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Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet

Art Works in the Litchfield Exchange, 14363 Ocean Highway, 2 miles south of Brookgreen Gardens, Pawleys Island. Ongoing - Featuring original fine, functional and folk art by a score of local artists in regularly changing displays. Paintings by Nancy Bracken, Barnie Slice, M. P. "Squeaky" Swenson and Jane Woodward, as well as works in mixed media by Terry Belanger, Kathi Bixler, Roger Cleveland, Gwen Coley, Millie Doud, Zenobia Harper, Barbara Linderman, Mary Helen Lowrimore and Cindy Valentine, and stained and fused glass by Sharon Knost, Suz Mole and Kathy Welde. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 843/235-9600 or at (www.ClassAtPawleys.com).

Island Art Gallery, a Fine Art Gallery, Villages Shops, 10744m 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).

The Cheryl Newby Gallery, 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, 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).

Pendleton

Art Gallery on Pendleton Square, 102-A E. Main 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 (nonmember) 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).

Pickens

Court Street Gallery, 107 Court Street, Pickens. Ongoing - Featuring works by Donald Collins (painting); Kevin Collins (photography); Jamie Davis (ceramics); Joy Spirit Hawk Evans (jewelry); Robin Giddings (painting); Griz Hockwalt (blacksmith); Renee Mendola (jewelry); and Joel Wilkinson (painting). Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm & open until 9pm on the 3rd Fri. of each month. Call ahead to confirm times and dates. Contact: call Kevin at 864/293-9078 or at (www. courtstreetgallery.net).

Rock Hill

Gallery 5, a contemporary artspace, 131 East Main Street, Suite 506 on fifth floor, downtown Rock Hill. Ongoing - Representing awardwinning American artists, over 40 from 18 states, including paintings, sculpture, glass, ceramics and functional art. Hours: by appt., call 803/985-5000 and e-mail at (galleryfive@comporium.net).

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.

Seneca

Patina on the Alley, 114 Ram Cat Alley, Seneca. Ongoing - Featuring limited edition prints, giclees, originals, pottery and sculptures by local and regional artists such as Beti Strobeck, Wanda Heffelfinger, Gale McKinley, Diana Pursch, Fran Humphries, Paul Frederick, Connie Lippert, Kate Krause, Karen Dittman, Sue Grier, Bob Doster, and Brandy Weiner. We also have baskets by Pati English and Nancy Basket. Photography by Jack Kates, Carl Ackerman, Dede Norungolo, and Witt Langstaff. Also the working studio of Michael Brown. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 864/888-1110 or at (www.patinaalley.com).

The Artist's Loft, 121-B Townville St., (upstairs) Seneca. Ongoing - Gallery and studio

space for local artists/members including Edie Hamblin (winner of the "Blue Ridge Arts Council 19th Annual Juried Exhibition)" and the new pARTy, Social Art Classes. Hours: Wed.-Sat. ,10am-5pm. Contact: 864/882-2711, e-mail at (theartistsloft@yahoo.com).

Spartanburg

Downtown Spartanburg, Sept. 15, 5-9pm - "Art Walk Spartanburg". Held on the 3rd Thur, of every month art galleries and art spaces in downtown Spartanburg will open their doors. Participating are: Spartanburg Art Museum, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg Gallery, HUB-BUB showroom, Carolina Gallery, and West Main Artists Cooperative. For more information call 864/585-3335 or visit (www.carolinagalleryart.com)

Art & Frame Gallery, 880 East Main, Spartanburg. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by local artists, custom framing and art supplies. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 864/585-3700.

Carolina Gallery, 523 W. Main Street, Spartanburg. Ongoing - Featuring fine art originals by Linda Cancel, Eilenn Blyth, Betty Bramlett, Nikki Caulk, Daniel Cromer, Scott Cunningham, Dottie Dillard, Bonnie Goldberg, Steven Heeren, Bob LoGrippo, Guido Migiano, Henry Nguyen, Richard Seaman, Sylvia Spears, Keith Spencer, Staci Swider, Kate Thayer, Edythe Wise, David Zacharias and many others. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm and by appt. Contact: 864/585-3335 or at (www. carolinagalleryart.com).

