - Featuring paintings by local artist Mary Erickson. Other well known artists from Marshville include Hooper Turner, Sally Griffin, Richard Smith, Frank Faulkner, Louise Napier, and Stewart Allen. Hours: Mon.-Thur., by appt. only; Fri.-Sat., 10am-4pm; & Sun. 1-4pm. Contact: 704-624-6214 or at (<http://mmcc1893.com/index.html>).

Mooresville

Mooresville Arts - Gallery & Art Center, located in the historic Mooresville Depot in downtown Mooresville at 103 W. Center Ave. Mooresville. **Ongoing** - fine art exhibits change every other month, featuring local & regional artists - the best art gallery in the Lake Norman area and beyond! Also, featuring The Shop, our artist and artisan gift shop. Take a class or workshop with us, and learn from experienced and talented local artists! Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-4pm. Contact: 704/663-6661 or at (mooresvillearts.org).

Morehead City

Arts Council of Carteret County & Carolina Artist Gallery, 1702 Arendell Street, Morehead City. **Through Dec. 21** - "3rd Annual Holiday Show." The Carolina Artist Gallery with the Arts Council of Carteret County is pleased to hold our annual Holiday Show, a multimedia art show & sale that is focused on our diverse American holiday season. How lucky we are that every American can celebrate diverse Holiday Celebra-

tions with neighbors, family and friends during this very special season. This show will feature handmade "Tiny Treasures" and fine artwork made by our Coastal artists and artisans. Hours: call ahead. **The galleries will be closed from Dec. 22 - Jan. 6, 2025.** Contact: 252/726-9156 or visit (www.artscouncilcarteret.org).

Morganton

Burke Arts Council, 506 S. Sterling Street, Morganton. **Through Dec. 23** - "First Frost Holiday Art Show & Sale". Featuring a beautifully displayed gallery and gift shop setting, the show will feature a unique variety of fine artwork from artists from across our region including: pottery, fiber works, furniture, woodworking, watercolors, jewelry, and much more! Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/433-7282 or at (www.burkearts.org).

KATZ Arts Collective, 116 W. Union Street, Morganton. **Ongoing** - It is a collective of artists, both online and in-house. It operates as a non-profit; any money left over after expenses goes back into the cooperative. Many different specialties including weaving, painting, photography, pottery, sculpture, and more are represented at the KATZ. Included in its amenities are a free children's area, display galleries and shelves, rental studios, and an event space. Hours: N/A. Contact: visit us on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/thekatzartcollective/>) or e-mail us at (thekatzartcollective@gmail.com).

Mount Airy

Mount Airy Museum of Regional History, 301 North Main Street, Mount Airy. **Ongoing** - Ours is an all American story - typical of how communities grew up all across our great nation. While our story takes place in the back country of northwestern North Carolina at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains, it is likely to bear many similarities to the development of crossroads, towns, and cities throughout America. It had taken little more than 100 years for the corridors along the coastline of this still-new continent to overflow. As tensions grew and conflicts flared, the pioneer spirit set in. Families literally packed up everything they owned and headed into the unknown-searching for the "promised land." Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 336/786-4478 or at (north-carolinamuseum.org).

New Bern



Work by Karen Schaaft

Bank of the Arts, Craven Arts Council, 317 Middle Street, New Bern. **Main Gallery, Dec. 1 - 31** - "The Gods at Mardi Gras," is an original watercolor series created by internationally awarded artist Karen Noll Schaaft. A reception will be held on Dec. 13, from 5-8pm. The exhibit is a series of ten unique watercolor works painted on Aquabord, a clay surface that replicates the fresco technique used by artists such as Michelangelo and Raphael during the Italian Renaissance period, from the late 13th to mid-16th centuries. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 252/638-2577 or at (www.cravenarts.org).

Community Artists Gallery & Studios, Inc., 504 South Front Street, New Bern. **Ongoing** - We serve Craven, Pamlico, and Jones counties. Operated by member artists themselves on an exclusively volunteer basis, it's a great place to discover distinctive, affordable art for your home or office—or to find a truly unique gift. Visit our Gallery and Studios pages to see what's currently on exhibit—and on our easels! Community Artists Gallery & Studios supports working studio space for fifteen artists and exhibits nearly a dozen additional artists at any given time. Our members are engaged in creating jewelry, photography, weaving, found object art, sculpture, ceramics, digital art, watercolor, oil, baskets, stained glass, and acrylic paintings. Hours: Tue., Thur., Fri., & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 252/571-8566 or visit (www.communityartistsgallery.org).

North Wilkesboro

Wilkes Art Gallery, 913 C. Street, North Wilkesboro. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 21** - "Ward Nichols: Light & Shadow". **Ongoing** - Founded in 1962 in the parlor of Annie Winkler's home, the Wilkes Art Gallery has experienced transformations over the years. The most dramatic of these was the 2004 move into the renovated 1925 North Wilkesboro Post Office building. WAG offers a variety of classes, workshops, meet-the-artists events and special



Work by Ward Nichols

outreach projects. WAG hosts exhibitions that offer community members a chance to show their work and admission is always free. Visit our online gift shop. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/667-2841 or at (www.wilkesartgallery.org).

Old Fort

Arrowhead Artists and Artisans League Inc., 78 Catawba Avenue, Suite C-D, next to the Parker hosiery building, 2 minutes from Exit 73 on Interstate I-40, Old Fort. **Ongoing** - The main Gallery space is about 1800 square feet, with an open, industrial feel. Art, ranging from traditional to abstract and mixed media, hangs on the walls. On the main floor are displays of various types of fine crafts, such as jewelry, pottery, fiber art, hand crafted baskets, and hand turned wooden bowls. You might even see a welded "junk yard" critter or two. After viewing all of the various arts and crafts, visitors can walk through a wide archway on the right to view more fine art and craft work and talk to the artists and students in several studios and the AGS classroom. If a studio door is open, visitors are being invited to step inside and enjoy the work. Currently, our Gallery and studio artists and artisans include: Lorette Bacon, Ann Whisenaut, Karen Piquette, David Kaylor, Dawn Diebuis, Len Eskew, Wayne Stroud, Susan Taylor, Cathy Green, Anne Bevan, John Sullivan, Evelyn Chrisavwn, Tim Muenich, Chuck Aldridge, Charles Davis, Fredreen Bernatovicz, Anne Allison, Darlene Matzer, Billie Haney, Marguerite Welty, Jean Ryan, Kasha Baxter, Linda Magnus, Kim Hostetter, Bonnie Burgin, Sonya Russell, Helen Sullivan, Janet Bennett, and Sabrina Miller. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/668-1100 or at (<http://arrowhead-art.org/>).

Pembroke

A.D. Gallery, University of NC at Pembroke, Locklear Hall, 1 University Dr, Pembroke. **Ongoing** - The A.D. Gallery is sponsored by the Art Department of the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Serving the university and local community, the gallery provides a venue for student and faculty work, as well as that of local, regional, national and international artists. The gallery helps fulfill the department's goal of providing outstanding educational opportunities for its students by bringing quality visual arts to the university and the community at large. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm. Contact: e-mail to (joseph.begnaud@uncp.edu) or visit (www.uncp.edu/departments/art/ad-gallery).

The Museum of the Southeast American Indian, Old Main (first floor) at the University of North Carolina Pembroke, 1 University Drive, Pembroke. **Ongoing** - As part of the Southeast American Indian Studies Program at UNC Pembroke, The Museum of the Southeast American Indian maximizes the capacity of the University to address the complex historical, cultural and contemporary issues facing American Indian communities in North Carolina and the American Southeast. The Museum's cross-disciplinary collaborations greatly enhance the University's programs of research, service, outreach and instruction. The Museum is a multi-faceted museum and resource for scholarly research and community outreach. While the Museum contains exhibits of authentic Indian artifacts, arts and crafts from Indian communities all over the Americas, our primary focus is on tribes from the American Southeast. Many items come from North Carolina Native communities, with special emphasis on Robeson County Indian people. Specific focus is placed on the largest North Carolina tribe, the Lumbee, but our outreach activities have extended into Virginia and South Carolina with plans for further outreach throughout the Southeast. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. We typically

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close for lunch from noon-1pm. Contact: call 910/521-6282 or e-mail to (nativemuseum@uncp.edu).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Pembroke **Artist Market Pembroke,** at the UNCP Entrepreneurship Incubator, 202 Main Street, Pembroke. **2nd Sat. every month** - Featuring handmade art and jewelry by local artists. Hours: 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/775-4065.

Penland

Penland Gallery & Visitors Center, Penland School of Crafts, 3135 Conley Ridge Rd, Penland. **John & Robyn Horn Exhibition Gallery, Through Dec. 7** - "El PUENTE," featuring works by Cristina Córdova, Ada del Pilar Ortiz, Luis Gabriel Sanabria, and Jaime Suárez. **Ongoing** - Newly installed outside the gallery are two brightly-colored, billboard-sized murals based on paper collages by artist Anne Lemanski. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/765-2359, e-mail at (gallery@penland.org) or at (<http://penland.org/gallery/>).

Raleigh

Art Access Gallery, Arts Access North Carolina, 444 S. Blount St, Suite 115B, Raleigh. **Through Dec. 13** - "Please Touch the Art!" This tactile experience invites you to engage with art like never before - feel the textures, explore the forms, and connect with creativity in a hands-on way! **Ongoing** - Arts Access North Carolina is a non-profit dedicated to creating a positive impact at the intersection of arts, education and disability. Our vision is to have communities in which the arts are universally accessible. We value acceptance, lived experiences, partnerships and collaboration with those in our growing community. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-5pm and 6-9pm on 1st Fri. of the month. Contact: at (<https://artsaccessinc.org/arts-access-gallery>).



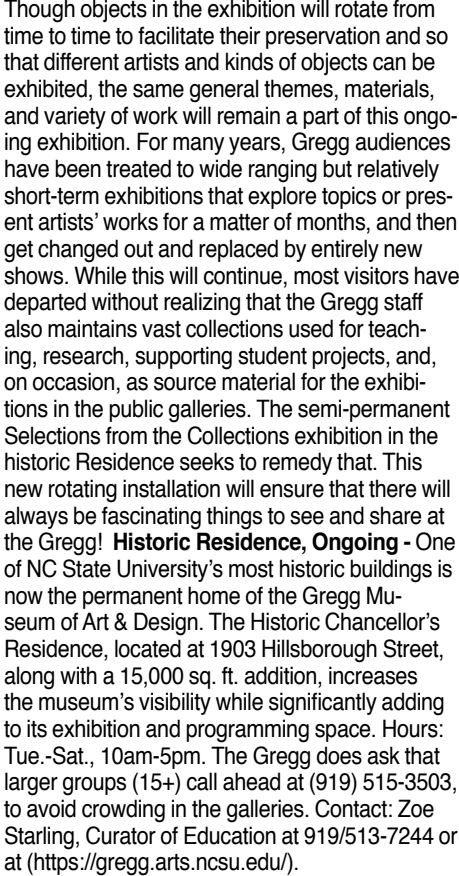
Work by Deborah Kruger

Block Gallery (inside Raleigh Municipal Building), 222 W. Hargett St., Raleigh. **Dec. 4 - Apr. 25, 2025** - "TURBULENCE: Birds, Beauty, Language & Loss." is a solo exhibition by environmental artist Deborah Kruger who is based in Durham, NC. The exhibition focuses on Deborah Kruger's current body of work, motivated by the extinction of bird species, and the loss of indigenous languages around the world. Human-induced climate change and habitat fragmentation contribute to these problems. Saturated colors characterize Kruger's work which mimics bird plumage. She hopes to raise awareness, and inspire action about these impending losses that affect all of us. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:15pm. Contact: Stacy Bloom Rexrode, Curator of Exhibitions and Collections, Raleigh Arts, call 919/996-4687 or at (<https://raleighnc.gov/arts/block-gallery>).

Diamante Arts & Cultural Center, 5104 Western Blvd., Suite B, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - The Diamante Arts & Cultural Center is a non-profit (501c3), a community grounded, arts and culture organization dedicated to the preservation, development, and promotion of the culture, heritage, and artistic expressions of the diverse Latino/Hispanic population in North Carolina. Diamante Arts and Cultural Center, the oldest Latino/Hispanic Arts and Culture organization in North Carolina, is celebrating 25 years of service. Through its programs and activities, it reaches more than 16,000 people per year. Recently, Diamante launched the Latino Artists Database, which collects information on Latino/x, and Hispanic artists in North Carolina. The information will be used to build and share opportunities for Latino artists throughout the state. Latino artists may add their information by visiting (bit.ly/Diamante-database).

Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm. Contact: 919/852-0075 or at (www.diamanteacc.org).

Gregg Museum of Art & Design, The Historic Chancellor's Residence, NC State University, located at 1903 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh. **Through Jan. 25, 2025** - "Material Messages: the Tales that Textiles Tell". For thousands of years cultures around the world have used cloth as a means of visual communication—a way to document, celebrate, commemorate, and depict events large and small. Nonverbal tools play an important role in interactions within and between cultures, as verbal communication comprises only a small part of the ways that we, as human beings, share information and connect with each other. "Material Messages" features textiles created by a diversity of global artists that highlight this communication through cloth. **Through Feb. 8, 2025** - "BABENGA - The Sacred Forest". Cameroonian artist Jean Michel Dissake's sculptural works use found and recycled materials to represent a balance between nature and technology by weaving natural objects such as wood, vines, territe dust, water hyacinths, and palm fronds together with computer boards, aluminum wire, license plates, and car parts. Informed by his cultural heritage as well as wisdom gained from living for nine years in the forest on the Mungo River, Dissake's work invokes a dialogue on ecological and spiritual matters and speaks to timely issues of unity, peace, love, and oneness with nature. BABENGA – The Sacred Forest is cocurated by Marriott Sheldon, a Raleigh artist and long-time curator of Dissake's work, and Roger Manley, former director of the Gregg, Dissake was invited to participate in this year's Venice Biennale, the world's most prestigious art expo. **Ongoing** - "Selections from the Collections". Image of a beige quilt with a skeleton riding a wolf holding an american flag. The quilt is made out of old t shirts. Drawing from the Gregg Museum's collections of over 54,000 objects, Selections from the Collections displays a sampling of the many different kinds of pieces in its holdings. Though objects in the exhibition will rotate from time to time to facilitate their preservation and so that different artists and kinds of objects can be exhibited, the same general themes, materials, and variety of work will remain a part of this ongoing exhibition. For many years, Gregg audiences have been treated to wide ranging but relatively short-term exhibitions that explore topics or present artists' works for a matter of months, and then get changed out and replaced by entirely new shows. While this will continue, most visitors have departed without realizing that the Gregg staff also maintains vast collections used for teaching, research, supporting student projects, and, on occasion, as source material for the exhibitions in the public galleries. The semi-permanent Selections from the Collections exhibition in the historic Residence seeks to remedy that. This new rotating installation will ensure that there will always be fascinating things to see and share at the Gregg! **Historic Residence, Ongoing** - One of NC State University's most historic buildings is now the permanent home of the Gregg Museum of Art & Design. The Historic Chancellor's Residence, located at 1903 Hillsborough Street, along with a 15,000 sq. ft. addition, increases the museum's visibility while significantly adding to its exhibition and programming space. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. The Gregg does ask that larger groups (15+) call ahead at (919) 515-3503, to avoid crowding in the galleries. Contact: Zoe Starling, Curator of Education at 919/513-7244 or at (<https://gregg.arts.ncsu.edu/>).



JP Jermaine Powell, "Crown II: The Law of Kindness – Spirit of Ecstasy" (Triptych), Portrait of Sanje Jones, Local Artist and Photographer, 2024, acrylic, gold leaf, metal, jewels, dried flowers, and paper on canvas, H. 60 x W. 96 x D. 2 1/4 in., Courtesy of the artist; © 2024 JP Jermaine Powell - NC Art Museum

North Carolina Museum of Art, 2110 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh. **East Building, Level B, Galleries 3, Through Mar. 9, 2025** - "JP Jermaine Powell – Leadership Reimagined: Share Your Journey." The exhibition encapsulates the journey of JP Jermaine Powell as artist in residence at the North Carolina Museum of Art. Throughout the exhibition he reflects on and pays tribute to the remarkable work of NCMA staff, critically acclaimed artists, and everyday heroes who have dedicated themselves to making the local art scene vibrant and productive. The show is a celebration of human resilience and what the artist refers to as "postpandemic leadership." It showcases how members of both the local and

global art communities discovered new ways to create, innovate, and lead during a challenging time in human history. Powell intentionally chose individuals who may not fit conventional definitions of leadership but whose stories of resilience and dedication inspire others. These people continue to grow, invest in themselves and others, share ideas, promote collaboration, and embrace adversity as a catalyst for success. He invites visitors to see themselves as part of a collective history being built by the leaders in all of us. **East Building, Level B, Meynardi Exhibition Gallery, Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "Venice and the Ottoman Empire". This ambitious cross-cultural exhibition explores the relationship between two global superpowers, the Republic of Venice and the Ottoman Empire, over four centuries (circa 1400–1800). Through a rich body of works reflecting both Venetian and Ottoman origins, "Venice and the Ottoman Empire" documents interactions between the two rival Mediterranean states across multiple cultural arenas—political, diplomatic, economic, artistic, technological, and culinary. The Venetian loans are joined by a trove of recently salvaged objects from a major Adriatic shipwreck, the large Venetian merchant ship *Capigliana Grossa* that sank while traveling from Venice to Istanbul in 1583. These spectacular items have never been exhibited outside Croatia, where the wreck is located. Featuring more than 190 works in a broad range of media, the exhibition draws from the vast collections of Venice's storied civic museums, including the Museo Correr, Palazzo Ducale, Palazzo Mocenigo, and Museo Fortuny, as well as the NCMA's own extensive holdings of Venetian art. Highlights include paintings by Jacopo del Fiore, Vittore Carpaccio, and Gentile Bellini and luxury Venetian and Ottoman goods including textiles, ceramics, metalwork objects, glassware, armor, books, and leatherware. **East Building, Level B, Gallery 1 (Julian T. Baker Jr. Gallery) and 2 (Allen G. Thomas Jr. Gallery), Through Jan. 19, 2025** - "Forever and Never: Photographs by Dan Estabrook". This exhibition features works by artist Dan Estabrook, who uses 19th-century photographic printing processes and materials to examine history and memory in contemporary images. Adopting a familiar language of the passage of time, he utilizes elements that one identifies with something old and worn - stains, spills, tears, folds, fading, discoloration - to create the appearance of age. In his words, "I want a viewer's first reaction to be one of wonder. Is this a found photograph? An old thing, lost and rediscovered?" **Ongoing** - "Break the Mold: New Takes on Traditional Art Making". The exhibit showcases contemporary artists who use traditional modes of art making and crafting to tackle timely subject matter. Innovative takes on embroidery, ceramics, quilting, furniture, interior design, and fashion accessories serve to explore diverse topics such as gender assumptions and inequalities, prison reform, racial justice, memory, and loss, as well as how objects transmit and transform social and cultural history. This show features 25 contemporary artists, including Sanford Biggers, Elizabeth Brim, Maria Britton, Julie Cockburn, Rodney McMillan, Rachel Meginnes, Katy Mixon, Gabriel de la Mora, Yasumasa Morimura, Thomas Schmidt, Shinique Smith, and Do Ho Suh, whose artworks are displayed alongside some of their historical predecessors. **Ongoing** - Featuring 10 additional sculptures by the celebrated French artist Rodin on loan from Iris Cantor's private collection.

Ongoing - "John James Audubon's The Birds of America". The state has owned this treasured volume since 1848, but it has never been exhibited. **Ongoing** - The North Carolina Museum of Art has an outstanding permanent collection of more than 5,000 objects spanning antiquity to the present day. On the occasion of the expansion, the Museum has acquired more than 100 new works of art. Representing commissions, gifts, and purchases, the new works encompass important and diverse examples of historic and contemporary art from around the world, and will be installed in the Museum's new building and the surrounding landscape. Highlights include a gift of 28 sculptures by Auguste Rodin, and work by such internationally acclaimed artists as Roxy Paine, Ursula von Rydingsvard, El Anatsui, Jaime Plensa, Jackie Ferrara, Ellsworth Kelly, and David Park, among others. Admission: Yes for some exhibits. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm; Sun., 10am-5pm; & open until 9pm on Fri. Contact: 919/839-6262 or at (www.ncartmuseum.org).

North Carolina Museum of History, 5 East Edenton Street, between Salisbury and Wilmington Streets), Raleigh. **Ongoing** - The North Carolina Museum of History is embarking on a transformative journey that will redefine how visitors experience the state's rich history. As part of this project, the physical museum building will close to the public on Oct. 7 to begin an exciting makeover that will last two to three years. The Museum Shop will remain open to the public until Dec. 29, 2024. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/807-7900 or at (<http://www.ncmuseumofhistory.org/>).

Rocky Mount



Work by Erin Day

Maria V. Howard Arts Center, Imperial Centre for the Arts and Sciences, 270 Gay Street, Rocky Mount. **Through Dec. 31** - "Beyond the Liminal Rift," is a large body of works from artist, Scott Eagle. Eagle is a professional artist as well as an associate professor and serves as Area Coordinator for the Drawing and Painting Department at the School of Art and Design at East Carolina University, Greenville, NC. **Through Dec. 31** - "Cultural Ancestry," is rich in storytelling through imagery featuring works by Eric McRay. McRay is a celebrated artist and an educator. His work is included in collections regionally, nationally, and internationally. **Through Dec. 31** - "Deeply Rooted," featuring works by Erin C. (Stewart) Day. She is originally from Rocky Mount, NC. She received her BFA in Art Education from UNC at Greensboro, NC. Her inspiration can be found in nature. **Ongoing** - The Arts Center Permanent Collection consists of 500+ works by artists primarily from North Carolina and the southeast. The collection includes key regional artists such as Frances Speight, Sarah Blakeslee, Ben Owen, Sr., Mark Hewitt, Cynthia Bringle, Billie Ruth Sudduth, Hobson Pittman and Louis Orr. Acquisitions are funded through the City of Rocky Mount and private donations. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 252/972-1163 or at (www.imperialcentre.org/arts).

Mims Art Gallery, Dunn Center for the Performing Arts, NC Wesleyan College Campus, 3400 N. Wesleyan Blvd., Rocky Mount. **Dec. 2 - Jan. 13, 2025** - "Bringing Back the JOY with Bob Ross". The new 2024 exhibition will feature 76 new and different paintings from last year on display at NCWU, these were featured on his long running PBS show "The Joy of Painting". This will be the second Bob Ross exhibit in North Carolina, and still the largest exhibition under one roof. Bob Ross art classes will be taught by Melissa Pierce, a Bob Ross Inc. certified instructor. And check out "The Joy of Painting: The Musical by Caleb Cabinets" and a talk by Jim Needham, general manager that worked with Bob from 1982 to 1992 with The Joy of Painting. Get your tickets. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: call Jan Volz, Gallery Art Curator, at 252/985-5268 or e-mail to (jvolz@ncwu.edu).

Rutherfordton

Rutherfordton County Visual Arts Center Gallery, 160 N. Main Street, at the intersection of W. Court St., Rutherfordton. **Ongoing** - Offering a changing exhibit of 2D and 3D art including oils, watercolor, scratchboard, calligraphy, fiber, wood, glass, pottery and fine craft by local artists/fine crafters. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/288-5009 or at (www.artatthevac.com).

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Salisbury/Spencer

Waterworks Visual Arts Center, 123 E. Liberty St., in the East Square Arts District, located one block East of Main Street, across from the Salisbury Police Station, Salisbury. **Through Aug. 30, 2025** - "ART for ALL: Enriching Lives with ART". Waterworks Visual Arts Center is pleased to announce a yearlong exhibition of paintings and sculpture from the personal collection of the late New York philanthropist Julian and Josie Robertson. The show will include more than 20 works by leading European modern artists, including Pierre Bonnard, André Derain, Paul Gauguin, Wassily Kandinsky, Fernand Léger, Claude Monet, Francis Picabia, Pablo Picasso, Camille Pissarro, and Paul Signac, as well as influential postwar painters Willem de Kooning and Franz Kline. Spanning over 100 years of art history, the works will provide viewers with a vivid sense of key movements, from Cubism to Abstract Expressionism. Showing concurrently will be selected photographs from the 1937 Boston's Alley Collection and a series of contemporary oil portraits by North Carolina painter, Maria Bennett Hook. **Ongoing** – At Waterworks, all exhibitions are free to see (donations gladly accepted). The galleries and Museum Store are open Monday-Friday, 10 am-4 pm. An elevator, braille signage, bench seating in all galleries, and wide hallways make the museum accessible to everyone. Visitors can experience the gated sensory garden, as well as sculpture gardens around the building. Waterworks offers three rotating exhibitions a year, K-12 Student exhibitions, and art classes for students ages 18 months to 100. Keep abreast of exhibitions, events, art classes, and new art for sale in the Museum Store. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm, (business hours M-F, 9am-5 pm). Contact: 704/636-1882 or at (www.waterworks.org).

Sanford

Oxide Gallery of Fine Art, 148 S. Moore Street. Historic Downtown Sanford. **Through Dec. 28** - Holiday Treasures." is a two month event celebrating the spirit of the season in small works. A portion of proceeds from the sale of all artwork benefits Lee County Fine Arts. We've curated a collection of beautiful artwork that will make a great gift for yourself or a loved one. Over seventy 8x8 paintings will be displayed in a grid along with a seasonal-themed collection of pottery, glass, and decorative ornaments. Gallery visitors can also participate in a holiday raffle to win a piece of original artwork. **Ongoing** - Presented by Lee County Fine Arts. Our gallery will present regular monthly exhibitions, fine art gifts, art competition shows, and access to working artists in Central North Carolina. The Gallery's NC Gift Shop features work by over a dozen local and regional artists. Guests can enjoy fabrics, mosaic, glass art, stoneware clay sculpture, decorative functional and food safe pottery, note cards and journals, and the famous Art-o-mat. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 919/278-7270 or at (oxideart.com).