Creals Studio and Gallery, Suite 950, Montgomery Building, 187 N. Church St., Spartanburg. Ongoing - Featuring works by Jim Creal. Hours: by appt. only or chance. Contact: 864/597-0879 or e-mail at (jimcreal@mindspring.com).

Gallery East, 512 East Main Street, Spartanburg. Ongoing - The gallery features original art by local artists in various mediums as well as unique items for the home - antique to modern, vintage and eclectic. We will also be hosting art openings and special events for upcomming artists. We welcome you to come by for a visit and as always please support the the local arts! Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm, Sat., 10am-2pm, & for Artwalk Every Third Thursday, from 6 - 9pm. Contact: 864/804-6067 or at (www. thegalleryeast.com).

H+K Gallery, 151 W. Main Street, Spartanburg. Ongoing - The gallery is c ommitted to restoring, preserving and promoting the visual heritage of the region, we offer clients a broad spectrum of collectible fine art. The depth and quality of our inventory is supported by a carefully curatorial protocol. We ensure that every painting is original, has been appropriately restored and properly framed, and will present well. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 864/345-2262 or at (www.handkgallery.com).

Summerville

Art Central, Ltd. Gallery, 130 Central Ave., Summerville. Ongoing - Featuring fine art originals, reproductions, one-of-a-kind jewelry and photography by local award winning artists. Representing: Bette Lu Bentley-Layne, Mary Ann Bridgman, Renee Bruce, Christine Crosby, Judy Jacobs, Alexandra Kassing, Sarah Allums Kuhnell, Yvonne L. Rousseau, June Sullivan, Delaine Walters, Kathleen Wiley and Detta C. Zimmerman. Featuring consignment artists Wilma Cantey/pottery, Gary Nunn/woodworking, Guenter Weber/walking sticks and sweetgrass baskets and gourds by Sharon Perkins. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/871-0297 or at (www.artcgalleryltd.com).

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.fourgreenfieldsgallery.com).

Imperial Framing & Specialities, 960 Bacons Bridge Road, Palmetto Plaza, Summerville. **On-going -** Featuring works by Lowcountry artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 843/871-9712.

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. ppquilts.com).

Tea Farm Cottage, 808 N. Cedar St., Summerville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by the largest group of artisans and crafters in the tri-county area with 90 sellers under one roof, plus locally-made foods and antiques. Monthly arts and crafts shows on our 1/2 acre property. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/871-1113.

Treasure the View - Sand Carved Glass, 129 1/2 W. Richardson Ave., Summerville. Ongoing - Unique sand carved glass sculptures created by renowned artist Lex Melfi. Each piece is a one-of-a-kind masterpiece produced by cutting images into glass using high-pressured sand. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/875-7822 or at (www. lexmelfi.com).

Sumter

Elephant Ear Gallery Fine Arts and Creations, 672 Bultman Dr., Sumter. Ongoing - Featuring works by 23 artists offering every medium from watercolor to angora grown rabbits producing fur for spinning. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/773-2268.

NC Institutional Galleries

Aberdeen

The Exchange Street Gallery of Fine Art, 129 Exchange Street, in the old Aberdeen Rockfish Railroad storage terminal, Aberdeen. Ongoing - The Artist's League of the Sandhills currently houses 35 artists-in-residence studios and offers classes by local professional artists and workshops by nationally known artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon -3pm. Contact: 910/944-3979, or at (www.artistleague.org).

Alamance County

BAL Gallery, Holly Hill Mall and Business Center, 309 Huffman Mill Rd., Exit 141 off of 185/140, Burlington. Ongoing - Since the beginning of Burlington Artists League in 1972, we have grown to represent many local artists in our immediate area. BAL's express purpose is to promote and elevate the area artists and their fine art spirit in Burlington, NC, and surrounding areas, thereby creating outlets for the artists and encourging their continuing efforts to improve and create more art work. Along with wall art and bin reproductions, the BAL Artists Gallery also includes 3-D art such as sculptures and pottery. Hours: Mon.-2Fri., noon-8pm; Sat., 10am-9pm, & Sun. for special events. Contact: 336-584-3005 or at (http://balartists.com/ joomla/).