Seagrove Area

Carolina Bronze Sculpture Garden, Carolina Bronze, 6108 Maple Springs Road, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - The Carolina Bronze Sculpture Garden is a natural and landscaped area overlooking a beautiful 1.25 acre pond. A walking trail loops around the pond with benches and a picnic area along the trail. The Sculpture Garden collection consists of donated and loaned sculptures from emerging and established artists working in all 3D media suitable for the outdoors. There are currently 19 sculptures installed around the pond. The landscaped and natural areas have a focus on NC native plants and trees. As an extension of this park, a sculpture is installed in the downtown area of Seagrove. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-4pm. Contact: 336/873-8291 or at (www.cbsculpturegarden.com).

North Carolina Pottery Center, 233 East Avenue, Seagrove. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 15** - "Something's Afoot". Footed pottery pieces, sometimes even having literal feet, have a rich history dating back thousands of years and have been found at archaeological sites in ancient Mesopotamia, Egypt, Greece, Rome, China, Mesoamerica, and Medieval & Renaissance Europe, as well as other places. Adding feet or stands to pottery pieces emerged over time for various reasons, including increased functionality, cultural and religious symbolism, ceremonial purposes, and enhanced aesthetics. Today, footed pottery continues to be crafted by artisans worldwide, both as functional objects and works of art. Our "Something's Afoot" show will feature footed pieces by fourteen of our state's wonderful potters! For this show, "footed" means having two or more points of contact with the ground. **Back**

Gallery, Through Dec. 15 - "Humble Components". When you break it down (not literally), pottery, the product of a craft that likely originated independently in multiple regions around the world thousands of years ago and continues to be practiced in North Carolina today, is really just composed of humble components—clay and various minerals and elements. In our "Humble Components" show, you'll see old and contemporary pieces representing various North Carolina traditions and techniques: Native American pit-fired, slip-decorated redware, salt-glazed, alkaline-glazed, wood ash-glazed, Chinese blue, crystalline, and chrome red, next to samples of the humble components from which some of those pieces were made. **Ongoing** - Featuring permanent and changing exhibits on the history of North Carolina pottery, "The North Carolina Pottery Tradition" and "Seagrove Area Pottery". The Center also offers information on activities, maps and information about the potteries located in the Seagrove area and across the state. A display of representative works from more than 90 area potteries is also offered. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact 336/873-8430 or at (www.ncpotterycenter.org).

Seagrove Area Pottery Center (Not the NC Pottery Center), 122 E. Main St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - The former museum organization was founded twenty-five years ago in Seagrove, and is dedicated to preserving and perpetuating the pottery tradition. We strive to impart to new generations the history of traditional pottery and an appreciation for its simple and elegant beauty. A display of area pottery is now offered in the old Seagrove grocery building. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-3:30pm. Contact: 336/873-7887.



Items for STARworks Holiday Market

STARworks Center for Creative Enterprise, 100 Russell Drive, just seven miles south of Seagrove in Star. STARworks is a project of Central Park NC, a 501-(c)(3) not for profit organization based in rural central North Carolina. The mission of CPNC is to grow a new rural economy based on the sustainable use of the natural and cultural resources of the region. **Dec. 7 - 23** - "Starworks Holiday Market," featuring thousands of handcrafted glass ornaments, snowmwn, trees, and more. Online shopping starts Dec. 9. **STARworks Businesses: STARworks Glass** is a public access glass studio that offers rental space for glass artists, classes and workshops for the general public, a resident artist and internship program, and high school and college glass curriculum. In addition to fundraisers like our Pumpkin Patch and Holiday Ornament Sale, STARworks Glass also holds free demonstrations on the second Thursday of each month at Hot Glass Cold Beer. **STARworks Ceramics** uses native NC wild clays to produce clay bodies that are manufactured with a filter press on site. We also sell pottery supplies and equipment. In addition to our STARworks clays, we offer both Highwater and Standard clays, and tools and equipment from Shimpo, Cone Art Kilns, Mudtools, AMACO, Kemper Tools and Orton. **STARworks Clay Studio** offers a residency program for ceramic artists. Our facilities allow for large workshop spaces placed side by side, supporting a collaborative and energetic educational environment. In addition to the residency program, STARworks Clay studio offers classes and workshops for adults. STARworks is also home to **Wet Dog Glass**, the most trusted and dependable equipment maker and consultant for glass artists and craftspeople worldwide. **Ongoing** - The gallery is filled with a selection of works from artists and artisans alike, bringing hand crafted wares into a new light. From one of a kind tableware crafted from locally mined clay paired with handwoven placemats, to simple yet elegant glass goods designed with our utilitarian ideals in mind, our functional collections are a must have for any home. Our gallery

also features a selection of sculptures that gray the lines between want and need. Whether your desire is to capture an experience with one of our artists or our team, decorate your home with memories of your travels, or to treat yourself and others to a unique handmade gift, we have something for everyone to make your time here unforgettable. Gallery Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. **STARworks Café & Taproom** - Featuring Espresso, Iced & Frozen Coffee, Coffee, Tea, Cocoa, Smoothies, Beer & Wine, Soda, Bottled Water, Snapple, Snacks, and Pastries. And, live music some nights - visit (<https://www.starworkscnc.org/cafe-taproom>) for the schedule. Hours: Mon., 9am-3pm & Tue.-Sat., 9am-9pm. STARworks General Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: Claire Sellers, Starworks Communications Coordinator by e-mail at (claire@starworkscnc.org).

Siler City

North Carolina Arts Incubator Gallery, 223 N Chatham Ave., Siler City. **Ongoing** - Featuring the handcrafted work of over 30 Incubator and regional artists in a variety of mediums including painting, pottery, stained and fused glass, fabric art, cards, photography, wood, jewelry, metal, baskets and more. There is a broad range of items and prices. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; & 3rd Fri., 10am-9pm. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at (www.ncartsincubator.org).

PAF Gallery, 223 N Chatham Ave., Siler City. **Ongoing** - A gallery featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: 3rd Fri. 6-9pm. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at (www.ncartsincubator.org).

Southport

Franklin Square Gallery, 130 E. West St., Southport. **Ongoing** - Works by members of the Associated Artists of Southport. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/457-5450 or at (www.franklinsquaregallery.com).

Spruce Pine

Spruce Pine Gallery, TRAC Arts Center, Toe River Arts Council, 269 Oak Avenue, Spruce Pine. **Kokol Gallery, Through Dec. 31** - "Artist Market." **Ongoing** - Toe River Arts will feature artist demonstrations and continue to sell artist's work in the gift shop. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/682-7215 or at (www.toeriverarts.org).

Statesville

Iredell Arts Council, 203 S. Meeting Street, Statesville, **Old Jail Galleries, Dec. 5 - 31** - "Annual Iredell Arts Council Member Art Show". A reception will be held on Dec. 5, beginning at 5:30pm. Iredell Arts Council artist members including award-winning Stained - glass artist and teacher, Michael Ziegler, and artists Chrystal Ingersoll, Becky Beasley, Amy Queen, Robin McGuire, Sha'nee Wason, Ellen Patterson, Kristie Darling and others will showcase their work. Hours: open by appt. Contact: 704/873-6100 or at (www.iredellartscouncil.org).

Louise Gilbert Art Gallery, Mitchell Community College, 420 Walnut Street, Statesville. **Ongoing** - For more than 25 years, the Louise Gilbert Art Gallery, hosted and curated by Mitchell's Department of Art, has played a vital role in the visual arts in Iredell County. The Gilbert Gallery serves as a vibrant space for students and visitors to explore ideas, techniques, forms and mediums. Our exhibits and installations feature award-winning local, national and international artists whose work includes traditional, folk, outsider and experimental styles. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: call 704/878-3271.

Tryon



Tryon Arts & Crafts School Holiday Market

Tryon Arts and Crafts School, 373 Harmon Field Rd., Harmon Field, Tryon. **Through Dec. 19** - "Handcrafted Holiday Market." **Gift Shop, Ongoing** - Gift Shop features juried works by regional artisans to selected work produced by our instructors and students. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4pm & Sat. 9am -1pm. Contact: 828/859-

8323 or at (www.tryonartsandcrafts.org).

Tryon Fine Arts Center, 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon. **JP Gallery, Through Jan. 10, 2025** - "TFAC Enduring Art Collection," featuring the work of Jeanne Parker and Phyllis Allen Eifert. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/859-8322 or at (www.tryonarts.org).



Work by Dale McEntire

Upstairs Artspace (Celebrating over 40 Years) 49 South Trade Street, Tryon. **Through Dec. 20** - "Dale McEntire: Reflections Along the Path". Saluda artist and Upstairs Artspace alum Dale McEntire will exhibit his work at Upstairs Artspace in the gallery's last show of the year titled "Reflections Along the Path". Known for his vibrantly colorful abstract landscapes done in oil and pastels, as well as sculptures of stone, steel, cast glass and wood, Dale says that the natural world and the spiritual essence of nature are the inspiration for his work. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 828-859-2828 or at (www.upstairsartspace.org).

Valdese

Valdese Heritage Arts Center, 146 Main Street West, Valdese. **Ongoing** - The center offers a great selection of unique gifts on exhibit and for sale, including, but not limited to original paintings, pottery, needlework, wood-carvings, hand crafted furniture, ceramic sculptures, stained glass, photography, jewelry, floral arrangements greeting cards, quilts and home made soap. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 828/874-1849 or at (<http://vhac.webs.com>).

Wake Forest

Renaissance Centre Arts Annex, 405 S. Brooks Street, Wake Forest. **Dec. 9 - 30** - "2024 Holiday Invitational Art Exhibit". A reception will be held on Dec. 11, from 6-8pm. The exhibition is designed to give visual artists an opportunity to display and sell their work in a gallery setting. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-noon-1-5pm. For info call April Cannon at 919/435-9568.

Washington

River Walk Gallery and Arts Center, 139 W. Main Street, Washington. **Ongoing** - All work is done by local artists and has to be juried into the gallery. The gallery includes watercolor, oil, and acrylic paintings, photography, pottery, mixed media, fiber arts, jewelry, wood work, stained glass, and books written by local authors. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 252/974-0400.

Waynesville

Little Gallery on Church Street, 37 Church Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring montly exhibits by regional arts. Sponsored by the Haywood County Arts Council. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/452-0593 or at (www.haywoodarts.org).

The Haywood County Arts Council's Gallery 86, 86 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Through Dec. 31** - "Small Works 2024". It's the most wonderful time of the year! Our annual exhibit, "Small Works" remains a community favorite! This exhibit features work that is 12 x 12 inches or smaller and ornaments to encourage giving the gift of creative spirit. Hours: call. Contact: 828/452-0593 or at (www.haywoodarts.org).

The Museum of North Carolina Handicrafts, 307 Shelton Street, corner of US 276 So. and Shelton Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the handicrafts of North Carolina in the historic Sheldon House. Hours: Museum hours change seasonally, call 828/452-1551.

Wentworth

Dan River Art Market & Gallery, 1122 NC Hwy. 65, Wentworth. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers art and craft by local artists and 6 gallery exhibits throughout the year, workshops and lectures. Hours: Thur., 10am-4pm; Fri., 11am-2pm; and by appt. Contact: 336/349-4039.

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West Jefferson

Ashe Arts Center, 303 School Ave., West Jefferson. **Through Dec. 31** - "Tree Fest and Christmas Miniatures" Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: the Ashe County Arts Council at 336/846-2787 or visit (www.ashecountyarts.org).

Wilmington



View of the Senior Exhibition

Cultural Arts Building, ground floor, corner of Randall Parkway and Reynolds Drive, UNC-Wilmington, Wilmington. **CAB Art Gallery, Through Dec. 13** - "Fall 2024 Senior Exhibition". Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-4pm. Contact: 910/962-3031 or e-mail to (cabartgallery@uncw.edu).



Elizabeth Catlett (African and Mexican, 1915–2012), I Have Given The World My Songs. Linocut on paper. Collection of Cameron Art Museum

Louise Wells Cameron Art Museum, @ intersection of Independence Blvd. & South 17th Street, Wilmington. **Through Mar. 23, 2025** - "Close to Home," is a celebration of CAM's collection featuring works by artists with a connection to our state, our region, our home. Join us as we explore images of people and places that evoke the varied spirit of our community. Beloved familiar works are joined by hidden treasures in a showcase of artistic voices; a collective search for the meaning of home. Features work by Josef Albers, Romare Bearden, Mary Cassatt, Diego Camposeco, Elisabeth Chant, Minnie Evans, Maud Gatewood, Claude Howell, Hiroshi Sueyoshi, and others. Close to Home opens with a gala celebration on Nov. 16, from 6-11pm. For ticket info visit (<https://52374.blackbaudhosting.com/52374/Gala---2024---CLOSE-TO-HOME>). **Through Feb. 16, 2025** - "Thomas Sayre: Four Walls". A reception will be held on Apr. 26, from 6-9pm. An artist talk will be held on Apr. 27, from 11am-noon. The exhibit features new and never exhibited works by American artist Thomas Sayre. Each of the four large-scale pieces in the installation questions the belief systems and symbols that underpin the ideals of church, nation and creation. Made of materials that include tar, smoke, fabric gowns, gunshots, welding material, earth and fire, these works invite visitors to draw close and experience the messiness of making, and by analogy, to bear witness to the ways that life invades, entangles, and tarnishes us. **Ongoing** - Cameron Art Museum presents the only sculpture park in the country created to honor the United States Colored Troops and their fight for freedom. The opening of PNC USCT Park marks the one-year anniversary of the unveiling of Boundless, the public sculpture by artist Stephen Hayes that commemorates the United States Colored Troops and the Battle of Forks Road. This park creates a gathering space for the more than 60,000 visitors from across the country who come to CAM each year and the 8,000 school children who visit the museum on field trips. PNC USCT Park will become a community space for gathering, field trips, classes, workshops, storytelling, live music and USCT living history events for years to come, in which the sculpture Boundless will be the centerpiece. **Pancoe Art Education Center, Exhibition Cases, Ongoing** - View some of the Seagrove and contemporary pottery from

the museum's permanent collection in the cases. These include the works of resident artist Hiroshi Sueyoshi, Ben Owen III and Juggtown Pottery among other works. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 10am-5pm and Thur. till 9pm. Contact: 910/395-5999 or at (www.cameronart-museum.org).

MC Erry Gallery, WHQR Public Radio, 254 N. Front Street, Suite 300, Wilmington. **Through Dec. 27** - "Abstract Connections," featuring works by MMary Donahoe and Rebecca Humphrey. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/343-1640 or e-mail to (whqr@whqr.org).

Wilma W. Daniels Gallery, Cape Fear Community College, 200 Hanover Street, first floor of the Hanover Parking Deck, Wilmington. **Through Jan. 10, 2025** - "2024 Faculty Exhibition". Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-5pm. Contact: call 910/362-7252 or at (<http://cfcc.edu/blogs/wilmagallery/>).

WAA Gallery Citrine, 17 S 2nd Street, Wilmington. **Through Dec. 31** - "Fall 2024 Exhibit," featuring works by over 30 Wilmington Art Association artists. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by BJ Grimmer, PD Chisholm, Kathy Schrum Peck, Nancy Lang Miller, Brooke Eagle, Deb Williams, Meroe Wheatley, Sue Cunningham, Chris Plund, Donna Launey, and Robin Jones. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: e-mail to (gallerycitrine@gmail.com) or at (<https://gallerycitrine.com/>).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Wilmington **Airleie Gardens**, 300 Airleie Road, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Located two miles west of Wrightsville Beach in Wilmington, North Carolina, Airleie Gardens encompasses 67 acres of walking paths, a freshwater lake, and formal gardens that showcase seasonal blooms, mighty live oaks, historic structures, and contemporary sculpture. Airleie is a member of the North Carolina Birding Trail, and it's diverse ecosystems provide unique habitats for a variety of colorful wildlife. Discover what makes Airleie Gardens a premiere garden of the South and a prime destination spot for garden and nature lovers from around the world. Come discover the beauty. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 9am-5pm Contact: 910/798-7700 or at (www.airleiegardens.org).

Burgwin-Wright House & Gardens, Visitor Center, 224 Market St. Wilmington. **Through Jan. 18** - "Nature Abstracted: The Art of Erika Pifer". Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/762-0507.

Historic Thalian Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 310 Chestnut Street, Wilmington. **Second Floor Gallery, Through Dec. 31** - "Works by Hand," featuring over 20 hand-carved linoleum prints by Janette Hopper. Contact: call the Box Office at 910/632-2285 or at (<https://www.thalianhall.org/Dorothy>).

New Hanover County's Government Center, second floor, 230 Government Center Drive, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - "Home in the Cape Fear: Selected Works from Cameron Art Museum, Wilmington, NC," a traveling exhibition which highlights works in Cameron Art Museum's collection and explores how artists have been inspired by their communities and the places they call home. This exhibition includes colorful abstracts, traditional representation etchings, coastal landscapes, still life artwork, public and personal portraits of people in our region, and more. It features the work of Michael Cunningham, Donald Furst, Claude Howell, Hobson Pittman, Robert Postma, Richard Stenhouse, Caroline Von Glahn, Virginia Wright-Frierson, and others. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 910/798-7311 or at (<https://www.nhcgov.com/Facilities/Facility/Details/Government-Center-83>).

Wilson

Barton College, Case Art Building, Whitehead Ave. NE, on the southeast corner of the Barton College Campus, near the intersection of Whitehead and Gold Streets, Wilson. **Barton Art Galleries, Dec. 5 - 12** - "Juried Student Exhibition" and "Fall 2024 Senior Exhibition". A reception will be held on Dec. 5, from 5-7pm, with a Gallery Talk at 6pm. **Ongoing** - The galleries operate on a schedule, which coincides with the Barton academic year. Generally the galleries are open from mid-August to mid-May and are occasionally open for receptions and events during the summer months. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-4pm; Fri., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: contact Maureen O'Neill, director of exhibitions, at 252/399-6477 or e-mail to (artgalleries@barton.edu).

The American Center for Photographers, at Whirligig Station, 230 Goldsboro Street S, in downtown Wilson. **Ongoing** - The ACP will pres-

ent monthly photography exhibitions showcasing work from within the USA and beyond. Coupled with the exhibition programming will be education workshops, forums and other photocentric events that will grow public awareness of photographic image makers and generate networks between photographers throughout the world. Hours: Wed., Fri., & Sat., 11am-5pm; Thur., 11am-7:30pm and Sun., 11am-3pm. Contact: 708/271-3042 or visit (www.eyesonmainstreetwilson.com).

Trust Events Gallery, Wilson Arts Center, 204 Nash Street S, Wilson. **Ongoing** - We feature a variety of work from local and regionally known artists at the Wilson Arts Center, rotating work approximately every two months. All gallery exhibits and artist receptions are free and open to the public! Visit our Gallery Shop at the Wilson Arts Center, featuring a variety of handmade and one-of-a-kind treasures from local and regional artists! There are two free parking lots behind the Wilson Arts Center: The Colony Lot (Lot #12) with entrance off Barnes Street and Lot #17 with an entrance off Douglas Street. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/291-4329 or at (wilsonarts.com).

Vollis Simpson Whirligig Park, 301 S. Goldsboro Street in downtown Wilson. **Ongoing** - The two-acre park features 30 of Vollis Simpson's whirligigs - including some of the largest in his life's work. Visitors will never be at a loss for something to do at the park. A central lawn amphitheater where everything from music to film engages audiences. The park shelter hosts the Wilson Farmers & Artisan Market, educational programs, and family fun activities. Benches, tables and chairs invite picnicking, reading, or just enjoying art and nature. Practice Tai chi, have a picnic or a family reunion, play flashlight tag among the reflective whirligigs the possibilities are endless! There is free public parking on Goldsboro Street just a little past the Whirligig Park and there is additional parking along Douglas Street. The Whirligig Festival is usually held the first weekend in November in Historic Downtown Wilson. Admission: Free. Hours: open daily, including holidays, from 5am to midnight. Contact: 252/360-4150 or at (wilsonwhirligigpark.org).

Vollis Simpson Whirligig Park Museum & Gift Shop, 230 Goldsboro Street SW, Suite 201, Wilson. **Ongoing** - The Vollis Simpson Whirligig Park Museum & Gift Shop is directly across Goldsboro Street from the Whirligig Park. Descriptive panels and a video presentation tell the story of Vollis Simpson, the creator of the massive, colorful kinetic sculptures that spin in the slightest breeze and delight visitors of all ages. Highlights include two original whirligigs, one of which offers a photo opportunity showing the reflective properties of the 'gig. The gift shop includes art, wearables, toys, and souvenirs in the Whirligig Park and Historic Downtown Wilson." Admission: Free. Hours: Tue. - Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/674-1352.

Winston-Salem



Work by Betty Pettinati-Longinetti

Artworks Gallery, 564 N. Trade Street, Winston-Salem. **Dec. 1 - Jan. 25** - "Annual Winter Group Exhibition," featuring works by the gallery artists. The DADA Gallery Hop will be held on Dec. 6, 7-9pm, and an Art Crush will be held on Dec. 20, 7-9pm. Artworks Gallery presents an all-members exhibition celebrating the cozy months of winter. These works will ignite the holiday spirit and inspire the serene ambiance perfect for the winter months. Creating opportunities with ArtShac include: Holiday Card-Making on Dec. 6, from 11:30am - 1:30pm and Vision Collage Boards on Jan. 4, 1 - 3pm. **Ongoing** - The gallery is the longest running cooperative gallery established by artists for artist members, showing 12 exhibits per year in the heart of Winston-Salem's Art District. Approx. 21 artists show their work in mediums such as painting, watercolor, drawing, photography, sculpture, encaustic wax, and digital art. The gallery features the work of Marion Adams, Wiley Akers, Woodie Anderson, Mary Beth

Blackwell-Chapman, Owens Daniels, Chris Flory, Jim Gemma, Don Green, Alex Hitchcock, Karen Moran Kopf, Lea Lackey-Zachmann, Nanu LaRosee, Barbara Rizza Mellin, Seth Moskowitz, Wendell Myers, Katherine Mahler, Diane Nations, Betti Pettinati-Longinetti, Susan Smoot, Jessica Tefft, Kimberly Varnadoe, and Mona Wu, as well as Associate Members: Kate Magruder and Beverly Noyes. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun. 1-4pm or by appt. Contact: 336/723-5890 or at (www.artworks-gallery.org).

Associated Artists, The Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts, 251 North Spruce Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - AAWS is located in the Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts centered in the heart of downtown Winston-Salem and features a variety of exhibits each year. Our primary gallery is the Womble Carlyle Gallery which boasts approximately 1800 square feet of flexible exhibition space so our artists can exhibit anything they create; from small intimate paintings to large installation works we have the space to show it. All new members are Associate Members and may participate in Associate Member shows. All-Member shows, and our extensive Community Exhibits program that gets our artists work into businesses all around Winston-Salem. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm and Sat., 9am-4pm. Contact: 336/747-1463 or at (www.AssociatedArtists.org).

Delta Arts Center, 2611 New Walkertown Rd., Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - Delta Fine Arts, Inc. was established in 1972 as an independent, non-profit by the W-S graduate chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, a national organization of African American college women founded in 1913 whose principal purposes and aims are to engage in cultural, educational and public service activities. Since its beginning, Delta Fine Arts has provided unique cultural and educational programming through a year-round program of exhibitions, classes, workshops, lectures, films, performances, and special projects for youth, adults, and the elderly in the areas of visual arts, music, literature, history and folk arts. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-3pm, closed every 3rd Sat. Contact: 336/722-2625 or at (<http://deltaartscenter.org>).

4th Dimension Gallery, Commerce Plaza, 411 W. Fourth St., downstairs from Cat's Corner, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by art students from Winston-Salem's colleges and universities - the NC School of the Arts, Salem College, Wake Forest University and Winston-Salem State University. Hours: Fri., 5-8pm & Sat., 5-8pm. Contact: 336/249-0418.

North Carolina Museum of Art, Winston-Salem (former SECCA), 750 Marguerite Drive, Winston-Salem. **Main Gallery, Through Dec. 29** - "Tyler Mitchell: Domestic Imaginaries," featuring pastoral photographs and sculptures which connect Black life with nature and joy. In his most ambitious exhibition to date, Tyler Mitchell (born 1995, Atlanta) displays photographs innovatively printed on textiles in an immersive, laundry line installation alongside newly created "altar" sculptures. Strung from a zig-zagging clothesline, Threads of Memory is Mitchell's latest iteration of the iconic form, consisting of over 40 unique textile prints. **Potter Gallery, Through Dec. 29** - Featuring dual exhibitions: "Tell Me if the Lovers Are Losers," featuring p aintings by John Brooks and "THERE," featuring textile-based works by Jordan Nassar Enliven Potter Gallery. The exhibitions are organized by the North Carolina Museum of Art and curated by Jared Ledesma, curator of 20th-Century Art and Contemporary Art. A dual opening reception with the artists will be held on Oct. 17 from 6-8pm. "These exhibitions celebrate two dynamic artists, John Brooks and Jordan Nassar, who bridge the gap between tradition and contemporary experience," said curator Jared Ledesma. "John Brooks' first museum show marks a pivotal moment in his career, exploring queer identity and community. Jordan Nassar, with 10 new works alongside a monumental piece, presents an elegant synthesis of Palestinian craft, culture, and concept that speaks to the present moment. Together, their work reshapes artistic traditions to create something entirely their own. Devoting the Pottery Gallery to these two exhibitions is exciting, each highlighting the unique vision of these phenomenal artists." **Ongoing** - Founded in 1956, the Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art offers a front-row seat to the art of our time. Through visual art exhibitions, education, music, film, dance and theater, SECCA starts conversations that engage diverse communities and perspectives. SECCA is an affiliate of the North Carolina Museum of Art and a division of the NC Department of Natural & Cultural Resources. SECCA receives operational funding from The Arts Council of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County. Additional funding is provided by the James G. Hanes Memorial Fund. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm, Thur. till 8pm; Sun., 1-5 pm, and closed Mon. & state holidays . Admission is free. Contact: 336/725-1904 or at (www.secca.org).

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Piedmont Craftsmen Gallery, 601 North Trade Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art crafts by over 350 of the best artisans of the Southeast. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/725-1516 or at (www.piedmontcraftsmen.org).

Red Dog Gallery/Art for Arts Sake (AFAS), 630 N. Liberty Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - We initiate and/or support a wide variety of special events and programs - all free to the public - that are designed to further the creation and enjoyment of art at the local level. In addition, through student scholarships and artist mentoring, we encourage the development of new and emerging artists throughout the community. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-6pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/723-4444 or at (www.theafasgroup.com).



Oscar Bluemner (1867-1938) "Moonshine Fantasy"

Reynolda House Museum of American Art, Reynolda Road, Winston-Salem. **Mary and Charlie Babcock Wing Gallery, Through Dec. 5** - "Founder's Vision: The Private Collection of Barbara Babcock Millhouse". The exhibition features works of art from the personal collection of the founder of Reynolda House Museum of American Art. Audiences will have a unique opportunity to view more than 50 objects reflecting the best of American modernism from artists including Romare Bearden, Alex Katz, Edward Hopper, Joseph Cornell, Georgia O'Keeffe and John Singer Sargent among 40 other artists from the late 19th and 20th centuries—all under one roof. "The 'Founder's Vision' exhibition traces the entire arc of modernism in America," said Phil Archer, the Betsy Main Babcock Deputy Director at Reynolda and the exhibition's curator. **Master Bedroom Gallery, Through Dec. 31** - "Still I Rise: The Black Experience at Reynolda," into a daybreak that's wondrously clear / I rise."

Maya Angelou's poem "Still I Rise," published in 1978, was an assertion of dignity and resilience in the face of oppression. In the 1980s, Angelou used Reynolda as her stage, sharing words of humanity, survival, and triumph. But before her, numerous Black lives impacted and intersected with the story of Reynolda. "Still I Rise: The Black Experience at Reynolda" examines the lives of the Black women and men who helped shape Reynolda as it evolved from a Jim Crow era working estate into a museum for American art. **East Bedroom Sleeping Porch, Ongoing** - Featuring a condensed version of the fall 2023 exhibition "Smith & Libby: Two Rings, Seven Months, One Bullet". This semi-permanent exhibition presents a fascinating look at an unsolved shooting that rocked the Reynolda estate and made national headlines in 1932. Like most family homes, Reynolda House witnessed its share of tragedies, none more shocking than the death by gunshot of Zachary Smith ("Smith") Reynolds, youngest child of R.J. and Katharine Smith Reynolds. Soon after midnight on July 6, 1932, Smith was shot on

a sleeping porch at the family's country estate. Smith died later that morning. Smith's wife Libby Holman and Smith's childhood friend and secretary Albert "Ab" Walker were ultimately charged with first-degree murder. In a stunning reversal, the case was dropped before coming to trial. To this day, it is not known whether Smith Reynolds, 20-year-old heir and renowned aviator, died by suicide, accident or murder. **Ongoing** - Collection of 18th through 20th century art, sculpture, American art, and pottery. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9:30am-4:30pm & Sun., 1:30-4:30pm. Contact: 336/725-5325 or at (<https://reynolda.org/>).



View from a previous Holiday Market at the Sawtooth School for Visual Arts

Sawtooth School For Visual Arts, Milton Rhodes Center For The Arts, 251 N. Spruce St., Winston-Salem. **Through Feb. 1, 2025** - "2024's Juried Exhibition". Within the Juried Exhibition, you will find original, high-quality works by various regional artists, many of whom are Sawtooth students and instructors. Our Spotlight exhibition inspires pride and support for the talented, dedicated, cross-disciplinary Piedmont Triad community of artists. Most of the works will be available for purchase throughout the show. The exhibition is free and open to the public. **Dec. 7, from 11am-4pm** - "2024 Holiday Market". Our Holiday Market transforms the Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts, filling the halls, studios, theater, and galleries with artist vendors, hands-on activities, craft demonstrations, food trucks, and fun for the whole family! Artists from across the region will offer a variety of handcrafted items, including ceramics, jewelry, textiles, painting, photography, and woodworking, making it easy to find something for everyone on your list. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/723-7395 or e-mail at (www.sawtooth.org).

SEED Collective Gallery, 205 W. Sixth Street, entrance is on "Soho Alley", Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by a cooperative group of artists in various mediums. Hours: Sat. from 11am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 336/722-2345.

Unleashed Arts Center, 630 North Liberty Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - The Center is a special initiative by The AFAS Group to foster an appreciation of art and to encourage the development of emerging artists. The center provides a venue for art shows, seminars, artist demonstrations and includes working artists studios. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-6pm and Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/413-6667 or at (www.theafasgroup.com).

Yadkinville

Yadkin Cultural Arts Center, 226 E. Main Street, Yadkinville. **Welborn Gallery and Red Wall Gallery, Through Dec. 20** - "ArtMe: Yadkin Arts Council Artist Member Showcase", featuring a variety of mediums by the Yadkin Arts Council Artist Member group. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-4:30pm. Contact: 336/679-2941 or at (<https://www.yadkinarts.org/>).

Virtual Exhibits

Artsville Collective in the Asheville, NC, area proudly presents the Virtual Gallery of Artists (VGA) program, an initiative designed to help elevate the careers of local artists. VGA offers artists a unique opportunity to gain global exposure, valuable marketing skills, and an array of promotional resources. The VGA program invites individual artists to apply for three months of marketing exposure through print, digital, and podcast platforms. Artsville provides guidance

on building relationships with the press and art buyers, empowering artists by coming alongside them and forming connections. Notably, Artsville does not take any commissions on art sales, ensuring artists keep their full earnings. For further information about Artsville programs and opportunities, contact Meredith McBride by e-mail at (mccoy.louise@artsvilleusa.com), call 828/216-8050 or visit (<https://www.artsvilleusa.com/>).

Waxing Phoenix Virtual Gallery, featuring works by Robyn Albeke. Check it out at (waxing-phoenixgallery.com).

Aberdeen

Artistic Impressions, 103 North Poplar Street, Aberdeen. **Ongoing** - Featuring custom stained glass, glass etching, repairs, restoration and church windows, plus a full supply for the hobbyist. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 910/944-1930.

Seagrove Pottery of the Sandhills, 1680 NC Highway 5, less than 2 miles from the Village of Pinehurst in the Food Lion/Bowling Alley Plaza, Aberdeen. **Ongoing** - Featuring only NC potters and primarily those of Seagrove, NC. We typically have over 1000 pieces from 25 pottery artist's on display. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/420-8056 or at (www.pinehurstpottery.com).

Apex

Cocoon Gallery, 221 N. Salem Street, #100, Apex. **Ongoing** - Opening in April 2017, owner Cynthia Mollenkopf has created a gallery of locally imagined & locally crafted, high quality, functional artwork featuring 70+ North Carolina artisans. Mediums included Ceramics, Wood, Jewelry, Glass, Textiles, Metal, & Books. Throughout the year, there are opportunities to meet artists & authors, see demonstrations, take classes, and experience other in house & community events. Hours: Mon.-Wed., 11am-6pm; Thur. & Fri., 11am-7pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/267-4321 or at (cocoongallerync.com).

Asheville

Downtown Asheville, Dec. 6, 5-8pm - "Downtown Art Walks," presented by the 25 members of the Asheville Downtown Gallery Association. Pick up a Downtown Gallery Guide with a map to help you along the way at any downtown gallery, the Chamber of Commerce, or Pack Place. Contact: 828/258-0710, ext. 108 or at (www.asheville-downtowngalleries.org).

River Arts District, Asheville. Ongoing - The River Arts District is minutes from Downtown Asheville and The Biltmore Estate. After a period of recovery from Hurricane Helene, which will take longer for some than others. But don't count these folks out and don't forget about them. Some are back to normal - they're open for business. Many still have websites where you can help by buying their work or making donations. For further info visit (www.riverarts-district.com).

Aesthetic Gallery, 6 College St., across from Pritchard Park, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Offering a variety of international works, including terracotta ceramics from Viet Nam and stone sculpture from Zimbabwe. In addition, there is an assortment of intricately detailed hand-crafted pictorial textiles from Australia and Lesotho, many of which depict local Asheville scenes. Also available are Australian Aboriginal oil paintings, Bruni Sablan oil paintings from the "Jazz Masters Series," and ceramic tiles from the Southwest (US). Hours: Tue-Sat, noon-6pm. Contact: 828/301-0391 or at (www.aestheticgallery.com).



Works by Carl Block
American Folk Art & Antiques, 64 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring antique folk art, functional and contemporary folk pottery, furniture and paintings. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/281-2134 or at (www.amerifolk.com).

Appalachian Craft Center, 10 North Spruce St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Folk pottery, face jugs, traditional crafts, and other collectables. Hours:

Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/253-8499 or at (www.appalachiancraftcenter.com).

Ariel Gallery, 19 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Presenting the best in clay, fiber, paper, books, jewelry, metal, sculpture, furniture and glass by members of the Ariel Contemporary Craft Cooperative. A gallery owned and operated by artists. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri. & Sat., 10am-7pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/236-2660 or at (www.arielcraftgallery.com).

Art Garden AVL, Riverview Station, 191 Lyman Street, #316 + #320, River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Art Garden is an art gallery & plant shop, but really, it is an ever-evolving container for the imagination to run wild; created to be a fertile ground for wonder, creativity, growth & joy; crafted as a platform to gather & uplift. Art Garden is home to the creations of over 50 Asheville area artists, and is operated by a core of studio artists who you will find welcoming you in each day and whose working studios you are welcome to explore! Hours: daily from 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/505-7553 or at (<https://www.artgardenavl.com/>).

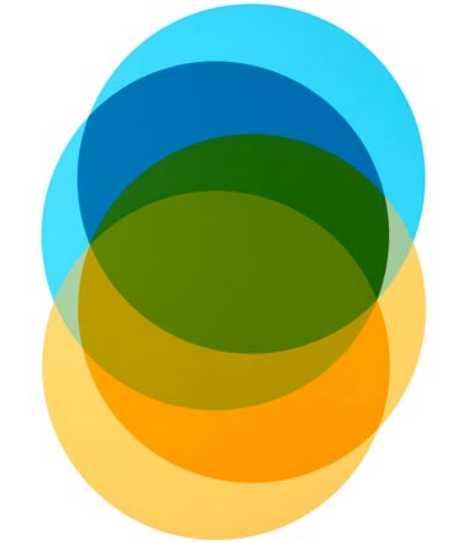
ArtEture Gallery, 89 Patton Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring compelling contemporary art, by talented artists, for discerning collectors. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri.-Sat., 10am-7pm; & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/252-1466 or at (<http://artetudegallery.sqsp.com/>).

ArtPlay Studio & Gallery, 372 Depot Street, #44, River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - ArtPlay has now become a beautiful full gallery space featuring women artists, each contributing their own unique works of art and creative gifts to who we are. We've evolved into a regular place for community members to gather, share creative experiences through our classes and dive into their own learning, creative expressions and risk-taking. A space where people take leaps of faith to put their own art in our Community Exhibitions for the first time, and emerging young artists do the same. Hours: Mon., 11am-5pm; Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm; & Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/267-4321 or at (artplay-studio.com).

ARTSVILLE Collective, at Marquee, 36 Foundry in the RAD, Asheville. **Ongoing** - ARTSVILLE Collective falls under the umbrella of Sand Hill Artists Collective (SHAC) in partnership with Crewest Studio/LA. They show, tell and talk about creativity at this new gallery and gathering space at Marquee in the RAD. SHAC's bi-weekly blog news and stories, a new podcast series on art in Asheville, art discussions and events are available by signing up at (sandhillartists.com). Hours: Thur.-Tue., 10am-5pm. Contact: (sandhillartists.com).

Bellagio, 5 Biltmore Plaza, Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring exquisitely handcrafted jewelry and clothing. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/277-8100 or at (www.bellagioarttowear.com).

Bella Vista Art Gallery, 14 Lodge St., Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional and national artists in a variety of mediums. Offering contemporary oil paintings, blown glass, pottery, black & white photography, stoneware sculptures, and jewelry. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/768-0246 or at (www.BellaVistaArt.com).



Work by Angela Johal
Bender Gallery, 29 Biltmore Avenue., Asheville. **Dec. 1 - 22** - "California Minimalism: Transformative Paintings by Angela Johal. Bender Gallery is pleased to present a solo exhibition of paintings delving into themes of time and light by widely exhibited and prolific artist, Angela Johal. Her work is inspired by growing up in the San Francisco Bay Area in the 1960s and 70s and the California Minimalism Movement of the same period. Johal's exhibition opens on December 1 and runs through December 22, 2024. Johal is a savvy disciple of the hard-edge geometric painters of the 1960s,

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with her new series of works continuing the work done by the California Minimalists, also known as the Light and Space Movement. The series "Music of the Spheres" and "Portals" are stripped down from her previous work, entering into the territory of Minimalism. **Ongoing** - The region's largest and most diverse studio glass gallery on two sun-filled levels features artists from around the country as well as around the world. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/505-8341 or at (www.bendergallery.com).

BlackBird Frame & Art, 365 Merrimon Avenue, just 3/4 mile north of downtown, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Currently, about 25 painters, photographers and crafters show their work at BlackBird. We also offer expert custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/252-6036 or at (www.BlackBirdFrame.com).

Blue Ridge Frame & Gallery, 545 Merrimon Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artist Linda Cheek, Ann Vasilik, Carol Bomer, Kelly Wilkinson, and many more. Plus a large selection of prints, posters, and quality custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/253-3559.



Work by Duy Huynh - Blue Spiral 1

Blue Spiral 1, 38 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Main Level Gallery, Extended Through Dec. 31** - "Common Thread," celebrates a selection of twenty artists whose practices are united by a singular material: fiber. While many of the artists employ traditional textile techniques such as weaving, quilting, and embroidery, others explore the potential of fiber through basketry and sculpture. Participating artists include: Eleanor Anderson, Natalie Baxter, Anna Buckner, Kate Burke, Clay Burnette, Claire Drennan, Casey Engel, Kimberly English, Helen Geglio, Kay Healy, Bryant Holsenbeck, Asa Jackson, Julian Jamaal Jones, Paula Kovarik, Connie Lippert, Stephanie Santana, Lars Shimabukuro, Britny Wainwright, and Lowell Zelenka. **Lower Level Gallery, Extended Through Dec. 31** - "Portraits". Portraiture has been a fundamental genre in art history, functioning as a reflective lens through which the values, identities, and emotional landscapes of societies are examined. Participating artists include: Sasha Baskin, Tamie Beldue, Melissa English Campbell, Stephanie Cobb, Joshua Donkor, Kevin Foote, Cyrus Glance, Kathleen Hall, Althea Murphy-Price, Rafael Rodriguez, Tokie Rome-Taylor, Luis Sahagun, Amy Scherer, Jon Sours, David Samuel Stern, and Marisa Stratton. **Showcase Gallery, Extended Through Dec. 31** - "Andréa Keys Connell and Duy Huynh". Ceramist Andrea Keys Connell and painter Duy Huynh both engage with the concept of narrative to explore the ways in which stories and meanings can resonate collectively. Andrea Keys Connell considers the language of monuments and figurines as a formal framework to serve as a means of exploring narratives such as motherhood, myth, romance, and joy. Whereas, Duy Huynh, who navigates the complexities of language as a non-native English speaker, is intrigued by the ambiguities inherent in words and phrases, to which he visually integrates symbols, metaphors, and puns in his work. **Small Format Gallery, Extended Through Dec. 31** - "Vicki Essig: Quietude". Essig's silk weavings are characterized by a quiet, methodical approach that reflects both her observational practices and her intimate engagement with nature. Based in Penland, NC, Essig's creative practice involves a collection of natural materials, such as mulberry branches, dried pods, and flower petals, which she integrates into her weavings. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of mediums by regional, national and international artists. Hours: Sun.-Tue., 11am-5pm & Wed.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 828/251-0202 or at (www.bluespiral1.com).

Castell Photography, 2C Wilson Alley off Eagle St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - The gallery is owned by internationally recognized artist Brie Castell, is a unique photographic Salon &

Gallery dedicated solely to photo based media. The gallery features the work of Brie Castell, and also hosts several rotating exhibitions each year of other talented photographers. Hours: Wed.-Fri., noon-6pm, Sat., noon-7pm or by appt. Contact: 828.255.1188 or at (www.castell-photography.com).

Chatsworth Art and Antiques, 54 N. Lexington Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Specializing in 19th and early 20th century oils, watercolors and prints. Also jewelry, silver, china, small furniture and fine accessories. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828.252.6004.

Cindy Walton Fine Art @ Pink Dog Creative, 348 Depot Street, in the River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Cindy Walton. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 11am-5pm or by chance. Contact: visit (www.cindywalton.com).

Citron Gallery, 60 Biltmore Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works from a variety of artists collected locally, nationally and internationally. Citron Gallery is a studio and gallery experience. View authentic works of art with the opportunity to meet the artists. Citron Gallery is a collaboration between Rand and Melinda Kramer and Frances Domingues. Each is a successful artist and all have been part of the vibrant art community for many years in Asheville. We look forward to your visit. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm and Mon. by appt. Contact: 828/785-4131 or at (<https://www.citrongallery.com/>).

Cold River Gallery, 32-A Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Welcome to the artistic expression of messages found in ancient wisdom, philosophies and our Earth's gifts, presented as the fine art of Karen Pierre. Working studio, jewelry, pottery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/350-0955.

CURVE studios & garden, 3, 6, 9 & 12 Riverside Dr., River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Working studios of Constance Williams, Sutherland Handweaving, Patty Torno, Maria Troya, Kyle Carpenter, Akira Satake, Cynthia Wynn, Fran Welch, Jenny Mastin, Cassie Ryalls & more. Hours: 11am-4pm daily. Contact: 828/388-3526 or at (www.CURVEstudiosNC.com).

Desert Moon Designs Studios & Gallery, 372 Depot Street, Suite 44, River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a progressive contemporary gallery that includes working studios. The focus of the gallery is to showcase both emerging/established local and visiting regional artists. Several times a year special exhibitions are scheduled to introduce new talent or to bring focus to a certain art medium. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/575-2227 or at (<http://www.desertmoondesigns-studios.com>).

FW Gallery at Woolworth Walk, 25 Haywood St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Woolworth Walk is a uniquely Asheville experience; a privately and locally owned gallery in the heart of downtown, located in a historic building and representing local artists exclusively, it is without a doubt "Worth the Walk". Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-7pm; Sat., 10am-7pm; & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-9234 or at (www.woolworthwalk.com).



Work by Stephen Quinn

Gallery COR, 19 Biltmore Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Leslie Rowland, Frances Domingues, Meryl Lefkovich, and Stephen Quinn. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 760/855-8663.

Gallery Mélange, 67 Biltmore Avenue, downtown Asheville. **Ongoing** - Gallery Mélange, founded in 2024 by artists Mark Bettis, Jeffrey

Burroughs and Victoria Pinney is an artist-owned space committed to showcasing the beauty and diversity of contemporary art. The gallery's name Mélange reflects its mission to create a harmonious mixture of artistic styles, mediums and perspectives. Located in downtown Asheville, Gallery Mélange is a dynamic addition to the thriving arts scene of the city. Hours: Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-5pm; Fri. & Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: Tanya McGee at 828/782-1110 or at (gallerymelange.com).

Gallery Minerva Fine Art, 8 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring painting, sculpture, photography, ceramics and glass by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri. & Sat., 11am-8pm; & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/255-8850 or at (www.galleryminerva.com).

Gallery of the Mountains, Inside The Omni Grove Park Inn, 290 Macon Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Showcasing American handmade crafts by more than 100 artists and craftspeople from the Southern Appalachian region. Wed.-Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-2068.



Work by Bill Apelian

Groewood Gallery, adjacent to The Omni Grove Park Inn, 111 Groewood Road, Asheville. **Dec. 6 & 7, from 11am-5pm** - "Holiday Sip & Shop at Groewood Gallery". This holiday season, give the gift of handmade! Groewood Gallery in Asheville will host their "Holiday Sip & Shop". During this annual event, customers can pick up unique gallery items at a 10% discount (excludes wind sculptures), watch live demonstrations by local artists, and indulge in delightful beverages provided by Metro Wines on Charlotte St. **Through Dec. 31** - "Into the Wild: Tina Curry Solo Exhibition". Groewood Gallery welcomes you to embark on a captivating journey "Into the Wild." You'll get to experience a spectacular showcase of animal sculptures by Tina Curry, an accomplished ceramic and bronze sculptor based in Knoxville, Tennessee. Curry began working with clay over 30 years ago. Her sculptures are hand-built, and each has its own distinctive personality and characteristics. Tina's signature finishes result from utilizing alternative firing techniques with natural elements. **Through Dec. 31** - "6th Annual Vessels of Merriment Exhibition". Groewood Gallery will feature handcrafted drinking vessels by 17 potters from across the country. Featured artists include: Evelyn Ward, Gillian Parke, Helen Purdum, Julie Livingston, Ken Sedberry, Lawful Studios, Lisa Clark, Mangum Pottery, Nicole Hsieh, Reiko Miyagi, Rebecca Zweibel, Rebekah Strickland, Roman Kyle Peterson, Ruth Hesse, Silver Run Ceramics, Tangled Studios, and Taylor Rubenalt. **Ongoing** - Established in 1992, Groewood Gallery is nationally recognized for its dedication to fine American-made art and craft. Located in historic Groewood Village, this site once housed the weaving and woodworking operations of Biltmore Industries, an Arts and Crafts enterprise that played a significant role in the Appalachian Craft Revival during the early 20th century. Today, Groewood Gallery offers two expansive floors of finely crafted furniture, ceramics, jewelry and more, contributed by over 400 artists and craftspeople from across the United States. Hours: Mon. - Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun. 11am to 5pm. Contact: 828/253-7651 or at (www.groewood.com).

Ignite Jewelry Studios, second story of Riverview Station, 191 Lyman St, #262, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Ignite Jewelry Studios, a project co-founded by local jewelers Jessica Hall, owner of Bluebird Designs, and Nora McMullen, owner of Nora Julia. Ignite Jewelry Studios has a fully-stocked shared space for experienced jewelers to use the equipment, create together and grow their skills. Weekly jewelry workshops are taught covering a variety of jewelry techniques for all skill levels. Gallery Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11-4pm. Contact: 828/552-4805 or at

(www.ignitejewelrystudios.com).

Jaime Byrd Contemporary Art, 375 Depot Street, (former Magnetic Theater) Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the works of Jaime Byrd. Hours: N/A. Contact: Adam Cohen, Gallery Manager by e-mail at (art@jaimebyrd.com), call 323/418-2326 or visit (www.jaimebyrd.com).

Jewels That Dance: Jewelry Design, 63 Haywood St., next door to the Library, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-crafted jewelry by some of America's foremost jewelry artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-6pm. Contact: 828/254-5088 or at (www.jewelsthathdance.com).

Jonas Gerard Fine Art, 240 Clingman Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by nationally known artist Jonas Gerard (1941-2020). The 5,000 square foot studio / gallery is filled with years of passion and dedication. He used bold, passionate, sweeping gestures of saturated color that form unexpected images of poetic stature. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 10am-6pm & by appt. Contact: 828/350-7711 or at (www.jonasgerard.com).

K2 Studio, 59 College Street, inside The Kress Building, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a unique collection of fine furniture by local artists and pieces from around the world, home accessories and changing fine art exhibitions. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri. & Sat., 11am-7pm; and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/250-0500 or at (www.k2furniture.com).

Kress Emporium, 19 Patton Ave., Patton & Lexington Aves., downtown Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by over 100 artists and craftsmen. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 828/281-2252 or at (www.thekressemporium.com).

Mark Bettis Downtown Gallery, 15 Broadway Street, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Mark Bettis, Deb Williams, Asher Zev Holman, Nabil El Jauhari, David Sheldon, GrantPenny, Cason Rankin, Samantha Edmiston, Balsam Abo Zour, and Tess Darling. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: Mark Bettis at 941/587-9502 or e-mail to (markdbettis@gmail.com).

Mark Bettis Studio & Gallery, 123 Roberts Street, in the Wedge Studios Building, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Mark Bettis, Deb Williams, Asher Zev Holman, Nabil El Jauhari, David Sheldon, GrantPenny, Cason Rankin, Samantha Edmiston, Balsam Abo Zour, and Tess Darling. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: Mark Bettis at 941/587-9502 or e-mail to (markdbettis@gmail.com).



Work by Amber Cowan - Momentum Gallery

Momentum Gallery, 24 N. Lexington Ave., Asheville. **Through Feb. 1, 2025** - Featuring a solo exhibition of works by Amber Cowan. Cowan is a contemporary glass sculptor whose practice is based on the use of recycled, up-cycled, and second-life American pressed glass. Through processes of frameworking, hot-sculpting, and glassblowing, she creates wall-mounted and freestanding tableaus, rich with texture & ornamentation. Her recent diorama-style pieces tell stories of self-discovery, escapism, and the power of the feminine by utilizing figurines and animals found in collected antique glass pieces. **Through Feb. 1, 2025** - "Small Work | Big Impact," is the gallery's annual group exhibition which delivers a curated collection of paintings and mixed media works, original prints, and sculptural objects in carved brick, reed, and repurposed materials, etc. Professional experience and visual expression are concentrated in new, intimately scaled pieces by gallery standouts and special guests. **Ongoing** - located in downtown Asheville, offers a contemporary and modern program with an emphasis on emerging and mid-career artists. Occupying approximately 4000 square feet in an easily accessible, street-level space, the gallery's mission is to provide compelling, museum-quality art to our clients. Curated exhibitions featuring exceptional paintings, original prints, and innovative sculpture refresh regularly in the main spaces and smaller adjoining galleries. Momentum Gallery also participates in major art fairs exhibiting work by

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represented artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/505-8550 or at (momentumgallery.com).