Work by Dale Chihuly

1873 Capt. James & Emma Holt White House, 213 South Main Street, 2 1/2 blocks off I85/40, exit#147. Graham. Home of the Alamance County Arts Council. Sisters & SunTrust Galleries, Through Oct. 15 - "Chihuly Venetians," a stunning exhibition of 47 vessels, 12 drawings and a monumental chandelier in the Venetian style from the George R. Stroemple Collection by Dale Chihuly. Alamance County, NC is the only place on the Eastern Seaboard to see this rare private collection. Featured are works from Chihuly's Venetians series – intricately formed and brilliantly colored objects inspired by Art Deco Venetian glass vases from the 1920s and '30s. Nearly four dozen vessels from the series will be on view, as well as a number of the artist's drawings, which serve as independent works of art and "blueprints" to bring his designs to life. Art critic Donald Kuspit called the Venetians a "toast to life"! 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.artsalamance.com).

Mebane Arts and Community Center, 622 Corregidor Street, Mebane. Through Sept. 12 - Featuring works by Carolyn Langley. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4pm. Contact: call the Center at 919/563-3629, ext. 2 or 919/304-3378 or contact the Alamance County Arts Council at 336-226-4495 or at (www.artsalamance.com).

Paramount Theater, 128 East Front Street, Burlington. Through Sept. 24 - Featuring an exhibit of works by Beth Hill. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon-3pm. Contact: call the Theatre at 336/222-8497 or contact the Alamance County Arts Council at 336-226-4495 or at (http://www.artsalamance.com/).

Albemarle

Falling Rivers Gallery, 119 West Main St., next to Starnes jewelers, Albemarle. 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.fallingriversgallery.com).

Asheboro

Sara Smith Self Gallery, W.H. Moring, Jr. Arts Center, 123 Sunset Avenue, Asheboro. Sept. 6 - 27 - Featuring an exhibit of works by Cara Bevin. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/629-0399 or at (www. randolphartsguild.com).

Asheville Area



Works by Turtle Island Pottery

Throughout Buncombe, Polk, and Transylvania Counties in WNC. Oct. 1 - 16, 2016 - "WNC Open Studios". Visit our WNC Open Studios to experience creativity first-hand, to get closer to the process of making the finest crafts and visual arts, and to take home some memorable art from a fascinating experience, discovering these magical people and places. Featuring 40 local artists at 30 studio venues throughout 3 counties. including: from Buncombe County & Vicinity: Cathy Gerson, Artist to come, Matt Jones, Bernie Rowell, Teena Tuenge, Local Cloth, Steve Miller, Dan & Tekla Howachyn, Marianne Shepardson, Sarah Vikasi, Barbara Frohmader, Arrowhead Gallery (Lorelle Bacon, Nancy Hoopes, Helen Sullivan & John Sullivan), Anne Bevan / Marilyn Owens and Maggie & Freeman Jones. Polk County & Vicinity: Ralph Berger, BJ Precourt, Tyson Graham, Derek Hennigar, Carol Beth Icard, Diana Gurri & Bob Neely, Lori Heckelman, Ann Gleason and Bradly Schwartz. Transylvania County & Vicinity: Ray Byram, Dan Bresnahan, Rob Travis, Blue Moon Gallery, Lucy Clark, Bette Conningsby, and Cathryn Cooper. Standard open hours are 10am to 5pm. Contact: (www.wncopenstudios.org).

Asheville Area Arts Council Gallery, The Grove Arcade, 1 Page Avenue, Suite 143A, downtown Asheville. Through Sept. 17 - "OFF THE CLOCK," features eight artists, all of them full-time studio coordinators at Penland School of Crafts. The exhibit not only signifies the time these artists have to make their own work but also the unexpected engagements with the past, present, and future evident in the works they make. In a place dedicated to upholding a living

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