Montford Arts Center, 235 Montford Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by over twenty-five area artists. Watch artists at work. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11:30am-6pm & Sat., 11:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/777-1014.

Mountain Made, Grove Arcade Public Market, 1 Page Ave., Suite 123, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the work of over a 150 WNC artisans, in both contemporary and traditional mountain handicrafts. This one-of-a-kind, gallery and gift shop caters to those shoppers who wish to take a "piece of the mountains" home with them. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/350-0307 or at (www.mtnmade.com).

Mudhunter Pottery, 66 Broadway St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a rustic gallery shop showcasing functional and sculptural work from over 20 local potters. Our artists' diverse styles add affordable prices set them apart. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-5:30pm & Fri. & Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 828/225-5869.

New Morning Gallery, 7 Boston Way, Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art and crafts by some of America's finest artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri. & Sat., 10am-7pm. Contact: 828/274-2831 or at (www.newmoringgallerync.com).



View outside Northlight Studios

Northlight Studios, 357 Depot Street, in the RAD, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Northlight Studios is the working studios of Angela Alexander, Nadine Charlsen, Heidi Hoffer, Nan Davis, and also featuring works by the late Wendy Whitson. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 11am-4pm and Sun., noon-3pm. Contact: 917/656-1313 or at (www.northlightstudiosasheville.com).

On The Wing Gallery, 20 Artful Way, #105, (20 Park Ave.), Asheville. **Ongoing** - Asheville's newest contemporary art galleries specializing in entomological art. A space that explores the imagination and beauty of butterflies, wing-inspired jewelry, and other artworks inspired by nature. Hours: Thur.-Mon., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/702-4639 or at (onthewingavl.com).

Overström Studio, 35 Wall St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - This architecturally significant gallery exclusively represents work by internationally-recognized designer Michael Overström, who with his wife Susan, present their original, handcrafted jewelry designs that embrace the designer's Scandinavian heritage and define Asheville's elegant style. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-8pm. Contact: 828/258-1761 or at (www.overstrom.com).

Pink Dog Creative Gallery, 348 Depot Street, in the River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Randy Shull and Hedy Fischer have created a colorful sensation on Depot Street in Asheville's River Arts District. The former textile manufacturing and warehouse building has been transformed into an exciting mix of artist studios and retail spaces. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 11am-5pm or by chance. Contact: 828/776-3034 or at (www.pinkdog-creative.com).

Pura Vida, 39-B Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a space for the senses, offering the finest in artwork appealing to all five senses. Hours: daily noon-10pm. Contact: 828/271-6997 or at (www.pura-vida-asheville.com).

Revolve Gallery, 821 Riverside Dr #179, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Revolve is a contemporary art space that functions as part gallery, part studio, part performance and gathering space. Hours: daily 11am-7pm. Contact: 240/298-9575 or at (revolveavl.org).

16 Patton Fine Art Gallery, 16 Patton Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by William McCullough, Deborah Squier, John MacKah, Greg Osterhaus, Jerry La Point, Richard Oversmith, Scott Lowery, Dawn Rentz, Laura Young, Margaret Dyer, Suzy Schultz and Stuart Roper. Studio glass by Herman Leonhardt. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/236-2889.

Sky + Ground Contemporary Art, Riverview Station, #256, 191 Lyman Street, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Peter Roux, Deanna Chilian, Christopher Peterson, Colleen Lineberry, and Karen Philipp. Hours: call ahead for hours. Contact: 617/947-4869 or at (http://skygroundart.net).

Studio B Custom Framing & Fine Art, Reynolds Village (near the Woodfin YMCA) 61 N. Merrimon Ave., Suite 109, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Browse our new gallery featuring works by national and international artists, including paintings, prints & posters, jewelry, ceramics, wood and textiles. Also offering custom framing. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/225-5200 or at (www.galleryatstudiob.com).



Work by Reiko Miyagi

Studio Tabula Rasa, River Arts District, 191 Lyman Street, Suite #160 (ground floor) Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in pottery, encaustics, and jewelry by Reiko Miyagi. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon-5pm, closed Tue. Contact: at (reiko-miyagi.squarespace.com).

Sutherland Handweaving Studio, 122 Riverside Dr., inside Cotton Mill Studios in River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - This handweaving studio, gallery and learning center features fine, one-of-a-kind and limited edition handwoven fashion accessories and household textiles, including scarves, shawls, garments, handbags, towels, table linens, blankets and wall art. Sutherland also offers a series of classes and workshops for beginning weavers, weavers needing a refresher course or experienced weavers. A monthly Sutherland Weavers' Study Group brings area weavers together to discuss design challenges, share successes and work through problems in a casual, small group format. Hours: Tue.-Sat., from 10am-4pm. Contact: Barb Butler, 828/513-1814, or Karen Donde, 854/261-4324, or at (www.sutherlandhandweaving.com).

New Location
310 ART Gallery, 15 Spivey Lake Drive, Fairview. **Now** - Amidst all the turmoil and tragedy, the artists of 310 ART are moving ahead in a forward and positive way. WE ARE ARTISTS, its what we do. I dont want to send more photos of destruction of our beloved studio. The good news is we have acquired a beautiful new space to teach and learn! It is so beautiful Im worried about getting paint on the floors! its a good problem to have! We are all thankfult to Nan Cole Shaw of has offered us space. **Ongoing** - Featuring original, contemporary fine art by 21 regional artists. Hours: Sat., 11am-4pm or by appt., e-mail to (gallery@310art.com) to make an appt. Contact: 828-776-2716 or at (http://www.310art.com/main/).

352 Depot St. Fine Art Studio, 352 Depot Street, Suite 110, next to The Junction Restaurant, River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Working artists studio of Richard C. Nelson, Jeff Pittman, Karen Weihs and Constance Viahoulis. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/329-2918 or at (http://www.riverartsdistrict.com/352-depot-street-studio.html).

362 Depot Studios, 362 Depot Street, River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - featuring 10 artist's studios. Hours: hours change day to day. Contact: 828/552-4723.

The Haen Gallery, 52 Biltmore Ave., a few steps south of the movie theatre, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Committed to providing access to

stunning and unique artwork for discerning collectors and our community in general. Our offerings will reflect the character and sensibilities of this wonderful region. Including works by Lynn Boggess, GC Myers, Jerry Bowman, Alvena McCormick, Volkmar Wentzel, and MM Pipkin. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/254-8577 or at (www.thehaengallery.com).

The Satellite Gallery, 55 Broadway, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by the next wave of innovative and creative artists that are rising from the underground of contemporary street and pop culture. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/505-2225 or at (www.the-satellitegallery.com/).

The Updraft Fine Art Gallery, 84 Walnut Street, directly across from Zambra and right around the corner from Malaprops, Asheville. **Ongoing** - The gallery is owned and operated by four local artists including: Andrew Montrie, Matt Christie, Minne Kane and William Hunter. It is run by artists for artists and features exhibitionary glass blowing and pottery throwing. Additional works of art offered are functional fine woodwork, jewelry, encaustic, mixed media and oil painting, photography, metal and leather work. All exclusively from local area artists. Hours: Sun., Mon.-Thur., 11am-7pm and Fri.-Sat., 11am-9pm. Contact: 828-582-2112.

Trackside Studios, 375 Depot Street, River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Our new spaces on the main and mezzanine levels feature 9 working studios, numerous display areas, and a dedicated classroom. We're growing from 40 artists to almost 60 and are excited to share their creativity with you. Hours: Open 7 days a week from 11am to 4pm & by appt. Contact: 828/545-2904 or at (www.tracksidestudios375.com).

Tracey Morgan Gallery, 188 Coxe Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Contemporary art gallery specializing in museum quality photography, works on paper, sculpture, painting and video by emerging and established artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/505-7667 or at (www.traceymorgangallery.com).

22 London, 22 London Road, Asheville. **Ongoing** - a 10,000 square foot artist-driven studio/warehouse/exhibition space. Hours: by appt only. Contact: Randy Shull, at 828/216-1337, or e-mail at (randy.shull@gmail.com) or Hedy Fischer at 828/216-1331.

Tyger Tyger Gallery, 191 Lyman Street, Suite #144, River Arts District at Riverview Station, Asheville. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a woman-owned and led art gallery committed to exhibiting emerging and established regional, national, and international artists, with an emphasis on those who have been traditionally marginalized in the art world. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/350-7711 or at (www.tyger tygergallery.com).



Work by Carol Long

In Tandem Gallery, 20 North Mitchell Ave., Bakersville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a gallery in downtown Bakersville to attract, display, and promote artists from coast to coast, offering one of the best selections of ceramic, jewelry and art from all over America and beyond. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm, or by appt. Contact: 828/688-6428 or at (www.intandemgallery.com).

Mica - Fine Contemporary Craft, 37 N. Mitchell Avenue, Bakersville. **Ongoing** - Our cooperative gallery currently has nineteen members who are from the Bakersville, Penland, Burnsville and Weaverville areas including: Robbie Bell, Valerie Berlage, Pam Brewer, Sondra Dorn, Daniel Essig, Vicki Essig, Nathan Favors, Nita Forde, Fyreglas Studio, Carmen Grier, Lisa Joerling, Katherine McCarty, Jean McLaughlin, Stacey Lane, Teresa Pietsch, David Ross, Jenny Lou Sherburne, Getrude Graham Smith, and Tria Turrou. Visit any day and you're likely to meet

one or two of the Mica artists. Hours: Mon.-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://michaeklinepottery.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).



View inside the Art Celler Gallery

Art Celler Gallery, 920 Shawneehaw Ave., Hwy 184, Banner Elk. **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.artcelleronline.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, figurative, non-objective abstracts, cityscapes and animals abound at Carlton Gallery by artists Andrew Braitman, Connie Winters, Egidio Antonaccio, Kate Worm, Vae Hamilton, Laura Hughes, Lisa Boardwine, Debbie Arnold, Kevin Beck, Warren Dennis, Amy Sullivan. Freeman Beard, Helen Farson, Dottie Leatherwood, Linda Apriletti, Mary Dobbin, Sharon Rusch Shaver, Holly Glasscock, Gina Strumpf, Trena McNabb and Toni Carlton. New to the gallery, Mary-Ann Prack, Marty Allran and Ralph Mello add 3 dimensional clay works and longstanding glass artists, John Littleton and Kate Vogel along with Greg Fidler, John Almaguer, David Wilson and Loretta Forde have exceptional glass works. Winter Hours: Wed.-Sat., 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 space of artist Heather Sink. 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.handscapesgallery.com/).

The Artery Hideaway, 129 Middle Lane, (in the alley behind Clawson's Restaurant) Beaufort. **Ongoing** - The Artery Hideaway features over

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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.

Garrow 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.

Mountain Nest Gallery, 133 Cherry Street, Black Mountain. **Ongoing** - We are a gallery of regional art and craft located in Black Mountain, featuring over 100 artists who live and work in the area. Our collection includes: original oil, acrylic, and watercolor paintings; fine art prints on both paper and canvas; handmade jewelry in silver, gold, and other fine metals; blown glass vessels and jewelry; beautiful and functional pottery; and even more work in other mediums such as wooden bowls, bark baskets, corn shuck dolls, and steel metal sculptures. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-0314 or at (https://myrnnest.com/).



A view outside Seven Sisters Craft Gallery

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, Jenene 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 (http://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 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. (Next to Food Lion), Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Blowing Rock Frameworks and Gallery is celebrating their 23rd year in the business of custom framing and fine art sales. They represent some of the High Country's most prolific and profound artists, displaying an array of subject matter from landscapes to historical paintings. A few artist's on display at the gallery include best seller, Lita Gatlin, Jason Drake, watercolorist Wes Waugh, Robin Wellner, folk artist Willi, and even oils from the famous Elliott Daingerfield. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 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 earthtone 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 Sagg's terra cotta sculptures. Also, multiple etchings, water-clocks, 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).

Boone

Doe Ridge Pottery Gallery, 585 West King Street, Suite D, Boone. **Ongoing** - Owned and operated by Master Potter, Bob Meier, specializing in high quality Home Décor as well as beautiful functional ware. The gallery is home to a fine collection of local artists, each bringing their own unique voice and perspective to their pottery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/264-1127 or at (http://doeridgepottery.homestead.com/).

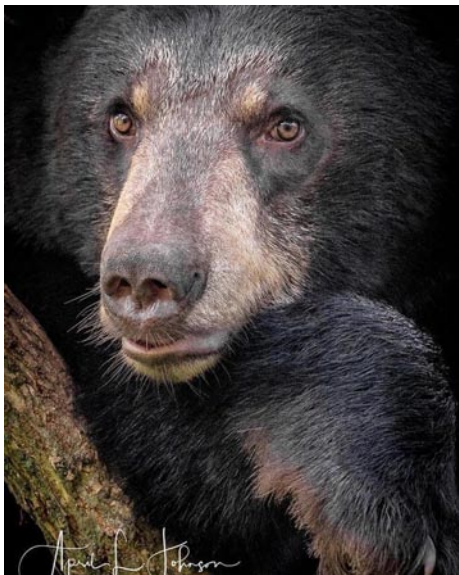
Miters Touch Woodworking, 6858 Hwy. 105 S., Foscoe, near Hound Ears. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine furniture by Denise Grohs and Miters Touch, pottery by Eric Reichard, art quilts by Linda Smith, stained glass by Dianne Radford, and wood turnings by Todd Davidson. Also cabinetwork and kitchen design services 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, Dec. 27, 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: 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).

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).



Work by April Johnson - Blue Moon Gallery

Blue Moon Gallery, 24 E. Main Street, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Blue Moon Gallery specializes in photography and offers paintings and three-dimensional art and jewelry. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun., noon-4pm or by appt. Contact: 828/290-5492 or at (https://www.bluemoongalleryandframe.com/).

Brevard Clay, 84 E. Main Street, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Paint Your Own Pottery, Studio, Parties & Events, and Gallery, featuring works by WNC potters. Hours: daily 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/884-2529 or at brevardclay.com.

Hollingsworth Gallery, 147 E. Main Street, between Main Street Ltd. and Quotations Coffee Cafe, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Showcasing local and emerging artists. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 828/884-4974.

Local Color, 36 S. Broad Street, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Local Color in downtown Brevard takes its name seriously. In the colorful and diverse shop, visitors can find work from more than 120 artists, more than 100 of which come from within a 60-mile radius. Paul Hawkins has created a store with a strong sense of community. When looking for work to purchase, Paul looks for quality of workmanship, individuality, and a "funky" aesthetic. Visitors to Local Color will experience its offering before going through the door, as work flows out on the sidewalk.

Offerings include pottery, fiber, woodwork, sculpture, painting, Lichtenberg, soaps, scents, metalwork, and much more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm, and Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/384-0684.

Mountain Forest Pottery, 2395 Greenville Hwy., Brevard. **Ongoing** - Offering functional and whimsical pottery made on site by artist Mary Murray. "Handmade comes to life" in the homey gallery, offering the work of many regional artists – handmade teddy bears, jewelry, quilts, folk art, sculpture, drawings, and paintings. Recipes accompany many pottery pieces that are designed for baking apples, pies, and other dishes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-7pm. Contact: 828/885-2149 or at (www.scenic226.com).

Mud Dabber's Pottery and Crafts, 3623 Greenville Hwy., Brevard. **Ongoing** - Featuring the work of six family members including: John O., Sybil, John E., Carol and Brandon (Brad), and Becky Dodson and friends Phillip Johnson, Carolyn Becker, Susan Peterson, and Matthew Nevenschwander, Elizabeth Galloway, Jonlyn Parker, Charlie Parker, Mary Ey, and Sue Jones. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/884-5131 or at (www.muddabbers.com).

Newfound Artisan, 22 W. Jordan Street, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Newfound Artisan is a shop for people who love handcrafted goods. The things that you pick up and you know instantly. They feel better. They're made by a person who put their heart and soul into its creation. These are the things that make you want to know more about the process, how they're made, and who made them. That's why we're here. To help you connect with handcrafted goods made by real artisans. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-6pm and Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 828/384-3190 or at newfoundartisan.com.

Red Wolf Gallery, 8 E. Main St., Brevard. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art by over twenty regional artists in a historic downtown building. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm and by appt. Contact: 828/862-8620.

The Color Wheel Gallery, 4 W. Main Street, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by owner Erin Jones and other guest artists. Hours: Tue., 10am-7pm; Wed. & Thur., 10am-5pm; Fri., 10am-6pm; & Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/399-9504 or e-mail to (Studioualson@gmail.com).

The Haen Gallery, 200 King Street, Brevard Lumberyard Arts District, Brevard. **Ongoing** - Committed to providing access to stunning and unique artwork for discerning collectors and our community in general. Our offerings will reflect the character and sensibilities of this wonderful region. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/883-3268 or at (www.haengallery.com).



Work by Maureen Chapman - Lucy Clark Gallery

The Lucy Clark Gallery & Studio, 51 West Main Street in downtown Brevard. **Ongoing** - An active working arts studio, featuring works by Lucy Clark, as well as talented artists from the local area as well as the Eastern Seaboard. We hope that while shopping online with us, you will feel a pull toward the mountains of Western North Carolina and visit our sweet town and our lovely gallery to envelop all that the gallery has to offer. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm &

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Frost of Jacksonville, NC, and Marilyn Pounds of Ocean Isle Beach, photographer Marko Angelo of Calabash, NC, and now introducing the pottery of Tristan Mardall, Carolina Shores, NC. Hours Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/575-0024 or at (www.jewelrybyWendy.com).

Phthalo Blue Gallery, 7199 Beach Drive, Ocean Isle Beach. **Ongoing** - The gallery is an artist owned, art gallery featuring local and national artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 910/209-6025 or at (http://www.phthalobluegallery.com).

Sea Gallery, 6885 Beach Dr., SW Route 199, Ocean Isle Beach. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art by local, regional and nationally acclaimed artists. Tasteful and inviting original oils, Gicleés on canvas, watercolors, and charcoals are presented in our 7,000 square-foot gallery. Sculpture and pottery are also offered. Artists we exhibit are: Phyllis Arnold, Ken Buckner, Terry Buckner, Karen Edgar, Gary Halberstadt, V. Ryan Lazon, Nancy Hughes Miller, Miller Pope, Tom Woodrudge, and Mary M. Wright. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/575-8222.

Sunset River Gallery, 10283 Beach Drive SW, Calabash. **Ongoing** - Sunset River Gallery is a gallery where art lovers and investors at almost every level can find extraordinary art. The gallery serves the regional community in the Carolinas by representing exceptional local artists and also carries original work by internationally renowned artists. Its location in Calabash, North Carolina gives the gallery an advantage over many in major metropolitan areas. The large 10,000 square foot gallery offers the very low overhead of a gallery-owned facility in a cost-efficient location. Online reach has made this possible. It allows Sunset River to provide excellent works from the 20th Century Modern and Contemporary categories at better pricing than high-overhead galleries. New owner Larry Johnson from Bethesda, MD, has bought and sold art through major and middle-market auctions around the world for two decades. He has been an amateur painter and sculptor for years, achieving a minor in fine art from Purdue University. The gallery has added a new 20th Century Art installation, featuring rare and valuable fine and modern art, primarily impressionist and abstract. FrameCenter hours are Wed. - Fri., noon- 5pm and by appt. Call Lou Aliotta directly at 910/368-7351. Gallery Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 910/575-5999 or at (sunsetrivergallery.com).

Ferns and Fancy Gallery, Fine Arts and Crafts, 15 Woodside Trail, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring tapestry, marbled panels, woven wearables, and marbled scarves by Trudy Thomson. Hours: by appt. Contact: 919/923-5022 or at (www.fernsandfancy.com).

N.C. Crafts Gallery, 212 W. Main St., corner of Weaver and West Main Sts., Carboro. **Ongoing** - Offering a wide assortment of items handcrafted by North Carolina artisans. You'll find contemporary and traditional pottery, blown glass, wood, jewelry, metalwork, toys, folk art, garden sculpture, kaleidoscopes, baskets, fiber art and more. The Gallery currently carries the work of more than 500 North Carolinians, from the mountains to the shore. The gallery also hosts two shows a month. Shows begin the first of each month and give the featured artist the opportunity to showcase an entire body of work. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 919/942-4048 or at (http://mccraftsgallery.com/).

Studio 91 Fine Art Gallery, Meadowmont Village, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Jean Abadie, Thomas Arvid, Dimitri Danish, Michael Flohr, Edward Lewis, and Fabian Perez. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-8pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/933-3700.

Silver Coast Winery, 6680 Barbeque Rd., Ocean Isle Beach. **Ongoing** - Art gallery featuring local artists, David McCune, Steven Schuman, and Suzanne C. Hunady, as well as daily tours, tastings and the art of wine making. Hours Mon.-Sat., 11-6pm & Sun. 12-5pm. Contact: 910/287-2800 or at (www.silvercoastwinery.com).

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SouthEnd Gallery Crawl - From 5-6pm on the 1st Friday of each month.

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The Nature of Art Gallery, 106-D Colonades Way, Waverly Place Shopping Center, Cary. **Ongoing** - Featuring whimsical and eclectic artworks for interiors and gardens with a native flair. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm, except Wed. till 9pm. Contact: 919/859-6004.

Village Art Circle Studio & Gallery, 200 South Academy Street, Cary. **Ongoing** - Our gallery is located in Ashworth Village in historic downtown Cary, behind Ashworth Drug in the plaza, corner of Academy and Chatham Streets. We feature a wide variety of oil, watercolor and acrylic paintings by our award-winning studio artists as well as jewelry, glass and pottery. Studio artists are often working on current art projects during gallery hours. Come by and talk with the artists! Classes and workshops by gallery director, JJ Jlang, are frequently offered as well. Parking is available in the plaza in front of the gallery as well as on Chatham and Academy Streets. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: e-mail to (villageartcircle@gmail.com) or at (www.villageartcircle.com).

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Animation and Fine Art Galleries, University Mall, 201 S Estes Dr., Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary works of art and

animation art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/968-8008 or at (www.animationandfineart.com).

Black Mountain Gallery, 1800 #9 E. Franklin Street, Eastgate Shopping Center, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring handwrought designer jewelry by artisans from throughout the United States. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/967-8101.

Blackwood Station Gallery, 6113 Hwy. 86N., Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional & fine art, sculpture and fine art prints. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-7pm; Sat., 10am-6pm, & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/968-1360.

Chapellier Fine Art, 105 Arlen Park Drive, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Fine, investment quality 19th & 20th century American art. Hours: Mon. - Fri. by appointment. Contact: 919/967-9960 or at (www.citysearch.com/rdu/chapellier/).

Dirt Road Gallery, 8218 Bright's Way, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring handcrafted items - including paintings, carvings, molas, textiles & fabrics, ceramics, beads and jewelry from West Africa, the Middle East, Central America, and the US collected over years of traveling. Hours: Sat. & Sun., 11am-6pm & by appt. Contact: 919/933-6999 or at (www.dirtroadgallery.net).

Awaken Gallery, 107 W Central Ave., Mount Holly. **Ongoing** - Our mission is to be there; to use these talents for the greater good. To show that we have been going in a circular pattern throughout history. It's time to learn from the past to create a better future. We need to get off that wheel we are running on in order to move forward. You don't need to speak a certain language or come from a particular place. This work speaks to all. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 980/277-8527 or at (www.awakengallery.com).

Carolina Fine Art, 300 S. Sharon Amity Road, Cotswold Village, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring a local artist-operated gallery selling original paintings, pottery and more. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/635-0226 or at (carolinafineart.com).

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Coffey and Thompson Gallery, 109 W. Morehead @ S. Tryon St., Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Oils by Richard Plasschaert, etchings by Gordon Allen, prints by Ralph McDonald, Bev Doolittle, G. Harvey, Mort Kunstler, Don Troiani and Charles Frace. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/375-7232 or at (www.coffeyandthompson.com).

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Elder Gallery of Contemporary Art, 1520 South Tryon Street, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - We are thrilled to be the first gallery in North Carolina to offer fine glass art by nationally recognized artists Jon Kuhn, David Patchen and Marlene Rose. The gallery is also excited to introduce new contemporary two-dimensional artists, including Charles Williams and Grant Drumheller. Hours: by appointment only by decree of the mecklenburg County Building Development Commission. Contact: 704/370-6337 or at (www.eldergalleryct.com).

Foster's Frame & Art Gallery, 403-A Old Statesville Rd. N, Huntersville. **Ongoing** - Featuring original paintings by local artists: Nellie Ashford - folk art, Edna Barker - landscape, Andrea Cook - Abstract/Fabric, Evelyn Kadir, Abstract/Musical, Carolyn Saine, landscape. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm, Sat. 10am-4pm. Contact: 704-948-1750.

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H. Neilson. The gallery is an outgrowth of Neilson's ever-growing popularity sparked by her Angels Series paintings and book. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Sat., 11am-3pm & by appt. Contact: 704/496-9181 or at (anneneilsonfineart.com).

Art House Studios, 3103 Cullman Ave., off 36th Street in the NoDa District, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring a complex of working studios by area artists. Hours: during Gallery Crawls and by appt. Contact: 704/577-4587 or e-mail at (arthouse_noda@earthlink.net).

Artists' Atelier Carolina, located in the Pentec Artworks Gallery & Studios bldg., 1346 Hill Rd., Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Jim Fales, Fay M. Miller, Jack Pentec, Betty G. Robinson, Gregory Weston, and Peggy Hutson Weston. Hours: by appt. Contact: 704/552-6200.

Hot Glass Alley, LLC., 438 Atando Avenue, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Hot Glass Alley is a hot glass, art business, owned by artist, Jacob "Jake" M. Pfeifer. Pfeifer is a young, aspiring, American artist; among the next generation of craftsmen working with their hands; carrying forward glass making traditions that are thousands of years old. We offer a variety of glass vessels, small sculptures, functional pieces, seasonal gifts, and art glass objects in several unique series and forms; as well as one-of-a-kinds & corporate gifts. Hot Glass Alley offers a broad color palette and price range. They also offer "Make Your Own", "Date Night Make Your Own", and "Open Demonstration Night". Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 980/209-9284 or at (www.hotglassalley.com).

House of Africa Gallery, 1215 Thomas Avenue, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring the area's largest selection of African art, including: masks, statues, carved artwork, handmade jewelry, paintings, plus traditional African musical instruments. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-8pm. Contact: 704/376-6160.

Hughes Gallery, 2015 Ayrslay Town Blvd. @ N Kings Parade, Ste. 107-c, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a modern art gallery with a focus on sculpture, installation, works on paper, photography and painting. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 704/492-9934 or at (www.hughesgallery.artgotosites.com).

Maddi's Gallery, 1530 East Boulevard, Charlotte. Named "Top Retailer of American Craft in the United States for 2009" by The "Niche Magazine". **Ongoing** - Featuring fine contemporary craft by more than 160 national artists; specializing in Southern folk art with paintings, pottery and carvings by many of the South's most notable folk artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-7pm; Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 704/332-0007.

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Works from Dilworth Artisan Station

KF Studios Handmade Marketplace, 202 S. Main Street, Davidson. **Ongoing** - Kristen Feighery is a self taught modern folk artist who's work takes heavy influence from her humble roots growing up in Southeastern Appalachian Kentucky. She is the owner of KF Studios Handmade Marketplace, where she represents a wide variety of local and regional artists. She is also the creator of The Downtown Davidson Arts Festival where she loves to introduce the community to new talent. She believes art can be anything handmade and

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Harris Holt Gallery, 1717 Kenilworth Avenue, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring watercolors, oil paintings and limited edition prints by Harris Holt. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 704/373-9090 or at (www.fostersframeandartgallery.com).

Hodges Taylor Contemporary Gallery + Consulting Firm, 1414 S. Tryon Street (RailYard Building) in South End, Ste. 130, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Celebrating our 40th Anniversary, the gallery represents contemporary artists of the south-east, including paintings, prints, photographs and sculpture. The gallery offers a public venue in uptown Charlotte for viewing artwork and serves as art consultants for collectors and businesses. Hours: Tue.-Sat., by appt. only. Contact: 704/608-2016 or at (www.hodgestaylor.com).

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Work by Martha Worthy

Lark & Key, online only, Charlotte. **Dec. 1 - Jan. 31** - "Kindred Spirits". The exhibit explores the interests and harmonious bonds between people, place and things (alive or inanimate). The exhibit features artwork from Janet Eskridge, Kim Ferreira, Duy Huynh, Ninalee Irani, Bridgette Guerzon Mills, Hannah Seng and Martha Worthy. **Ongoing** - Lark & Key offers a variety of artwork - online - pottery, jewelry from local and national artist. Contact: (https://larkandkey.com/).

LEXICON Gallery, 904 Pecan Ave., near Villani's and Cheat's Cheesesteak Parlor, on Pecan Ave., where Plaza Millwood, Chantilly and Elizabeth come together, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Lexicon Gallery represents contemporary artists with collaborative spirit, with a focus on established visual artists (painters, sculptors, textiles, and mixed media artists), as well as several world-renowned fashion designers. We serve the art-curious, the art addict, and the art aficionado. Nurturing artistic success is our mission; igniting a passion for collecting art is our calling. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-5pm; Fri., 10am-6pm; & Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 704/649-5060 or at (lexicon-galleryct.com).

Pura Vida Worldly Art, 3202-B N. Davidson, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Freaturing worldly art - folk art, jewelry, paintings, spiritual art and home accents. Including artworks by local artists: Brenda Civiletto, Marisela Moncada, Tim McMahon, Lita Gustavo, Lita Gatlin, Anne Harkness, Janine Medlin, P. Basille Nikitchenko, Ada Offerdahl, Sean Parnell, Ann B. Rhodes, Sheryl Stalnaker, Tres Taylor, Diane Virkler, Andres Vivo, Dru Warmath & Rod Wimer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/333-4535 or at (www.providence-gallery.net).

Queen's Gallery & Art Center, 1212 The Plaza, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Rebecca Briley, Warren Burgess, Laura Buxton, Bob Crum, James Daniel, Drew Gatlin, Meredith Green, Tony Griffin, Vicki Kaseorg, Danny Malboeuf, Cathy Melesh, and Mark Spangenberg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/372-2993 or at (www.thequeensgallery.com).

Shain Gallery, Selwyn Corners, 2823 Selwyn Ave., Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Specializing in original art paintings by Carolina, National and European artists, including works by Perry Austin, Henry Barnes, Roger Dale Brown, Jim Chapman, Veronica Clark, Terry DeLapp, Amy Dobbbs, Laura Duis, Chas Fagan, Brent Funderburk, Nicora Gangi, Cassandra Gillens, Ted Goerschner, Tony Griffin, Paul Hunter, William Jameson, Curtis Jaunsen, Geoffrey Johnson, Christy Kinard, Angela Nesbit, Kevin Sanders, Jane Schmidt, Kim Schuessler, Marilyn Simandle, Kathy Sosa, Alice Williams, Connie Winters, and Darren Young. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 704/334-7744 or at (www.shaingallery.com).

SOCO Gallery, Southern Comfort Gallery, 421 Providence Road, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Founded by Chandra Johnson in 2014, the gallery represents emerging and established artists working in all mediums with a specialization in photography. SOCO is housed in a newly renovated 1920's bungalow centrally located in Myers Park and features 1,200 square feet of exhibition space, as well as a bookshop and garden. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. & Sun. by appt. Contact: 980/498-2881 or at (www.soco-gallery.com).

StudioWorks Artist Collective + Gallery, 307 East Blvd. Charlotte. **Ongoing** - StudioWorks is a 12-woman artist collective selling original artwork from their gallery and working studios in a historic Dilworth home. Located in the historic Dilworth area of Charlotte, StudioWorks Artist Collective offers local artists individual studio space rentals. The StudioWorks Collective provides the perfect balance of a quiet, inspiring space fostering focused creativity and the energetic environment and camaraderie of working alongside other creatives. Hours: during events and by appt. & during 1st Fri, from

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Exhibition which delves into how borders shape perceptions of identity, safety, and belonging. From geographic demarcations to psychological and cultural boundaries, the exhibition explores themes of division, connection, and transformation. Through diverse mediums - photographs, paintings, monumental sculptures, installations, and performance art - the artists in this exhibition are familiar with Borders and how it manifests in their lives as human beings. **Ongoing** - Nine Eighteen Nine Studio Gallery is a private venue providing affordable workspace, support, and representationn for emerging fine artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-3pm & Sat.-Sun., 10am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 704/777-4187 or at (www.nineeightennine.com).

Picture House Gallery, 1520 E. 4th Street, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring Frederick Hart sculpture, works by Jamali; paintings, original art, sculpture, art glass, and fine custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 704/333-8235 or at (www.PictureHouse-Gallery.com).

Providence Gallery, 601-A Providence Rd., in the Manor Theatre Shops, in Myers Park, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Representing over 30 regional and national fine art painters working in a variety of mediums and styles ranging from traditional compositions to representational and non-representational abstractions. Gallery artists include Luz Avelayra, Todd Baxter, Travis Bruce Black, Kathy Caudill, Jim Celano, Kathy Collins, Steve Dininno, Lita Gatlin, Anne Harkness, Janine Medlin, P. Basille Nikitchenko, Ada Offerdahl, Sean Parnell, Ann B. Rhodes, Sheryl Stalnaker, Tres Taylor, Diane Virkler, Andres Vivo, Dru Warmath & Rod Wimer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/333-4535 or at (www.providence-gallery.net).

Pura Vida Worldly Art, 3202-B N. Davidson, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Freaturing worldly art - folk art, jewelry, paintings, spiritual art and home accents. Including artworks by local artists: Brenda Civiletto, Marisela Moncada, Tim McMahon, Lita Gustavo, Lita Gatlin, Anne Harkness, Janine Medlin, P. Basille Nikitchenko, Ada Offerdahl, Sean Parnell, Ann B. Rhodes, Sheryl Stalnaker, Tres Taylor, Diane Virkler, Andres Vivo, Dru Warmath & Rod Wimer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/333-4535 or at (www.providence-gallery.net).

Queen's Gallery & Art Center, 1212 The Plaza, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Rebecca Briley, Warren Burgess, Laura Buxton, Bob Crum, James Daniel, Drew Gatlin, Meredith Green, Tony Griffin, Vicki Kaseorg, Danny Malboeuf, Cathy Melesh, and Mark Spangenberg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/372-2993 or at (www.thequeensgallery.com).

Shain Gallery, Selwyn Corners, 2823 Selwyn Ave., Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Specializing in original art paintings by Carolina, National and European artists, including works by Perry Austin, Henry Barnes, Roger Dale Brown, Jim Chapman, Veronica Clark, Terry DeLapp, Amy Dobbbs, Laura Duis, Chas Fagan, Brent Funderburk, Nicora Gangi, Cassandra Gillens, Ted Goerschner, Tony Griffin, Paul Hunter, William Jameson, Curtis Jaunsen, Geoffrey Johnson, Christy Kinard, Angela Nesbit, Kevin Sanders, Jane Schmidt, Kim Schuessler, Marilyn Simandle, Kathy Sosa, Alice Williams, Connie Winters, and Darren Young. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 704/334-7744 or at (www.shaingallery.com).

SOCO Gallery, Southern Comfort Gallery, 421 Providence Road, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Founded by Chandra Johnson in 2014, the gallery represents emerging and established artists working in all mediums with a specialization in photography. SOCO is housed in a newly renovated 1920's bungalow centrally located in Myers Park and features 1,200 square feet of exhibition space, as well as a bookshop and garden. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. & Sun. by appt. Contact: 980/498-2881 or at (www.soco-gallery.com).

StudioWorks Artist Collective + Gallery, 307 East Blvd. Charlotte. **Ongoing** - StudioWorks is a 12-woman artist collective selling original artwork from their gallery and working studios in a historic Dilworth home. Located in the historic Dilworth area of Charlotte, StudioWorks Artist Collective offers local artists individual studio space rentals. The StudioWorks Collective provides the perfect balance of a quiet, inspiring space fostering focused creativity and the energetic environment and camaraderie of working alongside other creatives. Hours: during events and by appt. & during 1st Fri, from

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5-8pm. Contact: at (studioworksgallery.com).

TAC Gallery, 3225 North Davidson Street, NoDa district, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Tough AssCrew (TAC) is owned and operated by local artists and featuring over 100 Charlotte artists. TAC gallery is an eclectic mix of visually stimulating pieces perfect for viewing or adding to your collection. The gallery has a 90's-grunge artist-studio feel that speaks to the birth of Charlotte's NoDa arts district. It features a unique array of artistry, with many created in the heart of NoDa by neighborhood artists like David French with his iconic Charlotte landmark paintings. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 10am-9pm. Contact: e-mail at (@toughasscrew) or at (toughasscrew.com).

Toshkova Fine Art Gallery + Advisory, 2325 Crescent Avenue, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Toshkova Fine Art Gallery + Advisory (TFA Gallery + Advisory) builds authentic relationships between art lovers and today's most progressive and passionate artists. With the wealth of information to interpret and the many venues from which to choose, we offer clients tailored services to best fit their unique needs. Focusing on art consultation and collection management, TFA Gallery + Advisory provides art acquisition, installation, curating, and market intelligence as well as collection documentation, management, and value reporting for private and corporate collectors. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 704/559-9299 or at (tfa-advisory.com).

The Garden Shoppe and Gallery, at McGill Rose Garden, 940 N. Davidson St., Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring a permanent exhibit of paintings by Stefan Duncan. There are over 20 paintings of flowers plus a large oil painting of Henry McGill in the rose garden named after him. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/333-6497.

The New Gallery of Modern Art, 435 South Tryon Street, Ste 110, across from Bechtler Museum of Modern Art, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - The gallery brings together the most significant privately-held collection of works by artists such as Picasso, Chagall, Dali, Miro, Matisse and Warhol, an elite selection of contemporary artists, as well as some of the best regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-7pm; Sun. noon-6pm and by appt. Contact: 704/373-1464 or at (www.newgalleryofmodernart.com).

Wentworth Gallery, South Park Mall, 4400 Sharon Road, Charlotte. **Ongoing** - Featuring an extensive selection of original paintings, limited edition prints, and sculpture from over 100 artists, such as Peter Max, Alexandra Nechita, Charles Fazzino, Grace Slick, Ronnie Wood, and Paul Stanley. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9pm and Sun., 12:30-6pm. Contact: 704/365-2733.

Wooden Stone, 445 South Main Street, Davidson. **Ongoing** - Featuring a breathtaking collection of functional fine art handmade by US and Canadian artists and craftsmen, including many from North Carolina. These artists represent a variety of media, from hand-carved woodwork, to blown glass, pottery, metalwork and fiber. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 704/892-1449 or at (www.woodenstonegallery.com).

Warm Glass Gallery and Studio, 2575 Old Glory Road, Suite 700, Clemmons. Through Jan. 30, 2016 - "Ice Age: The White Series," by Jody Danner Walker. A solo exhibition of the artist's unique and original Pate de Verre Sucré artwork, in which glass appears as sugary crystalline shapes. **Ongoing** - The gallery specializes in contemporary kiln-formed fine art glass, featuring works by national and international artists. Warm Glass also serves as a working artist studio and offers kilnformed glass classes on a regular basis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4:30pm. Contact: 336/712-8003 or at (www.warmglass.org).

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and mixed-media. They are dedicated to inspiring the lives of others and nurturing our sense of community. The gallery's mission is to form meaningful connections and dialogue with our community of art lovers, local businesses, organizations and collectors. Hours: Fri., 4-8pm; Sat., noon-8pm and 3rd Fri., 6-9pm. Contact: 984/439-8085 or at (www.spoinsgallery.com).

Golden Belt Artist Studios, Golden Belt Arts, 807 E. Main Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - Showcases exhibitions of emerging local and national contemporary artists, as well as studios of painters, jewelry-makers, photographers, mixed-media artists, and more in a creatively restored seven-acre historic mill campus. Visit every third Friday to shop in the studios and meet the artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/967-7700.

Horizon Gallery, 905 W. Main Street, Brightleaf Square, Durham. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary crafts including pottery, art glass, wood works, jewelry, garden art, kaleidoscopes and much more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-8pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 919/688-0313.

Horse & Buggy Press and Friends, 1116 Broad Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - An award-winning graphic design and book design studio. Horse & Buggy Press is located in Durham, where we also curate a 800 square foot fine craft and art gallery appropriately called Horse & Buggy Press and Friends. The gallery features work by dozens of established artists and craftspeople from across the Southeast, most from North Carolina. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4pm & Sat., noon-4pm. Contact: call 919/949-4847 or at (horseandbuggypress.com).

LabourLove Gallery, Golden Belt complex, Suite 2-130, 807 E. Main Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by a collective of North Carolina fine artists, designers, and musicians. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact: 919/373-4451 or at (http://labourlove.com).

Nancy Tuttle May Studio, 1104 N. Gregson Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Nancy Tuttle May. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-1pm or by appt. Contact: 919/688-8852.

PS118 Gallery & Event Space, 118 West Parrish Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - PS118 is the downtown gallery and event space of Horse & Buggy Press and Friends which is located at 1116 Broad Street and features a smaller gallery and the book design and publishing studio of Horse & Buggy Press currently celebrating its 25 year anniversary. Hours: Fri. & Sat., noon-8ish. Contact: visit (horseandbuggypress.com).

Supergraphic, 601 Ramseur Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - Supergraphic is a creative art studio dedicated to providing work space, equipment and instruction for the production of fine art prints and print media. Hours: open by appointment and during Third Friday art walks. Contact: 919/360-4077 or at (http://durhamsupergraphic.com).

Through This Lens Photo Gallery, 303 East Chapel Hill St, Durham. **Ongoing** - Currently only open by appt. for printing and framing services. Hours: Only by appt. Contact: 919/687-0250 or at (www.throughthislens.com).

21c Museum Hotel, 111 North Corcoran Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - Standing tall and proud in the center of downtown Durham, 21c Museum Hotel is a multi-venue contemporary art museum offering more than 10,500 square feet of art-filled exhibition and event space, a full-service boutique hotel with luxurious guest rooms, and home to Counting House restaurant. Hours: currently by appt. only. Contact: 919/956-6700 or at (https://www.21cmuseumhotels.com/durham/).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Durham **Koi Gallery**, 605 Jackson Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - A gallery featuring unique and eclectic art from local artists. The gallery features a new theme every two months, including collections on themes ranging from Native American art to folk art. The gallery is on the garden level of the Distinctive Properties Real Estate office. Hours: by appointment or during special showings. Contact: 919/682-4403.

Fayetteville

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Fayetteville **City Center Gallery & Books**, 112 Hay Street, Fayetteville. **Ongoing** - Featuring original art, prints, and art photographs-many by local artists. We offer a comfortable and classic setting while you browse. We are a small, independent book-

store, which means we offer an amazing variety of books plus personal service for the avid reader and the art lover! Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri.&Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 910/678-8899 r at (http://www.citycentergallery.com/).

The Sweet Palette, 101 Person Street, Fayetteville. **Ongoing** - Featuring creative cupcakes and art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-6pm. Contact: 910/489-7342 or at (https://www.thesweetpalette.com/).

Fairview

Willow Wisp Farm Studios Gallery, 1615 Charlotte Hwy, Fairview. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by the instructors and students who have attended Willow Wisp Farm Studios. Hours: Fri.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 888/590-4ART, 828/628-0401, or e-mail at (art@willowwispfarmstudios.com).

Gastonia

Butler Studio Fine Art Gallery, 171 W. Main St., located on the 2nd floor of the brick building next to the Park on Main, Gastonia. **Ongoing** - The gallery will continue to rotate in new works by Curt Butler. Hours: M, T, Th, F, 9am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 704/460-2386 or at (www.butlerstudio.org).

Greensboro Area

Ambleside Gallery, 528 South Elm Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by artists from around the world. Among them are English artists Phil Hobbs, Kenneth Denton, and Matthew Hillier. American painters Bill Hosner, Tracy Reid, Richard Sedlack and Rich Nelson, and internationally recognized Chinese watercolorist Guan Weixing, plus many other noteworthy artists are included in the gallery collections. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 336/275-9844 or at (www.amblesidearts.com).

ArtWorks Collective Gallery, 205 Lyndon Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by members of Lyndon Street ArtWorks center. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 336/370-0025 or at (www.artworkscollective.com).

Elements Gallery, 526 South Elm Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a co-op of over 30 local artists exhibiting a wide range of art in different mediums. Paintings, sculpture, pottery, glass art, wood turning, fiber art and mixed media is for sale. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-9pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/790-8703 or at http://elementsgallery.wordpress.com).

JMR Sculptures, Gateway Center, 620 S. Elm Street, Suite 240, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring sculpture by Jay M Rotberg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4:30pm or by appt. Contact: 336/389-0333 or at (www.jmrsculptures.com).

Lost & Found Gallery, 517 South Elm Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Folk art, tribal art, textiles, and beads of the world. Hours: noon - 5:30pm, closed Wed. & Sun. Call ahead. Contact: 336/271-6954.

The Art Shop, 3900 W. Market St., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Pino, Arvid, Park, Garmash, Sabzi, Hessam and others. We feature America's most collected artists. We also carry sculpture by Frogman (Tim Cotterill), Leon Bronstein & Paige Bradley and fine art glass by Randy Strong, John McDonald & Scott Bayless. Thomas Kinkade; original oil paintings, limited edition prints and posters. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Tue. & Wed till 7pm & Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/855-8500 or at (www.artshopnc.com).

The Artery Gallery, 1711 Spring Garden Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by David Thomas, Roy Nydorf, Bruce Shores, Matthew Micca, Lisa Woods, Bill Clubb, Jack Stratton, Erin Stesch, Vito Ciccone, Alex Forsyth, Martin Dunn, and more. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-5pm; & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 336/274-9814 or at (www.arterygallery.com).

The O'Brien Art Gallery, 715 N. Eugene Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers residential and corporate fine art consulting services. We will outline a personalized budget plan for your specific needs. We also offer art research, presentation and installation services. Whether you are an avid art collector or a first time purchaser, we will guide you every step of the way. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: call Kathy O'Brien (owner) at 336/707-

7476 or at (https://www.obriengallery.com/).

Uptown Artworks, 1007 Arnold Street, located between E. Wendover Ave. and E. Bessemer Ave., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Primarily a "working artist studio," our 5,400 square foot facility has a large front gallery and currently houses 10 studios with room to build 7 more. Hours: Mon., 10am-4pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; Sun., 1-4pm or by appt. Contact: Joseph A. Wilkerson at 336/255-6345.

William Mangum Watercolors/Carey-Mangum Gallery, 2182 Lawndale Dr., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Original paintings, limited edition prints, miniature prints, posters and notecards by William Mangum. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 336/379-9200 or 800/887-5380.

Winter Light Gallery & Art Studios, 410 Blandwood Ave., corner of Blandwood Ave. and Spring Garden St., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Kim Holleman, Vicki Johnson, Judy Meyler, Carol Meetze-Moates, Kathy Phillips, Steve Robinson, Carol Sams, Alie Scott, Phyllis Sharpe, Jane Smith, Stephanie Thomas, Steve Thomas and Jeanne Twilley. Hours: Mon., Tue., Thur., & Sat., 11am-2pm. Contact: 336/274-7372 or at (www.winterlight-artists.com).

Yew Tree Gallery, 604 S. Elm St., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a subsidiary of Ambleside Gallery, and is home to 16 painters who work in a variety of media and styles, including oils, acrylic, pastel, pen and ink, and watercolor. The gallery also features pottery. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/790-8703.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greensboro **Bliss & Co. Salon**, 238 S. Elm Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring an ever-changing exhibit of works by Charlotte and Erik Strom. Hours: Mon., 10am-6pm; Tue.-Fri., 10am-8pm; & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 336/373-0299 or the Stroms at 336/691-8036 or e-mail to (charlotteart@hotmail.com).

Just Be, 352 S. Elm Street, Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Just Be is a specialty boutique filled with handmade and unique items like jewelry, handbags, apparel, home décor and much more. Shop in the store or online at. Hours: Mon.-Thur, 10am-6pm; Fri.&Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/274-2212 or at (www.onlyjustbe.com).

Greenville



Work by John Beerman

City Art Gallery, 511 Red Banks Road, Greenville. **Ongoing** - The gallery features the works of established regional and national artists and craftspeople. The gallery offers an extensive collection of paintings, sculpture, ceramics, glass, drawings and photography. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 252/353-7000 or at (www.CityArtGreenville.com).

Strickland Art Gallery, 817 Dickinson Ave., Greenville. **Ongoing** - The gallery specializes in art by North Carolina artists including Francis Speight, Sarah Blakeslee, Hobson Pittman and Claude Howell. Contemporary NC artists are also shown. Hours: Mon.-Tue., 10am-6pm and by appt. Contact: Barbour Strickland 252/561-7980 or at (www.StricklandArtGallery.com).

Uptown Art Supply & Gallery, a division of UBE, 529 S Evans Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/752-0688 or at (www.uptownart.net).

Hampstead

ArtExposure Gallery, 22527 Highway 17, Hampstead. **Ongoing** - ArtExposure's mission is to encourage and appreciate art and its role in society through direct engagement, exhibitions, classes and demonstrations. Our goal is to champion and nurture local and regional artists and artisans in all stages and aspects of their careers. Hours: Tue. - Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/803-0302 or at (https://artexposure50.com/).

Hendersonville - Flat Rock



Work by Mary McCullah

Art MoB Studios & Marketplace, 124 4th Avenue East, Downtown Hendersonville just off of Main Street, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Art MoB now represents over 80 local artists and has been proudly open for three years, and counting. Art MoB also features 5,000 square feet of space including four studios with wonderful resident artists. These artists can be found fast at work in their studios most days of the week. We invite you to come and join us... see our work, meet our artists, and take classes with us. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-4:30pm. Contact: 828/693-4545 or at (www.artmobstudios.com).

Art on 7th, 330 7th Avenue East, in the Historic 7th Ave, District, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Art on 7th is Henderson County's only exclusively contemporary art gallery. Established in 2021, the gallery features fine contemporary art by artists whose work sells and is exhibited nationally and internationally. The gallery represents many WNC artists whose emerging talent has been recognized, and warrants appreciation by art collectors. Located in the revitalized 7th Avenue District, known as The Creative Edge of Hendersonville, the gallery is just a short walk from Historic Main Street. The gallery is a showcase for glass, sculpture, wood, fiber, and exceptional paintings in a variety of mediums and modern styles. Hours: during street construction by appt only, 11am-4pm. Contact: 828/209-8057 or at (ARTON7TH.com).

Carolina Mountain Artists, 444 N. Main Street, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional and local artists in every media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/696-0707.

Custom Built Quilts, 411 N. Wall Street, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Custom built quilts from aprons to wall hangings. Hours: open on weekends - call ahead to be sure. Contact: 828/808-1567 or at (www.custombuiltquilts.com).

East End Gallery on 7th Avenue, 518 7th Avenue East, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a unique collection of fine art and craft. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/551-3278 or at (www.eastendgallery7.com).

Firefly Craft Gallery, 2689 'D' Greenville Hwy, at the corner of Greenville Hwy, and Little River Road, Flat Rock. **Ongoing** - Firefly features the work of dozens of Western North Carolina's most accomplished craftsmen and artists. We offer an extensive array of original art created from metals, clay, wood, glass, textiles, sterling silver, and other media. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-4pm; Sat., 11am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 828/231-0764 or at (www.fireflycraftgallery.com).

Framing Arts, 119 3rd Avenue West, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Framing Arts will elegantly frame all your artwork to fit your decor and budget. Using preservation techniques and archival materials, your art will be protected for a lifetime of enjoyment. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/696-3818 or at (www.framingarts.net).

McCarter Gallery, 451 N. Main St., Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the working studio-gallery of landscape artist Alan McCarter, specializing in his acrylic paintings of the beauty of Nature in the Blue Ridge and Great Smoky Mountains. Also, featuring a display of new works monthly. And, watercolors and acrylics of Robbin McCarter and art glass by Czech glass master Igor Muller and Canadian Robert Held. Hours Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm & by appt. Contact: 828/698-7117 or at (www.mccarter-gallery.com).

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Narnia Studios, 315 N. Main St., Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists in a variety of media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-6pm. Contact: 828/697-6393 or at (www.narniastudios.com).

Silver Fox Gallery, 508 N. Main Street, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary fine art, hand-crafted artworks from the US only, from primarily regional artists. And, now Home Furnishings. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-7pm; Sat., 10am-6pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/698-0601 or at (www.silverfoxonline.com).

The Art House Gallery and Studio, 5 Highland Park Road, East Flat Rock. **Ongoing** - Fine art gallery and private party venue featuring works by Susan Johnston-Olivari and other local artists. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 828/808-3594 or at (www.arthousegalleryand-studio.com).

The Gallery at Flat Rock, 2702A Greenville Highway, Flat Rock. **Ongoing** - a premier destination for finely curated art and craft. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun., 1-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/698-7000, e-mail at (info@galleryflatrock.com) or at (galleryflatrock.com).

The Portrait Source, Hwy. 225 S., along "Little Rainbow Row", Flat Rock. **Ongoing** - Representing the nation's finest portrait artists and we help clients find the perfect artist for both families and the corporate world. We have expert sales consultants throughout the country. Visit our unique gallery where we have a continuing display of sample paintings. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact 800/586-6575 or at (www.theporraitsource.com).

Woodlands Gallery, 419 N. Main Street, Hendersonville. **Ongoing** - Resembling the curated home of a private collector, this gallery is committed to regionally made, high-quality, nature-inspired art. Hours: daily from 11am-6pm. Contact: 828/230-9080 or e-mail to info@woodlandsgallery.com).

Hickory

ATAC Gallery, 1739 10th Street, NW, Hickory. **Dec. 6 - Jan. 5, 2025** - "Life Is Brutally Beautiful," featuring works by Dan Smith. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 6-9pm. **Ongoing** - ATAC (Artists Taking A Chance). Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 828/612-0546 or at (Atacartgallery.com).

Trade Alley Art Gallery, 25 2ND ST.NW, Hickory. **Ongoing** - Trade Alley Art Gallery is a contemporary art gallery located in the heart of historic downtown Hickory. The gallery represents up to 25 artists of all genres. In addition there are artists on consignment representing wildlife wood carvings, fine furnishings and fine jewelry. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm, Contact: 828/578-1706 or at (www.tradealleyart.com).

High Point

J.Gallery at JH Adams Inn, 1108 North Main Street, High Point. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by artists from across the country with an emphasis on North Carolina artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm, but it is suggested you make an appointment. Contact: Julie Delgaudio at 336/8478672 or by e-mail at (phonefrnz@aol.com).

JK Gallery, 342 North Wrenn Street, High Point. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art photography by Jim Koch. Exhibiting black & white original silver gelatin prints and interpretations of color, architectural images, landscapes and portraits. Hours: M.-F., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/883-2370 or at (http://www.jk-gallery.com/).

Kelly Brooke Pottery & Gallery, 709 W. Lexington Ave., inside of DeBeen Espresso, High Point. **Ongoing** - All of my work is wheel thrown and/or hand built from a porcelain clay body made right here in North Carolina. I use a centuries old style of surface decoration known as sprigging where I individually apply hand carved dragonflies or flowers to the leather hardened pots. Choose from mugs, bowls, vases, honey pots, teapots, plates, platters, etc. All of the pottery is food safe, microwave, and dishwasher safe and very durable. Hours: daily 8am-8pm. Contact: 336/889-2107 or at (www.kellybrookepottery.com).

Hillsborough

Callaway Jewelry & Spiral Studios, 115 North Churton Street, Hillsborough. **Ongoing** - Offering beautiful handmade jewelry in sterling silver and gold by metalsmiths/designers Catharine

Callaway and Jeannine Rogers. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 919/732-2013 or at (http://www.sterlingspirals.com/).

Hillsborough Artists Cooperative and The Skylight Gallery, 102 West King Street, upstairs over Antonia's Restaurant, Hillsborough. **Ongoing** - Founded in 1992, featuring works by Jayne Bomberg and Tom Guthrie (The Studio of Collective Effervescence); Jennifer E. Miller, Andrea DeGette, Jacquelin Liggins, and Tiffany Marley. Hours: last Fri. of the month from 6-9pm or by appt. Contact: 919/929-2691 or 919/644-8637.

Hillsborough Gallery of Arts, 121 N. Churton St., Suite 1-D, Hillsborough. **Through Dec. 31** - "The Art of Giving," featuring works designed for the holidays. Each holiday season the members of the Hillsborough Gallery of Arts transform the gallery to showcase original holiday ornaments and hand-made gifts. The gallery's 21 members work in a variety of media, providing a wide array of fine art and fine craft for holiday shoppers. The glass art includes hand-blown vessels, ornaments, hummingbird feeders and paperweights. The jewelry in the show covers a variety of styles and techniques, from copper and bronze to sterling and fine silver necklaces, earrings, bracelets and rings, some with gold accents and stones. Visitors will also find metal sculpture, figurative sculpture, pottery, and hand-made furniture. Oil, watercolor, and acrylic paintings, scratchboard, collage, fine art photography, photomontage and mixed media work festively surround the three-dimensional pieces on pedestals. **Ongoing** - HGA is owned by 21 local artists featuring painting, sculpture, photography, glass art, jewelry, wood, pottery, textiles & fiber art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun. noon-4pm. Contact: 919-732-5001 or at (www.HillsboroughGallery.com).



Works by Amy Wilson-Stonks

Margaret Lane Gallery, 121 W Margaret Lane, 1/2 block off Churton, in between the Hot Tin Roof and public library, in downtown Hillsborough. **Ongoing** - We continue to require masks covering mouth and nose in the Gallery, on the porch and in the yard, regardless of vaccination status. We provide free masks in both adult and child sizes, as well as hand sanitizer and a hand washing station on the front porch. We continue to run air purifiers in the four main gallery rooms. **Ongoing** - We show a wide variety of mediums and styles, from classic oils, acrylics, photography, and water colors to pop and digital art. Sculpture, wood carving, jewelry, metal embossing, and mosaics from local artists help round out the mix. We are continuing to offer monthly shows, changing out as of Last Fridays, as well as offering rotating exhibits from over 30 different local artists. Hours: Wed.&Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-8pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 919/296-8938 or at (https://margaretlanegallery.com/).

Hot Springs

Gallery 339 Hot Springs, 339 NW US 25-70 Hwy., Hot Springs. **Ongoing** - Art Gallery featuring creations by artist Terry Thirion and other regional artists. Paintings, sculptures, fine prints and more. Educational space hosting lectures, discussions and art sessions. Also enjoy a free library of art related books and magazines. Hours: Mon., Thur., Fri., and Sat., noon-4pm. Contact: 704/334-0800.

Lenoir
Morning Song Gallery, at old Victorian house, 512 West Avenue, NW, across from the Lenoir Post Office and to the right of Baker Realty, Lenoir. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Call ahead. Contact: Margaret Carter Martine at 828/754-5693.

Lexington

The Bob Timberlake Gallery, 1714 E. Center Street Extension, Lexington. **Ongoing** - Featuring original artwork and reproductions by Bob Timberlake. Also furniture, gifts, apparel and collectibles. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 800-244-0095 or at (www.bobtimberlake.com).

Linville/Linville Falls Area



A view of the Anvil Arts Studio Sculpture Garden

Anvil Arts Studio Sculpture Garden & Gallery, (formerly Anvil Arts Studio) 9600 Linville Falls Hwy., Hwy. 221 Linville Falls. **Ongoing** - Honored to be representing these outstanding sculptors: J. Aaron Alderman (steel), Rick Beck (glass), Bill Brown (steel), Kenneth Charles (steel), Josh Cote (metal), Bob Doster (steel), Virginia Fisher (copper), Lucas Hundley (wood), Kyle Lusk (steel), Beau Lyday (reclaimed metal), Carl and Ethan Peverall (stone), Charles Pilkey (stone), and Tim Turner (painter/potter). Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/765-6226 or at (www.studiosculpture.com).

87 Ruffin Street Gallery, located next to the Old Huffman General Store and Barbeque, Hwy. 221 in Linville. **Ongoing** - The gallery features the work of local and regional folk artists, potters, figural wood carvers, glass artists and painters. This unique gallery also carries beautiful furniture handcrafted by local artists from local woods. The gallery has its own framing shop for all your picture framing needs. Whether you are looking for original artwork for your home or for a gift Ruffin Street gallery is the perfect destination. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/737-0420 or at (www.ruffinstreetart-gallery.com).

Mars Hill

Tom Turner Porcelain, 381 Turner Lane, Mars Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring wheel thrown and high fired porcelain art pottery by Tom Turner with classical glazes like copper red oxblood, oilspot, celadons, and ash glazes. Hours: by appt. Contact: 828/689-9430 or at (www.tomturnerporcelain.com).

Gallery 339 Hot Springs, 339 NW US 25/70 in Hot Springs, NC. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Terry Thirion and other regional artists, including paintings, sculptures, fine prints and more. Hours: call ahead. Contact: 704/334-800 or at (www.terrythirion.com).

Marshall



Works from East Fork Pottery

East Fork Pottery, 268 Ras Grooms Road, Marshall. **Ongoing** - East Fork Pottery was founded in 2010 by Alexander Matisse. We make a full range of functional and sculptural ceramics, fired in a large wood burning kiln. Striving to understand our place in the tapestry of American ceramics, we hold the past, pres-

ent, and future on equal ground, for the three in concert make the most beautiful chord. Hours: by appointment. Contact: 828/689-4109 or at (www.eastforkpottery.com).

Firewalker Gallery, Main St., across from the Madison County courthouse, Marshall. **Ongoing** - The gallery features artists from Madison County and east Tenn. who work in a variety of mediums. Hours: Thur., Fri. & Sat., 10am-6pm and by appt. Contact: 828/649-0134 or at (www.firewalkergallery.com).

Flow Gallery, handmade adornment Body + Home, 14 Main Street, Marshall. **Ongoing** - An artist-owned gallery featuring a community of skilled Western North Carolina makers, is committed to selling distinctive handmade arts and crafts in a welcoming venue in an historic mountain town. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/649-1686 or at (https://www.flowmarshall.com/).

Mebane

Fine Art Carolina Gallery, 116 West Clay St., Mebane. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers traditional and contemporary art in various mediums. The gallery will also feature guest artists and offer art workshops. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 919/455-5965 or at (http://FineArtCarolina.com).

Micaville

Crabtree Creek Art and Floral Gallery, 4161 E. Hwy 19-E, between Burnsville & Spruce Pine, in Micaville. **Ongoing** - A 2,400 sq. ft. gallery offering pottery, blown glass, paintings, stained glass, wood carvings and bowls, jewelry, handmade handbags, sweaters & hats, Christmas trees, ornaments and holiday decorations, metal sculptures and ironwork, handmade soaps and lotions, fragrances and candles, wildlife & floral photography, home accessories, lamps, handmade tables, chairs and home accents, silk floral creations and fresh floral arrangements, textile pieces, handmade baskets and local crafts from the western North Carolina region. Also a complete garden center with blooming plants, hanging baskets, dish and herb gardens is located on property including landscape art, hardscape and fountains. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/675-0612 or at (www.crabtreecreekgallery.com).

Crimson Laurel Gallery, inside Appalachian Terror, 734 Micaville Loop, Micaville. **Ongoing** - Appalachian Terror is comprised of three divisions: Crimson Laurel Gallery, a studio ceramics retailer; Smoky Mountain Pottery Studio, a ceramics manufacturer; and Appalachian Terror, designer and producer of original dinnerware and housewares. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: call Ben Phillips at 828/688-3599 or e-mail to (contact@crimsonlaurelgallery.com).

Morehead City

BluSail Goltz Studios, Artists' School & Pottery Studio, 903 Arendell Street, downtown art district, Morehead City. **Ongoing** - The gallery represents and exhibits work by over 30 local artists. The Artists' School

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Morganton

Hamilton Williams Gallery, 403 East Union St., downtown Morganton. **Ongoing** – A gallery of fine craft featuring the pottery, jewelry, metal, fiber, and art of artists from Western North Carolina and the Appalachian region, adjoining the production studio of resident potter, Hamilton Williams. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact 828/438-1595 or at (www.hamiltonwilliams.com).

Nags Head

Seaside Art Gallery, 2716 Virginia Dare Trail South, Nags Head. **Ongoing** - Featuring works of local and contemporary artists, as well as a wonderful selection of art by such masters as Picasso, Chagall, Whistler, Icart, Renoir and many others. Sculpture, porcelain and art glass by Hummel, Staffordshire, Tiffany and others are represented. As well as a fine selection of estate jewelry. Since the early 1980's, a major feature of Seaside Art Gallery has been our large collection of original animation art by such studios as Disney, Warner Bros., Hanna-Barbera, United Features Ltd., and other animation studios. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/441-5418, 1-800/828-2444 or at (<http://www.seasideart.com/>).

New Bern

Carolina Creations Fine Art and Contemporary Craft Gallery, 317-A Pollock Street, New Bern. NC. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art and contemporary crafts including pottery, paintings, glass, sculpture, and wood by over 300 of the countries top artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm, & Sun., 11am-3pm. Contact: 252/633-4369 or at (www.carolinacreations.com).

Living Color Ceramics, 602 Pollock Street (entrance on Metcalf Street), New Bern. **Ongoing** - Suzanne W. Richey aspires to carry out the North Carolina pottery traditions of making stoneware pots for food service, decor and entertaining. Pots are intended for everyday use and to be as durable as they are enjoyable. Richey makes most pots on the wheel, but occasionally they are hand built. After passing a greenware inspection for quality and appearance, they are then bisqued, decorated and atmospheric fired to cone 10. After passing a final inspection for quality, the pots earn placement in the gallery. Hours: open by appt. only. Contact: 252/675-2011 or at (<https://livingcolorceramics.com/>).

Stardust Gallery, 244 1/2 Middle Street, Suite D, New Bern. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by over 25 NC artists including works in acrylic, oil & watercolor; photography; pen & ink; digital pop art; pottery; weaving; handmade wood and iron creations; lampwork glass jewelry & handblown glass; fine handmade silver jewelry; stained glass; and handwoven baskets. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-5pm & Fri.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact: 252/617-0209 or at (<http://www.stardustart.gallery/>).

The Art Gallery @ Le Bistro & Fine Dining, 3402-B Trent Road, New Bern. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artists who explore a wide range of media including Gayle George, Nell Maha, John Dreas, Nada Behr, Doris Walker, Barbara Cornish, B. Chris Munyan, Douglas Rowe, Tess Luper, James King, William K. Henson, John Mitchell, Joan Russell, Betty Brown, Blain Kruger and Dan Wilson. Come in for lunch or dinner, have a glass of wine and peruse the work of these fine artists. Hours: Tue.-Wed., 10am-5pm; Thur.-Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 9am-2pm. Contact: 252/637-7331 or at (<http://www.lebistrofinediningandtheartgallery.com>).

The Dirty Bird, 244½ Middle Street, New Bern. **Ongoing** - Featuring an eclectic mix of paintings, ceramic items, jewelry and repaired and painted furniture. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-6pm & Fri.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/626-1983.

The Sanctuary Gallery, 2601-A Trent Rd., New Bern. **Ongoing** - The Sanctuary Gallery is New Bern's newest art gallery and is artist owned and operated representing regional and national artists. The fine art and fine craft gallery has a diverse collection of paintings, drawings, sculpture and hand-crafted jewelry. Representing both regional and national artists. The fine art and fine craft gallery has a diverse collection of paintings, drawings, sculpture and hand crafted metal jewelry to complement any taste. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-5pm & Fri.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 252/571-8562 or at (www.theSanctuary-Gallery.com).

North Wilkesboro

Taupe Gallery, 305 10th Street, North Wilkesboro. **Ongoing** - Nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, in the small town of North Wilkesboro, lies the secret treasure of Taupe Gallery. With one-of-a-kind handcrafted and hand-picked works from artists from all over, Taupe offers a unique selection sure to appeal to anyone who steps in the building. Owners Jim Lyall and Steve Key are here to welcome you, and are happy to answer any questions or curiosities about art pieces and the artists behind them. Visitors are encouraged to engage, interact with, and experience the artwork in the friendly and colorful environment of Taupe Gallery. Hours: Mon.-Wed. by chance; Thur. & Fri., 10am-5pm; and Sat., 10am-1pm. Contact: 336/990-0148 or at (www.taupegallery.com).

Ocracoke Island

Village Craftsmen, 170 Howard Street, Ocracoke Island. **Ongoing** - We feature pottery, glass, jewelry, kitchen items, musical instruments, wrought iron, baskets, bells, boxes, soaps, accessories, clothes, games, kaleidoscopes, lawn sprinklers, lamps & lampshades, prints, tin ware, pewter items, tiles and much more - all made by American artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 10am-2pm. Contact: 252-928-5541 or at (www.villagecraftsmen.com).

Old Fort



Works from Turtle Island Pottery

Turtle Island Pottery, 2782 Bat Cave Road, Old Fort. **Ongoing** - Featuring handmade pottery by Maggie and Freeman Jones, who create one of a kind, functional, decorative stoneware items. From cups to umbrella stands, mirror frames and clocks. Sculptural and inspired by nature, many forms are reminiscent of antique pottery from the arts and crafts movement and art nouveau styles. Hours: Showroom open most Saturdays, call ahead for any day of the week. Contact: 828/669-2713 or at (www.turtleislandpottery.com).

Oriental

Village Gallery, 300 Hodges Street, Oriental. **Ongoing** - The Village Gallery features the works of more than 40 member and consigned artists. The Gallery is staffed by its resident artists. As a cooperative gallery we offer great values. You buy directly from the juried artists. Hours: Wed.-Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/249-0300 or at (www.villagegallerync.com).

Outer Banks Area

Pea Island Art Gallery, 27766 NC Hwy. 12, Salvo. **Ongoing** - Featuring handmade works by over 100 Outer Banks artists. Hours: call ahead. Contact: 252/987-2879 or at (www.peaislandartgallery.com).

Swell Art Gallery, 46854 NC 12, Hatteras Island, Buxton. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art and craft works by local and NC artists. We also do custom framing. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: at (swellartgallery.com).

Pinehurst - Southern Pines Area

Broadhurst Gallery, 2212 Midland Rd., Pinehurst. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional, national and international artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 1-4pm. Contact: 910/295-4817 or at (www.broadhurstgallery.com).

Hollyhocks Art Gallery, 905 Linden Rd., one mile from Pinehurst next to Elliott's restaurant, Pinehurst. **Ongoing** - Featuring original work by award winning local artists Jane Casnelie, Diane Kraudelt, Irene McFarland, Paula Montgomery, and Robert Gera. Offering a wide range of work from contemporary to traditional, the gallery includes portraiture, vibrant Tuscan scenes, palpable pet portraits, beautiful florals and more, in a wide variety of mediums including oils, acrylics, pastels and unusual black and white washes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9:30pm. Contact: 910/255-0665 or at (www.Hollyhock-sArtGallery.com).

Pittsboro

All In One Pottery, 115 Hobbs Road, Pittsboro. **Ongoing** - The pottery houses an eclectic mix of hand-painted maiolica dinnerware, pitfired & raku vases, and hand-crafted musical instruments by Allen McCannless; as well as pitfired sculptural ceramic artwork by Louise Hobbs McCannless. Hours: by appointment only. Contact: 919/542-6162

Liquidambar Gallery & Gifts, 80 Hillsboro Street, Pittsboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring the works of gallery owners Kitty and John Mecham. The gallery has also been a showcase for over 85 artists, featuring a wide variety of both 2-D and 3-D arts and crafts during the past 10 years. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 919/542-1773, e-mail at (liquidambargallery@gmail.com) or at (<http://www.liquidambarstudio.com/>).



Work by Mark Hewitt Pottery

Mark Hewitt Pottery, 424 Johnny Burke Road, Pittsboro. **Ongoing** - For thirty-seven years, Mark Hewitt has been making beautiful, functional and decorative pots, using locally sourced materials, and firing them in a large wood-burning kiln here in Pittsboro, NC. You can find a lovely selection of his finely crafted pottery in our barn/showroom. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 919) 542-2371 or at (<https://hewittpottery.com/>).



Works by Steven Ferlanto

Pittsboro Gallery of Arts, 44-A Hillsboro Street, a few steps north of the County Courthouse circle, in Pittsboro. **Dec. 20, from 5-8pm** - "2024 Holiday Event". We'll have unusual ornaments as well as holiday gift items to purchase. And while there you'll find work unusual works in various mediums: paintings, photography, ceramics, sculpture, jewelry, fiber arts, and a variety of wood works. **Ongoing** - When you visit Pittsboro Gallery of Arts you'll find it's a destination gallery situated in a historic, bustling small town at 44-A Hillsboro Street. This spacious and newly redesigned gallery is owned and operated by local and regional artists, whose purpose is to exhibit and offer an opportunity for art lovers and patrons to see, purchase and collect fine art and fine crafts. Additionally, members wish to raise awareness and promote artistic excellence that contributes to the cultural and economic welfare of the community. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10:30-5:30; Fri., 10:30-8:30; Sat. & 1st Sun., 10:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 919/704-8552 or at (<https://www.pittsboroarts.org>).

Smelt Art Gallery, 213 Lorax Lane at The Plant, the Chatham Beverage District on the east side of Pittsboro. **Ongoing** - Smelt Art Gallery is a non-traditional art gallery that provides exhibition and event space for multi-cultural, multi-discipline art exhibitions and events. Hours: Sun., noon-6pm, Mon. / Tue./ Wed., 10am - 8pm, Thur./Fri., 10am -10pm, & Sat., noon-10pm. Contact: at (www.chathamartistsguild.org).

Raleigh Area

ArtSource Fine Art & Framing, 4421-123 Six Forks Road (behind Bonafish Grill, across from Forth's Cleaners at North Hills...look for the red door), Raleigh. **Through Dec. 31** - "34th Annual Holiday Exhibition". The show that we all look forward to year after year is almost here. Get your holiday shopping done at our annual holiday exhibition! 12x12 paintings from over



View inside ArtSource Fine Art

25 of our artists & gifts galore. **Ongoing** - ArtSource is a fine art gallery housing over 1,600 works of art by 65+ artists. This award-winning gallery has assisted collectors and businesses in the selection of fine art, custom art pieces and framing for over 20 years. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 919/787-9533, or at (www.artsource-raleigh.com).

Ashley's Art Gallery, 701 N. Main St. located 12 miles south of Raleigh, Fuquay-Varina. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art originals by national and local artist including Terry Isaac, Braltd Braltds and John Weiss and reproductions by Pino, Robert Bateman, Carl Brenders, Bev Doolittle and William Mangum. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm & Fri.-Sat. 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 919/552-7533 ext.3 or at (www.ashleyart.com).

Charlotte Russell Contemporary Fine Art Gallery, 2012 A Fairview Road, Five Points area, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Charlotte Russell Contemporary Fine Art Gallery offers original artworks by emerging and mid-career artists in our newly opened art gallery. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 415/601-0023 or at (www.charlotterussellcontemporary.com).

City Market Art Collective, 300 Blake Street, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - CMAC was created and founded by sculptor Paris Alexander in 2020. He invited a select group of resident artist to fill this large open gallery space with a variety of works, including paintings, sculpture and mixed media works. There are eight distinct gallery spaces including a dedicated sculpture gallery. There is also a monthly invited guest artist exhibition. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 919/219-0350 or e-mail to (citymarketartistcollective@gmail.com).

Flanders Gallery, 505 S. Blount Street, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Flanders Gallery is committed to cultivating the careers of emerging artists. Through its rigorous exhibition program, the gallery continues to explore new concepts in contemporary art using various media. Flanders Gallery is dedicated to exhibiting provocative and innovative contemporary art, producing 14-18 exhibits each year both in the gallery and in alternative exhibit spaces. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 919/757-9533 or at (<http://flandersartgallery.com>).



Work by Fabienne Delacroix

Gallery C, 540 North Blount Street, Raleigh. **Dec. 5 - Jan. 4, 2025** - "Le Paris de la Belle Epoque: New Paintings by Fabienne Delacroix". A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 6-8pm. Fabienne Delacroix, the internationally acclaimed artist renowned for her ability to evoke the timeless charm and romanticized essence of Belle Epoque, brings her highly sought after work to Raleigh for five weeks. This highly anticipated showcase will feature twenty-two paintings recently completed in her Paris studio. **Ongoing** - Gallery C brings talent

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ed artists and fine art to the attention of serious private collectors and museums. Since 1985, Gallery C has established itself as one of the Southeast's leading fine art galleries in Raleigh, NC. Open by appt. only. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-6pm; Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 919/828-3165 or at (www.galleryc.net).

Glenwood Fine Art, 20 Glenwood Avenue, in the heart of Glenwood South, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Beth Barger, Diana Coidan, Cecilia Guitarte, Emilio Garofalo, Linda Hauser, Eileen Hendren, Nicole Kennedy, Ed King, Patricia Pittman, Debbie Sherrod, Kathy Thompson, Lyudmila Tomova. Hours: by appt. or when the open flag is out when two of the 12 artists are in the studio. Contact: 919/395-6877 or at (www.glenwoodfineart.com).

Grace Li Wang Gallery and Studio, 14 Glenwood Ave. Ste. #27, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Grace Li Wang. Hours: by appt. Contact: 919-412-6803 or e-mail to (graceliwang@gmail.com).

Litmus Gallery & Studios, 312 W. Cabarrus Street, (across the tracks from Amtrak Train Station) Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Regional emerging and/or established artists are featured every month with a reception from 6-9pm the first Friday of each month. Studios of resident artists are open for touring, viewing, and selling of art (paintings, sketches, sculptures, pottery, mixed media, photography, etc.). Hours: Thur., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: 919/571-3605 or at (www.litmusgallery.com).

Local Color Gallery, Carter Building, 22 South Glenwood Ave., Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Local Color has now grown into a women's artist cooperative 13 members strong. Hours: Thur., Fri., & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 919/754-3887 or at (www.localcolorraleigh.com).

The Centerpiece Gallery, 7400 Six Forks Road, Suite 18, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Representing over 30 fine artists & artisans, regional to nationally recognized. The number #1 gallery in the Triangle for art workshops. Great framing deals for artists and clients alike. Residential and Corporate Solutions. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-6:30pm; Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 919/948-4886 or at (<https://www.thecenterpiece.com>).

311 Gallery and Studios, 311 Martin Street, Warehouse District, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Featuring three exhibit galleries, studios by tenant artists, The Print Studio, and the meeting place for The North Carolina Printmakers. Hours: Thur. & Fri. noon-4pm; Sat., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/675-1602 or at (<http://311gallery.com/>).

The Centerpiece Gallery, 719 N. Person Street, Raleigh. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art, custom framing and workshops. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 919/838-8580 or at (www.thecenterpiece.com).

Triangle Cultural Art Gallery, 8320 Litchford Road, Suite 138 Raleigh. **Ongoing** - The Triangle Cultural Art Gallery cultivates and exhibits art that reflects the triangle's diverse cultural heritage and artistic expression. Through the engagement of cultural art awareness and events, we help build our local community. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: call 919/900-8055 or at (www.triangleculturalart.com).

Randleman



Work from Joseph Sand Pottery

Joseph Sand Pottery, 2555 George York Road, Randleman. **Ongoing** - Featuring wood-fired, salt and ash glazed pottery by Joseph Sand at kiln openings held three times each

year. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 612/518-4051 or 336/460-0259 and at (<http://www.jsspottery.com/>).

New Salem Pottery, 789 New Salem Road, Randleman. **Ongoing** - Established in 1972, New Salem Pottery is owned and operated by Hal Pugh and Eleanor Pinnock-Pugh. Hal and Eleanor produce a variety of original redware and stoneware pottery. Years of work at the wheel and the subtle evolutionary convergence of originality with past traditions make their pottery recognizable by its own style. The slip decorated redware pitcher shown above is illustrative of their art. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/498-2178 or at (www.newsalempottery.com).

Red Springs



Work by Ray Im

Red Springs Artspace, 200 South Main Street, Red Springs. **Dec. 15 - Jan. 26** - "Material Integration II," featuring works by Ray Im. A reception will be held on Jan. 10, from 5-8pm. Ray Im is a Korean-born American lens-based artist and ceramicist. He earned his BFA in Studio Art with a concentration in Photography from Baylor University and an MFA in Ceramics from Cranbrook Academy of Art. He blends traditional techniques of ceramics and photography to create a unique presentation in space. **Ongoing** - Red Springs Artspace is an art gallery located in Red Springs, NC, owned by artists Jeffery Geller and Irina Shin-Geller. The gallery showcases a diverse range of artworks, antiques, and curiosities, providing a platform for local and international artists. With its historic setting and forward-thinking approach, Red Springs Artspace enriches the cultural landscape of its community and beyond. Hours: currently by appt. only. Contact: 910/240-2887 or at (<https://www.redspringsart.space/>).

Salisbury/Spencer

Green Goat Gallery, 516 S. Salisbury Ave., just off I-85, across from the North Carolina Transportation Museum, Spencer. **Ongoing** - Housed in the historic 20th century Sands Building, the gallery features fine and folk art, photography, exquisite handcrafted functional crafts and jewelry, and more. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am -5:30pm. Contact: 704/639-0606 or at (www.greengoatgallery.com).

Pottery 101, 101 S. Main St., from I-85, take exit #76 (Innes St.) toward downtown - we are on the corner of Innes and Main, Salisbury. **Ongoing** - The destination for beautiful hand-crafted pottery. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/209-1632.

Rail Walk Studios & Gallery, 409 – 413 N Lee St., in the Rail Walk Arts District, Salisbury. **Ongoing** - Featuring works on display by Marietta F. Smith, Sharon Forthofer, Karen Frazer, Kenneth Koskela, Elizabeth H. McAdams, Julie Pontell and Keyth Kahrs. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 704/431-8964 or at (www.railwalkgallery.com).

Saluda Area

Main Street Saluda. 2nd Saturdays, from 4-6pm - "Saluda Art Stroll," presented by The Saluda Art Alliance to promote Saluda as an art destination. Walk down Main Street and across the bridge to see what a wonderfully diverse art community Saluda has become. Come on out and see the creativity of the region that is showcased in our little town of Saluda! For more information and to view a map of the area, visit (www.SaludaArtAlliance.com) or email us at (SaludaArt@gmail.com).

Heartwood Contemporary Crafts Gallery, 21 East Main Street, Saluda. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary works of handmade wearables, jewelry, paper, paintings, fine porcelain, stoneware, glass, metal and wood. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/749-9365 or (www.heartwoodsaluda.com).

Jim Carson's Studio/Gallery, 20-2 Main Street, Saluda. **Ongoing** - Carson is a Signature Member of the American Impressionist Society, a Signature Member of Oil Painters of America, a member of Plein Air Painters of

the Southeast (PAPSE), and a member of the historic and venerable Salmagundi Club In New York City. Hours: Fri.&Sat., 11am-5pm, Sun. 1-5pm, also by appt or chance. Contact: 828/749-3702 or at (www.jimcarson.net).

Preserving A Picturesque America Gallery, at Saluda Studios, 144 Highway 176, Saluda. **Ongoing** - Browse the inspiring artwork of our wondrous mountain landscape, all created by local artists who love and want to protect this beautiful place we call home. A portion of all art sales benefits local environmental organizations whose primary focus is protecting and preserving our mountains, rivers, and natural recreation areas. Purchase a piece to beautify your home and help to protect our amazing mountain landscape. Hours: Wed.-Fri., noon-6pm; Sat.&Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/273-5383 or at (www.preservationthroughart.org).

Wood Berry Gallery, 66 E. Main Street, Saluda. **Ongoing** - Wood Berry Gallery is a contemporary art and fine craft gallery located in the heart of historic downtown Saluda. The gallery showcases artists who are unique in their fields. Each artist has their distinctive style and technique. Our craft selection range from blown and cast glass, ceramic sculpture, wood carvings and fine art jewelry. Hours: Tue.- Sat., noon-5:30pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 828/769-9034 or at (www.woodberrygallery.net).

Seagrove Area

Throughout the Seagrove Area, Weekends from Dec. 7 - 21 - "Seagrove Potters Annual Holiday Open House." You're invited to celebrate the holiday season on a self guided pottery tour. Each weekend the pottery shops of Seagrove have special events planned on Saturdays, some on Sundays. Most of all of the shops have normal retail hours but have prepared special work for the December weekends to feature a great selection for your holiday gift needs. For further info visit (www.DiscoverSeagrove.com).

A. Teague Pottery/EJ King Pottery, 2132 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by several potters form the "village" with their traditional shapes of the Seagrove area. Contemporary, electric fired stoneware. Traditional glazes and melted glass glaze. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-5400.

A.R. Britt Pottery, 5650 Hwy. 220 S., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Hand-turned/handmade traditional Seagrove style pottery, original formulated glazes, and functional stoneware in the tradition of Nell Cole Graves style by Aaron R. Britt. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 336/873-7736 or at (www.seagrovepottery.net).

Albright Pottery, 6597 New Center Church Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional, salt glaze and red functional pottery by Arlie G. Albright. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-4209.

Anita's Pottery & Dogwood Gallery, 2513 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Turning since 1987, Anita Morgan is best known for her miniature pottery, but also has many functional and decorative items. Glazes include cobalt blue, burgundy, hunter green, shiny black, yellow, rose pink, earthy brown, lime green and purple. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-3040 or at (www.anitaspottery.com).

Avery Pottery and Tileworks, 636 Potters Way, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Finely crafted ceramic forms by Blaine Avery. Extraordinary vessels, unique hand-painted tiles. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7923 or at (www.averypotteryandtileworks.com).



Work by Ben Owen Pottery

Ben Owen Pottery, 105 Bens Place, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Wood-fired, traditional and contemporary works using local clay by Ben Owen III. Colors ranging from Chinese red to Chinese blue. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm (closed in Jan.). Contact: 336/879-2262 or at (www.benowenpottery.com).

Blue Hen Pottery, 247 West Main Street, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Narrative pots for daily use. Wood-salt stoneware and colorful earthenware. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/653-9551 or at (www.bluehenpottery.com).

Blue Stone Pottery, 2215 Fork Creek Mill Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional, functional stoneware pottery. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2615 or e-mail at (audreyvalone@bellsouth.net).

Bulldog Pottery, 3306 Alt. 220, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Bruce Gholson and Samantha Henneke collaborate to make graceful forms, and develop their own unique glazes. Expect distinctively unusual work at Bulldog Pottery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm and call for Sun. and Mon. Contact: 910/428-9728 or at (www.bulldogpottery.com).

Cagle Road Pottery, 603 Cagle Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring dinnerware and a wide variety of glazes. Electric, gas and wood-fired salt and ash glazes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2802 or e-mail at (caglerdpottery@yahoo.com).

Caldwell-Hohl Artworks, 155 Cabin Trail, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary stoneware, sculptures, large garden urns and contemporary fiber art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (call first). Contact: 336/879-9090 or at (www.caldwellhohl.com).

Callicott Pottery, 5137 Seagrove Plank Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring a good selection of functional stoneware in many colors including brown, black and white, green and burgundy, green and gold, black and burgundy and yellow by Gary Callicott. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7898 or e-mail at (gary51@telco.net).

Carolina Crockery Gallery, 326 Adams

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Dirt Works Pottery, 1226 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary, sculptural and functional pottery; Raku, stoneware, wood-fired and salt glazed by Dan Tiece. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8979 or at (www.dirtworkspottery.com).

Dixieland Pottery, 1162 Cagle Loop Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Hand-turned functional stoneware, colorful glazes to plain earth tones. Specialize in dinnerware, face jugs, etc. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8463.



View inside Donna Craven's showroom

Donna Craven Pottery, 2616 Old Cox Rd., Asheboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring wood-fired salt-glazed, mostly traditional with some decorative and contemporary forms by Donna Craven. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 336/629-8173.

Donna's Pottery Haven, 3432 Brower Mill Road, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring work by Donna Hertzog. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336-879-4776 or e-mail to (hertzog63@gmail.com).

Dover Pottery, 634 NC Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring a variety of colored crystalline ware, freehand-decorated majolica, and raku by Milly, Fiva, and Zeke McCannless, but we also carry ceramic work by Allen McCannless and Stephen Baxter and quilts by Scott Murkin. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-3610 or at (Doverpotteryseagrove.com).

Down To Earth Pottery, 11792 Hwy. 24/27, Carthage. **Ongoing** - Featuring utilitarian and decorative pieces by Jim, Nick & Mary Havner. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/948-2619.

Eck McCannless Pottery, 6077 Old US Hwy. 220, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - The pottery will sell crystalline works made by this second-generation Seagrove potter but, the main focus will be on agateware, which is made by turning several different colors of clay at one time. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. and open all Mon. Holidays. Contact: 336/964-4206 or at (eckmccannlesspottery.com).

The English Potter, 825 Hwy. 705 S., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand thrown porcelain and stoneware pottery by Robert Saxby. Fine stoneware glazes range from copper red to tenmoku. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10a-5pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 336/879-1352 or at (www.english-potter.com).

Fat Beagle Pottery, 719 Potter's Way Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring wheel-turned, gas-fired, functional and contemporary stoneware. Also features uniquely stunning, pit-fired vases. Hours: Tue., Thur. Fri., Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 336/953-0608 or e-mail at (fatbeaglepottery@hughes.net).

Fiber and Fire Gallery, 253 E Main Street, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - A gallery of wearable fiber art by Kathy Fernandez. "Sewing has been a part of my life since I was a child. Successful sewing includes the ability to "see" how fabric and design complement one another." Hours: call for hours. Contact: 336/872-4007 or at (www.fiberandfire.net).

Fireshadow Pottery, 244 Falls Dr., Eagle Springs. **Ongoing** - Featuring one-of-a-kind "primitive elegant" ceramic art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/673-8317 or at (www.fireshadow.com).

Frank Neef Pottery, 258 East Main Street, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring decorative and functional porcelain, elaborate cut out designs, with crystalline and celadon glazes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 336/872-4013 or at (www.potteryby-frankneef.com).

Freeman Pottery, 1147 McDuffie Rd., Eagle Springs. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-turned miniatures 1/2 to 2 inches, functional ware decorated with farm scenes and vessel puzzles. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/673-2044 or e-mail at (bfoushee@triad.rr.com).

From The Ground Up Pottery, 172 Crestwood Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring handmade pottery by Michael Mahan and his two children, Chelsea and Levi. Tree platters, meditation bells, dinnerware, and southwestern glaze. Contemporary and traditional forms. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm (call ahead). Contact: 910/464-6228 or at (www.fromthegrounduppots.com).

Graham Chriscoe Pottery, 2719 220 N., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Functional hand-thrown pottery using glazes of white, brown, burgundy, cobalt blue, teal blue, red and Christmas green. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/428-4536.

Great White Oak Gallery, 437 N. Broad St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional thrown forms and hand-built pottery by Benjamin Burns and Bonnie Burns. Exquisitely glazed and hand decorated with rare unusual glazes and hand-painted motifs. Hours: daily 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8066 or at (www.greatwhiteoakgallery.com).

Hatfield Pottery, 187 Atkinson Farm Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional and whimsical art deco, as well as folk styles of hand turned pottery by Morgan Hatfield. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-8458.

Hickory Hill Pottery, 4539 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional shapes of the area, stoneware that is functional and beautiful. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-3166.

His Hands Pottery, 7029 New Center Church Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional, decorative, folk art, and Biblical pieces by Jeanette Lowdermilk. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan.-Mar.). Contact: 336/879-5866 or e-mail at (rlowdermilk@rtmc.net).

Humble Mill Pottery, 121 N Broad St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring classical and traditional stoneware influenced by 2 years of work in Japan by Charlotte Wooten. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7145 or at (www.humblemillpottery.com).



Works from JLK Jewelry

JLK Jewelry at Jugtown, 330 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Jennie Lorette Keatts takes clay to a different level! She hand makes pottery cabochons and sets them in sterling silver or 14K and 18K gold, copper, brass and semi-precious stones. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-2653 or at (www.jlkjewelry.com).



Work by Fred Johnston of Johnston & Gentithes

Johnston and Gentithes Art Pottery, 741 Fork Creek Mill Road, Whynot. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional and contemporary museum-quality pottery and sculpture by Fred Johnston and Carol Gentithes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-

5pm (call first). Contact: 336/873-9176 or at (www.johnstonandgentithes.com).

Jugtown Pottery, 330 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Celebrating 100 years of operation. Featuring handmade wood and gas-fired dinnerware, vases and jars by Vernon Owens, Pam Owens and Travis Owens. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-3266 or at (www.jugtownware.com).

Keith Martindale Pottery, Boyd Dr., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional and decorative pottery with a new red glaze and an ocean glaze by Keith Martindale. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-3pm & Sun. 1-5pm (closed Jan.-Mar.). Contact: 336/302-3571 or at (www.keithmartindalepottery.com).

King's Pottery, 4905 Reeder Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Hand-turned traditional stoneware. Wood-fired salt glaze. Folk pottery. face jugs, and more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/381-3090 or at (www.kingspottery.com).

Kovack Pottery, 1298 Fork Creek Mill Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-turned, hand-painted, lead-free functional stoneware and wood-fired, salt-glazed pottery by Craig Kovack and Michelle Kovack. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8727 or at (www.geocities.com/kovackpottery/).

Kluba Ceramics, 106 N. Broad Street, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring pottery by Nicole Kluba. "I like to create moody and alternative styled pottery. Every piece in my shop is hand-made, hand glazed, and individually designed by me. I am a 5th generation potter here in Seagrove. My great grandfather, Stephen Richardson, was a potter and created pottery throughout the late 1800's and early 1900's. My great grandfather, Wendell Richardson, also resided and created pottery here in Seagrove throughout the early 1900's. My grandfather, Robert "Bobby" Richardson, resided and created pottery here in Seagrove as well. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7280 or e-mail at (klubaceramicsnc@gmail.com).

Lantern Hill Pottery, 110 East Avenue, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - We focus on making our pottery that is not only hand-crafted and an enjoyment to use, but also beautiful in their own form of art to be seen and held by all. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 11am-5pm. Contact: 336-873-8222 or at (www.lanternhill-pottery.com).

Latham's Pottery, 7297 US Hwy 220 S., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional and traditional stoneware by Bruce and Janice Latham. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7303 or e-mail at (lathampottery@embarqmail.com).

Levi Mahan Pottery, 1423 NC Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Wood-fired pottery made from local materials. SEasonal kiln openings. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 336/480-7808 or at (www.LeviMahan.com).

Lovin Hills Pottery, 564 Loving Hill Rd., Candor. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-thrown functional and decorative pieces. Known for hand carved pottery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan.-Mar.). Contact: 910/974-7787 or e-mail at (lhsspottery@connectnc.net).

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Work from Luck's Ware

Luck's Ware, 1606 Adams Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Traditional, utilitarian pottery forms in a wide range of colors including Sid Luck's "CRAWDAD" slip. Salt-glazed stoneware from wood-fired groundhog kiln. Pottery turned by son Matt, a 6th generation potter, also available. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-3261 or e-mail at (lucksware@rtmc.net).

Lufkin Pottery, 7437 Hwy 220 S., Asheboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring jewel tone glazes and specialize in kitchenware and functional pieces by Sally Lufkin Saylor. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm (closed Wed.). Contact: 336/873-8764 or e-mail at (sallythepotter@aol.com).

Macon A Mess Pottery, 213 East Main Street, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Breanna Macon. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 336/953-3927.

Maness Pottery, 10995 Hwy. 24/27, Carthage. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional and decorative pieces in all colors except red by Clyde Maness. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/948-4897.

MasterWorks, 246 East Ave., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring antique, traditional, and contemporary pottery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7779.

Matthew Kelly Pottery, 4818 Seagrove Plank Road, Asheboro. **Ongoing** - Decorative and functional handmade stoneware by Matthew & Danielle Kelly. Wood-fired salt glazes, meticulous slip work, on dinnerware, ornaments, and jewelry. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 919/244-7445 or e-mail at (matthewkellypottery@gmail.com).

McCannless Pottery, 634 NC Hwy 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring Zinc Silicate crystalline glazes by Will McCannless. Also featuring wood-fired pottery by David Stuemplfe and Daniel Johnston. Hours: daily 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-3610 or at (www.mccannless-pottery.com).

McKay Pottery, 2596 Pottery Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional shape including face jugs and Aladdin teapots. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-4255.

McNeills Pottery, 1208 Upper Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-built one-of-a-kind designs in porcelain and stoneware by Judy McNeill. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336 879-3002.

Michele Hastings & Jeff Brown Pottery, 505 E Main Street, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Michele Hastings and Jeff Brown. Hours: Mon.,Tues., Thur., Fri., Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-1001 or at (www.gypspotters.com).

Moore Pots Pottery, 333 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional and folk art pottery; candlesticks, Rebekah pitchers, and chickens; wood fired salt glazes. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-1453.

Nicholas Havner Pottery, 1576 Leaman Road, Robbins. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Nick Havner. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 864-205-9790 or e-mail at (NicholasHavnerPottery@gmail.com).

Nichols Pottery, 1400 Hwy. 705 S., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Country yet classic, functional and decorative. Hand-thrown stoneware with timeless appeal, including an ongoing Biblical appeal. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & (Oct.-Dec.) Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/948-4392 or at (www.nicholspotterysshop.com).

O'Quinn Pottery, 4456 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring multi-colored gas fired functional and decorative pottery by Sandra O Quinn. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-5125.

Old Gap Pottery, 944 NC Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Contemporary in design; oriental in nature. One-of-a-kind stoneware, Raku, and porcelain by Phillip Pollet. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4 (call ahead). Contact: 336-873-7664.

Old Hard Times Pottery, 7672 Union Grove Church Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional, as well as utilitarian and decorative pottery. Salt glaze, red glaze, and a variety of colors. Dinnerware, face jugs, angels and luminaries by Janey McNeill. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2481 or e-mail at (oldhardtimes@rtmc.net).

Old House Pottery, 236 Beane Lane, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional stoneware by Fred Beane. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2052.

Original Owens Pottery, 3728 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring gray ware with flower designs and other painting, blues, and lots of red ware by Boyd Owens. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 910/464-3553.

Pebbles Pottery, 7127 Hwy. 705, Eagle Springs. **Ongoing** - Hand-turned functional & decorative stoneware with lead-free glazes by Pebbles Bryson. Hand-carved folk art scenes & dogwoods. North Carolina vases are my special items. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan.). Contact: 910/948-4120 or e-mail at (PebblesPottery@NCTconnect.com).

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Phil Morgan Pottery, 966 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring 100% hand-thrown pottery, crystalline glazed porcelain, wood fired salt-glaze, stoneware, and copper red glazes by Phil Morgan. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7304.

Piney Woods Pottery, 1430 Ether Rd., Star. **Ongoing** - Sculpted pottery figures - snowmen, clowns and angels; hand appliqués and functional pottery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/572-3554.

Pottery Junction, 413 E. Main St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring strong forms drawing inspiration from all cultures, history, and tradition. Thoughtful designs and some of my own "whimsy" pieces as well as useful art collection by Regina Vonnannon. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Thur.). Contact: 336/873-9266.

Pottery Road Studio and Gallery, 1387 NC S Hwy. 705, 6 miles south of Seagrove town limits. **Ongoing** - Named after the scenic byway which runs through the Seagrove pottery community, the gallery represents over 100 exclusive artists from NC as well as other areas of the country. Potters, Don and Susan Walton work in a studio attached to the front gallery with a window so that visitors can see the day to day tasks of pottery production. A large selection of art stamps by Rubber Stamp Tapestry is also located in the gallery. Come see both functional and contemporary pottery along with other fine crafts at Pottery Road. Hours: Tue. - Sat., 10am-5pm, & closed major holidays. Contact: 336-879-2600 or (info@potteryroad.com).

Potts Pottery, 630 East Main St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring many colors of functional tableware, wood-fired salt-glaze and wood ash glazes by Jeff Potts. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-9660.

New Location Ray Pottery, 2435 Alt. US Hwy. 220 N., Star. **Ongoing** - Featuring high-quality, gas-fired stoneware by Paul and Sheila Ray. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-6707 or at (www.paulandshelaray.com).

Red Hare Pottery and Gifts, 191 Barken Haller Lane, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Nature is my favorite muse for my hand decorated pottery. People fine it hard to believe it is microwaveable and dish washer safe but function is important to me. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 336/879-9855.

Richardson Pottery, 5466 Joel Jessup Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Functional & decorative stoneware, microwave, oven and dishwasher safe by Susan & Danny Richardson. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-5672.

Rockhouse Pottery, 1792 Hwy. 705 S., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring Salt glaze and hand carved grapes, dogwood, pines, tulips, oak leaves and chili peppers on pots by Carolyn Poole. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2053 or at (www.rtmc.net/~rockhouse).

Scott's Pottery, 143 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional hand-made pottery by Tina Scott. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-2306 or e-mail at (tscoft72@rtmc.net).

Seagrove Creations Pottery Gallery, 354 Little River Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Showcasing over 60+ potters and arts from craftsmen within the Seagrove area. Hours: (Apr.-Dec.) Mon.-Sat., 9am-6pm & Sun., 1-6pm (Jan.-Mar.) Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7204 or at (www.potteryofseagrove.com).

Seagrove Pottery, 106 N Broad St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by 50 local potters functional and decorative pieces. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7280.

Seagrove Stoneware, 136 West Main St., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Functional and decorative stoneware vases, bowls, lamps, dinnerware, fountains, and floor pieces. All wheel turned and unique glazes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/873-8283 or at (www.seagrovestoneware.com).

Semper Fi Pottery, 481 King Road, off of Business 220 S. before you get to Blackankle Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - A family owned and operated business. We are not the traditional pot-

ters that you would more than likely see around Seagrove. We like to make each and every piece that we create unique. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/975-1215.

Shelton's Pottery, 391 Cagle Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring salt glaze and purple, red, yellow, yellow w/blue, green, blue, dark blue, light blue, specks, sponge colors, blue w/ brown, brown, and beige glazes by Mitchell & Sherri Shelton. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 9am-5pm (Oct.-Mar.). Contact: 336/963-2444 or e-mail at (sheltonspottery@rtmc.net).

Smith Pottery, 743 South Hwy 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Spirited - imaginative - unique "art pottery" handcrafted by the Smith family. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-1174 or at (www.smithpotteryinc.com).



Works from Snowhill Pottery & Tileworks

Snowhill Pottery & Tileworks, 402 East Main Street, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring handmade tile, stoneware sculpture, porcelain jewelry, and slip-trailed pottery by Laura Weant-Johnson. Also also custom tile installations. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/301-6681.

Stuemplfe Pottery, 1224 Dover Church Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring pottery with expressive shapes and natural surfaces by David Stuemplfe. Hours: during kiln openings and by appt. Contact: 910/464-2689 or at (www.stuemplfepottery.com).

Studio Touya, 4911 Busbee Road, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Studio Touya is a handmade pottery studio located in Seagrove, where Hitomi and Takuro Shibata set up studio and built a Japanese style wood kiln. Our focus is to make simple and functional pottery by using local wild clay and wood firing technique. We named our pottery as "Touya" when we started our small pottery studio in Shigaraki, Japan, and it literary means "pottery house" in Japanese which we really like. Contact: (336)510-7385 or at (www.studioutouya.com).

Teague's Frogtown Pottery, 179 Frogtown Rd., Eagle Springs. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional, hand-thrown pottery that is all lead-free by Jean Teague. We specialize in dinnerware, cookware, lamps, vases, and Christmas ornaments. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/948-3540.

The Gingerbread House Pottery, 246 Old Plank Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring decorative and functional cone 6 electric fired pieces by Suzanne Bettis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan. & Feb.). Contact: 336/873-7762 or e-mail at (suzanbett9@yahoo.com).

The Triangle Studio, 1140 NC-705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Located near downtown Seagrove, this studio and gallery space is a collaboration between ceramic artists Kate Waltman (formerly Kate Johnston) and Erin Young, as well as guest ceramic artists Bill Jones, Andrew Dutcher, and Margaret Larson. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 10am to 4pm. Contact: 336/872-1027 or at (<https://thetrianglестudio.com/>).



Works from Thomas Pottery

Thomas Pottery, 1295 S. Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional and decorative stoneware pottery by Scott and Bobbie Thomas. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact:

336/879-4145 or at (www.thomaspottery.com).

Tom Gray Pottery, 1480 Fork Creek Mill Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring wheel thrown and hand built utilitarian wares fired in a gas-fired car kiln to cone 10 utilizing local clay in slip decoration and glazes by Tom Gray. Glazes are primarily mattes. Shapes of serving pieces and dinner ware include square and oval as well as round. Hours: Mn.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8270 or at (www.n2clay.com).

Triple C Pottery, 3267 Big Oak Church Rd., Eagle Springs. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-thrown functional and decorative pieces, with a variety of lead-free glazes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/948-3635 or at (www.triplecpottery.com).

Turn and Burn Pottery, 124 East Ave., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring traditional Seagrove salt-glazed and wood-fired stoneware. Contemporary Raku and horsehair by David and Deborah Garner. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7381 or at (www.turnandburnpottery.com).

Uwharrie Crystalline Pottery, 112 East Ave., Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring crystalline pottery (the art of growing crystals on vases), raku, and functional stoneware by William & Pamela Kennedy. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7532 or e-mail at (uwharriecrystalline@embarqmail.com).

Vernon Pottery, 1066 Chriscoe Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing**

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create beautiful stoneware pottery in their Blue Ridge mountain studio. Cater Pots are fired to cone 6 oxidation, so all functional pottery is food, dishwasher, microwave, and oven safe. Cater Pots mixes their own glazes and applies them to the bisqueware in attractive combinations by various means including dipping, brushing and spraying. Hours: Mostly Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm - call ahead. Contact: 336/372-4604 or at (<http://www.caterpots.com>).

Mangum Pottery of Turkey Knob, 280 Turkey Hollow Lane, Sparta. **Ongoing** - Featuring pottery and ceramic art by Robin Mangum in a wide variety of function and form. Hours: hours vary so call ahead. Contact: 336/372-5291 or (<http://www.mangumpottery.com>).

Spruce Pine

Bob Doster's Backstreet Studio II, 962 Oak Avenue, Spruce Pine. **Ongoing** - Indoor gallery and outdoor exhibits featuring works by Doster. Hours: during special events and by appointment. Contact: 803/287-7566 or at (www.bobdoster.com).

Statesville

Village Pot Shop Fine Arts and Crafts Gallery, 248 N. Center St., 2 Blocks North of the Center of town on the right, Statesville. **Ongoing** - Our mission is to provide a showcase for local and regional artists and artisans, providing high-quality decorative and functional arts and crafts to patrons with an eye for the finer things. Our arts and crafts galleries feature handmade jewelry, blown glass, woodwork, regional pottery, metalwork, mosaics, hand-woven fibers, paintings and more. So, whether you are interested in: vases, bowls, paper weights, fanciful ornaments, stained glass, sun-catchers, decorative boxes, exquisite bowls turned from found pieces of wood, each one of a kind, watercolors, baskets, ceramics, fine photography, prints, collages or oil paintings. We also offer classes and workshops by local and regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10:30am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 704/380-4689.

Sylva

Karcher Stone Carving Studio & Gallery, 260 North Beta Road, off US 74, Sylva. **Ongoing** - Featuring a working studio and gallery with stone carvings by Colene Karcher, executed in marble, alabaster, and limestone with steel and aluminum introduced at times. Hours: by appt only. Contact: 828/586-4813 or at (www.colenekarcher.com).

Tryon

Carri Bass Photography and Art Studio, 158 N. Trade Street, Tryon. **Ongoing** - Carri Bass Art studio is located in the heart of Tryon. It is in a wonderful old building with great lighting and a dedicated studio section, in addition to gallery space for monthly art exhibits. Hours: by appt. Contact: 864/598-9880 or st ([carribass.com](http://www.carribass.com)).



Work by Chuck Mattern

80SIX Gallery of Contemporary Art, 86 North Trade Street, Tryon. **Ongoing** - Conveniently located in beautiful downtown Tryon, NC, 80SIX gallery hosts regional and local artists inspired by the natural beauty of the Carolina Foothills and beyond. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 11am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 828/699-3584 or e-mail at (blueberryhill@windstream.net).

Mirrorball Gallery, 84 Paoclet Street, Tryon. **Ongoing** - Explore Mirrorball, a captivating art space nestled in downtown Tryon, NC. Whether you're an art enthusiast, collector, or passerby, our gallery invites you to experience a blend of cultures, creative expressions, and contemporary art. Our exhibitions are carefully curated to tell engaging stories and immerse visitors in thought-provoking artworks. Collaborating



Work by William Tripp

with artists, curators, and collectors, we delve into contemporary themes, social issues, and cultural perspectives, aiming to spark conversations and challenge traditional notions of art. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-4pm & Sun., noon-3pm or by appt. Contact: 833/837-8005 or e-mail to (hello@mirroballgallery.org).

Wadesboro

Olde Mill Gallery & Studios, Lockhart-Taylor Center, 514 N. Washington St., Wadesboro. **Ongoing** - At the gallery visitors will see artwork by regional artists which includes: original paintings in oil, acrylic & watercolor, that range from landscapes to abstracts; photography; works in copper and copper repousse; ceramic creations, custom sculptured and functional; art glass jewelry, jewelry made from beads of Swarovski crystal; hand-stitched quilts of exquisite designs; hand painted goblets, pitchers and vases; wood sculptures and turnings, and more. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm; Fri., 10am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 704/272-5464 or at (www.oldemillgallery.org).

Washington

River Walk Gallery, 139 West Main Street, Washington. **Ongoing** - Located in downtown Washington, the gallery is a stone's throw away from the historic Pamlico River in beautiful Beaufort County, North Carolina. The gallery offers a stunning variety of fine art and high quality craft from local artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/974-0400 or at (www.Riverwalkgallery.com).

Waxhaw

Stewart's Village Gallery, 116 McDonald St., Waxhaw. **Ongoing** - Featuring pottery by Bill Stewart, as well as works by over 300 other artists including both decorative and functional handmade pieces. The gallery is filled with pottery, jewelry, wrought iron, garden accents, decorative whimsy and so much more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 704/843-5638 or at (www.stewartsvillagegallery.com).

Waynesville

Balsam Ridge Gallery, 44 North Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Fine art gallery featuring paintings of Western NC mountain vistas and beyond. Hours: daily 11am-6pm, but call ahead. Contact: 828/234-1616.

Cedar Hill Gallery, 196 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the art of Gretchen Clasby and 83 incredible artisans. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 828/421-6688 or at (<https://www.cedarhillstudio.com/>).

Jo Ridge Kelly Fine Art, a gallery and teaching studio, 136 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the painting of Jo Ridge Kelly. Hours: Thur.-Sat., noon-6pm and Sun.-Wed., by chance or appt. Contact: 828/226-0549 or at (www.JoKelley.com).

Moose Crossing's Burl Wood Gallery, 101 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring rustic Burl furniture with an elegant finish. Two generations of Metzgers, source, design and craft burl. We are fortunate to have talented craftsmen working with us. It is our pleasure to coordinate efforts as a team. The focus is on the end product as an art piece. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/452-2550 or at (<https://burl-gallery.com/products/burl-wood-sculpture>).

T. Pennington Art Gallery, 15 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring pencil drawings of local scenery, and landmarks by Teresa Pennington, including originals, prints and gift items. Also framing is available. Hours: Mon.-sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/452.9284 or at (www.tpennington.com).

The Jeweler's Workbench, 80 N. Main St., Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Specializing in fine hand-crafted jewelry, custom design and repair, limited edition watches and jewelry boxes. Featuring award-winning artists of the Great Smoky Mountains and from across the country. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 828/456-2260.

Twigs & Leaves, 98 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the nature-related porcelain works with leaves by Kaaren Stoner, as well as other works by regional artists and craftsmen. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 828/456-1940 or at (www.twig-sandleaves.com).

Weaverville

Mangum Gallery, 16 North Main Street, Weaverville. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional and decorative pottery dinnerware. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm and Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/645-4929 or (www.mangumpottery.com).

Miya Gallery, 31 N. Main St., Weaverville. **Ongoing** - The gallery is a new and refreshing addition to the WNC art scene. We exhibit work of over 50 artists: fine jewelry, clay, wood, glass, metal, fiber, photography and two dimensional art. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 828-658-9655 or at (www.miyagallery.com).

West Jefferson/Jefferson

Ashe Custom Framing & Gallery, 105 S. Jefferson Ave., West Jefferson. **Ongoing** - Featuring a varied selection of originals and prints by local and regional artists. Also, a wide array of pottery and handcrafted wooden vases. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/246-2218.

Broomfields Gallery, 414 E. 2nd St. (across from the post office), West Jefferson. **Ongoing** - Featuring an exhibition of works by NC and SC artists in various mediums in a setting of quality antiques. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/846-4141 or at (www.broomfieldsgallery.com).

CatchLight Gallery, 118 N Jefferson Avenue, West Jefferson. **Ongoing** - The CatchLight gallery is dedicated solely to the art of photography. In the Spring of 2012, photographer Nicole Robinson decided to create a space where talented photographers would have an opportunity to display and sell their work. A beautiful gallery space grew from a dream into a wonderful reality, evolving into a haven which became available to both the photographers and the viewing public in the arts district of downtown West Jefferson, NC. Hours: Mon., Thur., Fri., & Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/846-1551 or at (www.CatchLightGallery.net).

Prack Studio / Sculpture Garden, 431 Sunny-side Park Road, Jefferson. **Ongoing** - Featuring sculptures by Mary-Ann Prack. Hours: open by appt only. Contact: 828/406-7046 or at (www.prackart.com).

Stephen Shoemaker Studio, 113 S. Jefferson Ave., West Jefferson. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works by watercolorist Stephen Shoemaker. Specializing in historic landscapes and paintings of places and events in/of Ashe County and the area. The "Virginia Creeper" train series is particularly popular. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm or by chance. Contact: 336/246-3401.

Wilmington

ACME Art Studios, 711 N. 5th Ave., downtown Wilmington. **Through Dec. 15** - "Photographs: Right Before Our Eyes," featuring works by four local photographers see the world around them: Bill Boney, Lee Crouch, Bill Farris and Willi Fridrich. **Ongoing** - Featuring artists' studios with works by Cass Baes, Gary Breecce, Todd Carignan, Phil Covington, Karen Paden Crouch, MJ Cunningham, Dumay Gorham, Amy Grant, Stephanie Holt, Fritz Huber, Marshall Milton, Trey Moore, Allan Nance, Dick Roberts, Angela Rowe, Pam Toll, Michael Van Hout, and Mark Weber. Hours: Every 4th Friday Night, 6-9pm and by appointment. Contact: Amy Grant via email at granttamyn@gmail.com, call 910/805-8424, or view Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/acmeartstudios>.

Art in Bloom Gallery, 6866 Main Street, Mayfaire Town Center, Wilmington. **Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "Painted Powerfully," featuring new pastels by Jeri Greenberg. **Through Jan. 5, 2025** - "Frogs & Friends," featuring conservation art by Jessie Robertson. **Ongoing** - Online and in the gallery, visitors will find a mixture of traditional and contemporary paintings, sculpture, jewelry, ceramics, glass, fabric, wood, photography, and mixed media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm; Sun,

noon-6pm; and by appt. Contact: 484/885-3037 (mobile) or visit (<https://aibgallery.com/>).

Beck Fine Art Gallery, inside the Artworks building, 200 Willard Street (between S. Third and S. Front Streets) Wilmington. **Ongoing** - The gallery is founded by Dan Beck, an internationally renowned and award-winning impressionist painter whose figures, still life and landscape paintings have been exhibited across the country. The other exceptionally talented and accomplished resident artists include Kari Feuer, Susan Fishbein, Ann Hair, Pappy Khouri, Heidi-Lee Peach, Ora Sorensen, Peggy Vineyard and Jenny McKinnon Wright. Current guest artists are celebrated painters Richard Oversmith and Jove Wang. Ceramic artist Mark Hewitt's work is also displayed at the gallery. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 910/707-4336 or at (www.beckfineart.com).

Bottega Art & Wine Gallery, 723 N. 4th Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional and international artists in a variety of media. Hours: Tue.-Wed., 1-10pm and Thur.-Sat., 1pm-midnight. Contact: 910/399-4872 or at (www.bottegageallery.com).



Works from Charles Jones African Art

Charles Jones African Art, 311 Judges Road, Unit 6-E, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - A gallery dedicated to the traditional arts of West and Central Africa, with over 35 years experience in building fine collections for collectors and museums. Inquiries are welcome. Consultation, research and appraisal services available for individuals, estates and institutions by ISA certified appraiser, Maura Kropke. Exhibitions arranged and curated with essays by major scholars. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 7:30am-4:30pm. Contact: 910/794-3060 or at (<https://charles-jonesafricanart.com/>).

Dan Beck Studio, 857 Village Road, Leland. **Ongoing** - features some of the best in national talent for representational and abstract art. Being the studio of award-winning artist, Dan Beck. The other exceptionally talented and accomplished resident artists include Kari Feuer, Susan Fishbein, Ann Hair, Pappy Khouri, Heidi-Lee Peach, Ora Sorensen, Peggy Vineyard and Jenny McKinnon Wright. Current guest artists are celebrated painters Richard Oversmith and Jove Wang. Ceramic artist Mark Hewitt's work is also displayed at the gallery. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm; Sun. noon-5pm; and 4th Fri., 6-9pm. Contact: 910-299-8288 or at (www.beckfineart.com).

Eclipse Artisan Boutique, 203 Racine Drive, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Eclipse is an artisan boutique in Wilmington, NC, filled with one of a kind eclectic pieces, original fine art, North Carolina pottery, and custom furniture from local and regional artisans. A gallery with a personality all its own! Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 910/799-9883 or at (eclipseartisanboutique.com).

ERA 20th Century Furniture and Art Gallery, 523 South 3rd St., Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Inviting emerging artists of all sorts, to fill the quiet space with cutting edge art that not only is pleasant to view, but also thought-provoking. Unique modern furnishings from the mid-20th century complement the contemporary art. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 910/612-0542.

Gallery Citrine, 17 S 2nd Street, Wilmington. **Through Dec. 29** - "5th Annual Small Works Show." **Ongoing** - Featuring works by BJ Gimmer, PD Chisholm, Kathy Schrum Peck, Nancy Lang Miller, Brooke Eagle, Deb Williams, Merow Wheatley, Sue Cunningham, Chris Pfund, Donna Launey, and Robin Jones. Hours: Thur.-Sun., noon-4:30pm or by appt.

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Contact: e-mail to (gallerycitrine@gmail.com) or at (<https://gallerycitrine.com/>).

Janet B. Sessoms Studio @ the ArtWorks, 200 Willard Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Janet B. Sessoms. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 910/840-0208, e-mail at (jbessoms47@ec.rc.com) or at (www.janetb-sessoms.com).

New Elements Gallery, 271 North Front Street, Wilmington. **Through Jan. 17** - "NEG's Annual Holiday Show" **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional and nationally recognized artists. We offer a wide variety of contemporary fine art and craft, including paintings, sculpture, ceramics, glass, fiber, jewelry and wood. Hours: Tue-Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 910/343-8997 or at (www.newelementsgallery.com).

Port City Pottery & Fine Crafts, at The Cotton Exchange, 307 North Front Street, Wilmington. **Through Dec. 27** - Featuring works by weaver Sally Fagon. **Ongoing** - Celebrating ten years in business, Port City Pottery & Fine Crafts, in the historic Cotton Exchange in downtown Wilmington, is the first gallery in Wilmington dedicated exclusively to local, handmade, one-of-a-kind, three-dimensional art and craft by jury-selected coastal North Carolina artisans. We present decorative and functional works in clay, fiber/textiles, gourds, baskets, jewelry, mixed media, glass and wood in a beautiful setting in this early 20th century historic building. Handmade objects, whether held, worn, or displayed, enrich our lives by connecting us with our humanity, creativity, and our history. It is evident when you enter Port City Pottery & Fine Crafts that all of the Gallery members are pursuing not only art but their passion. Hours: Mon-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun. noon-4pm. Contact: 910/763-7111 or at (www.portcitypottery.com).

Sarah Diana Fine Art, 19 Market Street B., Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Sarah Diana Herzog is a self taught artist, mediocre handy woman, mom of two amazing humans, and lover of all things that bring people joy. My sunlit studio is nestled in Historic Downtown Wilmington - where I call "home." I have been painting professionally for five years, and my passion is to develop lasting relationships with art lovers and collectors. I value connecting on a personal level through meaningful conversation with clients. Hours: daily 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/619-0287 or at (sarahdianafineart.com).

Soda Pop Gallery, 1120 Princess Street, Soda Pop District, Wilmington. **Through Dec. 22** - "Holiday Market," featuring works by Jonathan Summit, Eleanor Gaynor Summit, Mark Weber, Helene Icard, Chris Capen, Fritz Huber, Anne McCombie, Renato Abbate, Jean Dobbs Fonvielle, Todd Carignan, Sarah Rushing Doss, Michelle Connolly, and Jonathan Grogan. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Mark Weber, Todd Carignan, Jean Dobbs Fonvielle, Jonathan Summit, and Eleanor Gaynor. Hours: Thur.-Fri., 10am-2pm; Sat., noon-3pm; & 4th Fri., 6-9pm or by appt. Contact: 910/4-9-5628.

The Art Factory, 21 Surry Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - We are located in the warehouse district on the edge of beautiful Historic Downtown Wilmington, North Carolina. In addition to our retail galleries, the Art Factory Gallery houses a number of studios for working artists and a Wine Bar featuring distinctive Yadkin Valley North Carolina wines, available by the glass while you enjoy the galleries. Hours: call about hours. Contact: 910/399-3793 or visit (<https://www.facebook.com/ArtFactoryGallery/>).

The ArtWorks, 200 Willard Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - In Gallery Verrazzano, we feature all the art created by the ArtWorks™ Artists and visiting Artists. The gallery features different mediums throughout the gallery! You are free to walk around and admire or even purchase the art work around the gallery. **Ongoing** - The ArtWorks is an art village providing art studios, gallery space, and an event venue, fostering a creative environment for artists, educational opportunities, and enhancement of the Wilmington community, through art. Our Mission is to enhance the community, assist the artist, contribute to the revitalization of downtown Wilmington, to preserve Wilmington's commercial landmarks, and to increase the livelihood of local artists and provide a place to create and display all types of art. Hours: Wed., 11am-5pm and 2nd & 4th Saturdays, 10am-3 or by appt. Contact: 910/352-7077 or at (<http://www.theartworks.co/>).

The Golden Gallery, @ The Cotton Exchange, 307 N. Front St., Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by John W. Golden and Mary Ellen

Golden. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 910/762-4651 or at (www.thegoldengallery.com).

Alternative Art Spaces - Wilmington **Berkshire Hathaway**, 21b Market Street (between Front & Water) Wilmington. **Through Jan. 20** - "Southport Artists Winter Exhibition," featuring works by Kristen Dorsey, Marian MacKerker, Luanne Paisley, and Joy Rademacher. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 910/342-0155.

Intracoastal Realty Corporation, 228 N. Front Street, Suite 101, Wilmington. **Through Jan. 12** - "The Brush and the Lens," featuring works by Gwen Reneee and Melissa Dupuis. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/256-4503.

Wilson

Artisan Leaf, 113/115 Tarboro Street SW, Wilson. **Ongoing** - We have reimaged tobacco as a decorative surface, taking this innately unique leaf and applying it to make one-of-a-kind tobacco leaf furniture, panels, architectural components and decorative accessories. Offering a naturally inspired vision, our products are available in a variety of stunning shades and tones providing a timeless look. Contemporary or traditional, sophisticated or rustic, Artisan Leaf will enhance any room or space. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 2-5:30pm & Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 252/674-1223 or at (<https://artisanleaf.com/>).



Work by Burk Uzzle

Burk Uzzle Studio, 106 Douglas Street E, Poplin. **Ongoing** - Burk Uzzle's career, like his pictures, is a nuanced composition blending American culture, individual psyches of particular places and people, and an atypical way of seeing ourselves, our values, and our community. Always respectful yet locating the poignant or quirky, the history of his narrative belongs to all of us. Initially grounded in documentary photography when he was the youngest photographer hired by "LIFE magazine" at age 23, his work grew into a combination of split-second impressions reflecting the human condition during his tenure as a member of the prestigious international Magnum cooperative founded by one of his mentors Henri Cartier-Bresson. His archive spans almost six decades. His current work rests deep in photographic appreciation of the quiet, strong, and eloquent beauty he discovers in America's small towns and its people. It is along small back roads, lined with feelings and a surety of surprise for the heart wide open, that continue to support his understanding of how America keeps its personality out on a limb. Uzzle's current bodies of work (some of which are African-American) are artful and constructed reflections of his subjects. His hope is for a graphic presentation of something universal within the particular, and all the better when involving a gentle chuckle and knowing smile. He is represented by SOCO Gallery in Charlotte, NC and Tracy Morgan Gallery in Asheville, NC. Hours: by appt. Contact: 252/363-1812 or e-mail to (burk@burkuzzle.com).

House of Van Baars Gallery, 104 Douglas Street E, Wilson. **Ongoing** - Frans van Baars has been a visual artist for more than sixty years. A graduate of the Ivy School of Art in Pittsburgh, PA, in 1969, he has been painting eye catching subjects on location. His collection ranges from barns in Ohio, to coastal scenes on North Carolina's Outer Banks. van Baars has traveled throughout the United States, Europe, and several other continents to capture the splendor of majestic architecture and the beauty of nature. He finds home in Wilson with his wife Brenda. Hours: by appt. Contact: 252/230-9797 or at (<https://houseofvanbaars.com/>).

Iconostar Art Studio and Park, 224 Goldsboro Street SW, Wilson. **Ongoing** - Featuring sculptures by Elizabeth Laul Healey. Iconostars are made with the artist's signature "Circles of Life" motif. They represent loved ones, animals, and our precious Mother Earth. Each circle is unique and has its own backstory. All Iconostars have one thing in common, they each have clear eyes so that any person who looks at them can have the ability to see themselves through their eyes. The Iconostar sculptures are made from a variety of materials including, glass tile, stones and crystals, watches, drawer handles, sea shells, miscellaneous found objects, and love. Their bases are made from foam, PVC pipes filled with sand, rebar, wood, glue, grout and more. Hours: Thur., noon-10pm; Fri. & Sat., noon-6pm; or by appt. Contact: 310/488-1834 or at (<https://elizabethlauhaley.com/>).

The Edge Wilson, 127 Barnes Street W, Wilson. **Ongoing** - The Edge Wilson is Art + Gallery+ Studio + Loft. Hours: Thur. + Fri., noon-6pm (1st Fri., 4-8pm); Sat., noon-5pm; Sun., 1-4pm. or by appt. Contact: 919/271-7971 or e-mail to (art@theedgewilson.com).

The Gallery at 317, 317 Barnes Street, S. Wilson. **Ongoing** - Owned by Alexander Anthony, The Gallery is a fashion and art store with men, women and kids clothing. Also displaying artwork from local & regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 4:30-8pm & Sat., 10am-8pm. Contact: 252/363-4698 or at (<http://www.thegallerynclothing.art/>).

Winston-Salem Area

Downtown Arts District, Sixth and Trade streets, Winston-Salem. **Dec. 6, 6-10pm** -

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